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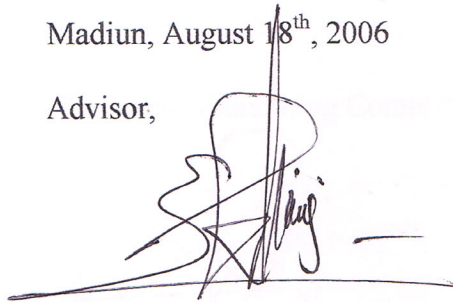
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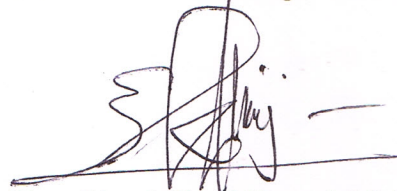
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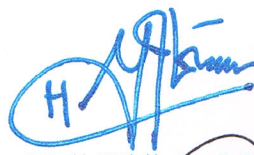
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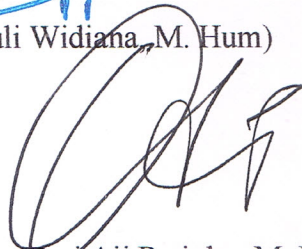
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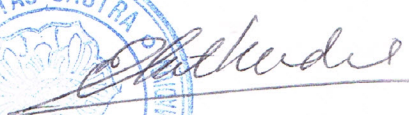



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ABSTRAK

Dalam penelitian ini, penulis mendiskusikan tentang struktur modifikasi dalam bahasa Inggris yang ada di artikel-artikel majalah *Time* yang terbit setiap minggu sekali. Penulis ingin mempelajari lebih dalam tentang struktur modifikasi dalam bahasa Inggris dengan menganalisis; bagaimana struktur modifikasi dalam bahasa Inggris yang di gunakan di artikel majalah *Time*, dan jenis-jenis struktur modifikasi dalam bahasa Inggris yang digunakan di artikel majalah *Time* tersebut.

Penulis menggunakan metode deskriptif dalam membuat penelitian ini dengan cara mengumpulkan data kemudian mengklasifikasikan data dan membuat analisis, akhirnya penulis memberikan simpulan. Sumber data dalam pembuatan penelitian ini adalah artikel-artikel yang ada dalam majalah *Time* yang terbit pada 2 Mei sampai dengan 23 Mei 2005.

Berdasarkan hasil penelitian, penulis menemukan bahwa struktur modifikasi dalam bahasa Inggris mempunyai 2 struktur yang berbeda, yaitu "*modifier + Head*" (58 %), dan "*head + Modifier*" (42 %). Setelah dianalisis, penulis menyimpulkan bahwa struktur modifikasi dalam bahasa Inggris terdiri atas 3 jenis, yaitu noun sebagai head (82 %), adjective sebagai head (16 %), dan adverb sebagai head (6 %).

ABSTRACT

In this research, the writer discusses *The Structure of Modification in English* that occurs in articles of *Time* magazine published every week. The writer wants to study deeper about *The Structure of Modification in English* by analyzing how *The Structure of Modification in English* used in articles of *Time* magazine, and the kinds of *The Structure of Modification in English* used in articles of *Time* magazine.

The writer uses descriptive method in making this research, by collecting the data, classifying the data, and making analysis. At last, the writer gives conclusion. The source of the data in making this research is the articles of *Time* magazine that are published from 2nd May 2005 up to 23rd May 2005.

Based on this research, the writer finds that *The Structure of Modification in English* has two different structures. The first is “*modifier + Head*” (58 %), and “*head + Modifier*” (42 %). Secondly, after the data have been analyzed, the writer comes to conclusion that *The Structure of Modification in English* consists of three kinds, namely, noun as a head (82 %), adjective as a head (16 %), and adverb as a head (6 %).

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