# LAURA MARCHESINI

English to Italian Translator | Translation Studies Graduate

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#### **PROFILE**

Forward-looking English to Italian translator with a MA in Translation Studies and +4 years of experience in positions varying from a prison interpreter to translating novels. I've a keen interest in participating in the field of Linguistics and hold a student membership in the Chartered Institute of Linguists, in the North-West Translator's Network and I am part of SUBTLE - The Subtitlers' Association.

#### **EDUCATION**

# Master of Arts in Translation and Interpreting Studies

University of Manchester / UK 2016 - 2017

# Bachelor of Arts (Hons) in Linquistics

University of Manchester / UK 2012 - 2015

## **MAJOR TRANSLATIONS**

#### **TECHNICAL TRANSLATION**

- Translated 10,000-word user manual relating to an in-built
- Translated 8,000-word user manual relating to a popular brand of coffee machine.
- Translated a technical brochure relating to a fertilizer.

#### **COMMERCIAL TRANSLATION**

• Translated a company annual report.

#### **AUDIOVISUAL TRANSLATION**

• Produced the Italian subtitles of the British film Nil by Mouth, directed by Gary Oldman in 1997. Dissertation project.

## **LITERARY TRANSLATION**

 Translated fifty page sample of the books Confessioni @ un'amica ['Confessions to @ friend'] and Contrappunto d'amore ['Love Counterpoint'] by Adriana Zona.

#### **SKILLS**

Memsource Cloud

MemoQ

SDL Trados

SDL Multiterm

Subtitle Workshop

**GIMP** 

Scribus

MS Word

#### PREVIOUS WORK EXPERIENCE

#### ITALIAN INTERPRETER | EXPRESS LANGUAGE SOLUTIONS

September 2014 – present

- Interpreted during prison appointments to facilitate communication between non-English prisoners and local solicitors.
- Ensured smooth and effective communication in an environment that is at times intimidating and tense due to the often difficult and complex circumstances.

## LANGUAGE SUPPORT ASSISTANT | ONE EDUCATION

September 2013 – June 2016

## **INTERESTS**









- Supported Italian children in the early stages of English learning whilst completing in-class activities.
- Offered first language support for SATS, GCSE and AS level for controlled and non-controlled assessments in listening and speaking exams.