

ABSTRAK

Putri Nurparizqi Purwati: “*Media Republika Dan Isu-Isu Sensitif (Studi Kasus Jurnalisme Islam pada Rubrik Khazanah)*”

Media *Republika* sebagai media Islam terbesar di Indonesia memiliki peran penting dalam penyampaian informasi keislaman melalui rubrik *Khazanah*. Era arus informasi yang semakin pesat, penyajian isu-isu sensitif yang berkaitan dengan agama menjadi tantangan tersendiri bagi jurnalisme Islam. Rubrik *Khazanah* menjadi wadah jurnalisme Islam yang strategis dalam menghadirkan berita-berita keislama dengan mempertimbangkan etika jurnalistik, verifikasi fakta, serta sensitivitas pembaca.

Penelitian ini bertujuan untuk mengetahui media *Republika* pada rubrik *Khazanah* dalam menangani isu-isu sensitif Islam. Media *Republika* menangani isu sensitif dengan memperhatikan prinsip-prinsip jurnalistik.

Penelitian ini menggunakan konsep Melvin Mencher's *Component The Story*. *Component The Story* memiliki 7 poin penting diantaranya *Accurate, Properly attributed, Complete, Balanced and fair, Objective, Brief and focused, Well-written*. Konsep ini menjelaskan 7 poin penting sebagai prinsip dari jurnalistik yakni, akurasi, diatribusikan dengan benar, lengkap, seimbang dan adil, objektif, singkat dan fokus, dan ditulis dengan baik. Inilah hal-hal penting yang harus diperhatikan ketika membuat berita.

Upaya pengumpulan data dilakukan dengan menggunakan pendekatan kualitatif dengan metode dekriptif. Penelitian ini menggunakan teknik wawancara semi terstruktur dan observasi. Teknik ini dipilih karena sesuai dengan tujuan penelitian yang ingin mengetahui *Republika* dalam menangani isu sensitif di rubrik *Khazanah*.

Hasil penelitian menunjukkan bahwa rubrik *Khazanah* dalam media *Republika* menerapkan pendekatan jurnalisme Islam yang mengedepankan prinsip *cover both sides*, narasi yang berpihak pada umat namun tidak provokatif, serta penanganan isu sensitif keislaman secara bijak. Media *Republika* dalam menjaga keseimbangan antara kepentingan jurnalistik dan sensitivitas keagamaan pembaca dilakukan melalui pengelolaan isu agar tidak memicu konflik, sikap terbuka terhadap kritik publik dan penerapan prinsip *slow journalism* yang mengutamakan ketepatan informasi.

Kata Kunci: Rubrik *Khazanah*, Jurnalisme Islam, Isu Sensitif

ABSTRACT

Putri Nurparizqi Purwati: “Republika Media and Sensitive Issues (A Case Study of Islamic Journalism in the Khazanah Column)”

Republika Media, as the largest Islamic media outlet in Indonesia, plays an important role in disseminating Islamic information through its Khazanah column. In the era of rapidly advancing information flow, presenting sensitive issues related to religion poses a unique challenge for Islamic journalism. The Khazanah section serves as a strategic platform for Islamic journalism in delivering Islamic news while considering journalistic ethics, fact-checking, and reader sensitivity.

This study aims to examine how Republika's Khazanah section handles sensitive Islamic issues. Republika addresses sensitive issues by adhering to journalistic principles.

This study employs Melvin Mencher's Component The Story concept. The Component Story has seven key points, including Accurate, Properly attributed, Complete, Balanced and fair, Objective, Brief and focused, and Well-written. This concept explains the seven key points as principles of journalism: accuracy, proper attribution, completeness, balance and fairness, objectivity, brevity and focus, and good writing. These are the important aspects to consider when creating news.

Data collection efforts were conducted using a qualitative approach with a descriptive method. This study employed semi-structured interviews and observation techniques. These techniques were chosen because they align with the research objective of understanding how Republika handles sensitive issues in the Khazanah section.

The research findings indicate that the Khazanah section in Republika media applies an Islamic journalism approach that emphasizes the principle of covering both sides, narratives that are sympathetic to the Muslim community but not provocative, and the wise handling of sensitive Islamic issues. Republika maintains a balance between journalistic interests and the religious sensitivities of its readers by managing issues to avoid provoking conflict, adopting an open attitude toward public criticism, and applying the principle of slow journalism, which prioritizes the accuracy of information.

Keywords: *Khazanah section, Islamic journalism, sensitive issues*