# CHAPTER 1

# INTRODUCTION

## 1.1 Background

Language is used as a communication tool for humans to interact with their social environment. Language is a unifying tool between humans in the process of socializing. In addition to the communication process, language is also used in expressing emotions as a means of expressing what humans feel, whether done orally or in writing. In certain cases there is a language disorder in people who experience interference with their cognitive processes, as well as those experienced by people with schizophrenia.

Schizophrenia is a psychological disorder that is associated with crazy or mentally ill. According to Temes (2011) schizophrenia is the most common form of severe mental illness. This disease is a problem that is characterized by a decrease in inability to communicate, disruption of reality and cognitive impairments and has difficulty doing daily activities. Language disorders experienced by people with schizophrenia include flight of ideas, word salads, and the creation of new words. Submitting ideas, thoughts and language that is not clear to Schizophrenic sufferers makes everything that is said to be unclear. One of the causes of thinking disorders in Schizophrenic's sufferers is because of psychological factors (emotional disturbances) that affect the concentration of the individual.

In most cases, schizofrenic is quite difficult to express emotions directly. Moreover, when they are in the middle of a social environment, they will be flat and seem apathetic and self-closing. This is motivated by their nature which is difficult to communicate with other people because they consider their surroundings to be a threat. Because expressing emotions are difficult to predict in direct interactions with Schizophrenic suffrerer's, researcher wants to dig it through another subject, which is through social networking Instagram. This is because Instagram is the most used visual social media, where users can upload photos with captions as description of their uploads. In addition, additional features such as Instagram Stories make it easier for users to update anything, both the activities being carried out and the collection of writings in the revelation of the users' feeling.

This research will be conducted through a semantic approach and focuses to find the emotional expressions exist on the Schizophrenic sufferer's Instagram caption by using the connotative and dennotative . According to Harley (1995, p.178), the connotation meaning of a word is the meaning of secondary implications, or the emotive meaning or evaluative meaning of association, each person has a different opinion that will be connotative. For example, the connotation of the word "dog" may have the meaning "fun", "scary", or "smelly." While the meaning of the denotation of a word is the essence, the most basic meaning, everyone understands and agrees with the meaning of the word in denotation. For example, the denotative meaning of the word "dog" is the core meaning of the word dog as an animal that is related between the word and the object class.

The existence of this research is expected to contribute to enriching our understanding of the forms of emotion that appear in the emotions that Schizophrenic sufferers are trying to demonstrate. On the other hand, with the existence of this research, we can understand what meaning the Schizophrenic sufferer is expressing about. It is also hoped that this research can contribute to semantic analysis for the development of literature in the field of linguistics.

## 1.2 Identification of The Problem

Based on the background above, the researcher wants to identify the emotional expressions that appear in Schizophrenic sufferers utterances through their captions on Instagram by looking at existing linguistic markers. Researcher assumes  the most productive lingual unit in the expressions of Schizophrenic sufferers emotion are by using phrasal forms.

## 1.3 Scope of Problem

To make this study more specific, the researcher's focus is on what emotional expressions appear in the utterance of Schizofrenic sufferers on their Instagram captions by looking the linguistic markers and classifying every expression containing emotions by analyzing the meaning of the linguistic markers, and also analyzing what lingual unit's form which becoming the emotion phrases. In this study researcher uses a semantic approach use theory of dennotative and

connotative meaning, the researcher uses theory of the variety of emotions conveyed. as well as the theory of lingual unit's form.

## 1.4 Formulations of The Problems

Based on the background above, the researcher concludes that the problem statement in this study are :

1. What kinds of emotion arise through the lingual units connotative and denotative meanings in the realization of expression containing emotions of Schizophrenic sufferers on Instagram caption.

2 What are the forms of lingual unit connotative and denotative meaning  in the realization of expression containing emotions of Schizophrenic sufferers on Instagram caption?

## 1.5 Objectives of The Research

Based on the formulations of the problem above, the purpose of this study are:

1. To know the kinds of emotion arise through the lingual units connotative and denotative meanings in the realization of expression containing emotions of Schizophrenic sufferers on Instagram caption.

2.  To know the forms of lingual units the connotative and denotative meaning  in the realization of the emotional expression of Schizophrenics on Instagram caption.

## 1.6 Research Methods

This research is qualitative research, namely research that describes the object of research in the form of words. While the method used is descriptive method, namely by observing Instagram accounts of 33 Schizophrenic respondents who are also active users of Instagram.

Steps for data collection:

1. Observing the data source, which is the upload of the captions of the schizophrenic on Instagram who contain emotions

2. Retrieving data as stated on the caption on Instagram of the Schizophrenic

3. Collecting data for up to 33 data formed Instagram caption, which are obtained from 8 people with schizophrenia.

4. Classifying what types of emotion exist by interpreting the meaning of data contained connotative and denotative meaning in the emotional expression of Schizophrenics

5. Finding what forms of lingual unit connotative dennotative meaning exist as the linguistic markers.

6. Making conclusion

**1.7 Benefits of The Research**

This research can contribute to enriching our understanding of the forms of emotions that arise in speech, especially the emotions that Schizophrenic sufferers are trying to demonstrate. On the other hand, with the existence of this research, we can understand what the meanings of every expression that they want to express are. It is also hoped that this research can contribute to semantic analysis for the development of literature in the field of linguistics.

**1.8 Systematic Organization of the Research**

This writing of term paper uses paper organization. I organize it into four sections that consist of four chapters, as follows:

**CHAPTER 1 : INTRODUCTION**

In this chapter, the researcher explains the background, problem identification, problem constraints, problem formulation, research objectives, research methods, about the analysis of **Realization of Expressions Containing Emotions in Schizophrenic Sufferers on Instagram: A Semantic Study**.

**CHAPTER 2 : THEORETICAL FRAMEWORK**

The theory on which this research is based includes concepts about

1. Language Function
2. Schizophrenia
3. Emotions
4. Semantics

5. Lingual Units Forms

## CHAPTER 3 : ANALYSIS

This chapter analyzes the data that has been obtained what types of emotion exist by interpreting the meaning of data contained connotative and dennotative meaning in the emotional expression of Schizophrenics, and also finds what forms of lingual unit connotative dennotative meaning exist as the linguistic markers.

## CHAPTER 4 : CONCLUSION

This chapter is a closing which contains the conclusion of the result from the data analysis which are people with Schizophrenia are able to express their emotions in many forms of lingual units, and also Schizophrenic sufferers tend to convey emotional expressions indirectly, namely by using phrases that contain connotative meanings, because this meaning can add value to the emotional expression of Schizophrenic sufferers.