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### DEDICATION

"Demi waktu. Sesungguhnya manusia benar benar berada dalam kerugian. Kecuali orang orang yang beriman dan mengerjakan anak sholeh dan suling nasehaj menasehaji supaya menguaji kebenaran. Dan nasehaj menasehaji supaya menguaji kesabaran" (QS. AL.ASR: 1-3).

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#### ABSTRACT

The present research attempts to describe self-reference used by radio announcers in Bandung.

In conducting this research, the writer has two questions as follows: 1) What self-reference are used by radio announcers in Bandung? 2) What factors influence radio announcer in using self-reference?

This research aim 1) To find out self-reference used by radio announcers in Bandung. 2) To find out factors influence radio announcer in using self-reference.

Data were collected from recording live broadcastings and interviews. The conversations were tape recorded and then transcript for further analysis. Interviews were also conducted to obtain accurate information about self-reference used by them.

The writer applies descriptive qualitative method. The data material is elaborated descriptively and sought to find out the reason in using self-reference.

The findings show that radio announcers used more than one type of self-references. These variation of self-references appeared in pairs live broadcasting. The variation of self-references are *gue*, *saya*, *aku*, *I*, *aing*, *urang*, *kuring*, *ikke*, *ana*, and their own name. Among other self-references, *gue* tends to be the dominant self-reference used by radio announcers in Bandung.

There are three factors influence radio announcers in using variation of self-references, namely format and segmentation of a radio station, target listeners, and participants in performing pairs live broadcasting.

The writer suggests that further research conducted should be more elaborate in analyzing variation of self-reference, for instance by studying variation of self-reference used in Television such as in *Sinetron* or in a talk show, etc.

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This paper deals with self-reference variation used by radio announcers. The writer has two goals in conducting the research. The first goal is to find out self-reference used by radio announcers in Bandung, and the second goal is to find out factors influence the use of self-reference by radio announcers.

The writer makes contribution to those who are interested in radio broadcasting and communication they are used in live broadcasting.

The writer realizes that this paper is far from being perfect, so the writer welcomes to any constructive comments in improving this paper.

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