

## CHAPTER IV

### RESEARCH FINDING

After doing all of the steps which are mentioned in the previous chapter, the chapter IV are going to present about the finding or the result of this research. In this case, the research findings are going to present systematically be based on all of the research problems. The finding includes the deixis types are found in President Barack Obama's debate speech and also the referents or meanings of each deixis based on the context shown. Here the data which is analyzed is the President Barack Obama's debate speech in The Second Presidential Election Debate versus Governor Mitt Romney that was held on October 16<sup>th</sup>, 2012 in Hofstra University, Hempstead, New York.

Deixis can be defined as pointing via language. It means that the word deixis refers to the pointing words that are used to indicate something, such as people, time, or place. According to Levinson (1983:54), essentially, deixis concerns the ways in which languages encode or grammaticalize features of the context of utterance or speech event, and thus also concerns ways in which the interpretation of utterances depends on the analysis of that context of utterance. Moreover, Levinson also explained that there are five major of deixis which are proposed by some traditional linguists and also some modern linguists. The traditional linguists has stated that there are three basic types of deixis, they are *person deixis*, *place deixis*, and *time deixis*, while modern linguists has added two more types of deixis;

*discourse deixis* and *social deixis* such as explained by Lyons (1968, 1977) and Fillmore (1971, 1975). But in this study, the researcher focuses on the types of deixis as traditionally: *person deixis*, *place* or *spatial deixis*, and *time* or *temporal deixis* which are found in President Barack Obama's debate speech in The Second Presidential Election Debate versus Governor Mitt Romney on October 16<sup>th</sup>, 2012.

Here, to make easy in analyzing the data, the researcher divides the data into 11 sections which are based on the 11 questions that are offered by some audiences/voters during The Second Presidential Election Debate between President Barack Obama versus Governor Mitt Romney was running on October 16<sup>th</sup>, 2012.

In displaying the data, the researcher shows the data that are found in the form of three types of deixis as traditionally and also the referents or meanings of each deixis types. Here, the data contain deixis shows by the written using "*italic*" letters with 1,5 line spacing, while each deixis are found are written by using "*italic* and **bold**" letters.

Table 4.1. President Barack Obama Debate Speech Guide for Analysis

<b>Section</b>	<b>Question From</b>	<b>Topic</b>
Section 1	Jeremy Epstein	Job employment for the students after graduate (fresh graduate)
Section 2	Phillip Tricolla	The policy of the Energy Department
Section 3	Mary Follano	Reducing tax rates for all the tax brackets and eliminataing some deduction in order to make up for the lost in revenue
Section 4	Katherine Fenton	The ways intend to rectify the inequalities of male and female in the workplace
Section 5	Susan Katz	The differentiate point of view of America's economic and international problem as a candidate of U.S. President
Section 6	Michael Jones	The achievement that accomplished by Barack Obama during become U.S. President for last four years
Section 7	Lorraine Osorio	The plan toward what have to do with the immigrants without green cards in America
Section 8	Kerry Ladka	Attack toward the American embassy in Benghazi, Libya that killed four Americans
Section 9	Nina Gonzalez	The administration or planning to limit the availability of assault weapons such as AK-47
Section 10	Carol Goldberg	Planning to keep the job outsourcing in the United States
Section 11	Barry Green	Solving the biggest misperception of American people based on the candidates point of view

## 1. Person Deixis

Person deixis can be defined as the deixis or pointing words that used to indicate person or has a function as personal pronoun. In this case, person deixis are divided into three categories, they are first person deixis, second person deixis, and third person deixis. Here, because of the limited time, the researcher writes down the person deixis which is used different word or indicating different meaning to represent the person deixis are found in President Barack Obama's debate speech in The Second Presidential Election Debate versus Governor Mitt Romney on October 16<sup>th</sup>, 2012.

### a. First Person Deixis

First person is the type of deixis which indicates or refers to the speaker himself or the speaker including the addressee. In this study, the researcher found that there are five words or pronouns that were used by President Barack Obama in his debate speech, they are: *I*, *we*, *our*, *my*, *me*, and *us*. Subject "*I*" is the singular pronoun and "*we*" as the plural pronoun. While the words "*our*" and "*my*" indicates possessive pronoun, and "*me*" and "*us*" are included as the object.

#### 1) Section 1

*OBAMA: "[1]I want to do that in industries, not just in Detroit, but all across the country and that means [2]we change [3]our tax code so [4]we're giving incentives to companies that are investing here in the United States and creating jobs here."*

*OBAMA: “And [5]we would have lost a million jobs. And that - don't take [6]my word for it, take the executives at GM and Chrysler, some of whom are Republicans, may even support Governor Romney.”*

*OBAMA: “And [7]we have fought back for four years to get out of that mess. The last thing [8]we need to do is to go back to the very same policies that got [9]us there.”*

In the first section, the researcher found that President Barack Obama used the first person deixis using the words “*we*”, “*I*”, “*our*”, “*my*”, and “*us*”. First, the word “*I*” in [1]. The word “*I*” is included as first person deixis that has a function as singular pronoun. The word “*I*” in this section refers to President Barack Obama himself. Second, is the word “*we*” in [2], [4], [5], [7], and [8]. In this section the word “*we*” also included in first person deixis as plural pronoun because it refers to the speaker and other. But, not all of the word “*we*” has the same meaning or referent. The word “*we*” in [2] and [3] indicates or refers to the U.S. Government or all the people who work in U.S. Government including President Barack Obama, while the word “*we*” in [5], [7], and [8] indicates or refers to U.S. Nation, not only President Barack Obama and U.S government but all of the audiences also all of the U.S. citizen.

Third, the word “*our*” in [3] also included in first person deixis. It has a function as possessive pronoun and has a position as the object of the plural pronoun “*we*”. The word “*our*” here

refers to President Barack Obama himself and U.S. Government too. Next is the word “*my*” are included in the first person deixis too. Here, the word “*my*” refers to President Barack Obama himself.

The last is the word “*us*” that are also included as the first person deixis. The word “*us*” here has a function as the object which is refer to U.S. Nation, not only the government or people who work there but also all of the citizen in United States.

## 2) Section 2

*OBAMA: “The most important thing [1]we can do is to make sure [2]we control [3]our own energy. So here's what [4]I've done since [5]I've been president. [6]We have increased oil production to the highest levels in 16 years.”*

*OBAMA: “[7]We continue to make it a priority for [8]us to go after natural gas.”*

*OBAMA: “[9]We're actually drilling more on public lands than in the previous administration and [10]my -- the previous president was an oil man.”*

*OBAMA: “You want [11]me to answer a question”*

In Section 2, the researcher found that President Barack Obama used first person by using the words: “*I*”, “*we*”, “*our*”, “*us*”, “*my*” and “*me*”. First, the word “*we*” in [1] and [2] are included in the first person deixis, because it is refers to the speaker and other also has a function as a plural pronoun. Here, the researcher found that the word “*we*” refers to United States

Nation, so it includes President Barack Obama, all of audiences, also all of the U.S. citizen. While the word “*we*” in [6], [7], and [9], refers to President Barack Obama and U.S. Government. It can be known by understanding the context. Here, President Barack Obama wants to explain about what are done by U.S. Government in getting the oil and gas as the energy resources.

Second is the word “*our*” that are included in the first person deixis too, and has a function as object of plural pronoun. Here, the word “*our*” refers to United States Nation, including President Barack Obama and all of the U.S. society. Third, the word “*I*” in [4] and [5], also included as singular pronoun in first person deixis. The word “*I*” refers to the President Barack Obama himself.

Next, is the word “*us*”. Here, the word “*us*” also included as the first person deixis and has the function as object of plural pronoun because it indicates or refers to U.S. Nation, including President Barack Obama also all of the U.S. citizen. The last is the words “*my*” and “*me*” which are included in the first person deixis too, because it has the same meaning that refers to President Barack Obama himself. But there is a difference in their position, which the word “*my*” has the position as the subject of

singular pronoun as possessive sign, while “*me*” is becoming the object of singular pronoun.

### 3) Section 3

*OBAMA: “[1]My philosophy on taxes has been simple. And that is, [2]I want to give middle-class families and folks who are striving to get into the middle-class some relief. Because they have been hit hard over the last decade. Over the last 15, over the last 20 years.”*

*OBAMA: “[3]We created 23 million new jobs. That's part of what took [4]us from deficits to surplus. It will be good for [5]our economy and it will be good for job creation.”*

*OBAMA: “[6]We haven't heard from the governor any specifics beyond Big Bird and eliminating funding for Planned Parenthood in terms of how he pays for that.”*

In section 3, the researcher found that President Barack Obama used first person deixis using the words “*my*”, “*I*”, “*we*”, “*us*”, and “*our*”. First is the word “*my*” in [1] which included in the first person deixis, because it has the function as possessive sign in singular pronoun which refers to President Barack Obama himself. Here President Barack Obama explained about his philosophy in managing the taxes in United States. Second is the word “*I*” in [2] which is included as first person deixis because it refers to President Barack Obama himself which has position as a subject.

Third, the words “*us*” in [4] and also the word “*our*” in [5]. They are included as plural pronoun in first person deixis. Both of the word “*us*” and “*our*” in this section has the same meaning. They are refer to the United States nations including President Barack Obama also all of U.S. society. But there is difference between the using of “*us*” and “*our*” here, which is the word “*us*” has the position as the object of plural pronoun, while the word “*our*” has the function as a possessive sign of plural pronoun.

The next is the word “*we*” in [3] and [6]. Both of the word “*we*” here are included in first person deixis and also has the function as plural pronoun, but they have different meaning or referent. The word “*we*” in [3] refers to President Barack Obama and the U.S. Government. In this case, President Barack Obama explained that U.S. Government created 23 million jobs during his presidency. While, the word “*we*” in [6] refers to President Barack Obama and all of audiences or voters. Here, President Barack Obama invite the audiences or voters to criticizing Governor Romney’s statement stated before.

