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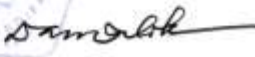

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ABSTRACT

This research is entitled "**A Study on Code-Switching Performed by Indonesian Learners of English in Group Discussion**". This study focuses on the types of code-switching, functions of code-switching, relationship between types and functions of code switching. The purpose of this research is to find out the types of code switching, the possible function of code switching, and the relationship between types and functions performed by the 6th semester students of English Education of Widya Mandira Catholic University Kupang in group discussions. The method used is descriptive qualitative. To obtain the data, the writer uses observation and interview. The data are transcribed and classified. Coding and labeling of each data sample will be utilized according its potential type. All the codes would be screened and the data labeled with similar codes would be grouped together. Code of similar nature then would be classified in major categories to suggest the types and functions of code-switching. The result of the classification of the types and function would be used to find out the relationship of types and functions of code switching. In group discussion, there are 18 utterances in group discussion which are found by researcher. There are 3 types of code switching: tag switching, inter-sentential code switching, and intra-sentential code switching found in the group discussions. Besides, there are 3 functions are found in group discussion: expressive function, referential function, and phatic function. Students used tag switching only for phatic function and they used inter-sentential for referential and phatic function. They also used intra-sentential code switching for referential function and expressive function.

Key Words: Code-Switching in Group Discussion

ABSTRAK

Penelitian ini berjudul “**A Study on Code-Switching Performed by Indonesian Learners of English in Group Discussion**”. Penelitian ini berfokus pada jenis-jenis alih kode, fungsi alih kode, dan hubungan antar jenis dan fungsi alih kode. Tujuan dari penelitian ini adalah untuk mengetahui jenis-jenis alih kode, kemungkinan fungsi alih kode, serta hubungan antara jenis dan fungsi yang dilakukan oleh mahasiswa semester 6 Pendidikan bahasa Inggris Universitas Katolik Widya Mandira Kupang dalam diskusi kelompok. Metode yang digunakan adalah deskriptif kualitatif. Untuk memperoleh data, penulis menggunakan observasi dan wawancara. Data ditranskripsikan dan diklasifikasikan. Pengkodean dan pelabelan masing-masing data akan digunakan sesuai dengan potensinya. Semua kode akan disaring dan data yang diberi label dengan kode serupa akan dikelompokkan bersama. Kode yang sifatnya serupa kemudian akan diklasifikasikan dalam kategori utama untuk menunjukkan jenis dan fungsi alih kode. Hasil klasifikasi jenis dan fungsi akan digunakan untuk mengetahui hubungan jenis dan fungsi alih kode. Dalam diskusi grup, terdapat 18 ucapan yang ditemukan oleh peneliti. Terdapat 3 jenis alih kode: tag switching, inter-sentential code switching, dan intra-sentential code switching yang ditemukan di dalam diskusi grup. Selain itu, terdapat 3 fungsi alih kode dalam diskusi grup: expressive function, referential function, dan phatic function. Mahasiswa menggunakan tag switching hanya untuk phatic function dan mereka menggunakan inter-sentential code switching untuk fungsi referential dan phatic. Mereka juga menggunakan intra-sentential untuk fungsi referential dan expressive.

Kata Kunci: Alih Kode dalam Diskusi Kelompok

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