

APPENDICES

Appendix 1 Empirical Validity of Questionnaire

No	Item of statements	R counted	R table	Sig	Criteria
1.	S1	0.716	0.432	0.000	Valid
2.	S2	0.664	0.432	0.001	Valid
3.	S3	0.809	0.432	0.000	Valid
4.	S4	0.912	0.432	0.000	Valid
5.	S5	0.521	0.432	0.000	Valid
6.	S6	0.523	0.432	0.013	Valid
7.	S7	0.590	0.432	0.004	Valid
8.	S8	0.599	0.432	0.003	Valid
9.	S9	0.842	0.432	0.000	Valid
10.	S10	0.790	0.432	0.000	Valid
11.	S11	0.897	0.432	0.000	Valid
12.	S12	0.401	0.432	0.064	Invalid
13.	S13	0.366	0.432	0.094	Invalid
14.	S14	0.512	0.432	0.015	Valid
15.	S15	0.772	0.432	0.000	Valid
16.	S16	0.705	0.432	0.000	Valid
17.	S17	0.802	0.432	0.000	Valid
18.	S18	0.549	0.432	0.008	Valid
19.	S19	0.523	0.432	0.012	Valid

20.	S20	0.828	0.432	0.000	Valid
21.	S21	0.756	0.432	0.000	Valid
22.	S22	0.887	0.432	0.000	Valid
23.	S23	0.807	0.432	0.000	Valid
24.	S24	0.853	0.432	0.000	Valid
25.	S25	0.873	0.432	0.000	Valid
26.	S26	0.563	0.432	0.006	Valid

*S mean statements, 1-26 mean the number of the statements.



Appendix 2 Blueprint of questionnaire instrument

Types of research instrument: Likert-scale Question

Theory: Robbins and Judge (2013)

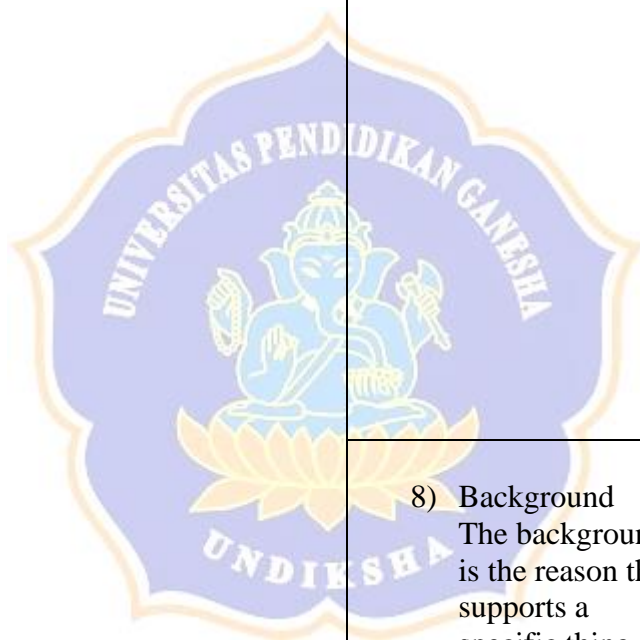
Research subject: EFL College students (English Language Education students at


Universitas Pendidikan Ganesha)

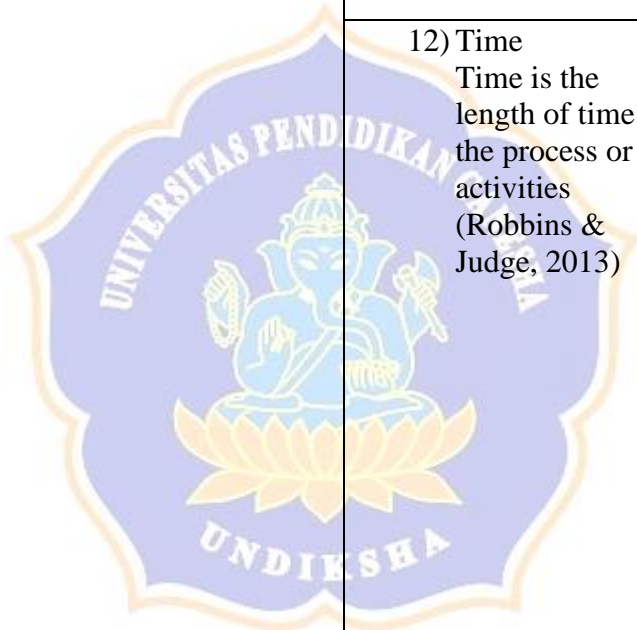
No	Dimension	Indicators	Items
1.	<p><u>The perceiver</u></p> <p>The perceiver refers to people who have already done the investigation and are trying to deliver their point of view about the object that is being investigated.</p> <p>The recipient of this study is the 3rd-semester students of English Language Education at Universitas Pendidikan Ganesha in the academic year of 2021/20211.</p> <p>In this study, the researcher used three aspects of the perceiver called 'attitudes, interest, and experience.</p>	<p>1) Attitudes Attitude is the perception, and feeling of the perceiver towards the object of the perception (Robbins & Judge, 2013).</p> <p>2) Interest Interest is concerning how the curiosity of the perceiver about the target of perception.</p>	<p>1) I like to use Instagram because it provides me a chance to practice writing English autonomously.</p> <p>2) I am more confident to write in English when using Instagram.</p> <p>3) I am interested in using Instagram for my practice of writing in English autonomously.</p> <p>4) I am interested in using Instagram to write in English because of its updated features.</p>

		<p>3) Experience Experience is the way the perceiver obtains the information about something that happens through the investigation (Robbins & Judge, 2013).</p>	<p>5) Using Instagram makes me feel more challenged to develop my English writing skill.</p> <p>6) I find it difficult to practice writing in English using Instagram.</p>
		<p>4) Motive Motive is the perceiver's reason to do something to reach the goal.</p>	<p>7) I use Instagram to submit my academic writing task.</p> <p>8) I use Instagram to interact with my foreign friends who speak English.</p>
		<p>5) Expectation The expectation is the perceiver's belief about the perception target.</p>	<p>9) I hope Instagram can help me to improve my confidence about writing in English.</p> <p>10) I hope Instagram can help me to be able to write English creatively.</p>
2.	<p><u>Target</u> The target of perception is the object that wants to investigate. The target of perception may be a phenomenon, a situation, another person, or</p>	<p>6) Novelty Novelty refers to an unusual experience given by something.</p>	<p>11) Instagram's features are simple and useful for creative writing and English practice.</p>