#### 4) Section 4

*OBAMA: “And, you know, [1]I was raised by a single mom who had to put herself through school while looking after two kids. And she worked hard every day and made a lot of sacrifices to make sure [2]we got everything*

*[3]we needed. [4]My grandmother, she started off as a secretary in a bank. She never got a college education, even though she was smart as a whip.”*

*OBAMA: “And that's an example of the kind of advocacy that [5]we need, because women are increasingly the breadwinners in the family.”*

*OBAMA: “[6]We did it by taking \$60 billion that was going to banks and lenders as middlemen for the student loan program, and [7]we said, let's just cut out the middleman. Let's give the money directly to students.”*

*OBAMA: “And one of the things that makes [8]us grow as an economy is when everybody participates and women are getting the same fair deal as men are.”*

In this section the researcher found that President Barack Obama used the first person deixis which is shown by using the words “*I*”, “*my*”, “*we*” and “*us*”. First is the word “*I*” in [1]. The word “*I*” here can be included as the first person deixis because it indices singular pronoun and the word “*I*” here means President Barack Obama himself. Second is the word “*my*” which has the function as possessive pronoun. Here, the word “*my*” also refers to President Barack Obama. It can be known because in this case President Barack Obama was telling about the effort of his grandmother in getting the job in continuing her family life.

Third is the word “*we*” in [2], [3], [5], [6], and [7] that are included in first person deixis too as plural pronoun. In this section President Barack Obama used the word “*we*” in some different ways with some different meanings. The word “*we*” in [2] and [3] is used to indicate or refer to President Barack Obama himself and his family including his mom and his sister. Then the word “*we*” in [5] refers to U.S. Nation including President Barack Obama and also all of the U.S. society. It can be known because at the time President Barack Obama was explaining about advocacy are needed by U.S. society. Next is the word “*we*” in [6] and [7] which is refers to President Barack Obama and U.S. Government led by him. In this section, President Barack Obama was explaining about what the U.S. government has done to increase the education in United States.

The last is word “*us*” in [8], which is included as the object of plural pronoun in first person deixis. The word “*us*” refers to the United States nation. It can be known because in this section President Barack Obama was explaining the women involvement to get the job fair deal as mans are which can give positive impact toward the economic and also the equality issues of women and men for United States nation.

## 5) Section 5

*OBAMA: “[1]I want to make sure [2]our timekeepers are working here.”*

*OBAMA: “But [3]we had been digging [4]our way out of policies that were misplaced and focused on the top doing very well and middle class folks not doing well.”*

*OBAMA: “That's what took [5]us from surplus to deficit.”*

*OBAMA: “George Bush never suggested that [6]we eliminate funding for Planned Parenthood, so there are differences between Governor Romney and George Bush, but they're not on economic policy.”*

In section 5, the researcher found there are four words are used to present first person deixis, they are: “**I**”, “**our**”, “**we**”, and “**us**”. First is the word “**I**” in [1], which is included in the first person deixis as a singular pronoun and pointing the speaker himself. In this case, the word “**I**” refers to President Barack Obama himself. Second is the word “**our**” in [2] and [4] which has a function as possessive sign of plural pronoun. The word “**our**” in [2] belongs to President Barack Obama, Governor Mitt Romney, Candy Crowley and everyone who involved in those second presidential election debate. While the word “**our**” in [4] has different meaning. The word “**our**” here refers to U.S. nation, means that it is belong to President Barack Obama, all of the audiences also everyone who live in United States.

Third is the word “**we**” in [3] and [6] which is also can be included as plural pronoun in the first person deixis, because it

indicate the speaker and other. The word “*we*” in [3] refers to U.S. nation include President Barack Obama also every audiences and everyone who live in United States. While the word “*we*” in [6] refers to U.S. government. Here, President Barack Obama was criticizing about what Governor Romney has suggested to U.S. government to eliminate funding for Planned Parenthood.

The last is the word “*us*” in [5]. The word “*us*” here has a function as object of plural pronoun in first person deixis. The word “*we*” here belongs to President Barack Obama, all of audiences also everyone who live in United States. It indicates economic impact to everyone live in United States.

## 6) Section 6

*OBAMA: “But four years ago, [1]I told the American people and [2]I told you [3]I would cut taxes for middle class families. And [4]I did. [5]I told you [6]I'd cut taxes for small businesses, and [7]I have.”*

*OBAMA: “[8]We've created five million jobs, and gone from 800 jobs a month being lost, and [9]we are making progress. [10]We saved an auto industry that was on the brink of collapse.”*

*OBAMA: “Now, does that mean you're not struggling? Absolutely not. A lot of [11]us are.”*

*OBAMA: “Making sure that [12]we are controlling [13]our own energy, but not only the energy of today, but also the energy of the future.”*

Actually in this section the researcher also found there four words are used by President Barack Obama during the debate speech, they are “*I*”, “*we*”, “*us*” and “*our*”. First is all the word “*I*” in [1] until [7]. The singular pronoun “*I*” in those utterances included as first person deixis, and it refers to President Barack Obama himself. It told what President Barack Obama have done when becoming United States President for last four years. Second is the word “*we*” in [9], [10], [11], and [12]. Here, the word “*we*” in [9], [10], and [11] belongs to President Barack Obama himself also U.S. government led by him. While the word “*we*” in [12] has different meaning which is belong to U.S. nation, means include President Barack Obama, all of the audiences also everyone who live in United States.

Next is the word “*us*” in [11] is included in the first person deixis too. It has position as the object of plural pronoun and refers to President Barack Obama, all of audiences, also everyone who live in United States. The last is the word “*our*” in [13] which has function as possessive sign of plural pronoun. The word “*our*” here refers to U.S. nation including President Barack Obama and everyone live in U.S.

## 7) Section 7

*OBAMA: “The first thing [1]we did was to streamline the legal immigration system, to reduce the backlog, make it*

*easier, simpler and cheaper for people who are waiting in line, obeying the law to make sure that they can come here and contribute to [2]our country and that's good for [3]our economic growth."*

OBAMA: "You know what? If [4]my daughter or yours looks to somebody like they're not a citizen, [5]I don't want -- [6]I don't want to empower somebody like that."

OBAMA: "Look, when [7]we think about immigration, [8]we have to understand there are folks all around the world who still see America as the land of promise. And they provide [9]us energy and they provide [10]us innovation and they start companies like Intel and Google. And [11]we want to encourage that."

In section 7, researcher found that President Barack Obama present the first person deixis using the words "*we*", "*our*", "*my*", "*I*" and "*us*". First is the word "*we*" in [1], [7], [8] and [11] are included as plural pronoun in the first person deixis and has function as the subject. The word "*we*" in [1], refers to President Barack Obama and U.S. government led by him. In this section, President Barack Obama was explaining what the government should do to fix immigrants system in United States. While the word "*we*" in [7], [8] and [11] has the different meaning. Here, the word "*we*" in [7], [8], and [11] refers to U.S. nation or belongs to President Barack Obama, all of the audiences and everyone who live in United States.

Second the word “*our*” in [2] and [3] are included in the first person deixis too. In this case, the word “*our*” has function as possessive sign of plural pronoun. Here, the word “*we*” belongs to U.S. nation, means include President Barack Obama also everyone who live in United States. Next, is the words “*my*” in [4] and “*I*” in [5], [6]. Both of the word “*my*” and “*I*” in utterances above have the same meaning. They are belong to President Barack Obama himself. Both of them also have the same position as the subject, but they have different function, which is the word “*my*” as possessive pronoun and not with the word “*I*”. The word “*my*” used to explain President Barack Obama’s daughter, while the word “*I*” to explain about himself.

The last is the word “*us*” in [9] and [10]. Here, the word “*us*” belongs to everyone who live in United States, include President Barack Obama himself also all audiences. It told about the role of immigrant who came to United States who give a positive impact toward U.S. people.

## 8) Section 8

*OBAMA: “Well, let [1]me first of all talk about [2]our diplomats, because they serve all around the world and do an incredible job in a very dangerous situation.”*

*OBAMA: “Number two, investigate exactly what happened, regardless of where the facts lead [3]us, to make sure*

*folks are held accountable and it doesn't happen again.”*

*OBAMA: “And the suggestion that anybody in [4]my team, whether the Secretary of State, our U.N. Ambassador, anybody on [5]my team would play politics or mislead when [6]we've lost four of [7]our own, governor, is offensive. That's not what [8]we do. That's not what [9]I do as president, that's not what [10]I do as Commander in Chief.”*

In this section, the researcher found there are six words are used to express the first person deixis, they are “*me*”, “*our*”, “*us*”, “*my*”, “*we*”, and “*I*”. And not all of those words has the same meaning. First is the word “*me*” in [1]. The word “*me*” is included as singular pronoun in the first person deixis because it refers to the speaker that is President Barack Obama himself. Second is the word “*our*” in [2] and [7], they are included in the first person deixis too and has the function as possessive sign of plural pronoun. The word “*our*” in [2] refers to United States, so it is belong to everyone who live there include President Barack Obama himself also all of audiences. It can be known because it talk about the U.S. diplomats. While the word “*our*” in [7] has different meaning. In this section, President Barack Obama was talking about the U.S. national security, so the word “*our*” here is belong to President Barack Obama himself with his U.S. national security team.

Third is the word “*us*” in [3]. Here, the word “*us*” are included as first person deixis which has position as the object of plural pronoun. The word “*us*” here, refers to President Barack Obama and the U.S. national security team. It can be seen because in this case President Barack Obama was explaining about his instruction to the U.S. national security team.

