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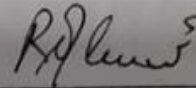
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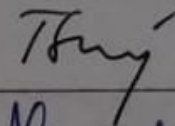
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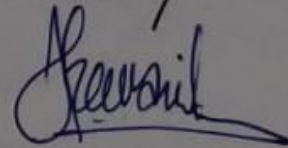
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## ABSTRACT

### WRITING A SHORT STORY ENTITLED “MY FIRST SIGHT AND LOVE” FOR PUBLICATION AT STORIAL.CO

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(Qonita Milatina, 2021: 36 pages, 19 pictures, 6 tables)

This final report is aimed to write a short story entitled “My First Sight and Love” that would be published in storial.co. The fiction was written in English for international editions. The purpose of this final report is to find out the process of writing a short story through the storial.co application. In this final report, the writer used Research and Development by Sukmadinata (2005). The method consisted of three main steps: preliminary study, model development, and final product testing. The writer collected the data by using an online article and library in English department as references for writing a short story and to get the information about the short story. The experts gave comments that there were some confusing settings and also contents in story contents and some mistakes in language used, so that it must be fixed. In wider testing, the book could be accepted. The writer expects that the students of English department can be more creative and innovative to open their own business through this application as well as sharpen their writing skill.

**Keywords:** *Writing, Short Story, Storial.co*

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Laporan akhir ini bertujuan untuk menulis sebuah cerpen berjudul “Penglihatan dan Cinta Pertamaku” yang akan dimuat di storial.co. Fiksi itu ditulis dalam bahasa Inggris untuk edisi internasional. Tujuan dari laporan akhir ini adalah untuk mengetahui proses penulisan cerpen melalui aplikasi storial.co. Dalam laporan tugas akhir ini, penulis menggunakan Research and Development oleh Sukmadinata (2005). Metode ini terdiri dari tiga langkah utama: studi pendahuluan, pengembangan model, dan pengujian produk akhir. Penulis mengumpulkan data dengan menggunakan artikel online dan perpustakaan di jurusan bahasa Inggris sebagai referensi untuk menulis cerita pendek dan untuk mendapatkan informasi tentang cerita pendek. Para ahli memberikan komentar bahwa ada beberapa setting yang membingungkan dan juga isi dalam isi cerita dan beberapa kesalahan dalam bahasa yang digunakan, sehingga harus diperbaiki. Dalam pengujian yang lebih luas, buku tersebut dapat diterima. Penulis berharap mahasiswa jurusan Bahasa Inggris dapat lebih kreatif dan inovatif untuk membuka usaha sendiri melalui aplikasi ini sekaligus mengasah kemampuan menulisnya.

**Kata kunci:** *Menulis, Cerpen, Storial.co*

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The writer considers that there are still some mistakes in writing this report because of limitations in experiences, knowledge, etc. The writer hopes that the readers can give suggestions and critiques for this final report, and this report can give advantages and usefulness especially for the students of English Department.

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