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Hebrew-English / Spanish-English Translator

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Profile:

Native speaker of U.S. English, with three degrees focused on language theory and over 13 years leveraging a near-proficient Israeli Hebrew in classrooms, extensive linguistic research, corporate client relations, virtual/in-person interactions with Israelis, and frequent translation projects. Combined 22 months living in Israel. Gained extensive exposure to Spanish due to a service mission, military service in Central America, translating and interpreting, tutoring, traveling, and personal study over 20 years. Wide-ranging computer skills and excellent track record in performing complex tasks with tight deadlines.

Education:

Ph.D. in Second Language Acquisition and Teaching, 2017

University of Arizona | Tucson, AZ

Level 5 Advanced Hebrew Immersion, 2014

Middlebury College | Middlebury, VT

M.A. in Foreign Language Education, 2012

University of Texas | Austin, TX

B.A. in Linguistics with Hebrew Minor, 2010

Brigham Young University | Provo, UT

Selected Experience:

Business Owner and Professional Translator

Oasis Language Solutions | 2021–Present

- Providing various language services to direct clients

Freelance Translator

2011–Present

- Translating medical, legal, and general documents in both language pairs

Israel Member Services Representative

dōTERRA International, LLC | 2018–2021

- Supported Israeli distributors in Hebrew
- Translated documents related to IT, client relations, and company policies

Admissions Associate

Brigham Young University | 2018–2020

- Employed critical reading and analysis skills

Co-Instructor

Middlebury College | 2015

- Planned, designed, and taught a second year MA course on action research

Academic Research Associate

University of Arizona | 2013

- Translated historical texts from Hebrew-English to convey primary concepts

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Languages:

English: Native

Hebrew: Adv. High (Cert. OPI rating, 8/8/19)

Spanish: Adv. Low (Self-rated)

Relevant Skills:

PCs/Macs, memoQ, MS Office, text processing, HTML and website editing, linguistic research, several dictionary and grammar resources

Volunteer Work:

ESL Intern and Instructor

El Buen Samaritano Episcopal Mission and ESL Services, UT at Austin | 2011–2012

- Planned and executed volunteer courses for ESL students, including grading tests
- Observed two instructors and taught alongside their feedback

Full-Time Church Missionary

The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints | 2001–2003

- Developed interpersonal skills and served in Spanish in an immersive environment
- Taught voluntary English classes to Spanish speakers, translated various legal and medical documents, and interpreted for Latinos

Projects:

Hebrew Learning and Technology Site

Owner

hebrewlearningandtech.com

2019–Present

- Developing and maintaining a website with resources for learning Hebrew

HebrewCorpus Site Administrator

hebrewcorpus.nmelrc.org

Title VI National Middle East Language

Resource Center (NMEELRC) | 2010–Present

- Collaborated in developing this linguistic resource with over 150 million words

Hobbies and Interests:

Learning technologies, cooking, music listening and creation, fitness and well-being, travel

Other Services Offered:

Proofreading/Editing, Subtitling, Transcription, Alignment, Localization, Machine-Translation Post-Editing, Tutoring, Language Consulting

Associations:

American Translators Association

National Association of Professors of Hebrew

Modern Language Association