Next, the word “*my*” in [4] and [5] are included as the singular pronoun in the first person deixis. The word “*my*” here, refers to President Barack Obama himself. Then, the word “*we*” in [6] and [8] are included in the first person deixis too. It has position as the subject. The word “*we*” here refers to President Barack Obama himself with the U.S. national security team. In this case, President Barack Obama was telling about what he and his national security team can do toward the attack in U.S. embassy in Benghazi, Libya.

The last is the word “*I*” as the singular pronoun. Here, the word “*I*” is refers to President Barack Obama himself. He was telling about what he did as the Commander of the U.S. national security team.

## 9) Section 9

*OBAMA: “[1]We're a nation that believes in the Second Amendment, and [2]I believe in the Second Amendment. [3]We've got a long tradition of hunting*

*and sportsmen and people who want to make sure they can protect themselves.”*

*OBAMA: “And her son had been shot through the head. And [4]we spent some time, and [5]we said a prayer and, remarkably, about two months later, this young man and his mom showed up, and he looked unbelievable, good as new.”*

*OBAMA: “So [6]my belief is that, (A), [7]we have to enforce the laws [8]we’ve already got, make sure that [9]we’re keeping guns out of the hands of criminals, those who are mentally ill.”*

*OBAMA: “But [10]I also share your belief that weapons that were designed for soldiers in war theaters don’t belong on [11]our streets.”*

In section 9, the researcher found the first person deixis used by President Barack Obama using the words “*we*”, “*I*”, “*my*” and “*our*”. First is the word “*we*” in [1], [3], [4], [5], [7], [8], and [9]. In utterances above we can see some words “*we*” with some different meaning. The word “*we*” in [1] and [3] refers to United States nation. It means that President Barack Obama, all the audiences, also everyone who live in United States are included. While the word “*we*” in [4] and [5] has the different meaning. They are refers to President Barack Obama and a mother who her son had been shot at the head. In this section President Barack Obama was telling about a violence upon the son of a mother, caused of assault weapons in the

wrong hand. Next is the word “*we*” in [7], [8], and [9] which also included as the first person deixis. The word “*we*” here, refers to President Barack Obama and the U.S. government. Here, President Barack Obama was talking about his plan in solving assault weapons problem in United States.

Second is the word “*I*” in [2] and [10] are included in first person deixis too, because it refers to President Barack Obama himself. Third is the word “*my*” in [6] which is categorized as the singular pronoun that has the function as possessive (possessive pronoun). Based on the context, the word “*my*” in the utterance above means or refers to President Barack Obama himself as the U.S. President.

The last is the word “*our*” in [11] also included as the first person deixis, because it refers to President Barack Obama himself as the speaker, also U.S. nation or everyone who live in United States.

## 10) Section 10

*OBAMA: “But there's a difference in terms of how [1]we would do it. [2]I want to close loopholes that allow companies to deduct expenses when they move to China; that allow them to profit offshore and not have to get taxed, so they have tax advantages offshore.”*

*OBAMA: “That's not the way [3]we're going to create jobs here. The way [4]we're going to create jobs here is not just*

*to change [5]our tax code, but also to double [6]our exports.”*

*OBAMA: “That's why exports have significantly increased under [7]my presidency.”*

*OBAMA: “That's why [8]we've got to make sure that [9]we've got the best science and research in the world.”*

In this section, the researcher found that the words are used to show the first person deixis are: “*we*”, “*I*”, “*our*”, and “*my*”. First is the word “*we*” in [1], [3], [4], [8] and [9] which are included as the plural pronoun in the first person deixis, but not all of them has the same meaning. The word “*we*” in [1] refers to President Barack Obama himself and Governor Mitt Romney as his opposition in this election debate. Next is the word “*we*” in [3] and [4] which refers to U.S. government, including President Barack Obama himself also everyone who work for U.S. government. Last is the word “*we*” in [8] and [9]. They are belongs to U.S. nation. It means included President Barack Obama himself and everyone who live in United States.

Second is the word “*I*” in [2] which is included as singular pronoun in the first person deixis and it refers to President Barack Obama himself. Next is the word “*our*” in [5] and [6] which is has the function as possessive sign of plural pronoun. The word “*our*” here belongs to U.S. nation include President Barack Obama himself and U.S. society. The last is the

possessive singular pronoun “*my*” in the [7] which is included in first person deixis. “*my*” refers to President Barack Obama himself.

## 11) Section 11

*OBAMA: “[1]I believe in self-reliance and individual initiative and risk takers being rewarded. But [2]I also believe that everybody should have a fair shot and everybody should do their fair share and everybody should play by the same rules, because that's how [3]our economy's grown. That's how [4]we built the world's greatest middle class .”*

*OBAMA: “And -- and that is part of what's at stake in this election. There's a fundamentally different vision about how [5]we move [6]our country forward.”*

*OBAMA: “Soldiers who are overseas fighting for [7]us right now.”*

*OBAMA: “When [8]my grandfather fought in World War II and he came back and he got a G.I. Bill and that allowed him to go to college, that wasn't a handout.”*

In the last section, the researcher found that President Barack Obama used first person deixis using the words “*I*”, “*our*”, “*we*”, “*us*” and “*my*”. First, the word “*I*” in [1] and [2]. They can be included as singular pronoun in first person deixis because it belongs to President Barack Obama himself. Second is the word “*our*” in [3] and [6] which are included as plural pronoun in first person deixis, but both of them have

different meaning. The word “*we*” in [3] U.S. nation, including President Barack Obama himself and U.S. society. While the word “*we*” in [6] belongs to President Barack Obama himself and Governor Mitt Romney, because in this section, President Barack Obama was talking about the different vision to build their country.

Third is the word “*we*” in [4] and [5]. The word “*we*” in [4] refers to U.S. nation including President Barack Obama himself as the U.S. President. While the word “*we*” in [5] belongs to both of candidates in this election debate, they are President Barack Obama himself also Governot Mitt Romney.

Next is the word “*us*” in [7] which is included first person deixis that has the function as object of plural pronoun. Based on the context, the word “*us*” in utterance above refers to the United States nation, included President Barack Obama, Government, all of audiences, even all of U.S. people. And the last is the word “*my*” in [8] which is included as the first person deixis because it refers to President Barack Obama himself.

#### **b. Second Person Deixis**

Second person deixis is the encoding of the speaker’s reference to one or more addressee. As easily, we can define the second person deixis as the person deixis that indicate the addressee

or people who invited to talk with the speaker. Here, the researcher found four words that are used to show second person deixis, they are “**you**”, “**your**”, “**yours**” and “**yourself**”. Here, the researcher explains the words which has different meaning that are found in President Barack Obama’s debate speech.

### **1) Section 1**

*OBAMA: “Jeremy, first of all, [1]**your** future is bright. And the fact that [2]**you**'re making an investment in higher education is critical. Not just to [3]**you**, but to the entire nation.”*

*OBAMA: “Asking the wealthy to pay a little bit more along with cuts so that we can invest in education like [4]**yours**.”*

*OBAMA: “[5]**You** can make a lot of money and pay lower tax rates than somebody who makes a lot less. [6]**You** can ship jobs overseas and get tax s for it. [7]**You** can invest in a company, bankrupt it, lay off the workers, strip away their pensions, and [8]**you** still make money.”*

In the first section, the researcher found that President Barack Obama used second person deixis using the words “**you**”, “**your**” and “**yours**”. First is the word “**yours**” in [1] is included singular pronoun in the second person deixis because it indicates one person. In this case, the word “**yours**” refers to the voter who asked to President Barack Obama, and his name is Jeremy Epstein.

Second is the word “**you**” in [2], [3], [5], [6], [7], and [8]. The word “**you**” in [2] and [3] in this section is included in second person deixis as singular pronoun. Here, it refers to one person that is Jeremy Epstein as the voter in this presidential election debate. While, different with [2] and [3], the word “**you**” in [5], [6], [7], and [8] has different meaning. Here, the word “**you**” belongs to all of audiences, because at the time, President Barack Obama was inviting all of audiences to discuss about the tax rates in United States.

Last is the word “**yours**” in [4] which is included as singular pronoun in the second person deixis. The word “**yours**” here refers to Jeremy Epstein as the voter who has question for both of candidates, and in this case, of course President Barack Obama was explaining his plan to answer those question.

## 2) Section 2

*OBAMA: “That means that in the middle of the next decade, any car [1]you buy, [2]you're going to end up going twice as far on a gallon of gas.”*

*OBAMA: “And when I hear Governor Romney say he's a big coal guy, I mean, keep in mind, when -- Governor, when [3]you were governor of Massachusetts, [4]you stood in front of a coal plant and pointed at it and said, “This plant kills,” and took great pride in shutting it down. And now suddenly [5]you're a big champion of coal.”*

*OBAMA: "That means those cars can be exported, 'cause that's the demand around the world, and it also means that it'll save money in [6]your pocketbook. That's the strategy [7]you need, an all-of-the-above strategy, and that's what we're going to do in the next four years."*

*OBAMA: "So what we said was [8]you can't just sit on this for 10, 20, 30 years, decide when [9]you want to drill, when [10]you want to produce, when it's most profitable for [11]you."*

In the second section, the researcher only found two words to present the second person deixis, they are “**you**” and “**your**”. First is word “**you**” such as can be seen in [1], [2], [3], [4], [5], [7], [8], [9], [10], and [11]. There are many second person deixis used the word “**you**” here, but not all of them has the same meaning. The word “**you**” in [1] and [2] in utterances above is included in the type of second person deixis as singular pronoun because it indicates one person. In this case, the word “**you**” refers to the second voter who asked named Phillip Tricolla, that also becoming an audience in this election debate section. Next is the word “**you**” in [3], [4], and [5], which are also included as singular pronoun in the second person deixis. It is can be known because it refers to one person that is Governor Mitt Romney as President Barack Obama’s opposition in this debate. Then the word “**you**” in [7] are included as plural pronoun in

second person deixis, because it refers to many person, in this case belongs to audiences in this election debate. The last is the word “*you*” in [8], [9], [10], and [11] which are included as plural pronoun in second person deixis. The word “*you*” here belongs to all oil companies who had leases on public land in United States to drill the oil.

