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SUMMARY OF STRENGTHS AND SKILLS

- Excellent research and analytical skills in a variety of disciplines, from humanities to sciences
- Proficiency in linguistic abilities and cross-cultural communication, with experience in teaching, coaching, writing, editing, translating and interpreting; extensive international experience
- Solid mathematical/statistical background, with project management and organizational capabilities

RELEVANT PROFESSIONAL AND VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE

Freelance Translator, Editor and Researcher, Barcelona, Sep. 2007-Present.

- ES/CA/IT>EN translations of a wide variety of texts for end clients, including technical instruction manuals, contracts, promotional materials, trade magazines, text books and academic articles.

Academic Coordinator and Editor, Master's Degree in Animal Law and Society, Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona (UAB), April 2013-Oct. 2014

- Coordinating logistics for visiting professors, internal and external communications, translation of ES/CA/IT/FR>EN texts, composing, editing and translating academic articles and commentaries.

Project Manager, Transperfect.com, Barcelona, Spain, July 2010-Nov. 2012

- Managing budgets and deadlines; quality assurance of translation projects; linguistic and software analysis; desktop publishing; translation and editing from Spanish, Catalan and Italian to English

Volunteer Translator, Rosetta Foundation, Nov. 2013-Present, **Art Boulevard**, Nov. 2012-May 2013, **Tierra de Khushi**, Feb. 2013-Jan. 2014, **MA Degree in Animal Law and Society**, Barcelona, June 2011-Apr. 2013

- Translation of academic articles, legislation, and educational documents from ES/CA to English

Intern, Centre UNESCO de Catalunya, Barcelona, March 2010-July 2010

- Helped develop and research materials for "International Network on Religions and Conflict Mediation in Urban Areas" project on interreligious dialogue and intercultural understanding

English Teacher, Channel Crossings, Prague, Czech Republic, Sep. 2004-July 2007

- Prepared creative materials; text editing; linguistic evaluation; development of teaching curricula

English Teacher, Bridge-Linguatec, Buenos Aires, Argentina, April 2004-July 2004

- Pass/Excellent TEFL qualification prior to employment

EDUCATION – PUBLICATIONS

Universitat Pompeu Fabra, Official MA: Research Master's Degree in Political Sciences. Sep. 2017-Present

UAB, Official MA, International Relations: Security and Development. Sep. 2010 GPA: 9.2/10.

UAB, Official MA with Mention of Quality, Contemporary History, Sep. 2010 GPA 8.8/10.

- Research thesis received perfect score on Neo-Malthusianism and Anarchism

Brown University, A.B., magna cum laude, Medieval and Renaissance History, May 2003, GPA 3.85/4

- Course load ranging from physics, mathematics, economics to religious studies and philosophy
- Activities: Study Skills Coordinator, Brown Outdoor Leadership Training, Tae Kwon Do, Fencing

New York University in Florence, Summer Study Program, Italian and Art History, Aug. 2002, GPA 4/4

Contributor to Historical Journal, Revista Entremons, Barcelona, Oct. 2011-Dec. 2012

- Review of *The Big History* published in Nov. 2011; original research article published Dec. 2012

Continuing online education through Massive Open Online Courses, March 2013-Present

French Language Courses, up to B1, Escola Oficial d'Idiomes Barcelona-Drassanes, Sep. 2015-June 2017

Intensive Linguistic Studies, Bordeaux (French B2), May 2017; **Verona (Italian C1)**, August 2016.

SKILLS

Language	Speaking	Comprehension	Language	Speaking	Comprehension
English	Native	Native	Spanish	Advanced	Advanced
Catalan	Intermediate	Advanced	Italian	Intermediate	Advanced
French	Intermediate	Upper-Intermediate	Czech	Pre-Intermediate	Pre-Intermediate

Computer: Microsoft Office, CAT Tools (Trados, WordFast, MateCat), PC & Mac Literate

GENERAL INTERESTS AND HOBBIES

Music, skiing, swimming, soccer, volleyball, foreign languages, world literature, cooking, SCUBA diving.