	<p>something else that one wants to focus on.</p> <p>The perception target of this research is the phenomenon of the use of Instagram as a medium in learning English, especially in writing in the 3rd semester of English Language Education students at Universitas Pendidikan Ganesha in the academic year of 2021/2022.</p>		
		<p>7) Motion Motion is an activity to give movement to a certain thing.</p>	<p>12) Instagram is an up-to-date application that provides the newest features to write in English.</p>
		<p>8) Background The background is the reason that supports a specific thing.</p>	<p>13) I choose to write in English on Instagram because it allows me to discuss with my classmates through the comment section or DM.</p> <p>14) Instagram is easy to be accessed by my lecturer and friends, so it is easy to give corrections.</p>



		<p>9) Proximity Proximity is the relation between the target and perceiver of the perception.</p>	<p>15) I always use Instagram because it is fun and easy to use.</p> <p>16) I use Instagram because I can find a lot of information, and references to write in English be it academic or non-academic</p>
		<p>10) Similarity The similarity is something that looks similar but has some differences.</p>	<p>17) Instagram is similar to other social media, but it provides more features that allow the user to write in English as creatively as they can.</p> <p>18) I rarely get bored when writing English by using Instagram.</p>

<p>3.</p>	<p><u>Situation</u> The situation is the location of the perception investigated.</p> <p>Location of this research Universitas Pendidikan Ganesha in Buleleng, Bali.</p>	<p>11) Social setting Social; setting is the atmosphere situation around the perceiver that can influence them to do something.</p>	<p>19) I can easily interact with others through Instagram which helps me to improve my English writing skills.</p> <p>20) Instagram helps me to communicate easily with my friends in English.</p>
		<p>12) Time Time is the length of time of the process or activities (Robbins & Judge, 2013)</p>	<p>21) I can use my time efficiently in practicing writing English on Instagram because it is easy to access.</p> <p>22) I can write English on Instagram flexibly anywhere, and anytime as long as I have my internet connection.</p>
		<p>13) Work setting Work setting is the environmental situation around the perceiver that can influence them to do something.</p>	<p>23) I like to share my daily activities on Instagram in English.</p> <p>24) Instagram allows me to practice my English writing skills easily.</p>

Appendix 3 Questionnaire form

KUISIONER

PERSEPSI MAHASISWA TERHADAP PENGGUNAAN INSTAGRAM

SEBAGAI MEDIA PEMBELAJARAN DALAM PEMBELAJARAN

DALAM KONTEK PEMBELAJARAN OTONOM

SS: Sangat Setuju

S: Setuju

R: Ragu-ragu

KS: Kurang Setuju

TS: Tidak Setuju



NO	Pertanyaan	SS	S	R	KS	TS
1)	Saya menyukai Instagram karena memungkinkan saya untuk latihan menulis bahasa Inggris					
2)	Saya dapat menulis bahasa inggris dengan lebih percaya diri ketika menggunakan Instagram					
3)	Saya tertarik menggunakan Instagram untuk latihan menulis bahasa inggris secara mandiri/otonom.					
4)	Saya tertarik menggunakan Instagram untuk menulis bahasa Inggris karena fitur-fitur terkininya.					
5)	Menggunakan Instagram membuat saya lebih tertantang untuk mengembangkan					

	kemampuan saya dalam menulis bahasa Inggris saya.					
6)	Saya mengalami kesulitan untuk menulis bahasa Inggris menggunakan Instagram.					
7)	Saya menggunakan Instagram untuk mengumpulkan tugas mata kuliah “ <i>Writing academic</i> ” melalui Instagram					
8)	Saya menggunakan Instagram untuk berinteraksi dengan teman – teman dari berbagai daerah yang menggunakan bahasa Inggris					
9)	Saya berharap Instagram dapat membantu saya untuk meningkatkan percaya diri saya untuk menulis Bahasa Inggris					
10)	Saya berharap Instagram dapat membantu saya menulis Bahasa Inggris dengan kreatif.					
11)	Fitur-fitur Instagram sangat sederhana dan berguna untuk latihan menulis bahasa Inggris dengan kreatif					
12)	Instagram adalah aplikasi yang selalu menyediakan fitur-fitur terkini.					
13)	Saya menggunakan Instagram untuk menulis bahasa Inggris karena memungkinkan saya untuk berdiskusi dengan teman-teman					

	sekelas pada kolom komentar atau <i>DM</i> .					
14)	Instagram mudah diakses oleh dosen dan teman-teman sehingga mudah melakukan koreksi.					
15)	Saya selalu menggunakan Instagram karena menyenangkan dan mudah digunakan untuk melatih kemampuan menulis bahasa Inggris saya.					
16)	Saya suka menggunakan Instagram karena saya dapat menemukan banyak referensi akademik dan non-akademik.					
17)	Instagram merupakan aplikasi yang serupa dengan media sosial lainnya tetapi Instagram menyediakan fitur-fitur yang lebih terkini.					
18)	Saya jarang merasa bosan saat menulis bahasa Inggris menggunakan Instagram.					
19)	Saya dapat berinteraksi dengan mudah melalui Instagram yang membantu saya mengembangkan kemampuan menulis bahasa Inggris saya.					
20)	Instagram membantu saya berkomunikasi dengan mudah dengan teman-teman dalam bahasa Inggris.					
21)	Saya dapat memanfaatkan waktu saya dengan efisien					

	dengan latihan menulis bahasa Inggris di Instagram karena Instagram mudah diakses.					
22)	Saya dapat menulis bahasa Inggris di Instagram dengan fleksibel di manapun dan kapanpun selama saya memiliki jaringan internet.					
23)	Saya suka membagikan kegiatan sehari-hari saya di Instagram dalam bahasa Inggris.					
24)	Instagram memberikan saya kesempatan untuk melatih kemampuan menulis bahasa Inggris saya					



Appendix 4 Interview guide

After analysing the questionnaire result, the data shows that EFL students have neutral perception toward the use of Instagram as an English learning medium in an autonomous learning context. Furthermore, the researcher will conduct an interview in order to find out the strength and weakness of Instagram as an English learning medium in an autonomous learning context felt by the students. The interview will be given several questions that have been developed based on the valid statements in the questionnaire. The interview guide can be seen as in as follow:

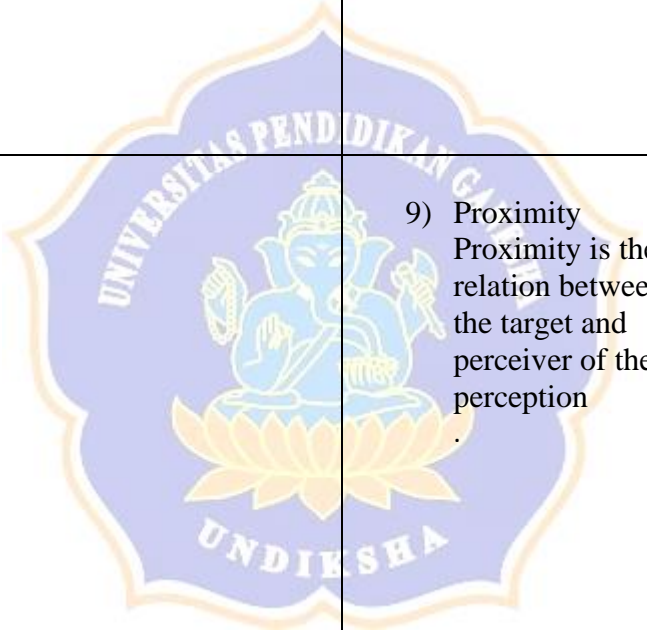
Interview Guide Blueprint

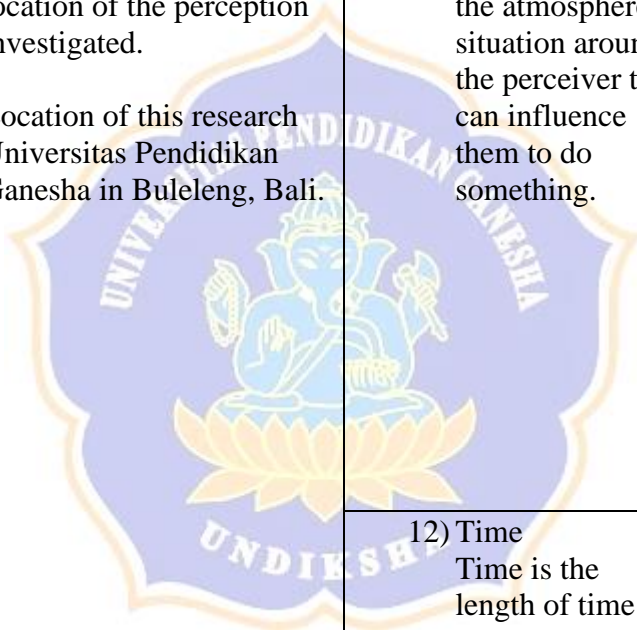
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		<p>3) Experience Experience is the way the perceiver obtains information about something that happens through the investigation (Robbins & Judge, 2013)</p>	<p>4) Do you think Instagram makes you more challenged to develop your writing skills? Why/why not</p> <p>5) What kind of difficulties have you faced while using Instagram as a medium to practice your writing skills and how did you find the solution?</p>
		<p>4) Motive Motive is the perceiver's reason to do something to reach the goal.</p>	<p>6) Have you ever submitted your academic writing task through Instagram?</p>
		<p>5) Expectation The expectation is the perceiver's belief about the perception target.</p>	<p>7) Do you expect using Instagram can increase your confidence in writing? Why/why not</p> <p>8) Do you expect Instagram features can help you to write in English creatively? Why/why not</p>

2.	<p><u>Target</u> The target of perception is the object that wants to investigate. The target of perception may be a phenomenon, a situation, another person, or something else that one wants to focus on.</p> <p>The perception target of this research is the phenomenon of the use of Instagram as a medium in learning English, especially in writing in the 3rd semester of English Language Education students at Universitas Pendidikan Ganesha in the academic year of 2021/2022.</p>	6) Novelty Novelty refers to an unusual experience given by something.	9) Based on your experience, what are the advantages and disadvantages of Instagram as a medium in practicing your English writing skills autonomously? Why do you think so
		7) Motion Motion is an activity to give movement to a certain thing.	10) Do you think Instagram is easy, quick, simple and up-to-date enough to facilitate you in practicing writing English? Why/why not?



		<p>8) Background The background is the reason that supports a specific thing.</p>	<p>11) Do you use the comment section on Instagram to interact in English with your classmates? Why/why not? 12) Do you think it is easy for the lecturer to do a correction in learning writing using Instagram? Why/why not?</p>
		<p>9) Proximity Proximity is the relation between the target and perceiver of the perception.</p>	<p>13) Have you ever found information and references on Instagram that help your English writing process either academically or non-academically? Explain it.</p>

		<p>10) Similarity The similarity is something that looks similar but has some differences.</p>	<p>14) Do you think Instagram is similar to other social media? If yes, why do you still choose IG as your medium in practice writing English autonomously?</p>
3.	<p><u>Situation</u> The situation is the location of the perception investigated.</p> <p>Location of this research Universitas Pendidikan Ganesha in Buleleng, Bali.</p> 	<p>11) Social setting Social; setting is the atmosphere situation around the perceiver that can influence them to do something.</p>	<p>15) Do you think Instagram allows you to interact with other people who speak English easily? Why/why not</p>
		<p>12) Time Time is the length of time of the process or activities (Robbins & Judge, 2013)</p>	<p>16) Do you think Instagram allows you to use your time effectively in practicing English writing because you can write flexibly as long as you have an internet connection? Why/why not</p>
		<p>13) Work setting Work setting is the</p>	<p>17) Do you use Instagram to share your</p>

		environmental situation around the perceiver that can influence them to do something.	activities and feelings using English captions in order to practice your English writing skills? Why/why not
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Appendix 5 Expert judge questionnaire

EXPERT JUDGEMENT SHEET

Instrument: Blueprint for questionnaire

Judge: Made Hery Santosa, S.Pd., M.Pd., Ph.D.

NO	Expert response		Suggestion
	Relevant	Irrelevant	
1.	✓		
2.	✓		
3.	✓		
4.	✓		
5.	✓		
6.	✓		
7.	✓		
8.	✓		
9.	✓		“Dari luar negeri” ganti dengan “dari berbagai daerah yang menggunakan bahasa Inggris”
10.	✓		
11.	✓		
12.	✓		
13.	✓		
14.	✓		
15.	✓		
16.	✓		
17.	✓		
18.	✓		
19.	✓		
20.	✓		
21.	✓		
22.	✓		
23.	✓		
24.	✓		

Singaraja, 24 November 2021

Judge



Made Hery Santosa, S.Pd, M.Pd., Ph.D.