Next is the word “*your*” in [6] which is included as plural pronoun because it belongs to everyone who become audiences during those presidential election debate.

### 3) Section 3

*OBAMA: “[1]You're doing great.”*

*OBAMA: “I think what grows the economy is when [2]you get that tax credit that we put in place for [3]your kids going to college.”*

*OBAMA: “If somebody came to [4]you, Governor, with a plan that said, here, I want to spend \$7 or \$8 trillion, and then we're going to pay for it, but we can't tell [5]you until maybe after the election how we're going to do it, [6]you wouldn't take such a sketchy deal and neither should [7]you, the American people, because the math doesn't add up.”*

*OBAMA: “[8]You're going to be paying for it. [9]You're going to lose some deductions, and [10]you can't buy the sales pitch.”*

In section 3, the researcher found that President Barack Obama used second person deixis using the words “*you*”, and

**“your”**. First is the word **“you”** in [1], [2], [4], [5], [6], [7], [8], [9], and [10]. The word **“you”** in [1] is included as singular pronoun in second person deixis, because it refers to Mary Follano as the voter who give the question. Then the word **“you”** in [2], [8], [9] and [10] which are included as plural pronoun in second person deixis, because it refers to all of the audiences of those election debate, means the voter who give question also included. Next, is the word **“you”** in [4], [5], and [6] which are included as singular pronoun in second person deixis because it refers to Governor Mitt Romney. In this case, President Barack Obama was criticizing about Governor Romney’s statement stated before. After that, we also see the word **“you”** in [7]. The word **“you”** here is included as plural pronoun in secon person deixis because it belongs to American people, so not only all of audiences included but also everyone who live in America.

The last is the word **“your”** in [3] in utterances above is included in second person deixis that has the function as the possessive pronoun. In this case, the word **“your”** means or refers to the questioner and also the audiences. It can be known because at the time President Barack Obama want to make sure in explaining his plan about reducing tax rates for middle-class families.

#### 4) Section 4

*OBAMA: Well, Katherine, that's a great question. And, [1]you know, I was raised by a single mom who had to put herself through school while looking after two kids."*

*OBAMA: "It also means that we've got to make sure that young people like [2]yourself are able to afford a college education."*

In section 4, there are two words that used by President Barack Obama to present the second person deixis, they are “*you*” and “*yourself*”. First the word “*you*” in [1] is included as singular pronoun in second person deixis because it refers to one person. In this case, the word “*you*” belongs to Katherine Fenton as the voter who gave the question for both candidates before. Next is the word “*yourself*” in [2] which is included in second person deixis, because it indicates to the person who invited to the speech event by the speaker. But based on the context in this debate video, the word “*yourself*” also belongs to Katherine Fenton. It can be easy to know when President Barack Obama was saying those utterance above, he also was pointing Katherine Fenton by his gesture.

#### 5) Section 5

*OBAMA: "Well, first of all, I think it's important to tell [1]you that we did come in during some tough times."*

*OBAMA: "That's -- Governor, [2]you're the last person who's going to get tough on China."*

*OBAMA: "But the last point I want to make is this. [3]You know, there are some things where Governor Romney is different from George Bush. George Bush didn't propose turning Medicare into a voucher."*

In the fifth section, there is only one word that used by President Barack Obama to represent second person that is "you". But not all of the words "you" in section 5 has the same meaning. First is the word "you" in [1] and [2] is included as singular pronoun in second person deixis because it refers to one person that is Susan Katz as the voter who gave the question in those election debate. In this section President Barack Obama was explaining his answer toward the question proposed by Susan Katz. Next is the word "you" in [2] also included as singular pronoun in second person deixis, but it has different meaning with the word "you" explained by researcher before. The word "you" in [2] in utterances above belongs to Governor Mitt Romney as President Barack Obama's opposition during those election debate. Here, President Barack Obama was criticizing Governor Mitt Romney.

#### **6) Section 6**

*OBAMA: "But four years ago, I told the American people and I told [1]you I would cut taxes for middle class families. And I did. I told [2]you I'd cut taxes for small businesses, and I have."*

*OBAMA: "...the choice in this election is going to be whose promises are going to be more likely to help [3]you in [4]your life? Make sure [5]your kids can go to college."*

In section 6, there are two words that are used by President Barack Obama, they are "you" and "your". The word "you" in utterances above is included as singular pronoun in second person deixis. Here, all the word "you" such as in [1], [2], and [3] has the same meaning, they indicate one person that is belong to Michael Jones as the voter who gave the question during the debate happened. In this section President Barack Obama was answering the question from Michael Jones with explaining what he have done during became U.S. President for last four years. Next is the word "your" in [4] and [5]. They indicate possessive sign of singular pronoun in second person deixis. Here, the word "your" also belongs to Michael Jones but have the purpose to convince all of the audiences about what has done by President Barack Obama during became U.S. President last four years.

## **7) Section 7**

*OBAMA: "Now, Governor Romney just said, [1]you know he wants to help those young people too, but during the Republican primary, he said, "I will veto the DREAM Act, that would allow these young people to have access."*

OBAMA: “[2]**You** know what? If my daughter or [3]**yours** looks to somebody like they're not a citizen, I don't want -- I don't want to empower somebody like that.”

OBAMA: “[4]**You** know, I -- I don't look at my pension. It's not as big as [5]**yours** so it doesn't take as long.”

In seventh section, also there are two words used by President Barack Obama to present second person deixis, they are “**you**” and “**yours**”. First is the word “**you**” that we can see in [1], [2], and [4]. Actually there three word “**you**” in utterances above and all of them has the different meaning. The word “**you**” in [1] is included as singular pronoun in second person deixis because it indicate one person which is in this case belongs to Lorraine Osorio as the voter who gave the question for both of candidates. Then the word “**you**” in [2] is included as plural pronoun in second person deixis. The word “**you**” here, refers to more than one person because it belongs to the audiences that followed the running of this election debate. Next is the word “**you**” in [4] which is included as singular pronoun of second person deixis because it belongs to Governor Romney as President Barack Obama’s opposition in this debate.

Second is the word “**yours**” which we can see in [3] and [5]. Both of word “**yours**” above has the function as object of possessive pronoun, but they have different interpretation. The word “**yours**” in [3] included as plural pronoun because it

belongs to all of audiences that followed the running of those election debate. While the word “*yours*” in [5] refers to singular pronoun and it belongs to Governor Mitt Romney.

#### 8) Section 8

*OBAMA: “Great to see [1]you.”*

*OBAMA: “[2]You don't turn national security into a political issue. Certainly not right when it's happening.”*

*OBAMA: “Can [3]you say that a little louder, Candy?”*

In section 8, the researcher only found the word “*you*” which is used to show the second person deixis. The word “*you*” in [1] in utterances above is included as singular pronoun because it refers to one person that is Kerry Ladka as the voter who gave the question to President Barack Obama. Next, the word “*you*” in [2] which is included as plural pronoun in second person deixis, because it belongs to the audiences in those election debate. The last is the word “*you*” in [3] is included as singular pronoun in second person deixis. The word “*you*” here belongs to Candy Crowley as the moderator in those election debate.

#### 9) Section 9

*OBAMA: “Most recently out in Aurora. [1]You know, just a couple of weeks ago, actually, probably about a month, I saw a mother, who I had met at the bedside of her son, who had been shot in that theater.”*

*OBAMA: "But I also share [2]your belief that weapons that were designed for soldiers in war theaters don't belong on our streets."*

In this section, the researcher there are only two words used by President Barack Obama which are included as second person deixis, they are "you" and "your" such as that we can see in utterances above. The word "you" in [1] is included as singular pronoun, while the word "your" in [2] as possessive pronoun. Here, both of the word "you" and "your" belongs to one person that is Nina Gonzalez as the voter who gave the question for President Barack Obama. In this section, President Barack Obama was answering the question by explain his plan in limit assault weapons in United States.

#### **10) Section 10**

*OBAMA: "One of his big ideas when it comes to corporate tax reform would be to say, if [1]you invest overseas, [2]you make profits overseas, [3]you don't have to pay U.S. taxes. But, of course, if [4]you're a small business or a mom-and-pop business or a big business starting up here, [5]you've got to pay even the reduced rate that Governor Romney's talking about."*

In section 10, such as in utterances above, we can find the second person deixis with the word "you". All the word "you" that we can see above are included as singular pronoun because

it refers to one person that is Carol Goldberg as one of the voter/audiences who asked to both of candidates. Here, President Barack Obama explain about his plan to keep creating jobs in United States to answer those question.

### 11) Section 11

*OBAMA: "That's why I'm asking for [1]your vote and that's why I'm asking for another four years."*

In the last section, such as we can found in utterances above, we can see the word "**your**" as the second person deixis. The word "**your**" in utterances above is included as plural pronoun, because it belongs to everyone who live in United States include all of audiences who following the running of those election debate.

