Valentina MELLONE. MA

English > Italian and French > Italian Translator specializing in:

Fashion & Sportswear; Jewelry & Watchmaking; Tourism & Hospitality; Beauty & Make-Up.

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Native Italian speaker based in **Italy**; freelancer since 2010; VAT-registered professional as per Italian Law no. 4/2013 since 2013 (VAT no. IT 02936590732).

Education and CPD

2024 – SSEF: Introductory Online Courses about Diamonds, Emeralds, Pearls, Rubies, Sapphires, Garnets, Jade, Opals, Spinels, Tourmalines, Sustainability;

2024 – **Inside LVMH** Certificate;

2024 – TranslaStars: Online Course "<u>Copywriting</u> for Translators (II Edition)";

2024 – TranslaStars: Online Course "<u>Expert on **UX**</u> and **Localization**";

2024 – TranslaStars: Online Course "<u>Translating e-</u> Commerce: from Online Stores to Amazon";

2023 – TranslaStars: Online Course "SEO & SEA Localization and Content Creation (II Edition)";

2023 – STL Formazione: Modules 9, 10, 11, 13, 14, 15 of the Online Course "Translating (and Communicating) Fashion & Luxury";

2022 – STL Formazione: Online Course "<u>Translating</u> <u>Cosmetics</u>";

2022 – STL Formazione: Online Course
"Transcreation of Marketing & Advertising Texts";

2021 – STL Formazione: Online Course "<u>Translating</u> **Fashion**";

2011 – Pisa University: 1-year Postgraduate
Diploma in Translation of Post-Colonial Text in
English: Literature, Essays, Drama and Cinema;

2009 – Salento University: 2-year Master's Degree in Literary and Technical Translation (tourism, subtitling, computer game localization; 110/110 with honors);

2006 – Lecce University: **3-year Bachelor's Degree** in **Translation** and **Interpreting** (110/110).

For a bit more exhaustive list of my CPD activities, please visit this page.

How can I help you?

- Translation, localization, transcreation and post-editing from English or French to Italian: websites and their metadata, brochures, catalogs, lookbooks, product and services descriptions, descriptions of destinations, tour itineraries and vacation packages, press releases, newsletters, articles, social media content, training materials for employees, letters and other materials for internal use.
- Translation of subtitles from English or French timed templates to Italian: promotional videos, corporate videos, training videos, TV series, movies and documentaries.
- Localization of video game texts from English or French to Italian.

Have a look at <u>this page</u>, <u>my portfolio</u> and <u>my TED profile</u> to check out my services in more detail and some examples of my previous projects.

Computer skills

- CAT tools: XTM; memoQ; Trados Studio 2017; OmegaT; WorldServer;
- SDL/RWS Post-Editing Certified;
- RWS Certificate in Linguistic Prompt Design;
- Basic notions of HTML and WordPress.

Associations

- Registered as an English-language expert with the Camera di Commercio Brindisi – Taranto (local Chamber of Commerce, Italy), number 341;
- AITI associate member, number 218103;
- IAPTI member number 923;
- ProZ.com Certified PRO (English > Italian);
- Women in Localization member;
- ITI Beauty Fashion and Luxury Network member.

For further information about me you can visit this page or my LinkedIn profile.

On my website and on my LinkedIn and ProZ profiles you can read some recommendations.

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