EXPERT JUDGEMENT SHEET

Instrument: Blueprint for questionnaire

Judge: I Putu Ngurah Wage Myartawan, S.Pd., M.Pd.

NO	Expert response		Suggestion
	Relevant	Irrelevant	
1.	✓		
2.	✓		
3.	✓		
4.	✓		
5.	✓		
6.	✓		
7.	✓		
8.	✓		
9.	✓		
10.	✓		
11.	✓		
12.	✓		
13.	✓		
14.	✓		
15.	✓		
16.	✓		
17.	✓		
18.	✓		Tekankan “writing English”

19.	✓		Tekankan “writing English”
20.	✓		Tekankan “writing English”
21.	✓		Tekankan “writing English”
22.	✓		Tekankan “writing English”
23.	✓		Tekankan “writing English”
24.	✓		

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S.Pd., M.Pd



Appendix 6 Expert judge interview guide

EXPERT JUDGEMENT SHEET

Instrument: Blueprint Interview guide

Judge: Made Hery Santosa, S.Pd., M.Pd., Ph.D.

NO	Expert response		Suggestion
	Relevant	Irrelevant	“apakah menurut anda”
1.	✓		
2.	✓		
3.	✓		
4.	✓		
5.	✓		
6.	✓		
7.	✓		
8.	✓		
9.	✓		
10.	✓		
11.	✓		
12.	✓		
13.	✓		
14.	✓		
15.	✓		
16.	✓		
17.	✓		

Singaraja, 24 November 2021

Judge

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EXPERT JUDGEMENT SHEET

Instrument: Blueprint Interview guide

Judge: I Putu Ngurah Wage Myartawan, S.Pd., M.Pd.

NO	Expert response		Suggestion
	Relevant	Irrelevant	
1.	✓		“perhatikan tanda baca dan penulisannya”
2.	✓		
3.	✓		
4.	✓		
5.	✓		
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16.	✓		
17.	✓		

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S.Pd., M.Pd

Appendix 7 The result of online survey

Waktu	Nama	Kelas	S1	S2	S3	S4	S5	S6	S7	S8	S9	S10	S11	S12	S13	S14	S15	S16	S17	S18	S19	S20	S21	S22	S23	S24
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Appendix 8 Transcript interview

Interviewee 1

Interviewer : Good Morning. First of all thank you for your time and thank you for your willingness as my 1st interviewee today. I am Liaa from 8E ELE Undiksha, so today I would like to ask you for some information about your experience in using Instagram as an English learning medium in an autonomous learning context, especially in writing. So the first question is “Do you think Instagram can help you to facilitate your writing practice autonomously?”

Interviewee 1 : Alright kak Liaa based on my experience in using Instagram as a medium in learning, especially in writing. I think Instagram is helpful to develop my writing skill, it can help me to gain new vocabulary, pronunciation, etc. So in my opinion, Instagram is not only an entertainment platform but we can also utilize it to practice our English skills, especially writing.

Interviewer : So you agree that Instagram can help you to facilitate your English writing practice autonomously, right?

Interviewee 1 : Yes, that is right.

Interviewer : So, do you think Instagram makes you feel more confident in writing English?

Interviewee 1 : Yes, I do. I think practicing my writing skill on Instagram just gives me a different atmosphere from writing on a book or journal. So I feel more confident and less pressure.

Interviewer : So you say that using Instagram as a medium in writing English can make you more confident because its atmosphere is different to writing in a book or journal, etc. So, do you think the features provided by Instagram are interesting to use in English writing practice? If so, which feature do you usually use and why?

Interviewee 1 : Yes, I do. I think the features provided by Instagram are interesting to utilize to practice English writing. Some features I use often are Instagram stories, Caption section, direct message, and IG reels because those features are easy to use and familiar to the user. Moreover, when I write some sentences in English it can be seen by the other user and perhaps there is something wrong such as grammar error, mistyping, etc. My friends on Instagram can do some corrections on it.

Interviewer : Alright, you agree that the features provided by Instagram are interesting to use to practice writing English because they are easy

to use and also familiar right. I wonder, do you feel more challenged to write in English using Instagram as the media? If so why/why not.

Interviewee 1: I use Instagram to practice my writing skills but I haven't felt challenged too much to write, but I do love the features of IG.

Interviewer : Alright, now I want to know what kind of difficulties have you faced while using Instagram as a medium to practice your writing skills and how did you find the solution?

Interviewee 1: Based on my experience, there are no difficulties that I felt come from the platform I use. I feel difficult in writing because of internal problems such as grammar, vocabulary, and tenses that still need to be improved.

Interviewer : Ok, so have you ever submitted your academic writing task through Instagram?

Interviewee 1: Yes, I have. I submitted my academic writing task through Instagram and the features used were IG reels and IG feed.

Interviewer : Alright, so you have submitted your writing task through IG. Now I wonder, do you expect using Instagram can increase your confidence in writing? Why/why not

Interviewee 1: Yes, I do. I hope by utilizing IG as a medium to practice my writing skills can help me to improve my writing skills. Therefore, I can share my thoughts through IG using English.

Interviewer : Wow, it sounds great. So, do you expect Instagram features can help you to write in English creatively? Why/why not

Interviewee 1: Yes, I do hope. So when I share my thoughts on Instagram as creatively as I can it can make the reader interested to read the information or thoughts that I share.

Interviewer : Ok, I will continue to the next question. Based on your experience, what are the advantages/the strengths and disadvantages of Instagram as a medium for practicing your English writing skills autonomously? Why do you think so?

Interviewee 1: I think the advantage or the strength of Instagram as a medium in writing English is the features that are provided by Instagram such as the IG stories, Ig reels, IG feeds, and many more features. The most helpful feature is the hashtag (#) features which allow me to find out information about something easily. For example, when I want to find out information about writing academics I can search it through the searching tab using #writingacademic which can lead

me to some information or creation about writing academics that might be created by more than one person.

Then the disadvantage of Instagram is the application that needs a high internet connection to be accessed so the user will find it difficult to access the application from a remote area.

Interviewer : Ok. You mean the strength of Instagram is the features provided by Instagram, meanwhile the weakness is the application is difficult to be accessed from a location with low internet connection in a remote area, right. Then, have you ever utilized the comment section on Instagram to interact in English with your classmates?

Interviewee 1: So far, I haven't used the comment section to interact in English with my classmates. I preferred to use direct messages.

