Merna Saad

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Education

MS in Software Development, Boston University

Nov '21 - present May '23 (Expected)

Computer systems (Python), Discrete Math, software design and development (Python), Algorithms (Java), Advanced Algorithms, Advanced Programming techniques(Java), Database Design and Implementation for Business(SQL Server), Web Application Development

Stanford University, CS106A-Code in Place, online - non-graded Introductory programming, Images, Graphics, Animations (Python)

Apr - Jun '20

Bachelor's Degree in Mass Communication (English Department), Misr International University, Egypt

Jul '08 - Jul '12

Phonetics and Phonology, Morphology and Syntax, Sociolinguistics, English Literature, African-American Literature, Social Psychology, Intro. To Conference Interpretation, Advanced Translation (English/Arabic and vice versa)

Professional Diploma in Legal & United Nations Translation, The American University in Cairo, Egypt

May '12 - May '15

Legal Translation, UN Translation, Economic Translation, Advanced-Translation Problem-Solving strategies, Interpreting

Languages and Technologies Languages: Python, Java, Javascript, HTML and CSS, Vue and React (Learning: C++)

Tools and Frameworks: PyCharm, Spyder, Eclipse, IntelliJ, MYSQL, VSCode

Operating Systems: Mac OS, Windows

Experience

Elaph Translation LLC, Egypt

May '15 - Feb '20

Sr. Team Manager & Reviser

Mar '19 - Feb '20

- Lead 3 translator teams including training new employees ensuring the quality of work and meeting team goals and standards.
- Lead QA/QC by revising final translations before shipping it to clients ensuring their accuracy.

Technical & Legal Translation Manager

Apr '17 - Mar '19

- Manage cross group collaboration and on schedule delivery of 6 translators ensuring on time compilation of required documents.
- Split large files at logical stopping points distributing them among team members increasing team's efficacy by 40%.

Technical & Legal Translator

May '15 - Apr '17

- Translate technical and legal documents (websites, manuals, engineering projects, technical invoices, lawsuits, summons, police reports, legal certificates) from Arabic to English and vice versa ensuring accurate translation and attention to detail.
- Increase the efficacy of translation by 30% up to 450 words per hour by using creative time management and task planning.

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