

## **Abstract**

This theoretic-historiographical thesis examines the life and work of the linguist and translation theorist Eugene A. Nida (1914–2011). It analyses his theoretical and methodological underpinnings, most important publications and theories and evaluates his contribution to translation studies. Nida is presented in his role of theoretician, methodologist and organiser, whose theory of formal and dynamic (or functional) equivalence contributed to the development of Bible translation and translation theory in general. The thesis includes comprehensive bibliography of E. Nida.