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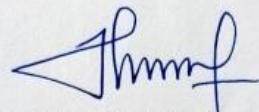
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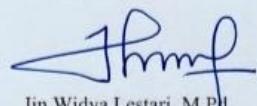
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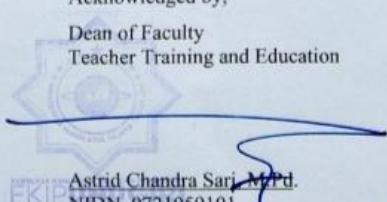


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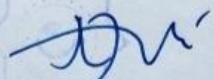
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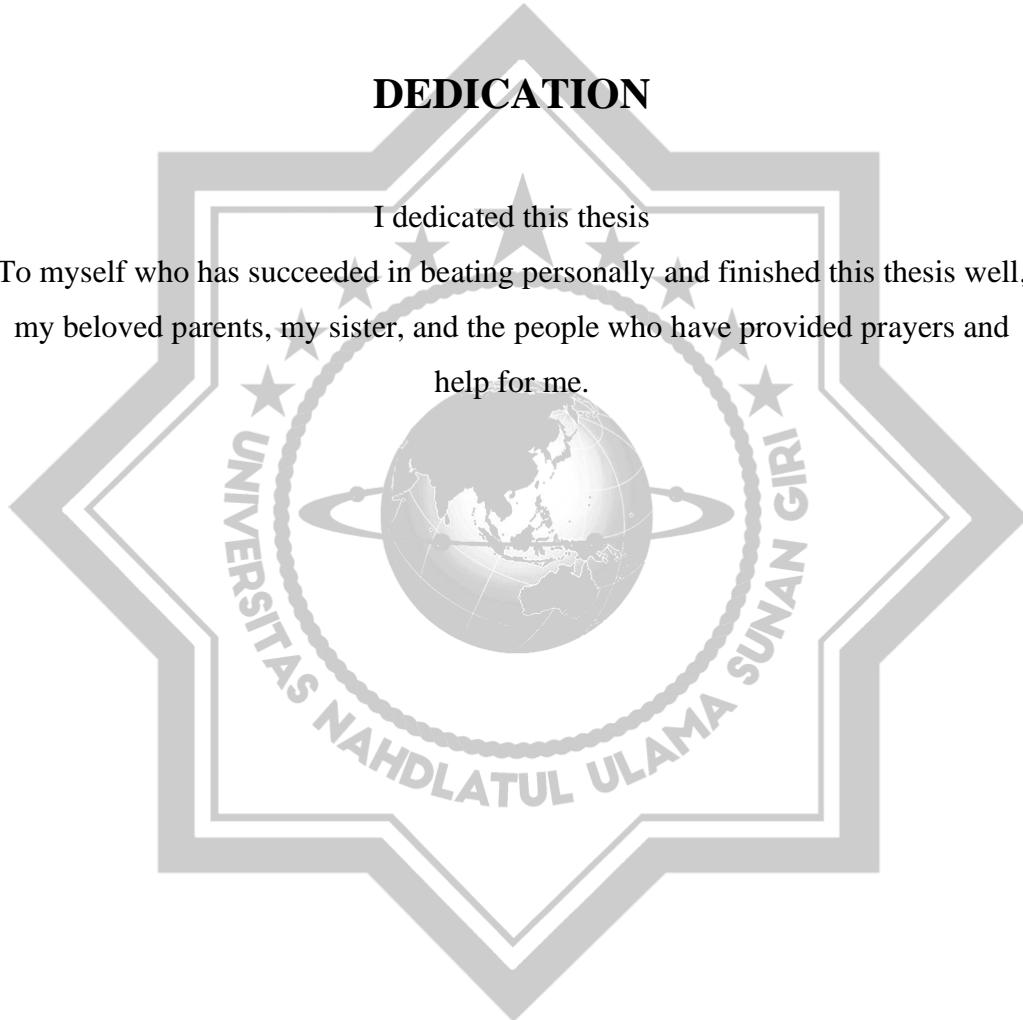
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The majority of Generation Z takes advantage of the advance of technology as an entertainment media as well as learning, such as watching Western movies. Therefore, this research aims to identify and analyze the Generation Z's views, challenges and obstacles toward watching Western movies as a digital EFL learning. This research utilized qualitative methods. The research subjects were Generation Z from Englishfess and Colle bases on Twitter platform. The data collection used triangulation techniques by combining questionnaire to gain important information from respondents, interview to obtain the deeper information and reflective journal to get a detailed information as the reinforcement. From 37 respondents, 64.9% respondents agreed that watching Western movies is a fun activity for EFL learning. In addition, 70.3% respondents concurred that watching Western movies is good for learning listening and speaking skills. Besides that, the respondents also have challenge in facing boredom with the plot of the movie and face obstacle in choosing interesting Western movie to watch. However, they can overcome the obstacle by looking for movie recommendations. As the result, it can be summed up that watching Western movies has positive influence in enhancing the Generation Z's listening and speaking skills.

Keywords: Generation Z, Views, Western Movie, EFL learning.

