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International Relations Department
Chair of Diplomatic Translation
Translation business in the field of international and legal relations
“Simultaneous Translation of Monologue and Dialogical Speech”
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Seminar 4

Module I. Tenets of Translation Studies

Seminar 4: Paraphrasing training

Goals of the seminar

1. Introduce the notion of discourse
2. Explain peculiarities of media political discourse
3. Practice with sight translation
4. Practice 20 min simultaneous interpretation of relevant topic

Aspects of the seminar

1. Compile glossary from the speech of Alison Davidian
2. Listen to the audio material with relevant terminology of IR in SL
3. To do sight translation from English into Kazakh/Russian
4. To do simultaneous interpretation into target language

Assignment form

Offline in the Room 322

Video material:

Press Conference: Alison Davidian on the situation in Afghanistan

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=lvIzSuQVz4U&ab_channel=UnitedNations

The text: Socialist Paris Mayor Anne Hidalgo sets sights on presidency for 2022

<https://www.france24.com/en/europe/20210911-paris-mayor-anne-hidalgo-sets-sights-on-%C3%A9lys%C3%A9e-palace-with-bid-for-2022-socialist-nomination>

Task 1. Analyze audio and video materials:

- a) Define active and unknown vocabulary
- b) Find the equivalents in the target language

Task 2. Two-way vocabulary activation task: Write down the equivalents of the following words/word combinations.

Task 3. Building vocabulary on synonymical and antonymical level (chains and rows) – “NET” exercise

Task 4. Shadowing. Shadow a speech while at the same time writing something completely unrelated on a piece of paper. ie. numbers from 1-100 in reverse order.

Task 5. Training simultaneous interpreting skills: Sight translation. Translate the given text at sight.

Extra reading

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4. Комиссаров, Вилен Наумович. Лингвистическое переводоведение в России: учеб. пособие / В. Н. Комиссаров ; предисл.и ред. Б. Ольховикова. М.: ЭТС, 2002