

COVER LETTER

Dear Editor-in-Chief, Al-Ishlah: Jurnal Pendidikan

Assalamu'alaikum warahmatullahi wabarakatuh,

On behalf of the author, I am pleased to submit a manuscript entitled **"Internalizing 'Aqidah Shahîhah Through Al-Burhân Fî Masâ'il al-Îmân Textbook in Modern Pesantren."** for possible publication in *Al-Ishlah: Jurnal Pendidikan*. This manuscript is an original work and has not been published, submitted, or is currently under review in any other journal.

This study explores the process of internalizing *'aqidah shahîhah* within a modern *pesantren* context by investigating learning objectives, instructional materials, pedagogical methods, and challenges encountered in the teaching of *Kitâb al-Burhân Fî Masâ'il al-Îmân*. Employing a qualitative case study approach, the study contributes to Islamic education discourse by conceptualizing *'aqidah* internalization as a structured epistemic process and by offering pedagogical insights relevant to contemporary *pesantren* education.

We believe that this manuscript aligns well with the aims and scope of *Al-Ishlah: Jurnal Pendidikan*, particularly in its focus on Islamic education, curriculum development, and pedagogical practices within Muslim educational institutions.

The manuscript has been prepared in accordance with the journal's author's guidelines and ethical standards. I sincerely hope that it will be considered for review and possible publication.

Thank you very much for your time and consideration.

Wassalamu'alaikum warahmatullahi wabarakatuh,

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