



US Coast Guard Auxiliary Interpreter Corps

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This is an official site for locating Volunteer Coast Guard Auxiliary Interpreters. You must be a member of Coast Guard Forces to have access to:

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Interpreter**

**Over 300 Volunteer Interpreters
42 Foreign Languages
30,000 Mission Hours Provided**

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The US Coast Guard Auxiliary Interpreter Corps is a Division of the USCG Auxiliary International Affairs Directorate. Interpreters are members of the USCG Auxiliary and offer their linguistic skills to the US Coast Guard and other agencies of the Department of Homeland Security.

The US Coast Guard Auxiliary Interpreter Corps has 2 Competency Levels:

Level "A" Interpreter fluently reads, writes, speaks and understands a foreign language in addition to English.

Level "B" Interpreter speaks and understands a foreign language in addition to English, but does not necessarily fluently read or write in any language.

Yes, 61% of our Volunteer Interpreters are Level "A" rated and 39% are Level "B" rated. Another interesting fact is that 46% of those Interpreters have prior military service.

The Summer 2003 issue of the NAVIGATOR features two (2) separate Interpreter Corps related stories. One is titled HUMBLE HERO and features Jimmin Chang – whose photo appears on the NAVIGATOR cover – and his receipt of the State of California's Department of Boating and Waterway's Distinguished Public Service Award. The second article titled SPANISH 101 features Louis Clay-Mendez who built the Basic Emergency Spanish Training (B.E.S.T.) program that is designed to teach a 2-day course in operational Spanish to Coast Guard units on request.

Members of the US Coast Guard Auxiliary Interpreter Corps measure up to the highest quality standards and already have provided over 30,000 mission hours, mainly in Coast Guard Operational Support.

Here is how to learn more about the successful Interpreter Corps activities and how to join:

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