

This article written by Sylvia Kalina describes linguistic competence and what one needs to learn about a target language to become an effective interpreter. An interpreter needs to have an understanding of a variety of cultures, background, experience, etc.

The article explains how this needs to be a part of the interpreter to work between languages. This is a necessary skill to analyze the details in any language.

Read the article and learn what linguistic competencies interpreters in other countries have. This knowledge will help you in your interpreting work.