

An Appraisal Analysis of the performance of Malaysian Fresh Graduates in a Job interview

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Would you be willing to review a revision of this manuscript?

Yes

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Yes, it does.

Yes, the study design and methods are good but the no method described in the research with the population which the research was straight to the sampling

## Comments to the Author

Issue to be review for the improvement:

1. It is not mentioned in the methodology what kinds of research method was being used
2. The author directly went to sampling while there is no population mentioned here
3. The data were too less with only 10 participants. At least, the author needs to explain the reason of why the data were only 10
4. The paper needed to be proofreading since there were some errors such as punctuation, etc.

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#### **Author's Response**

Dear Editor.

Greetings to you.

With reference to the above matter, the amendment has been done for the manuscript, ID SO-22-1201 entitled "An Appraisal Analysis of the performance of Malaysian Fresh Graduates in a Job interview" . The amendments have been done accordingly in the attached manuscript and those amendments are in red words.

Thank you