### c. Third Person Deixis

Third person deixis is the encoding of reference to persons and entities which is neither speaker nor addressee of the utterance. As simply, third person deixis can be defined as the deixis which is indicate the third person or people who are spoken by the speaker. Here, in this research the researcher found some various types of third person deixis, they are: *he, his, she, her, herself, they, their, them, and themselves.*

## 1) Section 1

OBAMA: *“It also means we're helping [1]**them** and small businesses to export all around the world to new markets.”*

OBAMA: *“And that -- don't take my word for it, take the executives at GM and Chrysler, some of whom are Republicans, may even support Governor Romney. But [2]**they**'ll tell you his prescription wasn't going to work.”*

OBAMA: *“[3]**He** has a one-point plan. And that plan is to make sure that folks at the top play by a different set of rules. That's been [4]**his** philosophy in the private sector, that's been [5]**his** philosophy as governor, that's been [6]**his** philosophy as a presidential candidate.”*

OBAMA: *“You can invest in a company, bankrupt it, lay off the workers, strip away [7]**their** pensions, and you still make money.”*

In the first section, such as are found by the researcher, President Barack Obama used some words to represent the third person deixis, they are *“them”*, *“they”*, *“he”*, *“his”*, and *“their”* such as that we can see in utterances above. First is the word *“them”* in [1] which can be included as plural pronoun in third person deixis. The word *“them”* here, refers to American auto industry or everyone who build industry in America. Second is the word *“they”* in [2] also included as plural pronoun because it indicate more than one person. In this case, the word

*“they”* belongs to the executives at GM and Chrysler or Republicans who support Governor Romney.

Third we can find the word *“he”* in [3] and *“his”* in [4], [5], [6]. The word he is included as singular pronoun because it refers to one person, and it is belong to Governor Romney as President Barack Obama’s opposition in those election debate. Then, we also find the word *“his”* three times in utterances above. In this case, the word *“his”* included in third person deixis because it indicate possessive pronoun neither speaker nor addressee (audiences), but others, and has a position as object to be spoken. Based on the context, the word *“his”* in the utterances above also belongs to Governor Romney too.

The last is the word *“their”* in [7] which is has possessive sign of plural pronoun and it also included as third person deixis because it indicate the object who are spoken. The word *“their”* here belongs to the workers who work in a company which is in bankruptcy condition such explained by President Barack Obama before.

## 2) Section 2

*OBAMA: “Now, Governor Romney will say [1]he's got an all-of-the-above plan, but basically [2]his plan is to let the oil companies write the energy policies .”*

*OBAMA: “You had a whole bunch of oil companies who had leases on public lands that [3]they weren't using.”*

*OBAMA: “And we are now reletting [4]them so that we can actually make a profit.*

In the second section, President Barack Obama used third person deixis by using four words, they are “**he**”, “**his**”, “**they**”, and “**them**”. Here, the researcher writes the deixis which has different word or meaning. First is the word “**he**” such as in [1] which can be included in third person deixis because it has a function as subject as singular pronoun and indicate a person who is spoken. The word “**he**” in this section refers to Governor Mitt Romney as President Barack Obama’s opposition during those election debate. Then the word “**his**” in [2] also included as third person deixis as the object, but it has position as possessive pronoun. The word “**his**” here, also belongs to Governor Romney.

Second is the word “**they**” in [3] which included as plural pronoun because it indicate more than one person to be spoken. In this case, the word “**they**” refers to China and Germany, it means also included everyone who live there as their nation.

Last is the word “**them**” in [4] also included as singular pronoun in third person deixis. The word “**them**” here, belongs to the oil companies in United States who drilling the oil on public lands.

### 3) Section 3

*OBAMA: “Because [1]they have been hit hard over the last decade. Over the last 15, over the last 20 years.”*

*OBAMA: “And that means 98 percent of American families, 97 percent of small businesses, [2]they will not see a tax increase. I'm ready to sign that bill right now. The only reason it's not happening is because Governor Romney's allies in Congress have held the 98 percent hostage because [3]they want tax breaks for the top 2 percent.”*

*OBAMA: “And when Governor Romney stands here, after a year of campaigning, when during a Republican primary [4]he stood on stage and said "I'm going to give tax cuts" – [5]he didn't say tax rate cuts, [6]he said "tax cuts to everybody," including the top 1 percent, you should believe [7]him because that's been [8]his history.”*

In the third section, President Barack Obama used third person deixis using the words “*they*”, “*he*”, “*him*” and “*his*”. First is the word “*they*” used in [1] in the utterance above is included as third person plural, because it indicate more than one person. Based on the context, the word “*they*” above belongs to the middle-class family and folks who are striving to get into the middle-class. Then the word “*they*” in [2] also included as plural pronoun but it has the different meaning. The word “*they*” here belongs to 98 percent of American families, 97 percent of small businesses that are spoken by President

Barack Obama. While the word “**they**” in [3] also has the different meaning. The word “**they**” in [3] refers to Governor Romney’s allies in Congress which held a few weeks before those election debate was happened.

Second is the word “**he**” in [4], [5], [6], “**him**” in [7], also the word “**his**” in [8]. The word “**he**” included as singular pronoun and a position as subject. While the word “**him**” also included as singular pronoun but has a position as object. And then the word “**his**” in this section indicate possessive sign of singular pronoun. Although they have different position, but they refers to the same person and it belongs to Governor Romney.

#### 4) Section 4

*OBAMA: “And, you know, I was raised by a single mom who had to put [1]**herself** through school while looking after two kids. And [2]**she** worked hard every day and made a lot of sacrifices to make sure we got everything we needed.”*

*OBAMA: “[3]**She** trained people who would end up becoming [4]**her** bosses during the course of [5]**her** career.”*

*OBAMA: “Governor Romney not only opposed it, [6]**he** suggested that in fact employers should be able to make the decision as to whether or not a woman gets contraception through [7]**her** insurance coverage.”*

*OBAMA: “That makes a difference in whether [8]**they** can go out there and -- and earn a living for [9]**their** family.”*

*OBAMA: And I've got two daughters and I want to make sure that [10]they have the same opportunities that anybody's sons have."*

In this section, researcher found that third person deixis is used by President Barack Obama using the words "*she*", "*her*", "*herself*", "*he*", "*they*", and "*their*".

First is the word "*herself*" such as we can see in [1], it refers to one person to be spoken. Here, the word "*herself*" belongs to President Barack Obama's mother who work hard to sacrifice everything what are her family's needed. Then the word "*she*" in [2] are included as singular pronoun in third person deixis and it has the same meaning with the word "*herself*" in [1] that is refer to President Barack Obama's mother.

Second is the word "*she*" in [3] and "*her*" in [4] and [5]. The word "*she*" as object in third singular pronoun, while the word "*her*" as possessive sign in third singular pronoun, but they have the same meaning. In this case the word "*she*" and "*her*" belongs to President Barack Obama's grandmother, because in this section he was telling about his grandmother effort to get the job as the men's are.

Third is the word "*he*" in [6] which is refers to one person and t belongs to Governor Mitt Romney. While the word "*her*"

in [7] belongs to every women in United States who work hard in the workplace.

Next is the word “*they*” in [8] and “*their*” in [9] which is the word “*they*” as plural pronoun in third person deixis, while the word “*their*” also included as plural pronoun, but it has function as possessive. Both of the words “*they*” and “*their*” here, refers to the same thing. They belong to millions women around United States who are able to work.

The last is the word “*they*” in [10] which also included as plural pronoun in third person deixis and it belongs to President Barack Obama’s daughter.

## 5) Section 5

*OBAMA: “But when Governor Romney says that [1]he has a very different economic plan, the centerpiece of [2]his economic plan are tax cuts.”*

*OBAMA: “George Bush embraced comprehensive immigration reform. [3]He didn't call for self-deportation.”*

*OBAMA: “George Bush never suggested that we eliminate funding for Planned Parenthood, so there are differences between Governor Romney and George Bush, but [4]they're not on economic policy.”*

In section 5, the researcher found that President Barack Obama used third person deixis using the words “*he*”, “*his*” and “*they*”. The word “*he*” in [1] and “*his*” in [2], both of them are included as singular pronoun in third person deixis and the

word “*his*” also has function as possessive sign. But both of them has the same meaning which is here they are belong to Governor Mitt Romney. While the word “*he*” in [3] also included as singular pronoun but it has different meaning. Based on the context in the video, the word “*he*” in [3] belongs to George W. Bush which became the U.S. previous president.

Next is the word “*they*” such as we can see in [4], it is included as plural pronoun because it indicate more than one person. In this case, the word “*they*” refers to Governor Mitt Romney and George W. Bush. Here, President Barack Obama gave argument about the differences between Governor Romney and George W. Bush such as questioner by the voter.

## 6) Section 6

*OBAMA: “When [1]they said, “We’re going to cut Planned Parenthood funding.” [2]He said, “Me too.” When [3]he said, “We’re going to repeal Obamacare. First thing I’m going to do,” despite the fact that it’s the same health care plan that he passed in Massachusetts and is working well. [4]He said, “Me too.”*

In sixth section, the researcher found third person deixis presented by using the words “*they*” and “*he*” to present the deixis. The word “*they*” such as in [1] here, is included as plural pronoun because it refers to more than one person to be spoken.

The word “**they**” here belongs to the member of Republican Congress. While the word “**he**” such as in [2], [3], and [4] are included as singular pronoun in third person deixis because it refers to one person and it belongs to Governor Mitt Romney.

## 7) Section 7

OBAMA: “People who want to build on [1]**their** dreams and make sure [2]**their** kids have an even bigger dreams than they have.”

OBAMA: “[3]**They**’ll start new businesses. [4]**They**’ll make things happen to create jobs here in the United States.”

OBAMA: “And what I’ve also said is for young people who come here, brought here often times by [5]**their** parents. Had gone to school here, pledged allegiance to the flag. Think of this as [6]**their** country. Understand [7]**themselves** as Americans in every way except having papers.”

