ABSTRACT

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A Comparative Study: Self-efficacy and Persuasion between successful seller

and unsuccesful seller. (Study of distribution company seller in Jakarta). (Rostiana, Msi. Psi. and Meiske Y. Suparman, Psi.); Bachelor Degree,

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The aim of this research is to find out the significant difference between successful

seller and unsuccessful seller on self-efficacy and persuasion capability. Self-efficacy

is people' judgement about their capabilities to deal a problem at specific situation.

Persuasion is a process communication that purposed for changing someone's belief

and behavior. The subject of research consists of 125 sellers, in which 80 are

successful and 45 are unsuccessful. The data were taken by questionnaires. The

processing technique is using t-test with SPSS program 12.00 for Windows. The

result of this research shows t(125) = -6.011, p<0,05, based on significant number

0,00. This shows the significant difference between successful seller and

unsuccessful seller on self-efficacy. Furthermore, the number shows the level of self-

efficacy on successful seller is higher compared to the level of self-efficacy on

unsuccessful seller. On the other hand, the results of persuasion research shows t

(125) = -7.501, p<0.05, based on significant number 0.00. This shows the significant

difference between successful seller and unsuccessful seller on persuasion. The

number also shows the level of persuasion on successful seller is higher compared

to the level of persuasion on unsuccessful seller.

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