# Influence Employee Engagement, Toxic Friendship And Burnout To Employee Performance at PT Wijaya Mega Putera in Surabaya

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## **ABSTRACT**

In order to support the running of the Management Information System (SIM) in the company, Human Resources (HR) who have good performance are needed. This research aims to analyze the influence employee engagement, toxic friendship, and employee resilience towards burnout as an intervening variable and employee performance at the company PT Wijaya Mega Putera in Surabaya. *Employee engagement* is an important factor in increasing employee productivity and performance. On the contrary, toxic friendship, which are unhealthy employee relationships, can have a negative impact on employees' psychological well-being. Employee resilience is the ability to overcome stress and pressure in the work environment. This research uses survey methods and statistical analysis to collect data from a number of employees at PT Wijaya Mega Putera Surabaya. The research results show that toxic friendship and employee resilience has a significant positive influence on intervening variables burnout. Then, employee resilience and intervening variables burnouthas a significant positive influence on employee performance. Whereasemployee engagementsignificant negative effect onburnoutand employee performance, as well as variablestoxic friendship also has a negative effect on employee performance. These results have practical implications in human resource management and employee management.

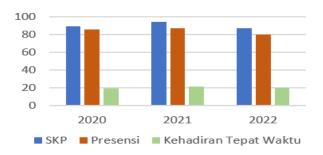
Companies need to pay attention to the importance of upgrading *employee engagement* and identify and address *toxic friendship* in the workplace. In addition, developing employee resilience can be an effective strategy in reducing risk *burnout* and improve employee performance. This research provides a deeper understanding of the complexity of the relationship between these factors in the work environment and illustrates the importance of maintaining employee well-being to achieve optimal performance.

Keywords: Management Information Systems, Toxic Friendship, Burnout.

# INTRODUCTION

Every employee has good performance, so the HR maintenance function must run well in a company or agency (Sutiyadi, 2017). A dynamic company will always increase its productivity through consistency in producing the best performance and maintaining the company's competitive advantages. Fisher, Schoenfeldt and Shaw (2006) revealed that the factor considered to have the most potential in providing a company's competitive advantage is human resources and related management.

Data on Employee Performance Targets (SKP, attendance and on-time attendance of employees at PT Wijaya Mega Putera Surabaya from 2020 - 2022 can be seen in Figure



SKP results, attendance and on-time attendance for the 2020-2022 period

If you look at the trend in the data above, it appears that there is a problem, namely high employee performance with a good level of attendance but the level of punctuality when the employees come to work is poor. This is allegedly indicated by poor human resource maintenance. One form of maintaining that every employee has good performance is by motivating and making them feel attached to the company, either to the values they adhere to or to the environment and work processes that exist in the company or agency. This research discusses its importance employee engagement or employee engagement with the company in improving performance. Employee engagement is a situation where employees carry out work roles, working with physical, cognitive and emotional energy. They claim that employee engagement predict increased employee performance, profitability, employee retention, customer satisfaction, and company success (Bates, 2004; Baumruk 2004; Richman, 2006).

This employee engagement is believed to influence the relationship between employees and the company in terms of performance measurement. *Employee engagement* It can also have a positive impact on the company, such as providing the best performance, loyalty, and providing feedback to management.

Apart from that, friendship or friendship also has a big influence on a person's behavior and lifestyle. Friendship can bring good and bad, so it is important to maintain good communication in friendly relationships. According to Yager as in the work of White Suzzane "toxic friendship" is a false friendship. Toxic friendshipsis a friendship that is destructive and dangerous, and is a one-way pseudo-friendship with no mutual sharing. This research is also about the existence of toxic friendships which can affect a person's well-being and performance. An unhealthy work environment will result in work stress orburnout and influences employee resilience or employee resilience, which is like a person's ability to recover from setbacks and remain effective in facing heavy demands. Resilience factors also influence employee performance.

The stress reaction that especially often occurs in people with high standards is *burnout*. *Burnout* is a state of emotional and physical exhaustion, low productivity, and feelings of isolation, often caused by work-related stress. People who face high- pressure conditions every day often feel weak, hopeless, and emotionally drained and may eventually stop trying (Lefton, 1997).

An important task of management leaders is the importance of human resource management in facing intense competition in the era of globalization. HR management is an approach to managing a company's human resources.

Based on this background, this article from the Master of Management Thesis Research aims to develop an instrument to be able to measure *employee engagement, toxic friendships*, unhealthy work environment on work stress and employee performance.

## RESEARCH METHODS

According to Sugiyono (2013; 2) research methods are basically a scientific way to obtain data with certain purposes and uses. The purpose of this research method is to provide an overview of how research is carried out, so that problems can be resolved.

The research approach used in this research is a quantitative approach. What is meant by quantitative research is research in which the researcher only develops concepts and collects facts, but does not carry out hypothesis testing or study one case intensively, in depth, in detail and comprehensively (Sugiyono, 2013: 54).