OBAMA: “[8]**He** called the Arizona law a model for the nation. Part of the Arizona law said that law enforcement officers could stop folks because [9]**they** suspected maybe [10]**they** looked like [11]**they** might be undocumented workers and check [12]**their** papers.”

OBAMA: “But it’s very hard for Republican’s in Congress to support comprehensive immigration reform, if [13]**their** standard bearer has said that, this is not something I’m interested in supporting.”

In section 7, President Barack Obama used the words “**he**”, “**they**”, “**their**” and also “**themselves**” to present third

person deixis which are most of them has the different meaning or interpretation. The word "*their*" in [1] and [2] are included as plural pronoun because it indicate more than one person. The word "*their*" here belongs to people who are willing to take a risk come to America as immigrants to build the dreams and hoping the better life. Second is the word "*they*" in [3] and [4] also included as plural pronoun in their person deixis, but they have different meaning with the word "*their*" explained before. In this case, the word "*they*" refers to immigrant people who are waiting in line for coming in America. In this section President Obama explain about his plan to make easy for them who waiting in line to come to America as soon as possible.

Third, the word "*their*" in [5], [6] also the word "*themselves*" in [7] are included as plural pronoun the third person deixis and they are has the same meaning. Here, the word "*their*" and "*themselves*" belongs to the young people who come to America as immigrants. Here, President Barack Obama explain that this young people like them can give more positive impact toward American country, for example such as when they build a new business or innovations.

After that, the word "*he*" in [8] also included in third person deixis as singular pronoun. Here, the word "*he*" belongs to Governor Mitt Romney. Then, the words "*they*" in [9], [10],

[11] and the word “*their*” in [12] which are also included as plural pronoun in third person deixis. Here, they are belong to the folks who talked by President Barack Obama.

The last is the word “*their*” in [13]. The word “*their*” here indicate possessive sign in third person deixis and it refers to the Republicans.

## 8) Section 8

*OBAMA: “And these aren't just representatives of the United States, [1]they are my representatives. I send [2]them there, oftentimes into harm's way. I know these folks and I know [3]their families. So nobody is more concerned about [4]their safety and security than I am.”*

*OBAMA: “And number three, we are going to find out who did this and we're going to hunt [5]them down, because one of the things that I've said throughout my presidency is when folks mess with Americans, we go after [6]them.”*

*OBAMA: “Secretary Clinton has done an extraordinary job. But [7]she works for me.”*

In section 8, the researcher found there are four words that were used by President Barack Obama, they are “*they*”, “*them*”, “*their*” and “*she*”. First, we can see the word “*they*” in [1], “*them*” in [2], and “*their*” in [3] and [4]. The word “*they*” here, included as plural pronoun in third deixis because it indicate more than one people. Then the word “*them*” such as

in [2] also included as plural pronoun but it has position as the object. While the word “*their*” in [3] and [4] indicate possessive sign of plural pronoun. Here, the words “*they*”, “*them*” and “*their*” has the same meaning, that is belong to the American people who work in U.S. embassy in Benghazi, Libya.

Second, we can find the word “*them*” in [5] and [6]. The word “*them*” here, refers to the organization who take responsibility toward the attack that they have done to American embassy in Benghazi, Libya. In this case, President Barack Obama give the instruction to U.S. national security to hunt down whoever that take the responsibility toward the attack in Benghazi, Libya.

Last is the word “*she*” in [7] included as singular pronoun in third person deixis because it indicate one person. The word “*she*” here belongs to Secretary Clinton as U.S. secretary as the person who has the important role in rescuing American people the attack that happened in U.S. embassy in Benghazi, Libya.

#### 9) **Section 9**

*OBAMA: “We've got a long tradition of hunting and sportsmen and people who want to make sure [1]they can protect [2]themselves.”*

*OBAMA: “And [3]her son had been shot through the head . And we spent some time, and we said a prayer and, remarkably, about two months later, this young man*

*and [4]his mom showed up, and he looked unbelievable, good as new.”*

*OBAMA: “And [5]he said that the reason [6]he changed [7]his mind was, in part, because [8]he was seeking the endorsement of the National Rifle Association.”*

*OBAMA: “We're not going to eliminate everybody who is mentally disturbed, and we've got to make sure [9]they don't get weapons. But we can make a difference in terms ensuring that every young person in America, regardless of where [10]they come from, what [11]they look like, have a chance to succeed.”*

*OBAMA: “And so we're matching [12]them up. Giving [13]them access to higher education.”*

Here, President Barack Obama use the words: “**they**”, “**themselves**”, “**her**”, “**his**”, and “**he**”, which can be included as third person deixis. First is the words “**they**” in [1] and “**themselves**” in [2]. Here, the word “**they**” is included as plural pronoun as the subject, while the word “**themselves**” included as plural pronoun as the object. In this case, both of the words “**they**” and “**themselves**” refers to the same thing that is belong to American people as general, because in America, people can own the weapon by their own legally to hunting or protecting themselves.

Second the words “**her**” in [3] and “**his**” in [4] are included as third person deixis. Both of the word “**her**” and “**his**” are included as singular pronoun because it indicate one

person. The word “*her*” here belongs to a mother who has met by President Barack Obama a few weeks before those election debate was being held. While the word “*his*” belongs to those mother’s son who had been shot in a theater in Aurora.

Third are the words “*he*” in [5], [6], [8] and “*his*” in [7] also included as singular pronoun in third person deixis. The word “*he*” and “*his*” here refers to the same thing. They are belong to Governor Mitt Romney as President Barack Obama’s opposition in those presidential election debate.

Next is the word “*they*” in [9] included as plural pronoun in third person deixis because it indicates more than one person and it belongs to everybody who is mentally disturbed or criminals in America. While the word “*they*” in [10] and [11], belongs to every young person in America.

The last is the word “*them*” in [12] and [13] are also included as plural pronoun in third person deixis. The word “*them*” here belongs to the employers in America.

#### 10) **Section 10**

*OBAMA: “I want to close loopholes that allow companies to deduct expenses when [1]they move to China; that allow [2]them to profit offshore and not have to get taxed, so [3]they have tax advantages offshore.”*

*OBAMA: “One of [4]his big ideas when it comes to corporate tax reform would be to say, if you invest overseas, you*

*make profits overseas, you don't have to pay U.S. taxes.”*

*OBAMA: “If we're not training engineers to make sure that [5]they are equipped here in this country. Then companies won't come here.”*

In section 10, there are three words that were used by President Barack Obama that are included as third person deixis, they are “*they*”, “*them*” and “*his*”. First are the words “*they*” in [1], [3] and “*them*” in [2]. The word “*they*” included as plural pronoun in third person deixis as the subject, while the word “*them*” as the object. Here, both of the word “*they*” and “*them*” refers to the same thing, that is belong to the American companies.

Second is the word “*his*” in [4] which is included as singular pronoun in third person deixis. The word “*his*” here belongs to Governor Mitt Romney. Next the word “*they*” in [5] which is included as plural pronoun. The word “*they*” in this case refers to the engineers that should trained by the government, so they have enough skills that are needed by United States.

#### 11) Section 11

*OBAMA: “I believe Governor Romney is a good man. Loves [1]his family, cares about [2]his faith. But I also believe that when [3]he said behind closed doors that 47 percent of the country considered [4]themselves*

*victims who refuse personal responsibility, think about who [5]he was talking about.”*

*OBAMA: “And I want to fight for [6]them. That's what I've been doing for the last four years. Because if [7]they succeed, I believe the country succeeds.”*

*OBAMA: “When my grandfather fought in World War II and [8]he came back and [9]he got a G.I. Bill and that allowed [10]him to go to college, that wasn't a handout.”*

In the last section, there are six words which can be included as third person deixis, they are “*he*”, “*his*”, “*him*”, “*they*”, “*them*” and “*themselves*”. First are the words “*his*” in [1], [2] and “*he*” in [3], [5] which are included as singular pronoun in third person deixis because it refers to one person. Here, both of the words “*his*” and “*he*” belongs to Governor Mitt Romney. Next is the word “*themselves*” such as we can see in [4], it included as the plural pronoun. It refers to the country who refuse personal responsibility.

Second are the words “*them*” in [6] and “*they*” in [7]. Both of the words “*them*” and “*they*” here, are included as plural pronoun in third person deixis. Here both of those words refers to the same thing, they are belong to folks on Social Security, veterans, students, soldiers, also people who are working hard every day in America.

The last is the words “*he*” in [8], [9] and “*him*” in [10]. The word “*he*” included as singular pronoun as the subject, while the word “*him*” as the object. Both of the words “*he*” and “*him*” refers to the same thing, they are belong to President Barack Obama’s grandfather.

## 2. Place Deixis

Place deixis sometimes also called as spatial deixis. Place deixis concerns the encoding of spatial location of the participant of the speech event. Place deixis is the type of deixis that indicate or pointing such kinds of location or place. The place deixis also depend on the particular distance, which is ‘near from speaker’ called **proximal** and which is ‘away from speaker’ called **distal**. Place deixis can be identified from the use of demonstrative pronoun such as; “*this*” and “*that*”, and also can be identified from demonstrative adverb of place such as; “*here*” and “*there*”. The words “*these*” and “*those*” which are the plural forms of “*this*” and “*that*”, also have the same concept in using it as place deixis. In this case, the researcher found that President Barack Obama used place deixis using the pointing words/phrases: “*here*”, “*there*”, “*out there*”, “*that*”, “*this*”, “*these*”, “*those*”, “*in war theater*”, and “*on the streets*”.

