



VACANCY NOTICE FOR TEMPORARY AGENT SELECTION

Job title (same as on the job description)	Translator
Reference	DGT/COM/2026/1982
Application deadline	22.10.2026 - 12.00 (Brussels time)
Directorate-General (full name)	Directorate-General for Translation
Unit	DGT.C.1.GA.2
Place of assignment	Brussels
Grade range	AD5/7
Domain *	Languages
Contract type	Temporary Agent 2b

*please use one of the standardised domains that can be found [here](#)

- The job title and text must be coherent with the one published in SYSPER.
- Please keep in mind that you address potential external candidates: avoid Commission *jargon*, do not mention tools or applications specific to the Commission.

About us (“We are”)

Unit C.1.GA.2 specializes in the translation into Irish of legislative texts in many specialist subject areas, notably for DGs COMM, COMP, EPSO, HERA, HOME, JUST, MOVE, OP, REFORM, SANTE, SG, SJ and TRADE as well as Commission websites, press releases and other communicative material. We also evaluate and revise documents translated into Irish by freelance translators. The Unit actively participates in DGT initiatives such as the Juvenes Translatores competition, European Masters in Translation network, etc

About the role (“We propose”)

If several positions are advertised for similar job profiles, please add the number of vacant jobs. The position[s] will consist of [explain sufficiently in detail]:

We offer a challenging and stimulating position working with the European Commission, the executive of the European Union, where most of the legislative proposals and all implementing legislation and technical standards originate. The successful candidate will translate legal, technical, administrative, communication and policy documents for the European Commission. He/she will also perform other tasks related to translation, such as the revision of other colleagues' work, and the revision of outsourced translations, and contribute to other horizontal initiatives of the Department like terminology and work on translation resources. The position offers the possibility to work in a friendly and dynamic team. We encourage continuous learning and professional development, and we provide a



wide range of learning opportunities aimed at improving the capacity of the individual and the team to thrive in a fast-paced working environment. We promote a healthy work-life balance and offer hybrid working arrangements through a mix of telework and work in the office.

Qualifications, experience and skills (“We look for”)

(set criteria in terms of education, professional experience and personal qualities that the ideal applicant should have):

We are looking for a dynamic and motivated new colleague to work as an Irish-language translator. An excellent command of the Irish language and an excellent knowledge of English are essential. Knowledge of French is an advantage. Knowledge of other EU languages is a further advantage. Team spirit, resilience, ability to work under pressure and with tight deadlines as well as flexibility are required. Translation experience in our policy areas is an asset. As DGT is an early adopter of cutting-edge language technologies, candidates should be willing to adapt to technological developments in the workplace. Experience using translation tools is an advantage.

How to express your interest?

You should send your documents in a single pdf in the following order:

1. your CV
2. completed application form.

Please send these documents by the publication deadline to robert.gunning@ec.europa.eu indicating the selection reference DG/COM/2026/1982 in the subject.

No applications will be accepted after the publication deadline.

Eligibility

For eligibility please consult [this page](#) with all the information needed.