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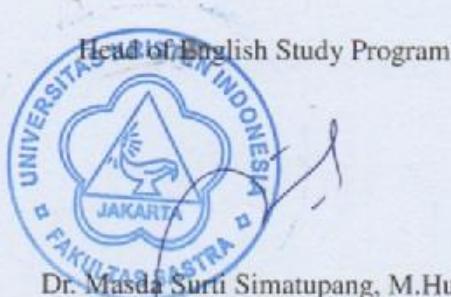
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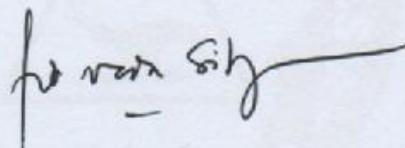
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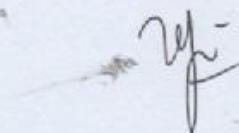
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Motivasi dimiliki oleh setiap orang yang menjadi alasan atas perilaku dan tindakan seseorang dalam mencapai tujuannya dan muncul karena adanya kebutuhan yang perlu dipenuhi. Skripsi ini mendiskusikan motivasi karakter utama Mehrunnisa dalam novel *The Twentieth Wife* karya Indu Sundaresan dalam upaya mengejar ambisinya untuk menjadi Permaisuri Kerajaan Mughal. Hasil analisa ini mengungkapkan bahwa Mehrunnisa merupakan sosok perempuan yang luar biasa dan berpengaruh yang dapat menunjukkan kekuatan dan kekuasaannya terutama atas pangeran Mughal meskipun dengan segala keterbatasan yang dimiliki sebagai perempuan yang tidak memiliki posisi dalam masyarakat. Kecantikan, karakter, motivasi, keterlibatan dari jabatan penting ayahnya di dalam kerajaan Mughal serta relasi yang baik dengan Permaisuri Ruqqaya, istri dari Sultan Akbar menjadi kekuatan juga keuntungan untuknya dan pada akhirnya membuatnya berhasil menjadi Permaisuri Mughal.

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