### 1) Section 1

*OBAMA: “Now, the most important thing we can do is to make sure that we are creating jobs in [1]this country.”*

*OBAMA: "I want to do that in industries, not just in Detroit, but all across the country and that means we change our tax code so we're giving incentives to companies that are investing [2]here in the United States and creating jobs [3]here."*

*OBAMA: "And the fact that you're going to college is great, but I want everybody to get a great education and we've worked hard to make sure that student loans are available for folks like you, but I also want to make sure that community colleges are offering slots for workers to get retrained for the jobs that are [4]out there right now and the jobs of the future."*

In the first section, there are three words that were used by President Barack Obama to show the place deixis, they are "**this**", "**here**" and "**out there**". The word "**this**" in [1] in the utterances above is included as proximal term in place deixis, because it refers to the specific place and has a function as demonstrative pronoun. The word "**this**" in this section refers to The United States of America. It can be seen by understanding the context in the video that it refers to the country where President Barack Obama live that is United States. Next is the word "**here**" such as we can see in [2] and [3] in utterances above. The word "**here**" also included as proximal term in place deixis because it indicate the place that near from the speaker. Here, the word "**here**" belongs to The United States. It can be known, because at the time President Barack Obama was talking about his plan in increasing the job in United States.

The last is the phrase “*out there*” such as in [4]. Different with the word “*here*” and “*this*” explained before, the phrase “*out there*” is included as distal term in place deixis because it indicate the place which are away from speaker. Based on the context, the phrase “*out there*” refers to the place outside of the United States, it can be the countries around the United States. Here, President Barack Obama has a plan to make sure that United States should have the best education in the world, so the college student after graduate have enough skills to work not only in United States but also in place out of United States.

## 2) Section 2

*OBAMA: “And I'm not going to cede those jobs of the future to [1]those countries. I expect those new energy sources to be built right [2]here in the United States.”*

*OBAMA: “So what we said was you can't just sit on [3]this for 10, 20, 30 years, decide when you want to drill, when you want to produce, when it's most profitable for you. [4]These are public lands. So if you want to drill on public lands, you use it or you lose it.”*

*OBAMA: “When you've got thousands of people right now in Iowa, right now in Colorado, who are working, creating wind power with good-paying manufacturing jobs, and the Republican senator in [5]that -- in Iowa is all for it, providing tax breaks (ph) to help this work and Governor Romney says I'm opposed. I'd get rid of it.”*

In section 2, there are five words were used to present place deixis, they are *“those”*, *“here”*, *“this”*, *“these”*, and *“that”*.

First is the word *“those”* in [1] is included as distal term in place deixis. Here, the word *“those”* belongs to China and Germany who are making investment in clean energy part. Next is the word *“here”* in 2 which is included as proximal term in place deixis. The word *“here”* in this case belongs to the country where President Barack Obama live that is United States. In this section, President Barack Obama was explaining about his plan in getting the clean energy source such as that have been done by China and Germany.

Second is the word *“this”* in [3] and *“these”* in [4]. The word *“this”* is the proximal term in place deixis, while the word *“these”* is included as distal term in place deixis. Both of the words *“this”* and *“these”* here refers to the same thing, they are belong to the public lands which drilled by American oil companies.

The last is the word *“that”* in [5]. The word *“that”* in this section also included as distal term in place deixis. Here, the word *“that”* indicates to the place that away from speaker and it refers to the place in Iowa.

### 3) Section 3

*OBAMA: “And when Governor Romney stands [1]here, after a year of campaigning, when during a Republican primary he stood on stage and said “I’m going to give tax cuts” -- he didn’t say tax rate cuts, he said “tax cuts to everybody,”*

*including the top 1 percent, you should believe him because that's been his history."*

In the third section, the researcher found that the place deixis only used once using the word "**here**". The word "**here**" in this section is included as proximal term in place deixis because it indicates the place where near from speaker. Here, the word "**here**" refers to the place where those election debate was being held, and where President Barack Obama was speaking during those election debate was happening that is in Hofstra University, New York. In this case, President Barack Obama was criticizing Governor Romney statement.

#### 4) Section 4

*OBAMA: "And as a consequence, we've seen millions of young people be able to afford college, and that's going to make sure that young women are going to be able to compete in [1]**that** marketplace."*

*OBAMA: "That makes a difference in whether they can go [2]**out there** and -- and earn a living for their family."*

In section four, place deixis is used twice such as can be seen in the utterances above, we can see two words that included in time deixis, they are "**that**" and "**out there**". Both of the words "**that**" and "**out there**" above are included as the distal form of place deixis, because they are indicate the place that are away from speaker. The word "**that**" in [1] refers to the marketplace where the American

women are able to compete to get the jobs. In this case President Barack Obama was talking about his plan in solving the jobs problem for the women. While the word “*out there*” refers to the place outside of women house, it can be everywhere American women can get the jobs.

#### 5) Section 5

*OBAMA: I want to make sure our timekeepers are working [1]here.”*

In the fifth section, the researcher found that the place deixis only used once by President Barack Obama and it used the word “*here*” such as can be seen in utterances above. The word “*here*” are included as proximal term in place deixis, because it indicate the place where are near from speaker. The word “*here*” in this section refers to the place where those election debate was being held also the place where President Barack Obama was speaking at the time. And its place is in Hofstra University, New York.

#### 6) Section 7

*OBAMA: “We all understand what [1]this country has become because talent from all around the world wants to come [2]here.”*

*OBAMA: “They'll make things happen to create jobs [3]here in the United States.”*

*OBAMA: “I'm [4]here.”*

In this section, the place deixis presented by using the words “*here*” and “*this*”. But here, the researcher writes down the place deixis that are used different word or has the different meaning. First is the word “*this*” such as can be seen in [1] in utterances above. The word “*this*” is included as proximal term in place deixis because it indicate the place that are near from speaker. In this case, the word “*this*” refers to United States. It can be seen by the use of the word “*this*” then followed by the word “*country*”, so in this case President Barack Obama is talk about the country where he live that is United States.

Next, such as can be seen above, we can see three place deixis using the word “*here*”. All the word “*here*” in utterances above are included as proximal term of place deixis because it indicate the place that are near from speaker, but not all of them has the same meaning. The word “*here*” in [2] and [3] indicate the same place, they are refers to United States as the country where President Barack Obama doing those election debate also as the country where he live. While the word “*here*” in [4] has the different meaning, it refers to the specific place where the speaker was speaking, that is the place where those election debate being held, in Hofstra University, New York.

## 7) Section 8

*OBAMA: “I send them [1]there, oftentimes into harm's way.”*

*OBAMA: “And then a few days later, I was [2]there greeting the caskets coming into Andrews Air Force Base and grieving with the families.”*

In section 8, place deixis used by President Barack Obama using the word “*there*”. Here, the researcher writes down the word “*there*” that has different meaning or interpretation. The word “*there*” can be included in place deixis because it indicate the place that away from speaker (distal form) and has the function as demonstrative adverb of place. The word “*there*” in [1] used by President Barack Obama above, has the meaning or refers to one of the city that is Benghazi in Libya. At the time, President Barack Obama want to explain about the attack that strike down The American Embassy and killed four people. President Barack Obama want to explain that he is the guy who sent those American people in Benghazi, Libya, and he take responsibility for that by doing everything he can do as U.S. President to save their life there.

While the word “*there*” such as can be seen in [2] has the different meaning with the word “*there*” in [1] explained before. Here, the word “*there*” refers to the Andrews Air Forces where the caskets of four American who became victims toward the attack in American embassy in Benghazi are coming. Then, president Barack Obama went there fo greeting and grieving with their family.

## 8) Section 9

*OBAMA: "You know, just a couple of weeks ago, actually, probably about a month, I saw a mother, who I had met at the bedside of her son, who had been shot in [1]that theater."*

*OBAMA: "But I also share your belief that weapons that were designed for soldiers [2]in war theaters don't belong on our streets."*

*OBAMA: "And so what can we do to intervene, to make sure that young people have opportunity; that our schools are working; that if there's violence [3]on the streets, that working with faith groups and law enforcement, we can catch it before it gets out of control."*

In section 9 the researcher found that place deixis were used President Barack Obama are "*that*", "*in war theater*" and "*on the streets*". First, the word "*that*" in [1] such as can be seen in utterances above, is included as distal form in place deixis. Here, the word "*that*" refers to the theater in Aurora. Next is the phrase "*in war theater*" such as in [2] also included as place deixis. In this case, those phrase also refers to the theater in Aurora. In this section, President Barack Obama told about someone who has been attacked using the assault weapon in the theater in Aurora.

Next is the phrase "*on the streets*" such as can be seen in [3]. Those phrase also included as the place deixis, because it indicates the specific place. The phrase "*on the streets*" here refers to the public place in United States. It can be known by understanding the

context in the video, in this case President Barack Obama was explaining about his plan to forbid the use of assault weapons by American people who are not soldier.

#### 9) Section 10

*OBAMA: "That's not the way we're going to create jobs [1]here. The way we're going to create jobs [2]here is not just to change our tax code, but also to double our exports."*

*OBAMA: "If we're not training engineers to make sure that they are equipped [3]here in [4]this country."*

In section 10, the researcher found that the place deixis is shown by using the words "*here*" and "*this*". First is the word "*here*" such as can be seen in [1], [2], and [3] in utterances above. The word "*here*" included as place deixis because it indicate the certain place that near from speaker (proximal term). Here, it refers to United States as the country who led by President Barack Obama. In this section, President Barack Obama talk about how his plan in increasing the jobs in United States. While the word "*this*" also included as proximal term in place deixis. The word "*this*" here also indicate the same place such as the word "*here*" which explained before, that is refers to United States.

