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PERSONAL DATA

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PROFESSIONAL SKILLS AND BACKGROUND

- Former Deputy Director of Radio Free Asia's Mandarin Service
- 22 years of editor experience in two-way translation between English and Chinese on transcripts, video, and audio files
- Extensive familiarity with China's geography, history, politics, economy, and culture
- Deep understanding of the Chinese Mandarin nuance, context, and a variety of dialects
- Sound English language skills, cooperative and detail-oriented working style
- Fluency in **English and Chinese Mandarin (Native)**

EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

- **Freelance Writer** 2018 – Present
- **Senior Editor, Deputy Director (2012-2018)** 1996 - 2018
Mandarin Service, Radio Free Asia, Washington, DC
- **International Broadcaster** 1995 - 1996
Mandarin Service, Voice of America, Washington, DC

EDUCATION

- **M.A. - History**, graduation thesis in English
University of British Columbia, Vancouver, Canada
- **M.A. - Japanese Literature**, graduation thesis in Japanese
Jilin University, Changchun, China
- **B.A. - Japanese Language**, graduation essay in Japanese
Jilin University, Changchun, China

REFERENCES AVAILABLE UPON REQUEST

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Dear Selection Committee:

I am writing to apply for Chinese Linguist with IC-CAP, LLC at Bethesda, Maryland.

I am former deputy director of Radio Free Asia's Mandarin Service, with 22 years of supervisory work experience translating between English and Chinese.

This position particularly appeals to me because it requires a creative linguist who can function immediately and effectively on all Chinese language operations. It also calls for a dedicated analyst with deductive skills to process sensitive information, accurately capturing the essence beneath the surface. These are precisely the qualifications and values I have and am ready to offer.

With my masterful handling of Chinese Mandarin, I am confident that I can successfully fulfill all the required duties. If selected to serve, I will be an efficient investigator with highly developed political judgment capable of acting decisively on complex intelligence issues. Meanwhile, I will be a cooperative and detail-oriented scholar who promptly adapts to a new work environment.

For your information, I once had a security clearance in September 1995 before working for the Voice of America. The United States Information Agency, then a branch of the State Department, conducted the clearance at the level of Public Trust.

I have attached my resume and cover letter. Thank you in advance for reviewing my application. I look forward to the opportunity to discuss my qualifications in more detail with you.

Sincerely,

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