Chapter 4
Conclusion and Recommendation

In this last chapter, I will summarize my internship activities in conclusion part. In addition, I give recommendations for students of English Diploma Program, English Diploma Program, and Solopos.com Editorial Department in PT Aksara Solopos.

Conclusion
I did my internship program at Solopos.com in PT Aksara Solopos as a content aggregator unit. A content aggregator is division or unit which gathers information or news from various compatible sources as references. The collected information will be translated and rewritten into a good paragraph. In some other cases, a content aggregator can also be known as a content writer. I did the internship in a group with my friends for two months, started from 19 January and finished 19 March 2016. During internship, I did many activities regarding with journalism especially on online media such as having journalism training, rewriting specific news themes from English sources, writing the news from live TV show, writing referential articles, and writing news report. From those activities, rewriting the news was the daily activity that should be done from week to week. I took responsibility making entertainment, international, lifestyle and technology news themes. My friends and I should have at least three texts to produce. Thus, having good skills of reading, writing and translating texts are obviously required. In addition, understanding Indonesian grammar is also needed since it related to good journalism writing. As the result, I produced more than 150 news texts.

During the internship, I had some problems. The problems were mostly in technical term namely lack of sources, lack of creative news titles, Indonesian grammar error, and get ‘news crashing’ with my partner. Dealing with those problems, I tried to create a good communication with all the staffs and my partners. Moreover, I asked my editor to evaluate my performance in writing skill and the result. Through that way, I get more experiences than what I expected such as getting chances to write news from live TV show and write news report which none of my partners did that.

Recommendation
I recommend that it will be much better if students of English Diploma program do an internship program at Solopos.com in PT Aksara Solopos. This happened because
students need to have more or less experience and knowledge about news writing and journalism terminologies through specific training. Even though the duties of the internship are not writing in English form, students can still improve their abilities on reading and translation regarding to English news texts sources. Nevertheless, students of English Diploma Program will have plus track on the record if they do an internship as content aggregator or content writer of international news which needs a good English skills.

Other suggestions are given for English Diploma Program. In order to support the students doing an internship in journalism, it will be much better if there is a specific curriculum talking about English for journalism and Bahasa Indonesia lecture for advance. The English for journalism lectures are such as giving preparation news writing concept journalism in general, or online journalism. While Bahasa Indonesia lecture is such as giving preparation materials about Indonesian grammar for advance. Those two lectures are obviously needed for good news writing result especially in Indonesian language.

The last recommendations are purposed for Solopos.com (online) Editorial Department in PT Aksara Solopos. The communication between the staffs and interns should be built in a good way. This happened because the staffs (editors) sometimes faced the interns without smile and friendliness. In addition, the staffs also kept in distance to have a warm communication to the others since they have some deadline in providing the latest and fastest news. Therefore, it will be much better if the executive editor starts a good conversation to their staffs and breaks the “ice” for a while.