

Adriana Luchian Soares

Summary of Qualifications

Dedicated Educator who has taught and tutored Foreign Languages with positive results for 20 years:

- Fluent in: English, French, Spanish, Romanian and Portuguese. Basic knowledge of Italian
- Skilled in creating a stimulating learning environment both in the classroom and one-on-one
- Proven ability to assess and make recommendations based on individual talents and abilities
- Massachusetts Initial Teacher Certification in French/Spanish Language and Culture (PreK-12)

Professional Experience

Language Instructor and Director, Adi's Language School, Framingham, MA August 2017-present

- Assesses learners' language abilities and creates curriculum per their needs and interests
- Instructs groups and individual students
- Is flexible in scheduling and working with students

Spanish Teacher, Framingham High School, Framingham, MA September 2015 – August 2017

- Practiced efficient classroom management techniques to keep students focused and engaged
- Went the extra mile to help students in need and understood different learning styles
- Collaborated closely with colleagues, parents and administrators to reach common goals
- Incorporated innovative teaching methods such as using images to teach grammar

French/Spanish Teacher, Belmont Public Schools, Belmont, MA September 2012-May 2015

- Incorporated innovative teaching methods such as the flipped classroom

French Immersion Teacher, Milton Public Schools, Milton, MA September 2010-May 2012

- Facilitated the study of advanced materials in French Language Arts and History/Geography using French only in the classroom
- Developed curriculum materials on a regular basis using new technology and creative approach

Spanish After School Club Teacher, Milton Public Schools, Milton, MA October 2011-May 2012

- Grew after school program from one level to three levels in six months

French Teacher and Tutor, The Boston Language Institute, Boston, MA June 2009– June 2010

- Empowered students to succeed by tailoring classroom material to support specific learning needs while respecting standards

Translation Project Manager, Crimson Life Sciences, Brighton, MA 2008–June 2009

- Developed good rapport with diverse clients and vendors to achieve specific goals

Multilingual/French Language Lead, Lionbridge Technologies Inc., Framingham, MA 2005–2008

- Prepared e-Learning materials in different languages

Translation Project Manager (promoted from Production Assistant), Detroit Translation Bureau, Detroit, MI 2003–2005

- Successfully coached teams of translators and editors in accomplishing challenging assignments

French Graduate Teaching Assistant, Kent State University, Kent, OH 2001–2003

- Read and evaluated student writing while providing constructive feedback
- Wrote and presented academic paper at American Translator's Association Conference; paper focused on how to increase learners' motivation to study foreign languages

Education

Master of Arts, Teaching Hispanic Languages and Cultures, Alcalá de Henares, Spain 2017

Portuguese private tutoring, Boston, MA 2014

Spanish Immersion, The Boston Language Institute, Boston, MA 2009

Master of Arts, French / English Translation, Kent State University, Kent, OH 2003

Bachelor of Arts, French / English Teaching and Translation, Al. I. Cuza University, Iasi, Romania 2001