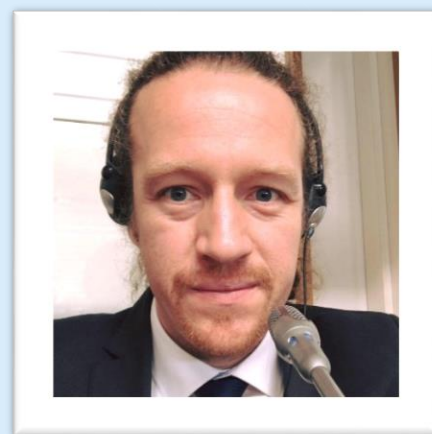


ZOLTÁN GYURÁCZ

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Studies:

Zoltán Gyurác graduated from the former **Berzsenyi Dániel College** in Szombathely as a Hungarian and English language teacher. Later he applied to the specialized translation and interpreting postgraduate program of the **University of West Hungary**, and in the course of his studies he carried out excellent performance. During this two-year-long program, he was taught by one of the current teachers of the BME Centre for Interpreter and Translator Training, Csilla Szabó, who became his mentor and gave him a lot of useful advice.

Career:

Since this postgraduate program was launched with very few participants, Zoltán had enough time and opportunity to acquire all the useful skills for specialized translation, consecutive and conference interpreting. As he was very talented, Csilla Szabó let him accompany her at interpreting events. Although at the beginning Zoltán had needed some encouragement, his career as an interpreter began. He still prefers interpreting to translation because an interpreter is always surrounded by people, while working at home as a freelance translator is often a solitary job. Besides this, in case of interpreting he always gets instant feedback, most of the time positive, clients are very thankful for a job well done. Of course, interpreting requires special attitude and personality, and Zoltán has it all. Being the guitarist of an amateur band, both his hobby and profession are related to performing arts.

Currently, Zoltán works as an English as Foreign Language teacher, an interpreter and a translator. In his life, these three jobs are closely interrelated with each other, because when a company asks him to teach English, soon he gets an assignment as a translator and often they need him as an interpreter, too. On the other hand teaching helps him to maintain the level of his language skills. Zoltán also teaches specialized translation, he started this activity in Szombathely at the legal successor of the University of West Hungary, ELTE Savaria University Centre.

Zoltán runs a successful business, [Talent Language Services](#), which has proved its marketability in Szombathely and its vicinity.

He is a member of SzOFT (Association of Freelance Translators and Interpreters) and regularly attends their events.

For him working as a freelance translator is relatively easy because he has all the necessary skills to carry out the whole translation process by himself, ranging from seeking clients to editing the final text. Typically, he gets assignments from companies and sometimes from the retail sector.

Zoltán has professional experience in the following fields: translating webpages, catalogues, contracts, certificates of no criminal record, he has interpreted at conferences and other events, and participated in the preparation of a large-scale project funded by the EU.