

## ABSTRACT

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This research aims to describe the portrayal of male masculinity through the figure of Arthur Curry in James Wan's *Aquaman* film. This research showed the seven concepts of masculinity through the main character Arthur Curry. This research used descriptive qualitative research and the seven concept of masculinity by Janet Saltzman Chafetz. The sample studied was the main character of *Aquaman*'s film Arthur Curry. The results of the research shows that the main characters in *Aquaman*'s film, Arthur Curry has seven concepts of masculinity expressed by Janet Saltzman Chafetz, including 1) Physical appearance: strength, male, athletic, strong and brave. 2) Functional, responsible for relatives, and themselves. 3) Sexual: attraction with women. 4) Emotions: controlling or hiding emotions. 5) Intellectuals: intelligent, logical, rational and objective thinking. 6) Interpersonal: responsible, leader-minded and dominating. 7) Other Personal Character: competitive spirit and adventure.

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