

**PERNIKAHAN AMALGAMASI
(STUDI PADA PASANGAN NIKAH ANTARA SUKU JAWA DAN
LAMPUNG DI KECAMATAN METRO TIMUR)**

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Abstract

This study was purposed to determine the causes and effects of the amalgamation marriage. This research was conducted on married couples between Javanese and Lampungnese rate in the District Metro East, Metro City where the majority of population is tribes Java and Lampung. With the amalgamation marriage is expected to enrich the culture and can also be used as a lesson for individuals who will perform the marriage. This type of the research is deskriptif with a qualitative approach. Samples of this study were 8 respondents. Data collection techniques in this study using in-depth interviews, observation, documentation, and literature, whereas the data analysis done by reduction, data presentation and conclusion. According to the research, it is known that factors causing of the amalgamation marriage can be categorized into two, namely, intentional factor and unintentional factor, the intentional factor happened because of interest to another culture, meanwhile unintentional factor happened because heterogeneous social environment and intense interaction with various tribes. The impact of the amalgamation marriage are the positive and negative impacts which the positive effects of marriage amalgamation namely the creation of assimilation and acculturation, while the negative impact that the loss of native culture, conflict and difficult to between couples.

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