#### FINAL REPORT

# THE INFLUENCE OF PUBLIC SPEAKING IN GETTING A JOB FOR THE ALUMNI OF THE ENGLISH DEPARTMENT OF SRIWIJAYA STATE POLYTECHNIC



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### **MOTTO**

"Big Dream Take Time, Dedication, Blood, Sweet, Tears, and Years"

-Soledad Francis PHD

#### **DEDICATION**

- My Mother
- My Father
- My Brother
- My Sisters
- SANS Squad

#### **PREFACE**

First of all, the writer would like to thank Allah SWT who has given His greatest blessing so the writer could complete the final report. This final report is written to fulfill the requirement of final report at State Polytechnic of Sriwijaya, which entitled "The Influence of Public Speaking in Getting a Job for The Alumni of The English Department of Sriwijaya State Polytechnics".

Due to the limitation in experiences, abilities and knowledge, the writers realize that there are probably many mistakes in writing this report. Therefore, suggestions and critics are welcome for improvement for future writing. Finally, the writers sincerely expect that this report could provide advantages and usefulness for the readers, especially for the students of English Department.

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#### **ABSTRACT**

# THE INFLUENCE OF PUBLIC SPEAKING IN GETTING A JOB FOR THE ALUMNI OF THE ENGLISH DEPARTMENT OF SRIWIJAYA STATE POLYTECHNIC

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This research was conducted to find out whether public speaking influence the alumni of English Department of Sriwijaya State Polytechnic in getting a job or not. The purpose of this research was to know the influence of public speaking towards it. This research used quantitative method by comparing the score of alumni's public speaking. The population were the alumni of English Department, Sriwijaya State Polytechnic in 2019 and 2020. In this research, the techniques of collecting the data used questionnaires. There are 86 participants were answered the questionnaires and 60 of participants who met as the sample criteria. The data were collected by using ready made questionnaire. The result shows there is a positive and significant influenced of public speaking in getting a job for the alumni of English Department, Sriwijaya State Polytechnic . In conclusion, the higher a person's public speaking skill, the higher opportunity in getting a job, this is supported by the results of a questionnaires that revealed the influence of public speaking in getting a job for the alumni of English Department of Sriwijaya State Polytechnic reaching 85,04%. The result of the questionnaires is also supported by the percentage of public speaking score owned by 60 respondents with the total percentage is 86%.

**Keywords:** English Department, Getting Job, Public Speaking.

#### **ABSTRAK**

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Penelitian ini dilaksanakan untuk mengetahui apakah public speaking mempengaruhi alumni Jurusan Bahasa Inggris Politeknik Negeri Sriwijaya dalam mendapatkan pekerjaan atau tidak. Tujuan dari penelitian ini adalah untuk mengetahui pengaruh public speaking terhadapnya. Penelitian ini menggunakan metode kuantitatif dengan membandingkan skor public speaking alumni. Populasi dalam penelitian ini adalah alumni Jurusan Bahasa Inggris Politeknik Negeri Sriwijaya tahun 2019 dan 2020. Dalam penelitian ini, teknik pengumpulan data yang digunakan adalah kuesioner. Ada 86 peserta yang menjawab kuesioner dan 60 peserta yang memenuhi kriteria sampel. Pengumpulan data dilakukan dengan menggunakan kuesioner yang siap pakai. Hasil penelitian menunjukkan ada pengaruh positif dan signifikan *public speaking* dalam mendapatkan pekerjaan bagi alumni Jurusan Bahasa Inggris Politeknik Negeri Sriwijaya. Kesimpulannya, semakin tinggi kemampuan public speaking seseorang, maka semakin tinggi pula peluangnya untuk mendapatkan pekerjaan, hal ini didukung oleh hasil kuisioner yang mengungkapkan pengaruh public speaking dalam mendapatkan pekerjaan bagi alumni Jurusan Bahasa Inggris Politeknik Negeri Sriwijaya mencapai 85,04%. Hasil kuisioner juga didukung dengan persentase skor public speaking yang dimiliki oleh 60 responden dengan total persentase 86%.

**Kata Kunci:** Jurusan Bahasa Inggris, Mendapatkan Pekerjaan, Public Speaking.

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