THE INTERNATIONAL NETWORK OF STREET PAPERS (INSP)
Volunteer Translators: Job Description

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TITLE: Volunteer Translators
REPORTS TO: Maree Aldam, Network Development Officer

PURPOSE: To aid INSP in supporting its global membership of independent social media by translating quality editorial content for exchange via its online news agency, the Street News Service (www.streetnewsservice.org). This project helps street papers to publish important global news relating to poverty and social justice and provide meaningful work for homeless people. We are looking for volunteers with strong language skills to produce high quality translations for this service as well as other more general translation requirements such as website development, international communication, policy documents etc.

MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS:
Dependable individuals with strong language skills with the capacity to produce coherent article summaries and/or publishable translations between English and the following languages:

Highly desired

French	German

Desired

Hungarian	Italian	Japanese	Norwegian
Polish	Portuguese	Russian	Serbo-Croat
Slovak	Slovene	Spanish	Swedish
Ukrainian			

TIME COMMITMENT: On an as-needed basis for specific translation requests with potential to expand into an additional weekly commitment of translating a series of short article summaries. INSP staff corresponds with translation volunteers via telephone and email communication.

BENEFITS: All translations are conducted on an unpaid, voluntary basis. INSP is happy to provide volunteers with references, and volunteers will be credited in print for all published translations. Volunteer translators provide an invaluable service by encouraging exchange, collaboration and capacity-building among street papers around the world.

TO APPLY: Send your CV, and a cover letter telling us why you're interested in this opportunity to**:**

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Applications will also be accepted via email. Send them to: info@street-papers.org