

# **MEDIA LITERATION TRAINING AS AN EFFORT TO PREVENT THE DISTRIBUTION OF HOAX INFORMATION AMONG TEACHERS IN GALUHTIMUR VILLAGE, TONJONG SUB-DISTRICT, BREBES DISTRICT**

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## **ABSTRACT**

The purpose of this Community Service activity is to increase knowledge, understanding and appreciation of the phenomenon of hoax information dissemination in terms of the occurrence, prevention and ways of overcoming the spread of hoax information, increasing knowledge, understanding and appreciation of the dissemination of hoax information in terms of the ITE Law and the Criminal Code. . increase knowledge, understanding and appreciation of the dissemination of hoax information in terms of Criminal Law and its impact on society and to increase knowledge, understanding and appreciation of the impact of technology among adolescents.

This community service activity is carried out by the method of lecturing, question and answer, discussion and identifying problems related to spreading hoaxes and solving these problems. The target audience for PPM activities were 30 youth Karangtaruna in Galuh timur Village, tonjong district, Brebes district. Activities on the first day were conducted virtually (online): the first session was filled with material about Hoax Information Dissemination Education through social media, the second material was about: socialization The ITE Law and the Criminal Code are related to the spread of Hoaxes, and the latest material on prevention and coping methods, as well as increasing knowledge, understanding and appreciation of Hoax Information Dissemination in terms of the ITE Law and the Criminal Code, the latest material on the positive and negative impacts of technology use in the era of globalization. training by providing cases to participants for discussion, so that participants have the ability to solve problems related to hoax news among adolescents and the impact of technology among adolescents. Activity On the second day, the youth of Karangtaruna made a drama scenario about the prevention of spreading hoaxes or hoaxes which were collected via email.

This service activity can be said to be carried out well and smoothly, but there are still some limitations in its implementation. Youth youth organizations as socialization participants are less enthusiastic and not too enthusiastic about participating in the existing sessions, including material presentation, question and answer and discussion activities. In addition, the results of the participants 'exposure and discussion of the simulated cases indicated that there was an increase in the level of participants' knowledge and understanding of this material.

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