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- 1) Word reversal is a universal language manipulation strategy.
- 2) Walikan represents the speakers' positive attitude towards *Ngoko* Javanese (this thesis, chapter 1).
- 3) Walikan has gone through several stages of transformation: from an anti-language to an urban youth language and a marker of shared identity (this thesis, chapter 2).
- 4) In order to speak proper Walikan, there is a set of accepted rules and norms that must be followed (this thesis, chapter 2 and 4).
- 5) Walikan can be used to clarify issues in the phonology and phonotactics of Malangan Javanese and Indonesian (this thesis, chapter 3).
- 6) The entire range of speakers of youth languages extends beyond younger groups.
- 7) Walikan exemplifies how a local-level oral linguistic practice can enter different types of public media (this thesis, chapter 6).
- 8) Linguistic studies on Javanese language varieties are still needed.
- 9) Collecting authentic linguistic data from different types of communities requires mixed-method strategies based on observed circumstances (9th International Conference on Youth Languages).
- 10) The best place to do fieldwork is your hometown.