ABSTRACT

DESIGNING WORK FACILITIES FOR NEURODIVERGENT ARTISTS

AT TAB SPACE

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Tab Space is one of the Supported Art Studios in Indonesia that provides a creative platform for neurodivergent artists. Its presence serves as a medium to support these artists in expressing themselves and producing artwork optimally, while also offering opportunities to connect with the broader art community and compete alongside other artists. Although Tab Space has made significant progress in fostering an inclusive environment, several challenges remain, particularly regarding the optimization of facilities for its artists. One of the main constraints is the limited physical space available, which affects the provision of work facilities tailored to the specific needs of neurodivergent artists. This limitation, in turn, impacts both the comfort and productivity of the artists. This research adopts a qualitative approach, employing behavioral mapping to analyze the data collected. The findings are then formulated into design indicators for developing work facilities that respond to the needs of artists at Tab Space. Data collection methods include observation, interviews, and literature studies to gain deeper insights into the behavior and activities of neurodivergent artists within the studio environment. The outcome of this research is expected to result in a work facility design that effectively supports the needs and working patterns of the artists.

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