

ABSTRAK

PROSES KOMUNIKASI DALAM PENGEMBANGAN RELASI INTERPERSONAL ANTARA LESBIAN DENGAN SAHABAT HETEROSEKSUAL DI YOGYAKARTA

Penelitian ini bertujuan untuk melihat proses komunikasi lesbian dengan sahabat heteroseksualnya dalam membangun relasi interpersonal di Yogyakarta. Melalui penelitian ini diharapkan dapat melihat fenomena homoseksual khususnya lesbian dalam membuka diri terhadap mereka yang memiliki orientasi seksual hetero atau terhadap lawan jenis ditengah banyaknya kasus diskriminasi terhadap komunitas LGBT. Penelitian ini bersifat kualitatif deskriptif dengan metode pengumpulan data melalui wawancara. Dianalisis menggunakan teori penetrasi sosial. Hasil riset menunjukkan bahwa dalam membangun hubungan interpersonal lesbian dengan sahabat heteroseksual didapat melalui proses komunikasi selama minimal satu tahun hingga mencapai kedekatan yang intim.

Kata Kunci : lesbian, heteroseksual, komunikasi interpersonal, pembukaan diri

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COMMUNICATION PROCESS BETWEEN LESBIAN AND THEIR HETEROSEXUAL PAL IN DEVELOPING INTERPERSONAL RELATIONS IN YOGYAKARTA

This research aim is to observe the communication process between lesbian and their heterosexual pal in developing interpersonal relations in Yogyakarta. The expectation through this research is to see the phenomenon of homosexual in particular lesbian on how to self-disclosure themselves to those who have the opposite sexual orientation which is heterosexual among the increase of hate and discrimination towards them. This is a qualitative research and data are collected through interview process. Social penetration theory is used to analyse the collected data. The result of this research showed that to build interpersonal relations between lesbian and their heterosexual pal is through communication process which happen for minimum one year to reach the intimate friendship.

Keywords : lesbian, heterosexual, interpersonal communication, self-disclosure