CHAPTER V

CLOSURE

A. Conclusion

Based on research result of advanced English education students of UIN Antasari Banjarmasin about their ability in pronouncing English final consonant clusters, it can be concluded that:

- 1. Many of Advanced English Education students are still not able to pronounce English final consonant clusters correctly. Especially to those words that containing /rst/. /kst/, /nd/, and /mp/ final consonant clusters. They tend to get rid one sound at the end of the word.
- 2. The main factors that influence advanced English education students' ability in pronouncing English final consonant clusters are because of their mother tongue, influenced by their environment especially their friends circle in practicing English and because of lack of time and opportunity to use English in daily life also effortless in exploring English.

B. Suggestions

Based on the result of the research, finding, discussion, and conclusion, the researchers have some suggestions as follows:

- 1. The researcher suggests the students of the English Department of UIN Antasari Banjarmasin to study English pronunciation more seriously so that they can assist their speaking skills with a good English pronunciation. Even though the goal of speaking is to deliver meaning without concerning with pronunciation, but they are still expected to have a good pronunciation since they are the students of English Department.
- 2. The researcher also suggests the lecturers to always watch and correct the students' mispronunciation during lecturing because it will make them get used to speaking with a correct pronunciation. Subsequently provides material related to consonant clusters, especially in the final position because as the researcher found that many of Advanced English Education Students in UIN Antasari Banjarmasin could not pronounce it correctly.
- 3. For further research, the researcher suggests the next researchers to give more variables that are tested on the pronunciation test in order to find more students' errors. And also Interviewing lecturers as additional informatio