



Table of Contents

Summary.....	i
Keywords:	i
Intisari	ii
Kata Kunci:	ii
Acknowledgements	iii
Abbreviations	v
Table of Contents	vi
List of Boxes.....	ix
List of Tables	ix
List of Charts.....	xii
List of Figures.....	xii
Chapter 1: Introduction	1
1.1 Background.....	1
1.2 Problem Statement.....	6
1.3 Research Objectives.....	7
1.3.1 Main Research Objective.....	7
1.3.2 Sub-objectives	7
1.4 Provisional Research Questions.....	8
1.4.1 (Provisional) Main Research Question.....	8
1.4.2 (Provisional) Research Sub-questions	8



1.5 Significance of the Study	8
1.6 Scope and Limitations	10
Chapter 2: Literature review	11
2.1 Community Participation	11
2.1.1 Advantages and Disadvantages of Participation	12
2.1.2 Forms of Participation	14
2.1.3 Design of Participation Process	16
2.1.4 Levels of Participation.....	17
2.1.5 Factors Influence Participation	23
2.2 Previous Studies Regarding the Level of Participation and Factors Influence Participation.....	30
2.3 Conceptual Framework.....	32
Chapter 3: Research Design and Methods	35
3.1 Revised Research Questions	35
3.1.1 Main Research Question.....	35
3.1.2 Research Sub-questions.....	35
3.2 Research Type, Approach, and Strategy	35
3.3 Operationalization: Variables, Indicators.....	37
3.4 Sample Size and Selection	39
3.5 Validity and Reliability.....	39
3.6 Data Collection Methods	41
3.7 Data Analysis Methods.....	41
Chapter 4: Research Findings and Analysis.....	48
4.1 General Description of Kudus Regency	48



4.2 Green City Development Program in Kudus Regency	49
4.3 Muria Green Community Forum (MGCF).....	51
4.4 Mechanisms that the MGCF Implement to Stimulate and Sustain Participation of Individual Members.....	53
4.5 Participation of Individuals in the MGCF and their Levels of Participation	59
4.6 Individual Participation in the GCDP Activities	63
4.7 Level of Individual Participation in the Implementation of GCDP Activities.....	73
4.8 Internal Factors of the MGCF Members	75
4.9 External Factors for the MGCF Members.....	80
4.10 Internal and External Factors that Influence the Level of Individual Participation in the MGCF.....	85
4.11 Internal and External Factors that Influence the Level of Individual Participation in the GCDP Activities	89
4.12 Correlations between Level of Participation in the MGCF and Level of Participation in the Implementation of GCDP Activities	94
Chapter 5: Conclusions	97
5.1 Conclusion.....	97
5.2 Recommendation	105
Bibliography	106
ANNEX 1. QUESTIONNAIRES	109
ANNEX 2. INTERVIEW GUIDELINES	118