

PREFACE

This undergraduate thesis is submitted as partial fulfillment of the *Sarjana Pendidikan* Degree requirement, entitled "Exploring the Students' Motivation in Writing their Undergraduate Thesis." It contains background information, a literature review, research procedures, research findings and discussion, and conclusion and suggestions. The background information is filled with a context, a gap, its formulation of the problem, the significance of the research, and its aim related to the present analysis. The literature review briefly discusses motivation in learning and its relation to the writing context. It utilizes a descriptive case study and is collected through a semi-structured interview analyzed by thematic analysis. The research findings and discussion deliberate what the researcher discovers in analyzing the data and interpreting the study result. Finally, the conclusion and suggestions contain substantive research findings as the answer to the research question and a summary of the discussion of the research findings. The suggestions section presents the reflection of the research findings that could lead to future research in its field area.

Any criticism and suggestions from the readers will be highly appreciated and received. This thesis will be fruitful for all readers and me.

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