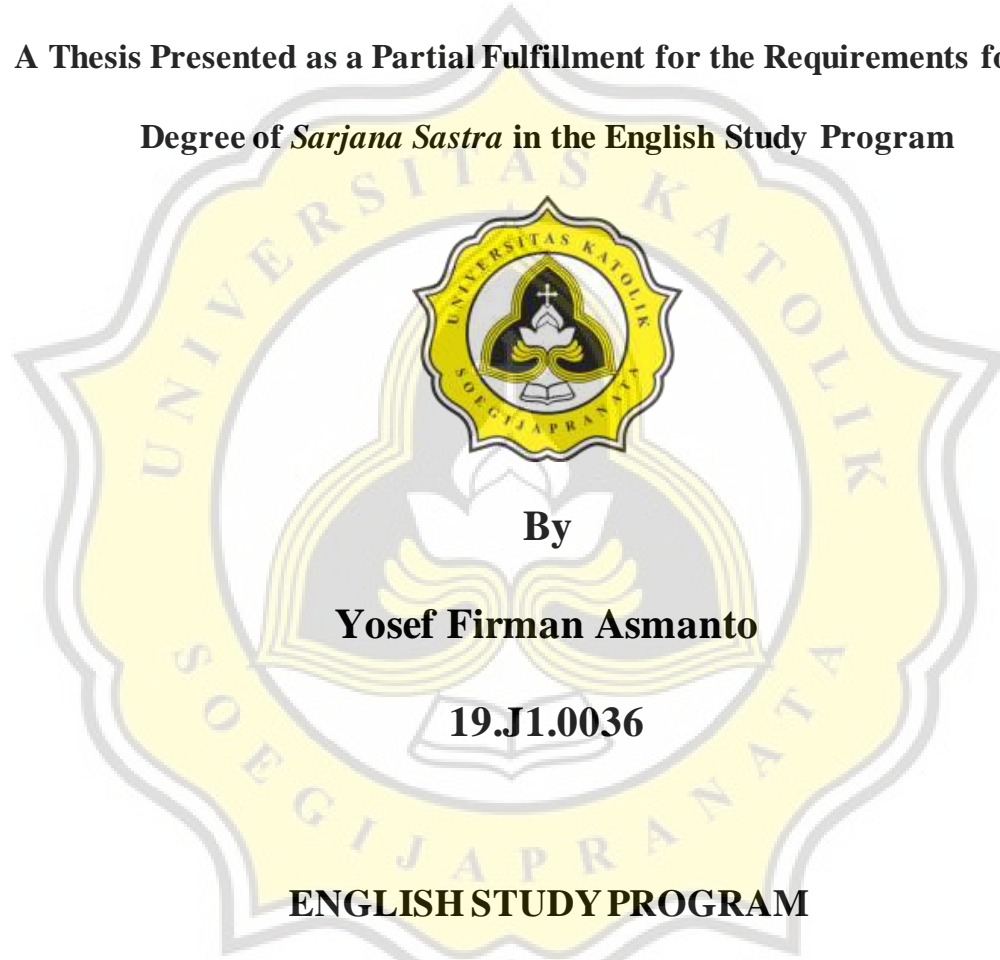


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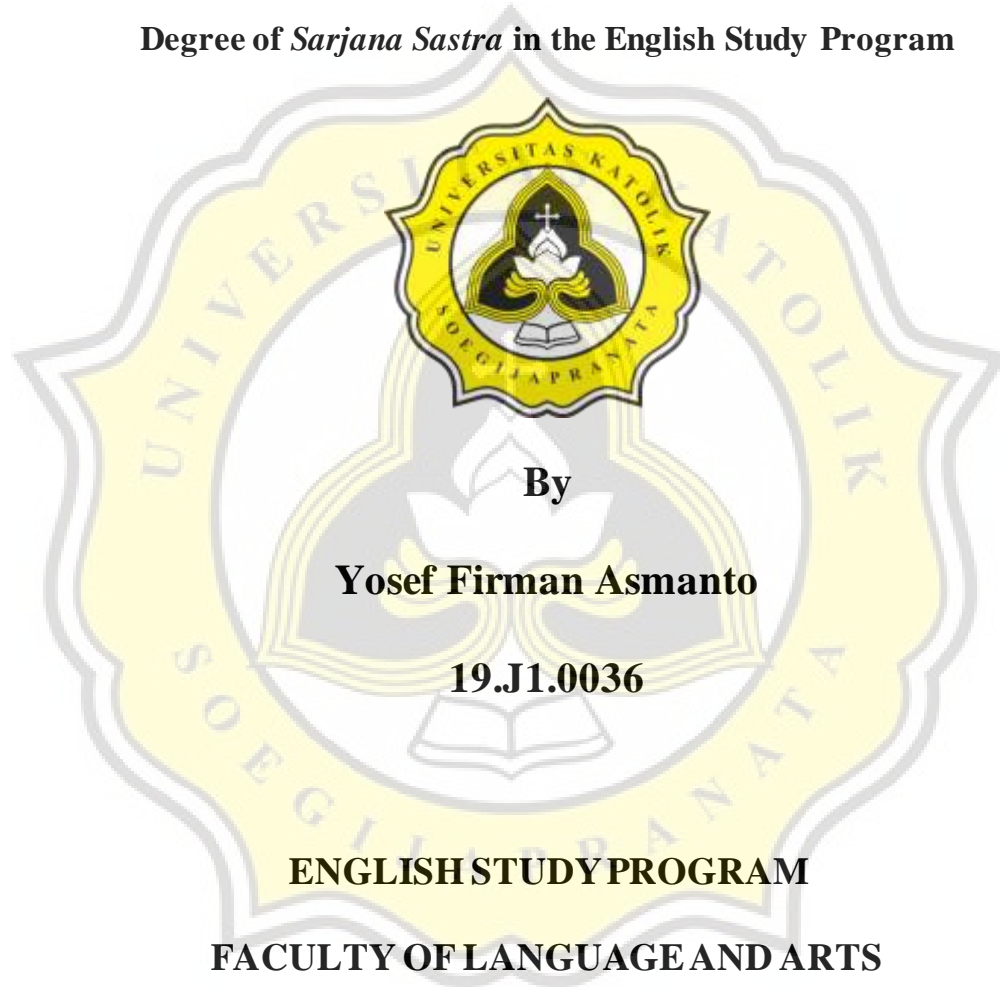
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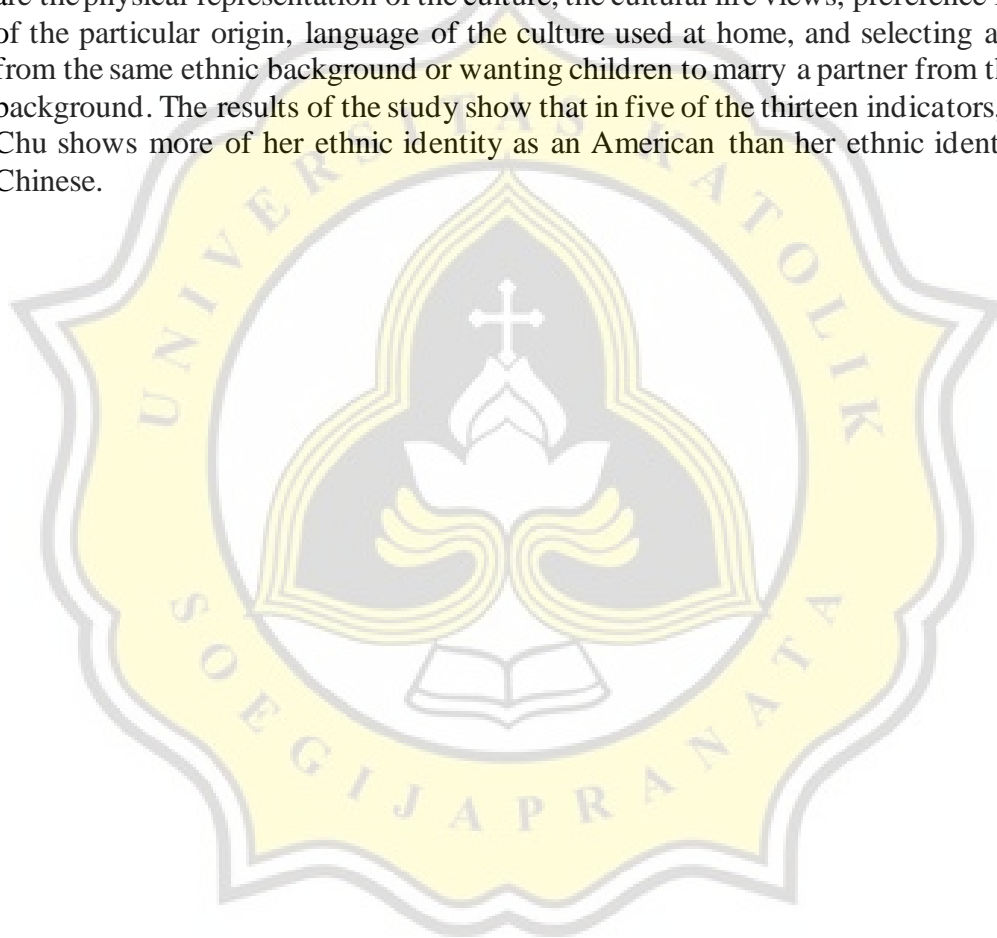
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ABSTRACT

This research is conducted to find out the ethnic identity of Rachel Chu in the *Crazy Rich Asians* novel. In this research, the researcher uses the theory of Kennedy and Hall (2006) about ethnic identity. The research method used is the qualitative method. The researcher uses thirteen ethnic identity indicators proposed by Kennedy and Hall (2006) to analyze Rachel Chu's character. The five indicators shown by Rachel Chu are the physical representation of the culture, the cultural life views, preference for food of the particular origin, language of the culture used at home, and selecting a spouse from the same ethnic background or wanting children to marry a partner from the same background. The results of the study show that in five of the thirteen indicators, Rachel Chu shows more of her ethnic identity as an American than her ethnic identity as a Chinese.



ABSTRAK

Penelitian ini dilakukan untuk menemukan identitas etnis Rachel Chu dalam novel Crazy Rich Asians. Dalam penelitian ini, peneliti menggunakan teori Kennedy dan Hall (2006) tentang identitas etnis. Metode penelitian yang digunakan adalah metode kualitatif. Peneliti menggunakan tiga belas indikator identitas etnis yang dikemukakan oleh Kennedy dan Hall (2006) untuk menganalisis karakter Rachel Chu. Lima indikator yang ditunjukkan oleh Rachel Chu adalah representasi fisik budaya, pandangan hidup budaya, preferensi makanan asal tertentu, bahasa budaya yang digunakan di rumah, dan memilih pasangan dari latar belakang etnis yang sama atau menginginkan anak untuk menikah. pasangan dari latar belakang yang sama. Hasil penelitian menunjukkan bahwa dalam lima dari tiga belas indikator, Rachel Chu lebih menunjukkan identitas etnisnya sebagai orang Amerika daripada identitas etnisnya sebagai orang Tionghoa.

