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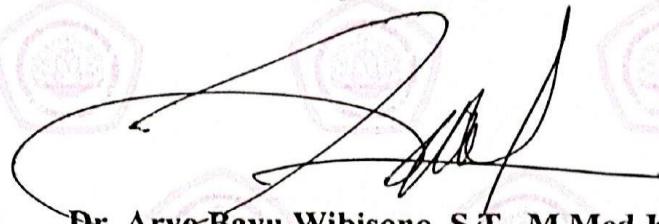
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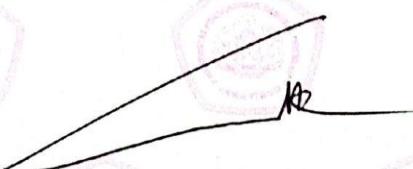
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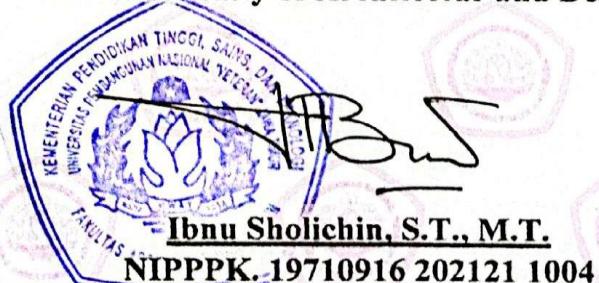

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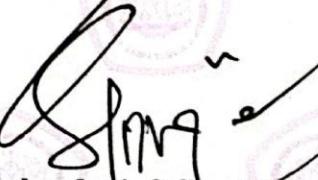
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ABSTRAK

Perancangan buku fotografi "Monumen Tugu Pahlawan dan Museum 10 November Surabaya sebagai Upaya Pelestarian Sejarah Indonesia" bertujuan untuk menciptakan media visual edukatif yang dapat melestarikan dan menyampaikan nilai-nilai sejarah perjuangan bangsa kepada masyarakat, khususnya generasi muda. Penelitian ini menggunakan tiga metode pengumpulan data, yaitu wawancara dengan pihak terkait, observasi langsung terhadap kondisi monumen dan museum, serta penyebaran kuesioner kepada berbagai kalangan masyarakat untuk mengetahui persepsi dan kebutuhan mereka terhadap media pembelajaran sejarah. Meskipun memiliki nilai sejarah yang sangat tinggi, data kuesioner yang disebarluaskan menunjukkan rendahnya frekuensi kunjungan masyarakat, terutama generasi muda, ke monumen bersejarah ini. Beberapa faktor yang menjadi penyebab kurangnya minat terhadap kunjungan ke Tugu Pahlawan antara lain terbatasnya pengetahuan masyarakat tentang nilai sejarah yang terkandung di dalamnya, kendala aksesibilitas dan jarak tempuh, serta persepsi bahwa monumen tersebut kurang menarik bagi kalangan tertentu, terutama generasi digital yang lebih terbiasa dengan media visual yang dinamis. Untuk mengatasi masalah tersebut, buku fotografi dirancang dengan menggabungkan dokumentasi visual berkualitas tinggi dari arsitektur monumen dan koleksi museum, serta dilengkapi dengan narasi singkat yang mudah dipahami. Pendekatan ini bertujuan memudahkan berbagai kalangan dalam memahami sejarah, mulai dari pelajar hingga masyarakat umum. Buku fotografi ini diharapkan dapat berfungsi sebagai media pembelajaran sejarah yang inovatif, meningkatkan apresiasi masyarakat terhadap warisan budaya bangsa, dan mendukung pengembangan pariwisata budaya di Kota Surabaya. Dengan demikian, karya ini dapat menjadi jembatan antara upaya pelestarian sejarah tradisional dengan kebutuhan komunikasi visual di era modern.

Kata Kunci: *Buku Fotografi, Tugu Pahlawan, Pelestarian Sejarah, Dokumentasi Visual.*

ABSTRACT

The design of the photography book "The Heroes Monument and the 10 November Museum in Surabaya as an Effort to Preserve Indonesian History" aims to create educational visual media that can preserve and convey the historical values of the nation's struggle to the public, especially the younger generation. This study uses three data collection methods, namely interviews with related parties, direct observation of the condition of the monument and museum, and distribution of questionnaires to various groups of people to determine their perceptions and needs for history learning media. Despite its significant historical value, questionnaire data distributed shows low frequency of visits by the public, especially the younger generation, to this historic monument. Several factors contributing to the lack of interest in visiting the Heroes Monument include limited public knowledge of its historical value, accessibility and distance constraints, and the perception that the monument is less appealing to certain groups, especially the digital generation who are more accustomed to dynamic visual media. To address these issues, a photography book was designed that combines high-quality visual documentation of the monument's architecture and museum collections, complemented by a concise, easy-to-understand narrative. This approach aims to facilitate a wide range of groups, from students to the general public, in understanding history. This photography book is expected to serve as an innovative historical learning medium, increase public appreciation for the nation's cultural heritage, and support the development of cultural tourism in Surabaya. Thus, this work can bridge efforts to preserve traditional history with the needs of modern visual communication.

Keywords: Photography Books, Heroes Monuments, Historical Preservation, Visual Documentation.

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