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Abstract

Hoax, that is massively deployed and repeated through social media can form public opinion that the news is true. There are three important approaches to anticipate the spread of hoaxes in the community. Namely institutional, technological and literacy approaches. At present there are many reports about events happens in the community, but as there is a lot of news, many people also know the news trough the media shows, print media and social media. They seemed to forget that news presented has different case depending on the media seen. The title of this paper is "An Analysis of Hoax on Social Media: A Critical Analysis on Racism, Political and Public Service Issues on Instagram, Twitter and Youtube" will presented by the research and the results are answering the research question. This study was intended to find the general pattern of hoax on social media to classified the hoax case. The writer choose three example case which is racism, political and public service issue. Of course the materials has been accepted by the writer's advisor. The theory of general pattern of hoax was collected from Austin (1962) and Searle (1969) semantics theory and also Wina Armada Sukardi's statement. The writer and the advisor was agreed to apply those two experts theories for the example of the cases and find the matchest result of this research. The writer also adds the tips for avoid hoax on social media at the end of the paper.

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