

# EVS TRANSLATIONS Life after a language degree

WE SPEAK YOUR LANGUAGE





## The global translations market



## The arrogance of English



#### **EVS Translations**



Careers





# The global translations market



"There is just so much translation to be done—people have estimated that only around 5% of what needs to be translated actually is — that good translators will never be out of a job."

- Andy Way, associate professor of computing at Dublin City University (The Guardian, September 29, 2014)



#### SIZE OF THE PAID TRANSLATION MARKET

USD 50,000,000,000 world wide / year



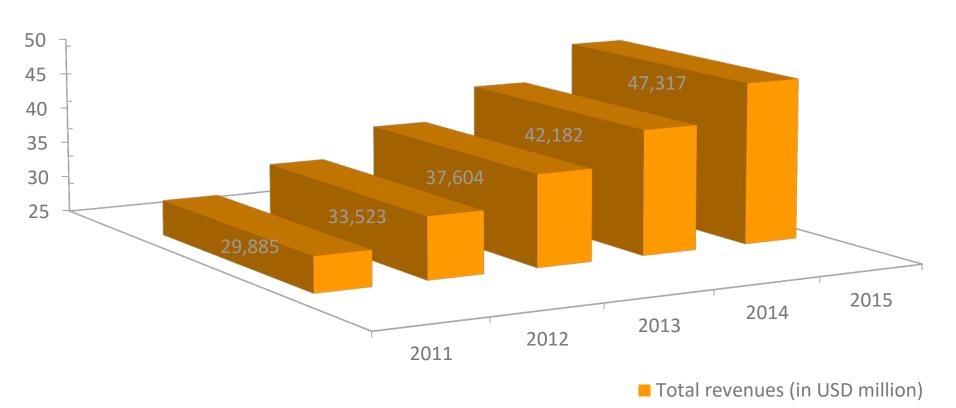
USD 130,000,000 / day



19 million words = 2.5 million lines = 1 million pages



#### FUTURE OF LANGUAGE SERVICE PROVIDERS

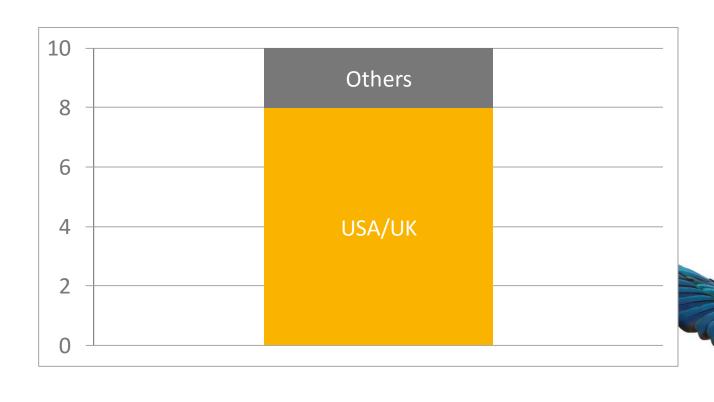


Source: Official figures quoted by Common Sense Advisory



#### TRANSLATION COMPANIES

7 in the top 10 are based in the UK or US





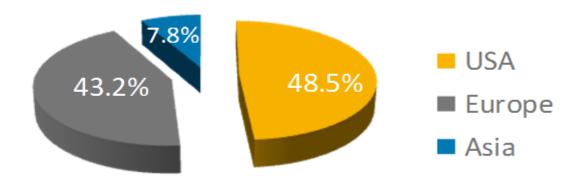
#### DISTRIBUTION OF THE TRANSLATION MARKET



48.5% of all translations are sourced in USA



43.2% of all translations are sourced in Europe



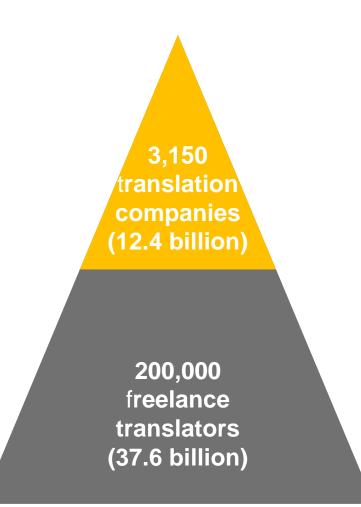
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#### MARKET SHARE

