

**ANALYSIS OF *THE GRAND BUDAPEST HOTEL***

**MOVIE SUBTITLING STRATEGY**



**FINAL ASSIGNMENT**

A Partial Fulfillment of the Requirements for the Applied Foreign

Language

Bachelor Degree

by

Rayhan Abrar Rizkan

Student Number: 40020519650005

**BACHELOR OF APPLIED FOREIGN LANGUAGE**

**VOCATIONAL SCHOOL**

**UNIVERSITAS DIPONEGORO**

**2023**

**APPROVAL SHEET**  
**A FINAL ASSIGNMENT**

**Analysis of *The Grand Budapest Hotel* Movie Subtitling Strategy**

**By**

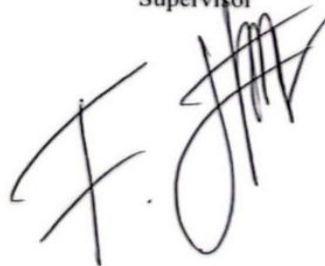
**Rayhan Abrar Rizkan**

**Student's Number: 40020519650005**

**Semarang, December 1<sup>st</sup> 2023**

**Approved by**

**Supervisor**

A handwritten signature in black ink, consisting of several loops and strokes, positioned above the printed name of the supervisor.

**Fitri Alfarisy, S.Pd., M.Hum.**

**NIP. 199101302019031009**

## ACCEPTANCE

This Final Assignment was submitted by :

Name : Rayhan Abrar Rizkan  
Student's Number : 40020519650005  
Study Program : Applied Foreign Languages  
Title of Final Assignment : Analysis of The Grand Budapest Hotel  
Movie Subtitling Strategy

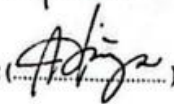
**This study has been examined and is accepted for impartial fulfillment of the requirement for the degree of Applied Foreign Languages of Vocational College Diponegoro University.**

### Examiners Board

1. Fitri Alfariy, S.Pd., M.Hum.

: (  )

2. Aditya Nur Patria, S.Hum., M.App.Ling.

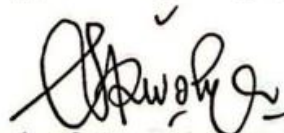
: (  )

3. Lenggahing Asri Dwi Eko Saputri, S.Pd., M.Pd

: (  )

Semarang, 28 December 2023

Head of Applied Foreign Languages Study Program



Sriwahyu Istana Trahutami, S.S., M.Hum.

NIP. 197401032000122001

## **STATEMENT OF ORIGINALITY**

As the sole author of this final assignment, I hereby certify this project as my original work. Other writers' opinions or findings included in this project are fully acknowledged by being cited in accordance with standard referencing practices. I understand the full might of the law if I in any instances infringe upon anyone's copyright or violate any proprietary rights.

Name : Rayhan Abrar Rizkan

NIM : 40020519650005

Signature :



Date : November 29<sup>th</sup>, 2023

## **ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS**

In the name of Allah, the Most Beneficent, the Most Merciful. All the praise and thanks be to Allah, with His permission, this Final Assignment has reached its completion:

I am personally grateful for:

1. My mother, for her to continuously and gradually nurturing me with unending love, and as the only person that has always unquestionably been on my side since as far as I can remember. I am forever grateful to have a mother like her.
2. My father, for him to always supporting and believing in me that I am capable of great things in life and will never pass the opportunity to remind me that in his own way.
3. Mr. Fitri Alfarisy, S.Pd., M.Hum., as the supervisor, for guiding me to come this far with his knowledge after years of tutelage.
4. All the lecturers of the Applied Foreign Language Bachelor Program for growing my appreciation to the English Language, may this knowledge that have been bestowed upon me be gradually passed upon for years to come.
5. My little brother and sister, who never fails to check up on how their big brother is doing in an estranged city with no relative.
6. My platonic soulmates: Jingga, Arin, and Monica, I am eternally grateful for keeping me companied on rainy days, even the sunny ones. I will be back before you know it.
7. My college partners in crime: Jelita, Yarin and Yasmin, for their friendship got me through the entire college arc of my life. I cannot ask for more reliable friends, even doing assignments are fun with you guys around.
8. My cats, Batman and Bane. Batman, I'm sorry for not being there during your last moments, I will forever cherish the happiness you have brought for me. Bane, I promise as soon as I get home, I will give you all the treats you want.

This final assignment is far from perfect, but I hope it could be of a good use for any researchers that are interested in this topic.

