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Reviewer 1

Your paper entitled *The Pragmatic of Javanese People: Pride, Identity, and Living Capital in Digital Era* is more a sociocultural study rather than a linguistic research. You have explored 3 things: Javanese people's pride of being Javanese and having Javanese language, Javanese people's identity in relation with xenoglossophobia, and, on Javanese' living capital as the people conserved much on Javanese values. There is no dearth of studies on language acquisition and/or on anxiety of acquiring a foreign language in contrast with strong local values or how the foreign language acquisition would affect the local language. the current study is interesting in two aspects: first the author brings in xenoglossophobia and its effect on pride, identity, and living capital on the Javanese language/ people (socio-economic-cultural); second, the author stresses upon preserving Javanese for using in teaching a foreign language (linguistic).

However, there are a few observations in the study that needs attention:

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There are a few ambiguities that must be removed. For instance, the author is not able to prove that xenoglossophobia actually existed in Javanese people. There is no evidence given by the author of any linguistic rebellion or hatred or dislike/anger for a foreign language. Interestingly, the authors not even mention which foreign language they are talking about in terms of xenoglossophobia

The author does not also give tangible evidence of pride, identity etc. of the Javanese people of their language. In the abstract, the author strongly declares, "Results showed that Javanese people's pride of their local language was still high, of which they used the values retracted from the language as fundamental living norms. Another finding portrayed that this community was reluctant to appropriate foreign language due to dissimilar identity that led to experiencing xenoglossophobia." Where are the evidences of these two findings? What exactly is the rationale behind this study? what inspired the author to choose this topic (any previous studies? What are the implications of the findings of this study as the author claims big findings? The study does not give adequate evidence of findings. Please revise and rewrite all conclusive statements in the paper by relating them with evidences.

Reviewer 2

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Decision: revisions required.