Worldwide translation market

USD 50 billion





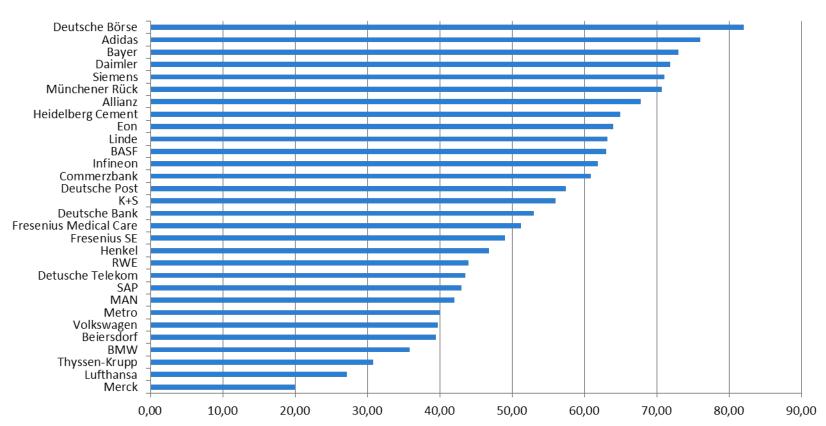


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#### **TOP 30 GERMAN COMPANIES**

#### **INTERNATIONAL OWNERSHIP IN %**





#### **GERMANY**

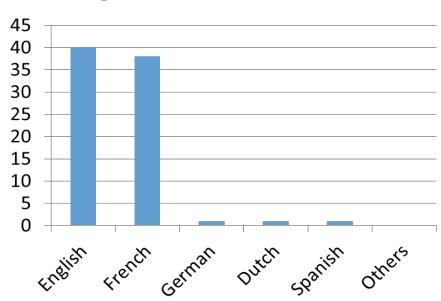
#### Annual reports DAX 30 English, 30 German, 1 French





#### **FRANCE**

Annual reports CAC 40 40 English, French 38, German 1, Dutch 1, Spanish 1

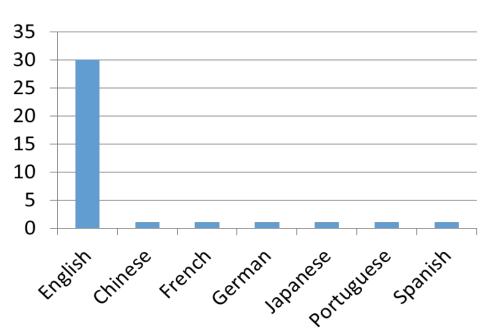




#### USA

#### Annual reports Dow Jones

30 English, 1 Chinese, 1 German, 1 Japanese, 1 Portuguese, 1 Spanish





#### SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY

#### **Science Citation Index**

95% of documents are in English

(1980; 85%, 1990; 90%)





#### TOP PHARMA MARKETS WORLDWIDE



Source: Marksans Pharma Ltd. 2014



# NOVARTIS THREE AND MORE INTO ONE

Geigy 1758 Ciba 1859 Sandoz 1886

Ciba-Geigy: 1970s



## NOVARTIS SALES IN SWITZERLAND

Year	In %
2000	1.55
2014	1.26

Source: Novartis AG



## TAKEDA SALES IN JAPAN

Year	In %
2000	77
2014	37

Source: Takeda Pharmaceutical Company Limited



## BAYER SALES IN GERMANY

Year	In %
2000	15
2014	12

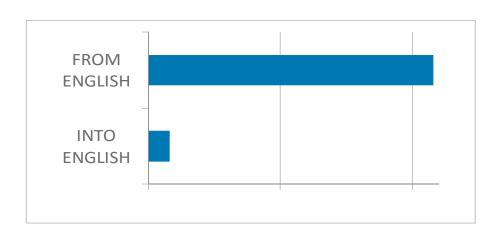
Source: Bayer AG



#### **PUBLISHING**

If you want to reach an audience, write in English. Example Bulgaria (2003-2008)

