ABSTRACT

Betawi performing arts performances in Jakarta are currently limited to cultural arts events and invitations at celebration events. In Jakarta itself, there is only an open-air amphitheater in Setu Babakan Betawi Cultural Village which routinely performs Betawi performing arts and there is no performance hall specifically built to perform Betawi performing arts. Even though the fact is that people's interest in Betawi art is increasing every year. Betawi performing arts also have their own characteristics, namely the interaction between the performers and the audience is high enough that a stage is needed specifically designed to perform Betawi performing arts. Therefore, the embodiment of the idea of designing a new Betawi Performing Arts Building can be a solution to facilitate the performance of Betawi performing arts and can elevate the degree of Betawi performing arts, especially in Jakarta, to a better level.

This research uses quantitative and qualitative methods. Data were collected by means of questionnaires, interviews, observation and literature studies. Respondents in this study were 182 residents of Jakarta and its surroundings. The results of the research show that the community has quite a large interest in Betawi performing arts and the need for a place to accommodate Betawi performing arts performances which will also become a place of learning and preservation of Betawi cultural arts, especially in Jakarta.

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