The sampling technique used in this research is random sampling(probability sampling)namely withrandom sampling. Sample random sampling is a simple random sampling technique where each member or unit of the population has the same opportunity to be selected as a sample, namely by lottery technique or by using number labels (Soekidjo Notoatmodjo, 2010: 85).

Technique random sampling is a sampling technique where all individuals in the population, either individually or together, are given the opportunity to be selected as members of the sample. Random sampling called random sampling.

A questionnaire is a data collection technique that is carried out by giving a set of questions and written statements to respondents to then answer. In addition, questionnaires can include closed and open questions or statements. The questionnaire design created by the researcher is a closed questionnaire where the answers are limited or determined by the author. The number of questionnaire statements is determined based on the research variable indicators.

# **VALIDITY TEST**

Before distributing the questionnaire to 100 respondents, the researcher tested the instrument consisting of validity and reliability to achieve this goal. The validity of the instrument is tested using evaluation of the coefficient values *Pearson Correlations* generated by the SPSS program via the "menu" *Correlate-Bivariate*". According to Sugiyono (2016), a statement in a questionnaire is declared valid if the results of validity testing show that the coefficient *Pearson Correlations* is positive and supported by a significance value (p) <0.05. The results of the instrument validity test are described as follows:

Table 5.1
Instrument Validity Test Results

Instrument Validity Test Results									
Variable	Indicator	Item	Pearson	Sig.	Information				
			Correlation						
Employees Engagement		X1_2_1	0.652	0,000	Valid				
	Vigor (Spirit)	X1_2_2							
			0.641	0,000	Valid				
	Dedication	X1_3_1	0.893	0,000	Valid				
		X1_3_2							
			0.662	0,000	Valid				
	Absorption	X1_1_1	0.625	0,000	Valid				
		X1_1_2							
			0.674	0,000	Valid				
Toxic Friendship	Egotistical (Selfish)	X2_1_1	0.746	0,000	Valid				
		X2_1_2		,,,,,,	Valid				
			0.929	0,000					
	,	X2_2_1	0.942	0,000	Valid				
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		X2_2_2	0.932	0,000	Valid				
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		X2_2_3	0.930	0,000	Valid				
		X2_3_1	0.924	0,000	Valid				
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	(Likes to								
	Interfere)	X2_3_2	0.810	0,000	Valid				
		X3_1_1	0.632	0,000	Valid				
	Personal	X3_1_2			Valid				
	Competence		0.711	0,000					
		X3_2_1	0.768	0,000	Valid				
Resilience	Adaptive	X3_2_2							
			0.831	0,000	Valid				
	Self control	X3_3_1	0.740	0,000	Valid				
		X3_3_2							
			0.962	0,000	Valid				
Burnout		Z_1_1	0.904	0,000	Valid				
	Emotional	Z_1_2			Valid				
	Exhaustion		0.913	0,000					
		Z_2_1	0.951	0,000	Valid				
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	Depersonalization	Z_2_2	0.947	0,000	Valid				
		Z_2_3	0.943	0,000	Valid				
	Decline	Z_3_1	0.942	0,000	Valid				
	Achieve								
	ment								
	Self Achievement	Z_3_2	0.949	0,000	Valid				
Employee performance		V 1 1	0.051	0.000	Val: 1				
	Work quality	Y_1_1	0.851	0,000	Valid				
		Y_1_2	0.887	0,000	Valid				
		Y_1_3	0.880	0,000	Valid				
		1_1_3	0.000	0,000	V and				
		Y_2_1	0.844	0,000	Valid				
				1,000					
	Work Quantity	Y_2_2							
			0.809	0,000	Valid				
		Y_3_1	0.787	0,000	Valid				
	Punctuality	Y_3_2	0.707	0,000	v and				
	1 diretuanty	1_3_4	0.662	0,000	Valid				
			0.002	0,000	7 U11U				

Source: Attachment, processed

#### RELIABILITY TEST

Steps in evaluating the reliability of research instruments were carried out using the SPSS program via the menu*Scale-Reliability*. This analysis will focus on the Cronbach Alpha value. Sugiyono (2016), revealed that an instrument is considered to have a good level of reliability if the Cronbach Alpha value reaches at least 0.60.

