

Review of: "Measuring the Effectiveness of Internship Programs in Aligning Education with Industry: A Comprehensive Analysis of Internship Outcomes in the College of Communication and Media During COVID-19"

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The abstract could be made clearer by stating the methodology used, sampling method, significance of the study, and its outcome.

Most of the citations were dated. As a result, more recent research developments in the areas of study were omitted.

There is also confusion in the sample size. For example, under the methodology section, it was indicated as 20, whereas the other sections showed the sample as 64. This needs to be consistent, as the sample size has a huge influence on research outcomes. It is also not clear how this sample size was derived.

Under data analysis, the decontextualization and recontextualization process of analyzing the internship reports into the six themes is not known. It needs further elaboration. Were there any latent themes identified?

Finally, there is a lack of depth in discussions on whether the objective of the research has been met and the implications of the research outcome with regards to the practical and theoretical aspects.

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