

## **ABSTRACT**

*Good governance practices in village government play an important role in gaining community trust. Accountability and transparency in the management of village funds are the dimensions of good governance which are the village government responsibility towards the community. The realization of accountability cannot be separated from the influence of competence and organizational commitment possessed by village officials. This research aims to determine the influence of village apparatus competence and organizational commitment on accountability in village fund management as well as the influence of accountability and transparency in village fund management on community trust.*

*This research is a quantitative research with data sources in the form of primary data obtained through distributing questionnaires in the form of Google forms. The population of this study was all village communities in Indonesia and the number of samples was calculated using the Slovin formula so that the results were 100 people. The sample obtained at the end of the research was 150 people. Respondents were taken from active students at Diponegoro University and used purposive sampling as a sampling technique.*

*The results of the analysis in this study show that the variables of village apparatus competence and organizational commitment have a positive effect on accountability. The variables accountability and transparency also influence public trust.*

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