

**Letter of Recommendation  
Andrey Shumilov**

Working with Andrey for approximately six years now, he has translated around one million words in writing, interviews and lectures. Additionally, he became my personal instructor.

What separates him out from all the other translators and instructors? His English is more comprehensive than most native English speakers and is impeccable. He can translate the common vernacular, jokes so they are funny from a Russian point of view, technical jargon and do it all instantaneously live on stage. And he has traveled coast to coast in the US, so has many of the same concepts as Americans have.

I was fortunate enough to travel with him in Russia and then have him as a guest in my home in the US. There are two particular points that are very pertinent: a) he has very high integrity and b) in addition to being of very high genius IQ he is particularly keen to hair splitting detail...which is why he is the only source I have found yet, be it online, on CD, with teachers, or in books who can explain with exact precision the details between English and Russian. And do it either direction. Not one single source has come close to matching him. In short, he has the ability to get into the complexities of the language and explain them easily.

And his students, of which three I met, spoke almost fluent English in 1-2 years.

Yes, he is a phenomenon. He is the only translator / instructor that I can recommend who has the precision and nuance to handle any task.



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