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## **ABSTRAK**

Rahayu, I. 2023. *Pandangan Generasi Z tentang Menonton Film Barat Sebagai Pembelajaran Digital EFL*. Skripsi. Program Studi Pendidikan Bahasa Inggris. Fakultas Keguruan dan Ilmu Pendidikan. Universitas Nahdlatul Ulama Sunan Giri. Pembimbing 1 Iin Widya Lestari, M.Pd dan Pembimbing 2 Ainu Zumrudiana, M.Pd.

Mayoritas Generasi Z memanfaatkan kemajuan teknologi sebagai media hiburan sekaligus pembelajaran, seperti menonton film barat. Oleh karena itu, penelitian ini bertujuan untuk mengidentifikasi dan menganalisis pandangan, tantangan, dan hambatan Generasi Z terhadap menonton film Barat sebagai pembelajaran EFL digital. Penelitian ini menggunakan metode kualitatif. Subjek penelitian adalah Generasi Z dari Englishfess dan Colle bases di platform Twitter. Pengumpulan data menggunakan teknik triangulasi dengan mengkombinasikan kuesioner untuk mendapatkan informasi penting dari responden, wawancara untuk mendapatkan informasi yang lebih mendalam dan jurnal reflektif untuk mendapatkan informasi yang lebih detail sebagai penguatan. Dari 37 responden, 64,9% responden setuju bahwa menonton film barat merupakan kegiatan yang menyenangkan untuk pembelajaran EFL. Selain itu, 70,3% responden setuju bahwa menonton film barat baik untuk belajar keterampilan mendengar dan berbicara. Selain itu, responden juga memiliki tantangan dalam menghadapi kebosanan dengan alur film dan menghadapi kendala dalam memilih film barat yang menarik untuk ditonton. Namun kendala tersebut dapat mereka atasi dengan mencari rekomendasi film. Hasilnya, dapat disimpulkan bahwa menonton film Barat memiliki pengaruh positif dalam meningkatkan keterampilan mendengar dan berbicara Generasi Z.

Kata Kunci: Generasi Z, Pandangan, Film Barat, Pembelajaran EFL.

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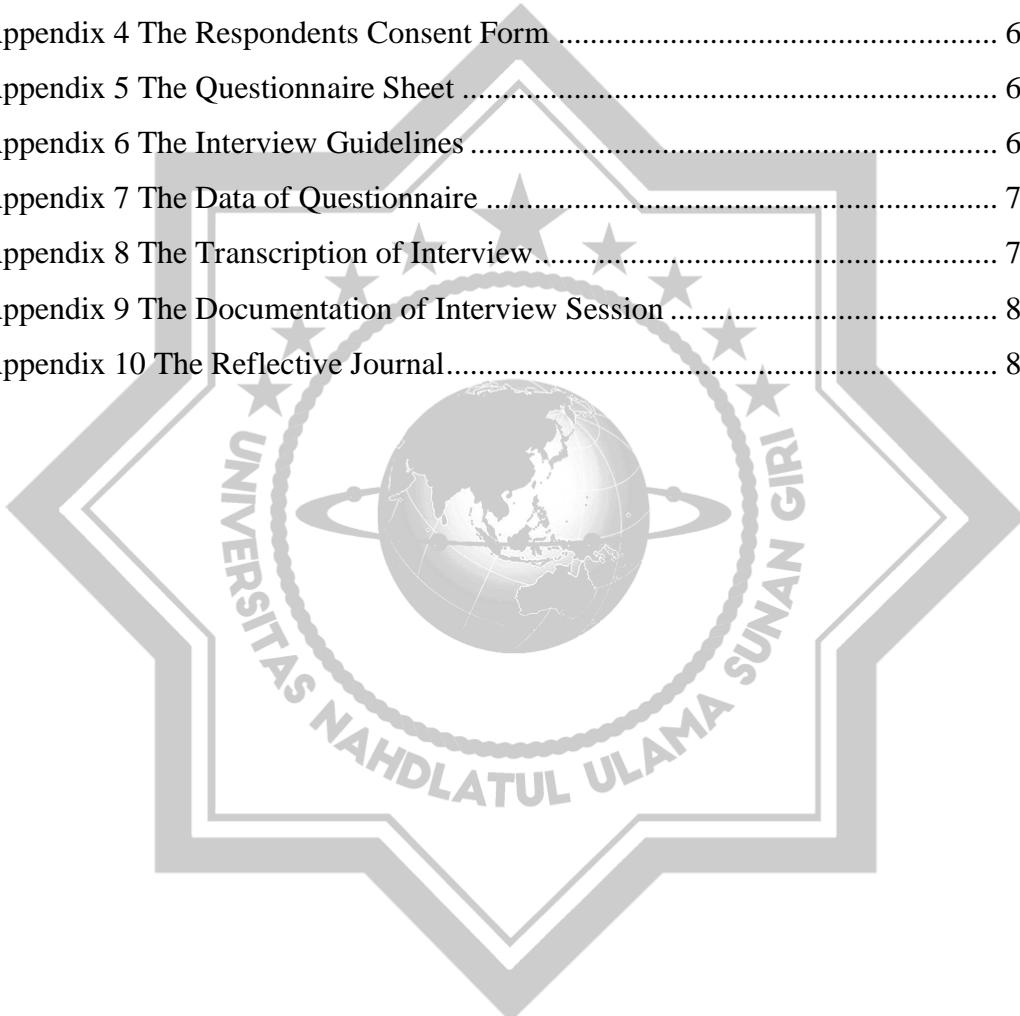
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