Interviewer : Well, thank you. Let's move to the next question. Do you think it is easy for the lecturer to check or do a correction in learning using Instagram as an English learning medium in an autonomous learning context, especially in writing?

Interviewee 1: I think so because when the lecturer agreed to use Instagram as a learning medium it means the lecturer is familiar with it so it will be easy for her/him to do corrections.

Interviewer : So you say that the lecturer can make corrections easily when using Instagram as a learning medium in an autonomous learning context, especially in writing. Next, have you ever found information or references on Instagram that help your English writing process either academically or non-academically?

Interviewee 1: Yes, I do. I more often find information or references non-academically on Instagram. But there is some academic information we can find on IG but of course, support from other resources is needed.

Interviewer : Ok. So you say that you can find both academic and non-academic information with support from other resources. Well, do you think Instagram is familiar to other social media? If so, why do you still choose IG as your medium in practicing writing English autonomously?

Interviewee 1: Yes, I think there are several social media that are similar to Instagram lately but, I still choose IG as a medium for practicing my English writing skills is because IG is already familiar to me and most of my friends so it is not only as a medium of my English writing but also as my entertainment.

Interviewer : Alright, so you say that you choose Ig because it is familiar to you. Then, do you think Instagram allows you to interact with other people who speak English easily?

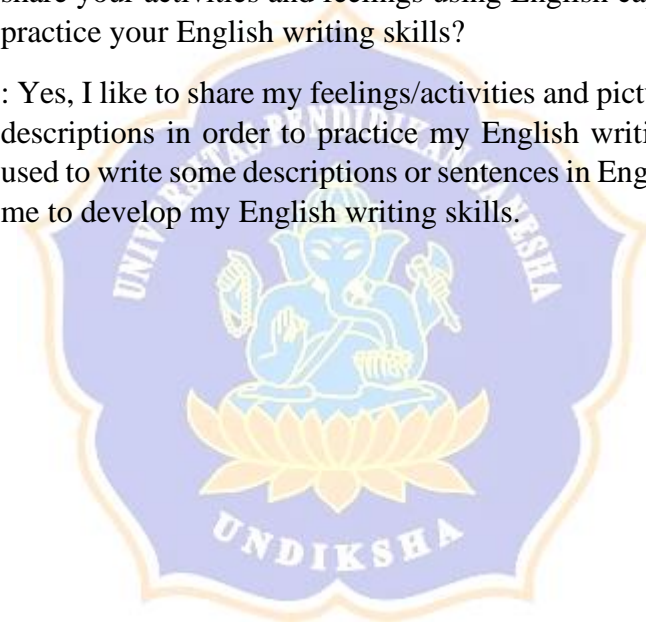
Interviewee 1: Personally, I haven't interacted with other people who speak English or native speakers by using Instagram, but I think the features of Instagram can be used to interact with other people around the world as long as we have an IG account and Internet connection.

Interviewer : Okay. The next question is do you think Instagram allows you to use your time effectively in practicing English writing because you can write flexibly as long as you have your internet connection?

Interviewee 1 : Yes, I think so.

Interviewer : Alright, we reached the next question. Do you use Instagram to share your activities and feelings using English captions in order to practice your English writing skills?

Interviewee 1 : Yes, I like to share my feelings/activities and pictures with English descriptions in order to practice my English writing skill. When I used to write some descriptions or sentences in English it would help me to develop my English writing skills.



Interviewee 2

Interviewer : Good afternoon. Thank you for your time and thank you for your willingness as my interviewee today. I am Liaa from 8E ELE Undiksha, so today I would like to ask you for some information about your experience in using Instagram as an English learning medium in an autonomous learning context, especially in writing. So the first question is “Do you think Instagram can help you to facilitate your writing practice autonomously?”

Interviewee 2 : Alright, thank you for the question. I think Instagram is quite helpful for improving my writing skill autonomously. Although, it is better for improving other skills such as speaking.

Interviewer : Well, so you agree that Instagram is quite helpful for your English writing skill, right. So, do you think Instagram makes you feel more confident in writing?

Interviewee 2 : Personally, I think so. Because there are so many features that can be used in practicing my writing skills.

Interviewer : Alright, as you mentioned before there are so many features provided by Instagram. So, do you think the features provided by Instagram are interesting to use in writing practice? If yes, which features you usually use, if not explain your reason.

Interviewee 2 : Yes, I think the features are interesting to be used in the English writing learning process, and the features I usually use are IG reels and feeds. So, I like to read the content shared by other people on their IG feeds which can give more knowledge and inspiration in writing.

Interviewer : So, do you feel more challenged to develop your writing skills using Instagram as the media?

Interviewee 2 : I think so, because when I use Instagram to practice my English writing I also learn how to operate the features themselves. Besides that, I like to share my content on Instagram because it is fun.

Interviewer : Ok. So may I know what kind of difficulties you have faced while using Instagram as your medium in practicing your writing skill autonomously and how did you solve the problem of the difficulties?

Interviewee 2 : Based on my experience of the difficulties while using Instagram, the internet connection is sometimes unstable therefore I cannot access my account very well.

Interviewer : Well, I wonder have you ever submitted your writing task through Instagram?

Interviewee 2 : Yes, I collected my academic writing task through Instagram, especially on IG reels and IG feeds.

Interviewer : Alright, do you expect that by using Instagram you can increase your confidence in writing English?

Interviewee 2 : Yes, I do. Because when I am already familiar with publishing our writing product and read by other people it can boost my confidence in writing.

Interviewer : Alright, so that means you also expect the features of Instagram can help you to write in English creatively. Am I correct?

Interviewee 2 : Yes, that is correct. When I can write my thoughts creatively and share them on IG it can be more eye-catching so many people want to read what I shared.

Interviewer : Ok. So based on your experience, what are the advantages and disadvantages of IG as a medium for practicing your English writing skills autonomously?

Interviewee 2 : I think the advantage of IG is that the platform has a lot of features that can be used to write or share my writing. Besides that Instagram is also up-to-date enough so it won't be boring.

Meanwhile, the disadvantages or the weakness of Ig come from the internet connection issue, the platform needs a good internet connection to be accessed so it might be not too recommended to use IG as a learning medium for the remote area students.

Interviewer : So, Do you think Instagram is easy, quick, simple, and up-to-date enough to facilitate you in practicing writing English autonomously?

Interviewee 2 : Yes, I think Instagram is easy, quick, and simple to use. It is also up-to-date so it can facilitate me to practice my English writing skills independently.

