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Her research focuses on three main areas: 1) linguistics (the corpus-based investigation of specialized languages), 2) translation (the description and enhancement of translation competence), and 3) e-learning (the application of new technologies, including Web 2.0 tools, to the teaching and learning of humanities in general, and languages and translation in particular).

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