- Books translated into English 8
- Books translated from English 10,800







## **EVS Translations**



#### **EVS TRANSLATIONS**

Founded in 1991

Employees in 2016: over 140

More than 30,000 projects per year

Over 100 language combinations





#### 25 YEARS IN GLOBAL BUSINESS





#### WHO DOES EVS TRANSLATIONS WORK WITH?



Source: Fotolia



#### IT IS NOT ONLY TRANSLATIONS

Translation & interpreting

Proofreading

Project management

Terminology management

Desktop publishing & formatting

SEO

Website localisation, voiceover



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#### TRANSLATION COMPANY OR AGENCY?

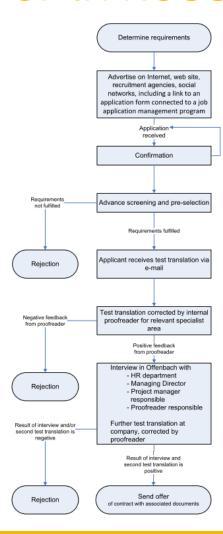


EVS Translations has in-house translators at each of its global offices.

Source: Getty Images



#### SELECTION OF IN-HOUSE TRANSLATORS





#### ESSENTIAL INFORMATION IN YOUR LANGUAGE





#### **EVS TRANSLATIONS BLOG**

- Word of the day
- Translation 101
- "A Day in the Life"
- Industry-specific articles

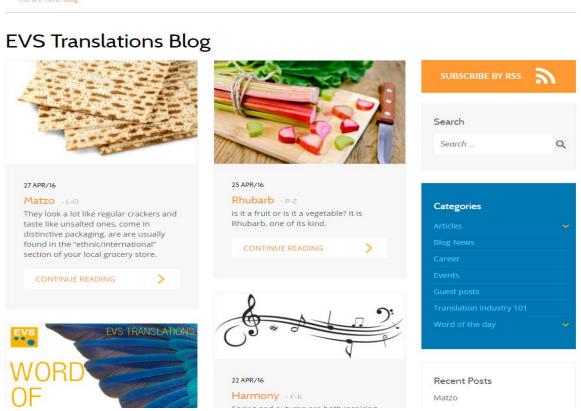


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#### **EVS TRANSLATIONS BLOG**







#### **TRANSLATIONS 101**



## Translation Quotes: 6 Points That Could Change Your Perspective Articles

There is more to translation than counting the total number of words in your document and multiplying this figure by  $\mathcal{X}'$  – at least, we think there should be. If you are looking for the best value, then read on.

Your boss asks you to get quotes from three different providers. The first seems low-cost, the second is higher and the third is considerably more expensive. Why is there a difference in price? Isn't the task of translating a German or Spanish document going to be the same, whoever does it? The

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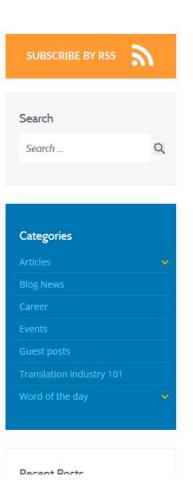


#### "A DAY IN THE LIFE"



# A Day in the Life of Our Global Head of Marketing, Monika Heusel Articles

We managed to grab 5 minutes with our Global Head of Marketing, Monika Heusel, who has just returned from the **Tekom Annual Conference** in Stuttgart where EVS Translations was



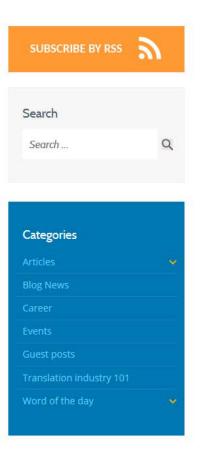


#### INDUSTRY SPECIFIC ARTICLES



#### South Korea Shines among Its Global Neighbours Articles

When asked about the economic powers of Europe, people will mostly reply with the standard answers of Germany, France, and the United Kingdom, while very few will mention Switzerland, which enjoys a high standard of living and is home to some of the largest companies in the world.

