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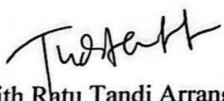
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*"Learn not to find out answers, but to understand the meaning behind every question."*

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Purpose of this study is to determine the obstacles experienced by Students of English Study Program in determining research titles. In this study, the method used by researchers is a quantitative research design using a questionnaire sent to 25 students of the English study program at UKI Toraja.

Based on the results of data analysis, Students of English Study Program still face obstacles related to interest, suitability with academic ability, Limited literature, personal motivation, Uncertainty of topic relevance, Limited time, Lack of knowledge, Limited resources, and Lack of ideas or inspiration in determining their research title.

Keywords: Obstacles, Academic Writing, Research Title

## **ABSTRAK**

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Tujuan dari penelitian ini adalah untuk mengetahui hambatan yang dialami mahasiswa Pendidikan Bahasa Inggris dalam menentukan Judul penelitian. Dalam penelitian ini, metode yang digunakan oleh peneliti adalah desain penelitian kuantitatif dengan menggunakan kuesioner yang dikirimkan kepada 25 mahasiswa Jurusan Bahasa Inggris di UKI Toraja .

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Kata Kunci: Hambatan, Menulis Akademik, Judul Penelitian

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