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Kepada: A Aneesh <editor.endless@gmail.com>

Dear Editor  
ENDLESS Journal

I have read and used scientific articles published in ENDLESS Journal.

The performance of the ENDLESS Journal was excellent, and the published article helped me conduct research and write scientific articles.

I am li Sumantri, Lecturer from UIN Sunan Gunung Djati Bandung, Indonesia.

I have completed a scientific article entitled "**Local Democracy and Community Participation: The Role of Information and Communication Technology.**"

I hope this article can be published in the ENDLESS Journal because there are interesting findings in the scientific article that can become new treasures in sciences, especially in the field of social sciences.

I am willing to go through the review process following ENDLESS Journal standards.

Best Regards,

li Sumantri  
UIN Sunan Gunung Djati Bandung, Indonesia



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A Aneesh <editor.endless@gmail.com>

28 Juli 2021 20.12

Kepada: li Sumantri <iisumantri73@gmail.com>

Dear  
li Sumantri  
UIN Sunan Gunung Djati Bandung, Indonesia.

The ENDLESS Journal Editorial Board has received your article. I appreciate your interest in ENDLESS Journal.

Your article will be processed according to the publication standards at ENDLESS Journal.

I beg you to be patient while waiting for the notification from the ENDLESS Journal Editorial Board.

Always check your email because the correspondence is only via email.

Best Regards,

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A Aneesh  
Editorial Board ENDLESS

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3 Agustus 2021 09.40

Dear Editor  
ENDLESS Journal

Thank you for your response.

I am happy to wait for the next stage.

li Sumantri  
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A Aneesh <editor.endless@gmail.com>  
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16 Agustus 2021 12.27

Dear  
li Sumantri  
UIN Sunan Gunung Djati Bandung, Indonesia

Thank you for submitting your manuscript to ENDLESS Journal.

We have completed our evaluation, and the reviewers recommend reconsidering your manuscript following minor revisions. We invite you to send it back after addressing the comments below. Please resubmit your revised manuscript by September 18<sup>th</sup>, 2021 or ask whether an alternate date would be acceptable.

When revising your manuscript, please consider carefully all issues mentioned in the reviewers' comments: outline every change made in response to their comments and provide suitable explanations for any comments not addressed. Please also note that the revised submission may need to be re-reviewed.

To submit your revised manuscript, please log in as an author at this email, and navigate to the "Revision" folder. ENDLESS Journal values your contribution, and I look forward to receiving your revised manuscript.

Editor and Reviewer comments:

Reviewer #1:

1. It is necessary to explain further the methodology used in this study. How does the author collect data from various sources regarding the implementation of ICT in community participation in local democracy? Are there specific criteria for selecting relevant data sources?
2. In the abstract, concrete examples of how ICT enables citizen participation in activities such as elections, discussion forums, and access to public information should be given. These examples will provide a clearer picture of the contribution of ICT in increasing community participation.
3. There is a need to further understand the constraints mentioned in applying ICT to increase community participation in local democracy. What are the main reasons for people's limited access to this technology? Are there steps that can be taken to overcome this problem?
4. When discussing recommendations, it is better to explain how ICT infrastructure development and training for the community can be carried out. Are there examples of case studies showing the success of ICT infrastructure development and training in increasing community participation?
5. In keywords, adding some more specific keywords is suggested to help clarify the research topic. For example, "*Digital Divide*" or "*E-Government*" could be relevant keywords for this article.

I hope you can make improvements as soon as possible and send the revised article again via this email.

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24 Agustus 2021 17.33

Kepada: "A Aneesh" <editor.endless@gmail.com>

Dear  
Editor ENDLESS Journal

Thank you for the Editorial Board response ENDLESS Journal.

I have read the revised instructions from the Reviewers.  
I will immediately correct the article according to the reviewers.

Best Regards,

li Sumantri  
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## Revision Article for ENDLESS

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18 September 2021 15.53

Dear  
Editor ENDLESS Journal

Thank you for the patience of the ENDLESS Journal Editorial Board. Waiting for the revision of my article.

I have made improvements according to the reviewer's instructions. I will be happy if there are still points that need to be improved again in the article.

The revised Article is Attached.

Best Regards,

li Sumantri  
UIN Sunan Gunung Djati Bandung, Indonesia

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23 September 2021 23.18

Dear

li Sumantri  
UIN Sunan Gunung Djati Bandung, Indonesia

Thank you for your efforts to make improvements to your article.  
Based on the Reviewers' considerations, the article has, at some point, increased.  
However, you have to improve on a few more points. Hopefully, you are willing to do it.

Please follow the following revision instructions:

#Reviewer 2:

1. During the analysis, was any comparison made between community participation before and after the introduction of ICT in local democracy? If comparative data is available, incorporating these results into the article can provide a better understanding of the concrete impact of ICT use on citizen participation.
2. In explaining the challenges faced in implementing ICT, discussing the steps taken or proposed to overcome these obstacles is better. Are there any specific initiatives or programs the government or related organizations can implement to increase ICT access and community participation?
3. This article could be more powerful if it included quotes or findings from previous research in a similar domain. Incorporating the findings and opinions of other academics can enrich the argument and provide broader comparability of the results of this study.
4. The abstract section can be expanded by providing more detailed information about the significance of this research. What are the practical benefits of increasing citizen participation in local democracy using ICT? How can this impact more inclusive decision-making and more sustainable societal development?
5. In conclusion, it is advisable to suggest future research directions that could further develop this topic. For example, are certain aspects of ICT that need to be studied more closely, or is there a better understanding of engaging less participating groups in society? Providing recommendations for future research will positively contribute to developing knowledge in this field.

Articles that have been revised and please send them back via this email.

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Editorial Board ENDLESS  
ENDLESS Journal

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24 September 2021 10.29

Dear  
Editor ENDLESS Journal

Thank you for your response. I will be happy to revise the article according to these instructions.

li Sumantri  
UIN Sunan Gunung Djati Bandung, Indonesia  
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26 Oktober 2021 20.02

Dear  
Editor ENDLESS Journal

Thank you for the patience of the ENDLESS Journal Editorial Board. Waiting for the revision of my article.

I have made improvements according to the reviewer's two instructions. I will be happy if there are still points that need to be improved again in the article.

The revised Article is Attached.

Best Regards,

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**ACCEPTANCE LETTER**

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3 November 2021 11.32

Kepada: li Sumantri &lt;iisumantri73@gmail.com&gt;

Dear Author

**li Sumantri**

Warm Greetings!

**ACCEPTANCE LETTER**

It's a great pleasure to inform you that, after the peer review process, your article "**Local Democracy and Community Participation: The Role of Information and Communication Technology**" has been **Accepted** for publication in ENDLESS Journal Regular Issue 2021. Please make a payment publication fee.

Thank you for submitting your work to this journal. We hope to receive it in the future too.

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A Aneesh

Editorial Board

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