Interviewer : Well, let us move to the next question. Do you use the comment section on Instagram to interact in English with your classmates?

Interviewee 2 : Yes, I do. When we collected the task we also used the comment section of Ig to do a little discussion. Sometimes I ask questions or give some input or suggestions through the comment section.

Interviewer : Ok. Do you think it is easy for the lecturer to do a correction in learning writing using Instagram

Interviewee 2 : Personally, I think it is more difficult for the lecturer to do correction on IG because she/he cannot put the sign directly to the part that is being corrected.

Interviewer : Alright, the next question is have you ever found information or reference on Instagram that helps your English writing process either academically or non-academically?

Interviewee 2 : Yes I have. When I have no idea what to write for my writing task I like to find some inspiration or reference on IG, especially through IG feeds and reels, after I get the idea I continue to find some article to support the idea that I got and developed it before posting the result on Instagram.

Interviewer : Alright, thank you for your explanation, do you think Instagram is similar to other social media? If yes, why do you still choose IG as your medium in practicing writing English autonomously?

Interviewee 2 : Ya, I think Instagram is quite similar to other social media but IG is more familiar to young people my age so that is why I choose IG.

Interviewer : Then, do you think Instagram allows you to interact with other people who speak English easily?

Interviewee 2 : Ya, I think so as long as we are connected on Instagram and we know each other we can interact easily through Instagram by utilizing its features.

Interviewer : Alright, do you think Instagram allows you to use your time effectively in practicing English writing because you can write flexibly as long as you have your internet connection?

Interviewee 2 : Ya I think so, but on the other side it can be said not effective since I have to make sure of my internet connection before I share/write something on Instagram.

Interviewer : So you mean that it can be said to be effective and not effective at the same time right? Ok, we reached the last question. Do you use Instagram to share your activities and feelings using English captions in order to practice your English writing skills?

Interviewee 2 : To be honest, I prefer to keep my activities private so I seldom share my feelings or activities on my social media. But, when I need to post something for a task or subject purpose in my study I would love to share it through Instagram.

Interviewer : Ok. Thank you.

Interviewee 3

Interviewer : Good afternoon. Thank you for your time and thank you for your willingness as my interviewee today. I am Liaa from 8E ELE Undiksha, so today I would like to ask you for some information about your experience in using Instagram as an English learning medium in an autonomous learning context, especially in writing. So the first question is “Do you think Instagram can help you to facilitate your writing practice autonomously?”

Interviewee 3 : Well, I think Instagram can help me to improve my writing skills since I like to share my thought, and experiences on IG using English. Besides that, Instagram is also a fun platform so when I get bored in writing I can find some funny stories or videos on it.

Interviewer : So, do you feel more confident while using Instagram to practice your writing skill in English?

Interviewee 3 : Yes, I think so. Because when I share my opinion or my thoughts about something on IG my friends can give their reactions such as likes, comments or even share my content so it makes me more confident and passionate in writing English.

Interviewer : Ok. So do you think the features provided by Instagram are interesting to use in writing practice? If yes, which features you usually use, if not explain your reason.

Interviewee 3 : Ya, I think some of the features provided by Instagram are quite interesting to be used as a medium in writing English. The feature I use often is Ig reels because it is happening nowadays so I can reach more viewers so that my content will be read by more people.

Interviewer : Alright, do you by using Instagram feel more challenged to develop your writing skills?

Interviewee 3 : Yes, I feel more challenged because I want to share my thoughts, opinions or pictures of my activities with captions or descriptions in English so that more people can understand what I want to share.

Interviewer : wow, sounds good. So, based on your experience, what kind of difficulties have you faced while using Instagram as a medium to practice your writing skills and how did you find the solution?

Interviewee 3 : The difficulties actually came from myself, sometimes I have no idea how to write for my writing task. From the Instagram itself I think it is about internet issues because to access Instagram we need a high speed of internet connection.

Interviewer : So, have you ever submitted your writing task through Instagram?

Interviewee 3 : Yes, I have. When I was in 3rd semester I used Instagram to submit my writing task.

Interviewer : Alright, it means you have an experience using Instagram as an English learning medium right. So, do you expect using Instagram can increase your confidence in writing?

Interviewee 3 : Yes, I do expect that using Instagram in practicing my writing skills can increase my confidence in publishing my opinion or my thoughts in English and read by many people.

Interviewer : What about the features? Do you expect Instagram features can help you to write in English creatively?

Interviewee 3 : Sure, I hope the features provided by Instagram can help me to write more creatively because when I can write creatively it is possible to gain more readers for my contents.

Interviewer : Then, based on your experience, what are the advantages and disadvantages of Instagram as a medium in practicing your English writing skills autonomously?

Interviewee 3 : In my opinion, the advantages of Instagram as a learning medium especially writing is the features itself. There are so many features of Instagram that are possible to be used as a medium in practicing writing skills which are always updated and can be accessed by many people.

And the disadvantages or the weakness is still with features. The quality of the picture that we posted on Instagram is not as good as the real picture so there is a possibility that the content we posted cannot be read clearly on Instagram so we need to be more careful to make sure the content we shared is readable.

Interviewer : Alright, besides the strength and weakness of Instagram you mention above, do you think Instagram is easy, quick, simple and up-to-date enough to facilitate you in practicing writing English?

Interviewee 3 : In my opinion Instagram is easy, quick, simple and up-to-date enough to facilitate my writing practice independently since this platform is familiar for young people including me. So, as long as I can utilize it well in practicing my writing skill it will help me to improve my writing skill.

Interviewer : Ok. Do you use the comment section on Instagram to interact in English with your classmates?

Interviewee 3 : Yes, I like to interact in the comment section with my classmates. I usually give some opinion or share my feelings or suggestions

through the comment section after I read their content and friends do the same thing to mine too.

Interviewer : Well, do you think it is easy for the lecturer to do a correction in learning writing using Instagram?

Interviewee 3 : I think the lecturer can easily do corrections through Instagram because when she/he decided to use Instagram as our learning medium I am sure that she/he already prepared everything including the way she/he checked our tasks.

Interviewer : Ok Thank you, the next question is have you ever found information and references on Instagram that help your English writing process either academically or non-academically?

Interviewee 3 : Yes I do. I usually find some information that helps me to improve my writing skills such as phrases, vocabularies, idioms etc. Besides that, I can also find some information about certain topic by using hashtag (#) feature.