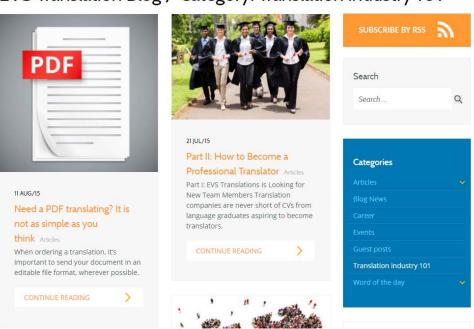




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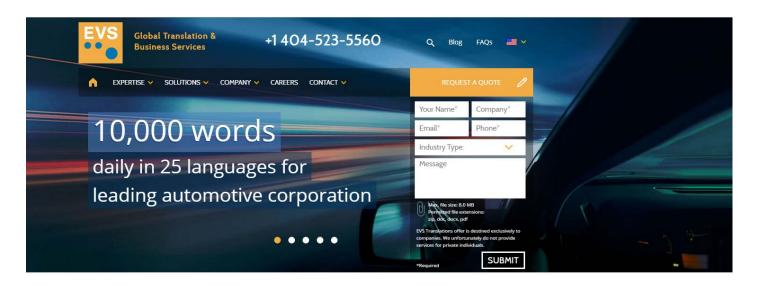


#### EVS Translation Blog / Category: Translation industry 101





#### **EVS TRANSLATIONS - WEBSITE**



#### **Professional Translation Solutions**

EVS Translations is a single-source solution for all language requirements, ranging from document translation to website localization and multi-lingual SEO, software localization, multimedia localization, interpreting and desktop publishing solutions.

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# Careers



# WHERE TO START YOUR CAREER AT EVS TRANSLATIONS

- Project management
- Business Development
- Marketing
- Human resources
- Accounting
- I.T.
- Translation engineering
- Translation and proofreading







# Project management

- Coordinating teams
- Liaising with clients and assessing requirements
- Account management
- Managing projects and their deadlines
- Quality management





# **Business development**

- Lead generation
- Handling enquiries and quotes
- Client meetings and delivering presentations
- Trade exhibitions
- Participation in tenders





# narketing Marketing

- Content writing
- Digital marketing including management of social media platforms
- Website management and SEO
- Tender management
- Creation of marketing materials
- Trade exhibitions and events





#### Human resources

- Personnel recruitment
- Preparing employment contracts
- Responsibility for salary payments
- Implementing benefits
- Employee development
- Enhancing working relationships to make sure everybody feels at home in the company





# Accounting

- Intercompany account coordination
- Consolidation and reporting DE, UK, BG, USA
- Analyses of sales/costs
- Cash flow
- Invoice management
- Manging bank payments and bank accounts
- Managing the receivables list





#### I.T.

- File engineering and software testing
- Software and website localisation support
- Machine translation support
- Data security
- Data management
- Infrastructure





#### Translation engineering

- Formatting translation projects
- Desktop publishing
- Translation memory management
- Terminology management
- Subtitling,
- Translator helpdesk
- Training in CAT-Tools





# Translation and proofreading

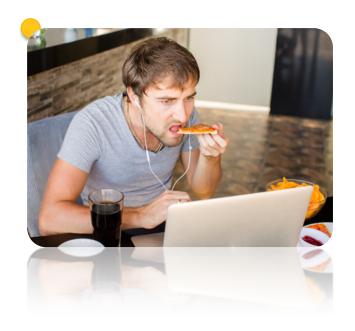
- Translating and proofreading in various fields of expertise: technical, marketing, legal or finance
- Career steps:
  - >Junior Translator, Translator, Senior Translator
  - > Proof Reader, Senior Proofreader, Head of **Proof Readers**



#### **BECOMING A TRANSLATOR**

"Everyone asks for experience, but I don't have any!"...

