

COVER LETTER

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Dear,

I/We wish to submit an original research article entitled “Assessing the Performance and Fulfillment of the Pedestrian Path Accessibility Standards for People with Disabilities” for consideration by SINERGI.

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In this paper, I/we report on / show that:

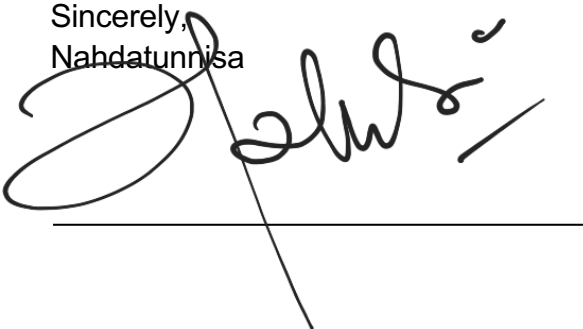
Field	:	Architecture
Topic	:	Accessibility
Brief Background	:	Optimal pedestrian paths must cater to various activities, providing safety, comfort, and accessibility for all users. Revitalizing routes should prioritize inclusivity and extend benefits to all members of society, particularly those with disabilities. Critical components of a comprehensive pedestrian route include the availability of adequate infrastructure.
Research Problem	:	What is the condition of pedestrian pathways within public open spaces? This study aims to assess performance, conduct simulations, and recommend constructing universally accessible routes, focusing on accommodating individuals with disabilities.
Overview of Method	:	This study employed a data triangulation method. A model was developed to ensure accessibility for people with disabilities.

Significant finding	:	Findings from the evaluations and simulations conducted on the three segments reveal that individuals with disabilities cannot independently access the route due to the narrow width of the pedestrian path and the steep slope of the ramp. An optimal design for a disability-friendly pedestrian path requires a slope of 7°, a height variation of 25 cm from the road surface, and a slope length of 204 cm. Furthermore, the ramp should have a minimum width of 150 cm.
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We have no conflicts of interest to disclose.

Thank you for your consideration of this manuscript.

Sincerely,
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AUTHORSHIP STATEMENT

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