Interviewer : Alright, I wonder if you think Instagram is similar to other social media, if yes, why do you still choose IG as your medium in practice writing English autonomously?

Interviewee 3 : To be honest, I think Instagram is quite similar to several social media but why I still choose Instagram to practice my writing skill is because as I have mentioned before Instagram is familiar to young people including me so I feel comfortable to use it.

Interviewer : Well, do you think Instagram allows you to interact with other people who speak English easily?

Interviewee 3 : Generally, I think yes because we need only an Internet connection to use it so it is possible to interact with other people from other countries using Instagram. But, to be honest I haven't used Instagram to interact with other people who I never knew before. Moreover, people from other countries.

Interviewer : Ok. Then, do you think Instagram allows you to use your time effectively in practicing English writing because you can write flexibly as long as you have an internet connection?

Interviewee 3 : I think it is 50:50 because sometimes when I have free time I need to wait until I have a good internet connection to share or write something on Instagram.

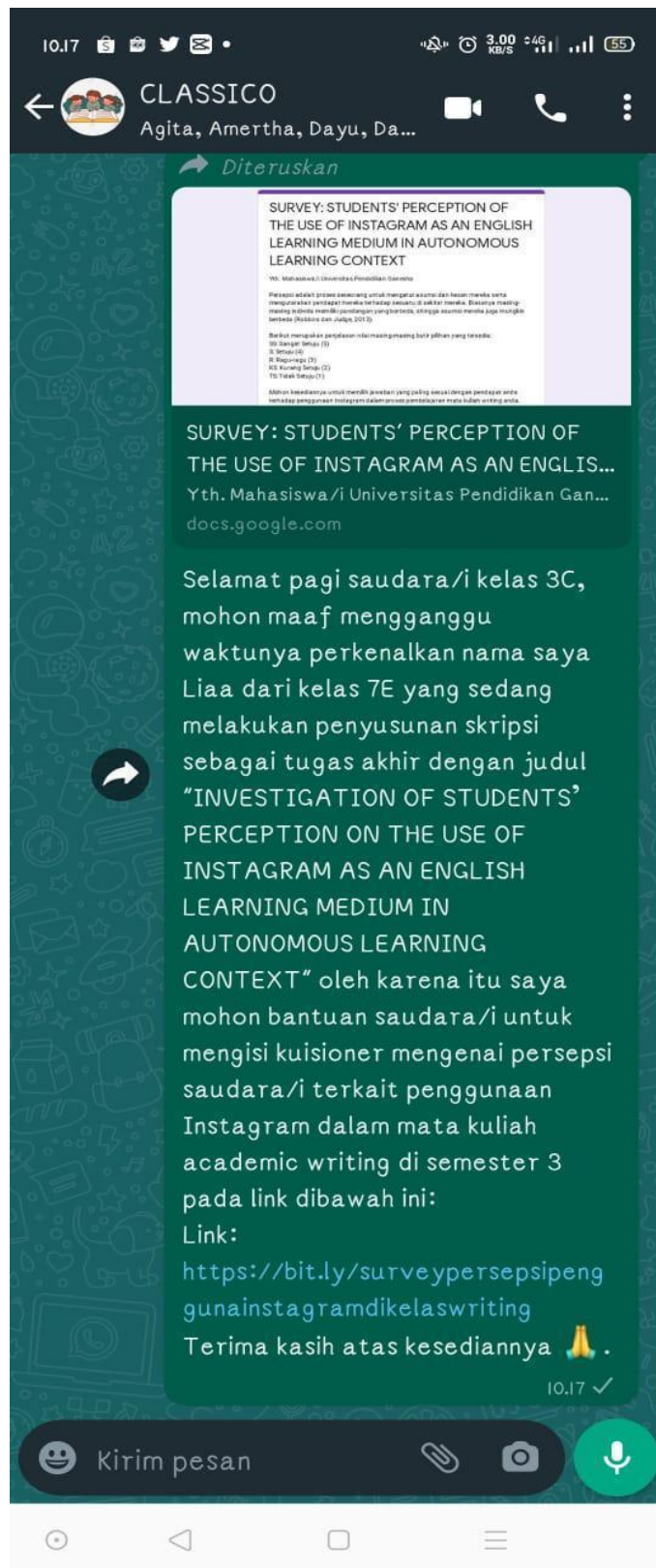
Interviewer : Well, we reached the last question. Do you use Instagram to share your activities and feelings using English captions in order to practice your English writing skills?

Interviewee 3 : Yes, I do. Because when I share something in English it will help me to remember the vocabulary or even improve my vocabulary for a longer time. Besides that, it can be understood by many people from other countries who speak English.

