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**\*Translator/Interpreter \***

Extremely knowledgeable Translator with a strong command over Arabic and English (read/write/speak) and 8 years hands-on experience with United State Armed Forces

• Well versed in providing system-wide foreign language translation services in order to facilitate communication
• Able to adhere to interpretation standards and conforming to code of ethics
• Hands on experience in providing both written and oral translation and interpretation services between parties

**WORK EXPERIENCE**

**Interpreter | Spokane, WA | Dec 1999 to 2003**

• Provide oral and written interpretation services
• Verify information from original text in order to ensure appropriate interpreting
• Ensure that all written translations conform to the original text in terms of technicality and terminology
• Discuss interpretation requirements with clients to ensure error free documents
• Ensure that both content and style of statements in communicated effectively
• Proofread, document and make any necessary changes
• Provide verbatim interpretation in real time
• Ensure that the context of the language isn’t altered during interpretation

**Translator/Cultural Advisor United States Army | 2004-2012**

Assist security personnel in screening the local population. Using the consecutive and the simultaneous technique at the master level, interprets from and into English, and Modern Standard Arabic (MSA), mostly in formal situations, in predominantly difficult assignments involving high level Army officials. Train supervises other translators/interpreters and provides professional guidance to other Interpreters assigned to meeting or conferences

**EDUCATION**

Two Years Master’s program of Arts in Geopolitics, GPA 3.56

Long Beach University, Long Beach, CA

Bachelor in Political Geography and Middle Eastern Studies, GPA 3.50

San Diego States University, San Diego, CA

Army Education

60 Days Combat Advisor and Mentor for foreign forces

 7 Days Communication skills for leadership

9 Days Problem solving and decision making in group

10 Days Manager as Coach and Counselor

20 Weeks Interpreter/Translation 500 hours of Dari Language.

Honors, Awards

Golden Key International Honor Society since 2007

Other Information

Also fluent in North African (Moroccan) and French