

# Analysis of the Principles of Islamic Communication Ethics (Qaulan) Husain Basyaiban in the Content of “Women's Issues” on the Tiktok Platform

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## ABSTRACT

*In carrying out da'wah, ethics are something that cannot be missed and cannot be separated from the activity of conveying messages to providing solutions to the problems faced. Da'wah itself pays attention to the aspects of the principles or ethics of da'wah communication, namely the language structure conveyed, and the choice of words that will be correct. This is done so that the da'wah delivered is easily accepted and right on target. In carrying out the ethics of da'wah communication itself, it is clear that this ethic is based on the Qur'an and in the Qur'an itself there are 6 principles of da'wah communication, namely qaulan sadida, baligha, karima, layyina, maysura and ma'rufa. Da'wah in the technological era like today, certainly utilizes all the conveniences of the hands of intellectual humans. Including online communication media that offer many platforms called social media. One of them is Tiktok. Tiktok currently clearly does not seem old-fashioned and is being loved by all young people around the world. So that many young content creators have emerged with various types of fields of influence offered, including in the field of da'wah. Including Husain Basyaiban, a Tiktok influencer with 4.4M followers, offers preaching targeting (mad'u) young people, by bringing up hot topics and presenting them in a short, concise and precise form to suit the Tiktok features presented.*

**Keywords:** Islamic Communication Ethics, Da'wah, Tiktok

## 1. INTRODUCTION

Da'wah comes from Arabic, namely, da'a, yad'u, da'wan, du'a which means to call, invite, summon and request. Meanwhile, the science of da'wah according to Islam is an activity to influence humanity wisely on the path that Allah has outlined for their benefit and happiness in this world and in the afterlife. (Yahya, 1983) In

order to create an Islamic order of life based on the Al-Qur'an and As-Sunnah, there are three ways of conveying da'wah, namely bil lisaan, bil kitabah and bil hal to broadcast the Islamic religion in one's personal life (syahsiyah), family (usrah) and society (congregation). (Abdullah, 2018) In carrying out da'wah activities, especially in conveying da'wah messages, there are several aspects that need to be considered, one of which is the use of words and language conveyed by the da'i. How to convey a message with soft, true and honest words that will certainly leave an impression on your heart and be easier for Mad'u to understand. That's how it should be. Because da'wah is a form of Islamic communication, two-way communication that invites (da'i) someone (mad'u) to convey religious messages. In carrying out da'wah activities, for example, lectures. Ethics are an important component that is closely related to language and delivery. the message of the preaching. Ethics relates to moral philosophy which is concerned with values related to human attitudes, how a person should act, whether an action he does is right or wrong, good or bad which is assessed based on the habits in question. Included in this preaching activity .

The principle of communication ethics is manifested as validity in attitudes, thinking, acting, speaking and so on in daily activities. In the Qur'an itself there are 6 principles of da'wah communication, namely qaulan karima (noble words), qaulan sadida (correct words) /honest), qaulan maysura (appropriate words), qaulan layyina (gentle words), qaulan baligha (effective/heart-touching words), qaulan ma'rufa (good words). In the current era of technology, the use of technology media is very intensive, especially in the use of social media as a substitute for conventional social life. Technology is increasingly sophisticated in the field of innovation, including the communication media tools used. The renewal of communication media from time to time can makes it easier for people to receive and deliver messages even at a great distance.

One of the media platforms that is currently viral and very popular lately by many people is the Tiktok application. This application is known for some of its unique features, so that users can create ideas -the idea is through video form. Actually there are many types of content that appear and are often seen on Tiktok such as; singing, dancing, make up tutorials, storytelling, cooking, challenges and many more. Including preaching activities. And then, preaching activities that are carried out virtually , online is known as digital preaching.

