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Madeleine Lee is a Dutch translator and interpreter based in Hull. She has worked exclusively as a self-employed freelancer since leaving university a little over a decade ago. Madeleine is deeply concerned about the eroding of professional standards that occurs when policymakers and public procurement officers buy niche services such as ours, and is a fierce opponent of the Ministry of Justice language services framework.

As a member of the Professional Interpreters for Justice (PI4J) campaign steering committee, she coordinated the campaign's written submissions to the investigation carried out by the National Audit Office, and the parliamentary committee inquiries by the Committee of Public Accounts and the Justice Select Committee. Madeleine was one of PI4J's witnesses who gave oral evidence to the Justice Select Committee in October 2012. She is one of the directors of the Professional Interpreters' Alliance and is serving her second term as an elected member of Council of the Chartered Institute of Linguists.

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