Table 5.2 Instrument Reliability Test

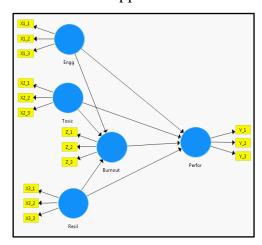
No.	Variable	Amoun	Cronbach	Informatio
		t	Alpha	n
		Items		
1.	Employee Engagement	6	0.755	Reliable
2.	Toxic Friendship	7	0.956	Reliable
3.	Resilience	6	0.837	Reliable
4.	Burnout	7	0.976	Reliable
5.	Employee performance	7	0.905	Reliable

Source: Appendix 4, processed

Test results on instrument reliability have been carried out on all research variables. The results show that the Employee Engagement variable is formed through 6 (six) statements and ( $Cronbach\ Alpha$ (The resulting CA) was 0.755 (CA > 0.6). Variable  $Toxic\ Friendship$ formed through 7 (seven) statements and the resulting CA value was 0.956 (CA > 0.6). Variable Resilience formed through 6 (six) statements and the resulting CA value was 0.837 (CA > 0.6). Variable Resilience formed through 7 (seven) statements and the resulting CA value was 0.976 (CA > 0.6). The Employee Performance variable is formed through 7 (seven) statements and the resulting CA value is 0.905 (CA > 0.6). These findings indicate that all variables used in this research already have sufficient instrument reliability criteria and can be continued in the subsequent data analysis process.

# **SMART PLS ANALYSIS**

In this research, exogenous variables are variables *Employee Engagement*(X1), *Toxic Friendship*(X2), and *Resilience*(X3) is positioned to have an influence on Burnout (Z) and Employee Performance (Y). When described in the Smart-PLS version 3.2.9 program, the conceptualization of the structural model appears as follows:



## RESULTS AND DISCUSSION

Based on the results of data analysis and interpretation that have been presented previously, several things can be discussed based on these results, namely:

- 1. Toxic friendshipssignificant effect on burnout to employees of PT Wijaya Mega Putera. The results of this research are in accordance with (Nurul, 2020)toxic friendship influential and significant towardsburnout. (Wulandari, 2019) says that toxic friendship It can happen to anyone in an office environment, due to the high workload resulting in a lack of ability to control feelings and can lead to stress and depression at work.
- 2. Resilience significant effect on burnout to employees of PT Wijaya Mega Putera. The results of this research are in accordance with (Sarah, 2022), namely that individuals who are more resilient tend to have more effective ways of managing stress, building strategies to face challenges, and have a more positive mindset. Conversely, a lack of resilience can make someone vulnerable to burnout. When a person does not have the ability to deal with stress and pressure well, this can lead to an increased risk of burnout, which is characterized by emotional exhaustion, physical exhaustion, and feelings of decreased achievement.
- 3. Resilience has a significant effect on employee performance at PT Wijaya Mega Putera. The results of this research are in accordance with (Qikki, 2021), namely resilience influential and significant on employee performance. As the opinion (Cooper et al, 2014) defines resilience as an employee's ability to bounce back from setbacks while remaining effective in dealing with tough work demands and difficult circumstances, and growing stronger in the process.
- 4. *Burnout*has a significant effect on employee performance at PT Wijaya Mega Putera. The results of this research are in accordance with (Fandy, 2022) *burnout* influential and significant on employee performance. *Burnout* is a syndrome of emotional exhaustion or lack of a positive outlook resulting in decreased personal achievement which is characterized by decreased performance, as well as decreased ability to carry out routine tasks as a result of prolonged stress (Hanafi, 2012).

# **CONCLUSION**

Based on the problems that have been formulated, the results of the analysis and hypothesis testing that have been carried out in the previous chapter, the following conclusions can be drawn from the research carried out:

- 1. Employee Engagement does not have a significant effect on burnout. These findings indicate that an increase in Employee Engagement did not have a significant effect on the decline Burnout.
- 2. Employee Engagement does not have a significant effect on employee performance. These findings indicate that an increase in Employee Engagement does not have a significant effect on increasing employee performance.
- 3. *Toxic Friendship*in the work environment has a significant effect on *Burnout*employee. These findings indicate that there is an increase *Toxic Friendship*have a significant impact on improvement *Burnout* on employees.

- 4. *Toxic Friendship*in the work environment does not have a significant effect on employee performance. These findings indicate that there is an increase *Toxic Friendship* has an insignificant effect on increasing employee performance.
- 5. Resilience employees have a significant influence on Burnout. These findings indicate that there is an increase Resilience had a significant influence on the decline Burnout on employees.
- 6. Resilience has a significant effect on employee performance. These findings indicate that there is an increase Resilience has a significant influence on improving employee performance.
- 7. *Burnout*employees have a significant influence on employee performance. These findings indicate that increasing Burnout has a significant influence on reducing Employee Performance.

Based on the conclusions and descriptive variables in this research, the researcher recommends the following:

- 1. PT Wijaya Mega Putera management is expected to remain and continue to provide opportunities for employees to contribute to the company. By providing space for employees to be proactive in contributing new ideas and methods, so that *employee engagement* employees at the company are maintained.
- 2. It is recommended that future researchers add other, more varied variables such as: emotional intelligence, *toxic leadership*, And *management punishment*, so that research on employee performance at PT Wijaya Mega Putera Surabaya becomes more perfect.

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