- Do proofreading
- Work with charities
- Send out CVs
- Show what you can do with examples
- Offer freelance translation
- Specialise in a subject area
- Get familiar with CAT tools



Source: Fotolia



### **OUR IN-HOUSE TRANSLATOR'S ADVICE**

Keep cool under the pressure of deadlines

Build an arsenal of useful resources

Read regularly to improve vocabulary and writing style

**Expect** variation in volume and content



# A TYPICAL DAY FOR OUR TRANSLATORS

- Check e-mails
- Order and prioritise projects for the day according to deadlines
- Discuss terminology/grammar issues with colleagues
- Juggle between different jobs: specialist areas and language combinations





# EVS TRANSLATIONS – WHAT KIND OF CANDIDATES DO WE LOOK FOR?



work in a team, cope under pressure, time management

Appropriate qualifications in languages and possibly translation



Knowledge of another subject area



**Experience**CAT tools





# TRANSLATOR TIPS & TRICKS

Extensive support

On-going training

Training materials on intranet



# JOB OPPORTUNITES FOR YOU

- Translator Trainee Programme
- Management Trainee Programme





Source: Fotolia



#### **OUR TRANSLATOR TRAINEE PROGRAMME**

6 months initial training

Actual assisted translations

Study of core processes and QM

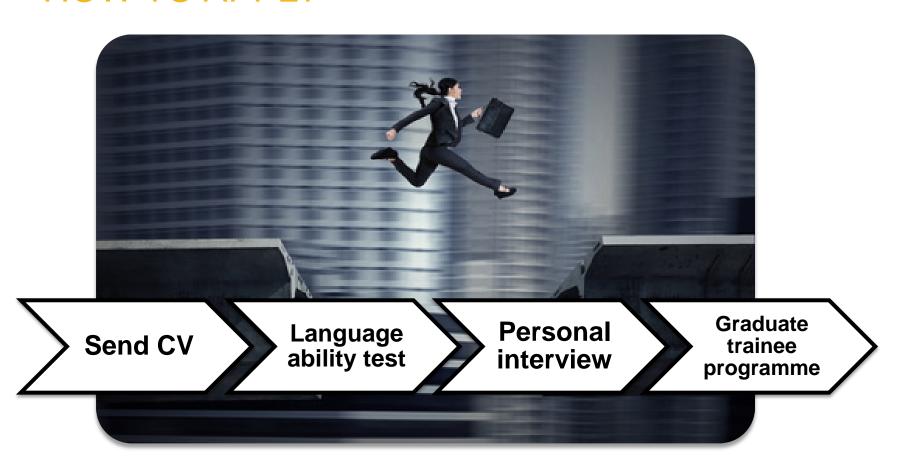
Dedicated mentor

Software training

Introduction to reference materials and resources



# **HOW TO APPLY**



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#### MANAGEMENT TRAINING PROGRAMME

# DUAL STUDIES BACHELOR OF ARTS GENERAL MANAGEMENT/INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS

In conjunction with *Accadis Hochschule* in Bad Homburg, EVS Translations develops its own management staff and offers a career after graduation in one of the global EVS Translations offices.





# WHY EVS TRANSLATIONS?

Excellent on-going training

Dynamic and rapidly expanding company

One of the European leader

Excellent working atmosphere in a professional team





# YOUR BENEFITS IF YOU WORK FOR EVS TRANSLATIONS

- Work in a team representing 15 different nationalities
- Possibility to work in all offices of EVS Translations worldwide
- Network with colleagues in different languages
- Team events
- Participate in our healthcare scheme
- Free public transport
- Meal checks
- Pension plan
- Free coffee, tea and water



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# WE MAKE YOU FEEL WELCOME FROM DAY ONE...EVERYWHERE AT EVS



- 08 Jun/15
- EVS Translations' die-hards at the biggest team building event in Bulgaria



- 16 Jun/15
- Part IV: A Day in the Life of Our UK Translation Engineer, David



- 13 Jan/15
- Behind the Word of the Day Desislava Nikolova



#### JOIN OUR PROFESSIONAL TEAM

With more than 6,000 applications EVS Translations has become one of the top employers in the medium-sized business category

per year,







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#### **EVS TRANSLATIONS MISSION**



# WE SPEAK YOUR LANGUAGE.

Our thinking is determined by enthusiasm for language, our actions by trust and respect for customers and employees. The support of our customers is our mission. As mediator between languages and cultures we make communication possible.



# **VISION**

Some get what they want.

It is your move.





# THANK YOU FOR YOUR ATTENTION! DO YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS?

I look forward to hearing from you:

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