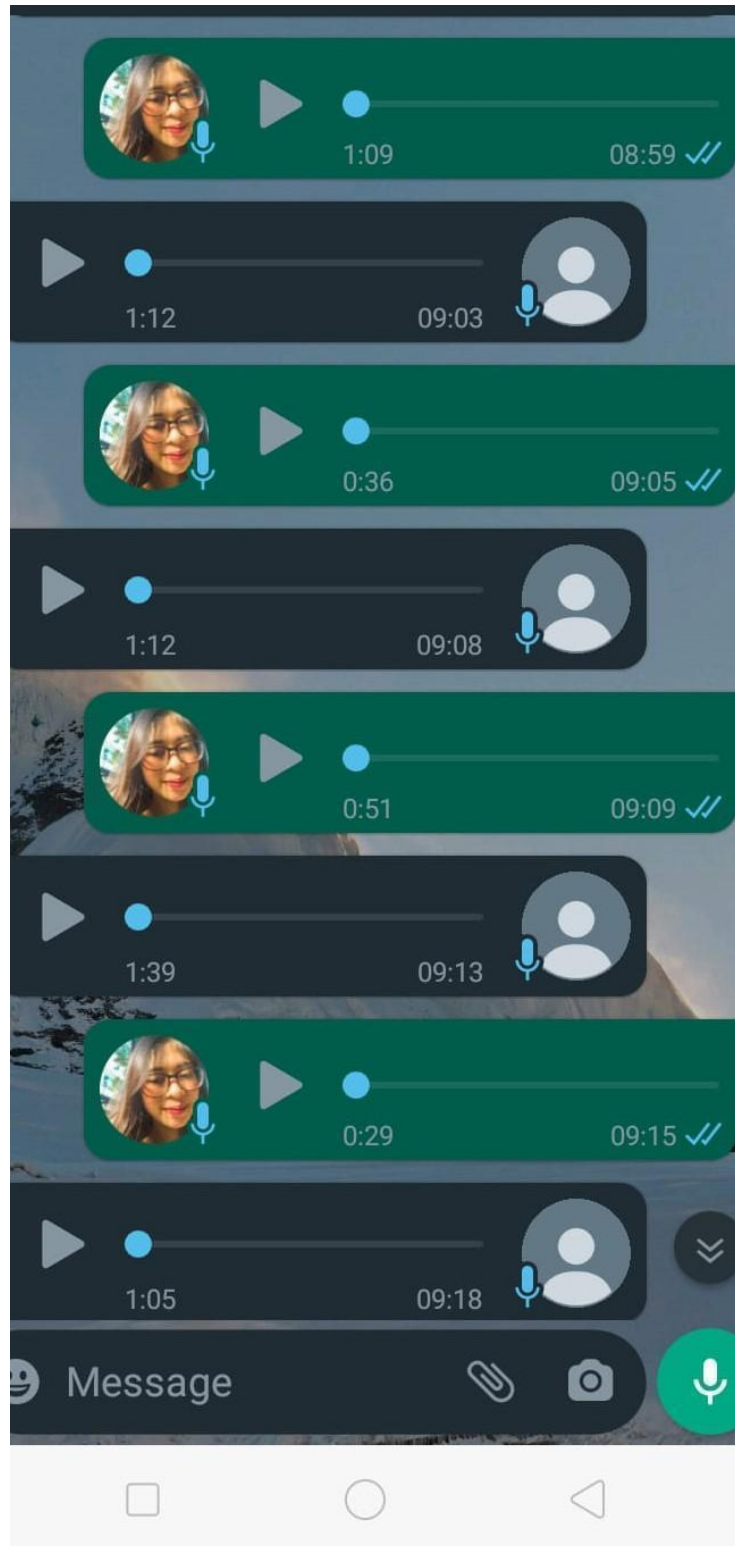
Interviewer : Well done. Thank you so much for your information.



Appendix 9 Documentation

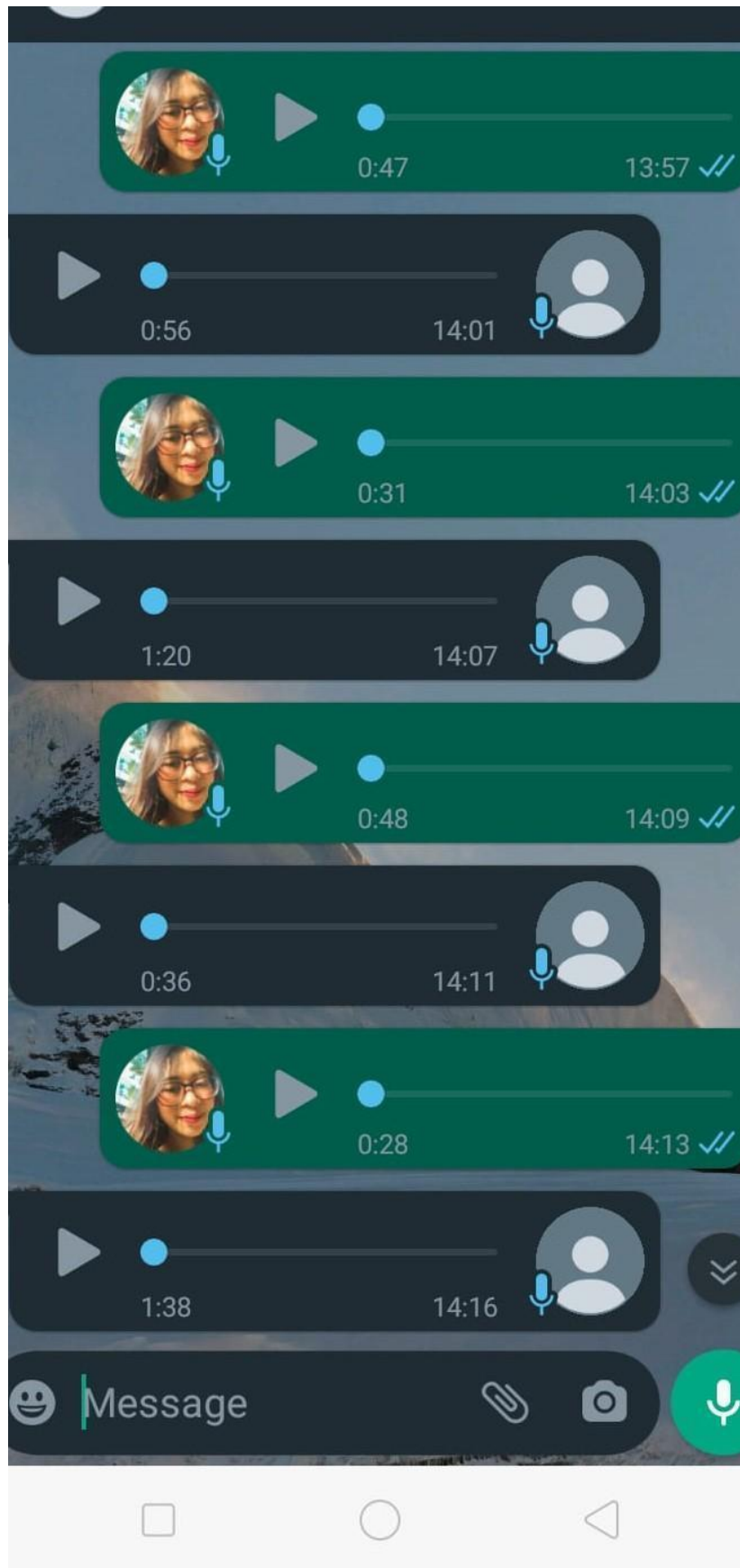


Documentation 1. Distributed the questionnaire through WhatsApp group



Documentation 2. Interviewee with interviewee 1 through WhatsApp voice note





Documentation 3. Interviewee with interviewee 2 through WhatsApp voice note





Documentation 4 Interview with interviewee 3 through WhatsApp voice note

Appendix 10. Daftar riwayat hidup

RIWAYAT HIDUP



Ni Kadek Krismalia Cahyani, lahir di Songan pada tanggal 1 Juli 1998 dari pasangan Jero Dinarta dan Ni Kadek Dapet. Penulis merupakan warga Negara Indonesia yang kini beralamat tinggal di Br. Alengkong Ds. Songan B kecamatan Kintamani, Kabupaten Bangli.

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