Digital preaching has colored the development of preaching science and preaching practices. This proves that preaching itself has a lot of development with the innovation of technology. This digital preaching can even be found through various social media platforms, such as Youtube, Instagram and even Tiktok. Currently, preaching on the Tiktok platform is being widely enjoyed and has become an area of contestation for various preaching messages. Like preaching media that is carried out online, this method is in great demand by many people. This is because of the many benefits that arise, such as being able to be played or

accessed anytime and anywhere, and does not cost a lot of money (just using an internet quota). This is what creates an opportunity for content creator preachers to create some of their preaching content according to their respective ideas and creativity.

## **2. RESEARCH METHOD**

The research conducted in this writing uses qualitative research. Where, qualitative research aims to find a deep understanding of a fact or reality. Facts, realities, problems, symptoms and events can only be understood if researchers explore them in depth and not just on the surface. The theoretical basis that has been included is used as a guide so that the focus of the research with the facts in the field is appropriate. And using methods from previous journal references.

## **3. RESULT AND ANALYSIS**

### **Utilization of the TikTok Platform as a Media for Preaching**

Communication in English 'communication' comes from the Latin 'communicatio' and comes from the word 'communis' which means the same. Communication media is a tool or means used to convey messages from the communicator to the audience.

Communication media is described as a means used as a means of producing, reproducing, processing and distributing to convey information. This communication media clearly plays a very important role in people's lives. (Gun, 2018)

Simply put, a communication media is an intermediary in conveying information from the communicator to the communicant which aims for the efficiency of information or messages conveyed. Communication is a form of conversation that takes place on the basis of shared perception.

It is undeniable that Tiktok as one of the social media, is one of the most popular communication media today. Tiktok can currently be a platform that is able to provide up-to-date information in a fun way.

One's interest in using TikTok as a communication medium, especially digital preaching, is partly due to the popularity of this media and how much information is available and easily accessible and found by people who want to find information. Including the features offered.

It can also be admitted that short videos that are only available on TikTok provide maximum understanding if the content carried is about knowledge. Given the short attention culture where the focus on something will be quickly diverted and this makes it difficult for someone to grasp the message contained.

Preaching with various dynamics and changes that occur, requires creativity and innovation that is adjusted to the current developments. The concept of al

Islam shalih likulli zaman wa makan (Islam according to the conditions of time and place) is a principle that is held tightly by preachers in carrying out their sacred duties. (Adi, 2019) Including all preachers today.

Tiktok itself has the opportunity to create a place for preaching knowledge about Islam which is certainly very much needed by the wider community by being presented according to the lifestyle of today's society which cannot be far from smartphones. It can be said that people choose this application because of the desire to share knowledge about Islam, and also based on the broad effects on Tiktok users.

### **Analysis of the Principles of Islamic Communication Ethics (Qaulan) in the Content of "Playlist: Women's Issues" Husain Basyaiban**

To better understand an ethic that will be brought in Islamic Communication or Da'wah, there are 6 principles of form, language style which include qaulan sadidan, qaulan balighan, qaulan karima, qaulan ma'rufan, qaulan layyina and qaulan maysura, so a parameter or indicator is needed as a measuring tool or standardization to determine the criteria of each qaulan. This analysis focuses on content that has a relationship to the topic that is currently being reported in Indonesia which has been included in the "Women's Issues" playlist listed on the Tiktok account of Husain Basyaiban.

## **4. CONCLUSION**

The author can conclude that the use of Tiktok social media is an effective way to develop digital da'wah in the current technological era. The use of the Tiktok platform by Husain Basyaiban has received a positive response from the community, especially Tiktok users, with various ages and the general public, both children, teenagers, adults and parents because the content presented contains Islamic values that do not fail to link their da'wah material to trending topics in the country. Thus, it is hoped that the use of the Tiktok platform as a da'wah medium can be used as a guideline, motivation and information in living everyday life. Husain Basyaiban also tries to be close to the communicant (mad'u) in loading messages to provide religious information. Considering that the market offered by Tiktok provides a very large public space.

The ethics of Islamic communication contained in conveying messages or da'wah methods are considered sufficient and capable of reaching mad'u, especially in fulfilling the initial objectives and getting feedback in conveying messages of goodness

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