Semarang, November 29<sup>th</sup>, 2023

Rayhan Abrar Rizkan

## TABLE OF CONTENTS

	<b>Page</b>
APPROVAL SHEET .....	ii
ACCEPTANCE .....	iii
STATEMENT OF ORIGINALITY .....	iv
ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS .....	v
TABLE OF CONTENTS .....	vi
LIST OF TABLES .....	viii
LIST OF FIGURES .....	ix
LIST OF APPENDICES .....	x
ABSTRACT .....	xi
CHAPTER I .....	1
1.1 Background of the Study .....	1
1.2 Statement of Problem .....	4
1.3 Aim of the Study .....	4
1.4 Advantage of the Study .....	4
1.5 Output .....	5
CHAPTER II .....	6
2.1 Translation .....	6
2.1.1 The Principles of Translation .....	7
2.1.2 Audiovisual Translation .....	9
2.2 Subtitling .....	11
2.2.1 Standardization of Subtitling .....	13
2.2.2 Subtitling as Multisemiotic and Multimodal Text .....	15
2.2.3 Subtitling and Screenplay .....	15
2.2.4 Cultural References in Subtitling .....	16
2.3 Subtitling Strategies by Gottlieb .....	17
2.3.1 The Impact of Gottlieb's (1992) Subtitling Strategy .....	19

2.4 The Grand Budapest Hotel .....	20
2.5 Previous Studies .....	21
CHAPTER III .....	22
3.1 Research Method .....	22
CHAPTER IV .....	29
4.1 Result .....	29
4.1.1 Types of Subtitling Strategies Used in the The Grand Budapest Hotel Film.	29
4.1.1.1 Expansion Strategy .....	31
4.1.1.2 Paraphrase Strategy .....	33
4.1.1.3 Transfer Strategy .....	35
4.1.1.4 Imitation Strategy .....	38
4.1.1.5 Transcription Strategy .....	41
4.1.1.6 Dislocation Strategy .....	42
4.1.1.7 Condensation Strategy .....	43
4.1.1.8 Decimation Strategy .....	47
4.1.1.9 Deletion Strategy .....	48
4.1.1.10 Resignation Strategy .....	49
4.2 The Impact of Gottlieb’s Subtitling Strategies in The Grand Budapest Hotel	50
4.2.1 The Impact of Transfer Strategy .....	50
4.2.2 The Impact of the Condensation Strategy .....	51
4.2.3 The Impact of the Paraphrase Strategy .....	55
4.3 Discussion .....	57
CHAPTER V .....	59
5.1 Conclusion .....	59
5.2 Suggestion .....	60
REFERENCES .....	61
APPENDICES .....	64

## LIST OF TABLES

<b>Number</b>	<b>Title of Tables</b>	<b>Page</b>
Table 3.1	Display of Subtitle Strategies in The Subtitles of <i>The Grand Budapest Hotel</i> Movie Checklist.....	26
Table 3.2	Display of The Frequency of Each Gottlieb’s Subtitling Strategies Used In <i>The Grand Budapest Hotel</i> Movie.....	28
Table 4.1	Subtitle Strategies Used in The Subtitles of <i>The Grand Budapest Hotel</i> Movie.....	31



## LIST OF FIGURES

<b>Number</b>	<b>Title of Figures</b>	<b>Page</b>
Figure 3.1	Diaz-Cintas and Remael (2007) Subtitle Analysis Framework Flow.....	24
Figure 3.2	Modified Subtitle Analysis Framework Flow.....	24

## LIST OF APPENDICES

<b>Number</b>	<b>Title of Appendices</b>	<b>Page</b>
Appendix 1	Subtitle Strategies in The Subtitles of <i>The Grand Budapest Hotel</i> Movie Checklist.....	65
Appendix 2	Turnitin Result.....	132

## **ABSTRACT**

The study of audiovisual translation, also known as subtitles, is ever-growing due to the mass-production of entertainment media such as movies and television shows. These media are consumed by people around the world even when spoken in foreign language. Subtitles are needed in order to convey the message of the media to the audience. This study was focused on analyzing Gottlieb's (1992) subtitling strategy in *The Grand Budapest Hotel* movie. This study aims to analyze the frequency of each strategies and then discuss the impact of using such strategies. The data source was taken from the movie script and the Indonesian subtitles of *The Grand Budapest Hotel* movie. The method used in this study is a modified version of Diaz-Cintas and Remael (2007) Subtitle Analysis Framework. Out of the nine steps, this study used eight, including selection of material, transcription of source dialogues, extraction of subtitles, alignment with source dialogues, linguistic analysis, quality assessment, data analysis and interpretation, and conclusion and recommendation. The result showed that all 10 subtitling strategies were found in the movie which consist of 535 data. Transfer was the most strategy used with 382 data (70.84%), followed by condensation with 56 data (10.46%), paraphrase with 53 data (9.90%), decimation with 14 data (2.61%), deletion and expansion with 8 frequencies each (1.49%), imitation with 6 frequencies (1.12%), dislocation with 5 (0.93%), anscription strategy with 2 frequencies (0.37%), and the rarest strategy, resignation with only 1 data (0.18%).

**Keywords:** subtitling strategies, *The Grand Budapest Hotel*, movie