

## Pola pergerakan dalam proses merantau oleh masyarakat asal Minangkabau di Jakarta = Movement patterns in the migration process of Minangkabau community in Jakarta

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### Abstrak

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Masyarakat Minangkabau dikenal aktif melakukan pergerakan keluar dari daerah asalnya atau disebut merantau. Merantau telah melembaga dalam sistem sosial. Itulah sebabnya penelitian geografi kebudayaan mengenai pola pergerakan dalam merantau menarik untuk dilakukan. Penelitian ini dilakukan dengan metode kualitatif dengan mewawancarai delapan informan. Pada dasarnya, merantau merupakan budaya yang digunakan untuk meningkatkan kualitas diri laki-laki Minang. Merantau dipengaruhi daya dorong dari ranah berupa sistem sosial, budaya, dan kondisi fisik serta daya tarik yang kuat dari rantau berupa perekonomian dan pendidikan yang menimbulkan kesenjangan di kedua wilayah. Faktor pribadi individu berupa motivasi dan tujuan, kekerabatan, serta identitas diri juga berperan penting dalam menentukan keputusan merantau. Pola pergerakan dalam proses merantau terlihat mengarah ke kota-kota dengan kondisi perekonomian dan pendidikan yang baik.

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