



Translators and interpreters ...

... allow different cultures to share their great literature

... are instrumental in today's global economy

... assist people in understanding and obtaining the medical care they need

... contribute to the advancement of the science and technology that improve our lives

... ensure that news from all corners of the globe is accessible instantaneously

... empower diplomats to resolve conflicts and humbly hope that with their knowledge
the world will become a better place

September 30th is International Translation Day, traditionally an opportunity for those of us in the industry to recognize, promote and celebrate our many valuable contributions. CHICATA is proud to set and uphold the high standards of excellence in the profession. We recognize and salute others who are committed to providing the same outstanding linguistic proficiency, timeliness, efficiency and overall professionalism that are our trademarks.

The history of International Translation Day

St Jerome has long been regarded as the patron saint of translators and interpreters and his feast day - 30 September - has always seen heightened activities around and awareness of the translation profession. In 1991 the International Federation of Translators (FIT - Fédération Internationale des Traducteurs) officially recognized this day as International Translation Day and called on its member organizations to promote it in the countries in which they are active.

We wish our members a very happy and productive International Translation Day.

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