#### 10) Section 11

*OBAMA: "Folks on Social Security who've worked all their lives. Veterans who've sacrificed for [1]this country. Students who are [2]out there trying to hopefully advance their own dreams, but also [3]this country's dreams. Soldiers*

*who are overseas fighting for us right now. People who are working hard every day, paying payroll tax, gas taxes, but don't make enough income.”*

In the last section, the researcher found that place deixis only shown using two words, such as can be seen in utterances above. First is the word *“this”* shown in [1] and [3] which included as proximal term of place deixis. Here, both of the word *“this”* in utterances above indicate the same thing, and it refers to United States. While, the phrase *“out there”* shown in [2] included as distal term in place deixis because it indicate the certain place that away from speaker. In this section, the phrase *“out there”* refers to the place outside of the speaker was talking or outside of the place where those election debate was being held, it can be around the United States or other countries outside of United States. President Barack Obama talk about American student who hopefully reach their dreams also their country’s dream.

### **3. Time Deixis**

Time deixis also called as temporal deixis is concerns the encoding of temporal points and spans relative to the time at which the utterance was spoken. Simply, time deixis can be define as the type of deixis that indicate or pointing particular times. Here, there are some words and phrases that used by President Barack Obama to show the use of time deixis during those

election debate was being held, they are *now*, *right now*, *tomorrow*, *then*, *during*, *today*, *the future*, *the last decade*, *in decades*, *the next day*, *two weeks ago*, *the next four years*, etc.

### 1) Section 1

*OBAMA: “[1]Now, the most important thing we can do is to make sure that we are creating jobs in this country.*

*OBAMA: “And the fact that you're going to college is great, but I want everybody to get a great education and we've worked hard to make sure that student loans are available for folks like you, but I also want to make sure that community colleges are offering slots for workers to get retrained for the jobs that are out there [2]right now and the jobs of [3]the future.”*

*OBAMA: “And let's take the money that we've been spending on war over [4]the last decade to rebuild America, roads, bridges schools.”*

In the first section, President Barack Obama used time deixis by using the words “*now*”, “*right now*”, “*the future*” and “*the last decade*”. First is the word “*now*” such as can be seen in [1] included as time deixis, because it indicates to the specific times. Here, the word “*now*” refers to the time in which speech event happen. In this case, President Barack Obama explain about what should government do to create more jobs in United States that needed around the time or situation when those election debate was being held.

Second, the phrase “*right now*” such in [2] and “*the future*” such in [3] used by President Barack Obama above are included on time deixis type because it indicate a specific time too. In this case, the words “*right now*” refers to the certain situation of the time when President Barack Obama was getting debate speech at the time. While, “*the future*” in utterances above refers to the time in the future, it can be 50 years after or 100 years after those election debate was being held, but the main purpose is it used to indicate the time for the next generation of American people. It can be seen by understanding about President Barack Obama’s plan about how to create many jobs when he becoming the U.S. President.

The last is the phrase “*the last decade*” such can be seen in [4]. Those phrase also included as time deixis because it refers to the specific time before speech event happened. Here, President Barack Obama told about the time that spent by American people to rebuild their country until the time when those election debate was being held.

## 2) Section 2

*OBAMA: “Natural gas production is the highest it's been [1]in decades.”*

*OBAMA: “And if we are only thinking about [2]tomorrow or [3]the next day and not thinking about [4]10 years from now, we're not going to control our own economic future.”*

*OBAMA: "That's the strategy you need, an all-of-the-above strategy, and that's what we're going to do in [5]the next four years."*

*OBAMA: "When you've got thousands of people [6]right now in Iowa, [7]right now in Colorado, who are working, creating wind power with good-paying manufacturing jobs, and the Republican senator in that -- in Iowa is all for it, providing tax breaks (ph) to help this work and Governor Romney says I'm opposed. I'd get rid of it."*

First is the phrase "*in decades*" in [1] which indicates the certain times, that is refers to some years before those speech event happen until the right time when President Barack Obama was speaking about it. In this section, President Barack Obama talked about the condition of natural gas production in United States has been in highest level until the last time he had been U.S. President. So, the phrase "*in decades*" included as time deixis.

Second, in the utterances above, we can find the time deixis, "*tomorrow*" such in [2], "*the next day*" such in [3], and phrase "*10 years from now*" such in [4]. The word "*tomorrow*" in [2] refers to the next day after those election debate happened and it indicates the sort time after speech event happened. next, the words "*the next day*" in [3] which is refer to the time in few days after speech event happened and it means that "*the next day*" also indicate the sort time that near from speaker when President Barack Obama said about it. While, the phrase "*10 years from now*" in the utterances above

refers to next time that away from speech event happened. Exactly, it indicates 10 years after those election debate was being held.

Third, we also can see the phrase “*the next four years*” such in [5] in utterances above. Phrase “*the next four years*” above refers to the period when one of the president candidates chosen as U.S. President for the next four years. It means that it refers to the specific time after the speech event happened, so in this case the phrase “*the next four years*” also included as time deixis.

The last is the phrase “*right now*” such can be seen in [6] and [7] in utterances above. The phrase “*right now*” belongs to the specific time when speech event happened. In this case, President Barack Obama was talking about people who worked hard to build wind energy source in Iowa and Colorado until the time when those election debate was being held.

### 3) Section 3

*OBAMA: “I’m ready to sign that bill [1]right now.*

*OBAMA: “[2]Now, Governor Romney has a different philosophy. He was on [3]60 Minutes just [4]two weeks ago and he was asked: Is it fair for somebody like you, making \$20 million a year, to pay a lower tax rate than a nurse or a bus driver, somebody making \$50,000 year? And he said, “Yes, I think that’s fair.” Not only that, he said, “I think that’s what grows the economy.”*

*OBAMA: “[5]Now, Governor Romney was a very successful investor. If somebody came to you, Governor, with a plan that said, here, I want to spend \$7 or \$8 trillion, and*

*[6]then we're going to pay for it, but we can't tell you until maybe after the election how we're going to do it, you wouldn't take such a sketchy deal and neither should you, the American people, because the math doesn't add up."*

In the third section, there are some word and phrase which can be included as time deixis used by President Barack Obama. First is the phrase "**right now**" such in [1] which indicates the specific times when the speech event happens. Here, President Barack Obama was talking about reducing the taxes for 98 percent of American families and 97 percent small business when he became U.S. President at the time.

Second is the word "**now**" in [2] and in [5] also included as time deixis because it indicates the specific time when those speech event happens. The word "**now**" in [2] used by President Barack Obama when he was talking about the philosophy used by Governor Romney at the time when those election debate was being held. While the word "**now**" in [5] used when he was telling about the condition of Governor Romney as the successful investor at the time when those election debate being held. Next is the phrase "**60 minutes**" that can be seen in [3] and "**two weeks ago**" in [4]. Both of those phrase also included as time deixis because it refers to the specific times before the speech event happens. In this case President Barack Obama used those phrase when told about Governor Romney's statement when he was on the congress than was held

around 60 minutes about two weeks before those election debate was being held.

The last is the word “*then*” such in [6] in the utterances above is included in time deixis because it refers to the specific times after the speech event happens. In this case, President Barack Obama was criticizing Governor Romney’s plan by talking about what happen after those plan applied in next time.

#### 4) Section 4

*OBAMA: “She trained people who would end up becoming her bosses [1]during the course of her career.*

*OBAMA: “I’m going to continue to push on this issue for [2]the next four year.”*

*OBAMA: “[3]Now, there are some other issues that have a bearing on how women succeed in the workplace.”*

First is the word “*during*” such can be seen in [1] included as time deixis because it refers to the specific time before the speech event happen. In this section, President Barack Obama told about his grandmother who trained by her boss when she work at a local bank in the past. So, the word “*during*” here indicate the specific time in the past a long time before those election debate was being held.

Second is the phrase “*the next four years*”, used by President Barack Obama such in [2] in utterances above also included as time deixis because indicate the specific time after speech event happens. But in this case, “*the next four years*” is not easily can be interpret

as four years after this election debate happened. Based on the context in the video, “*the next four years*” in the utterances above is refer to the time when President Barack Obama is becoming The United States President twice for the next periods. It is be based on his plan to solve the problems in U.S. about women issues in workplace if he became U.S. President for the next period.

The last is the word “*now*” in [3] which also included as time deixis. The word “*now*” here refers to the specific time when speech event happens. In this section President Barack Obama was talking about the condition and issues in United States when those election debte was being held.

#### 5) Section 5

*OBAMA: “Well, first of all, I think it's important to tell you that we did come in [1]during some tough times.”*

*OBAMA: “[2]Now, we've seen 30 consecutive -- 31 consecutive months of job growth; 5.2 million new jobs created.”*

In the fifth section, the researcher found that times deixis only used twice such as shown in utterances above. The word “*during*” can be seen in [1] in utterances above refers to the specific time before the speech event happens. Here, President Barack Obama was telling about how was the U.S. condition when he started became U.S. President last years. So, this is the reason why the word “*during*” can be included as time deixis. Next, the word “*now*” such in [2] in utterances above can be included into time deixis too,

because it refers to the time and situation in which happen in United States during the election debate was held. It can be known by knowing the context based on the video. At the time, President Barack Obama is explained what plan he have achieved during become U.S. President for last four years.

## 6) Section 6

*OBAMA: “But [1]four years ago, I told the American people and I told you I would cut taxes for middle class families. And I did.”*

*OBAMA: “[2]Now, does that mean you're not struggling? Absolutely not. A lot of us are.”*

*OBAMA: “Making sure that we are controlling our own energy, but not only the energy of [3]today, but also the energy of [4]the future.”*

In section 6, President Barack Obama used the words or phrase that can be included as time deixis four times such as shown in utterances above. First is the phrase “*four years ago*” can be seen in [1] in utterances above belongs to the specific times before those speech event happens. Here, President Barack Obama was telling about what his plan four years ago during campaign when he became the U.S. President candidates at the first time. Next is the word “*now*” such as in [2] also included as time deixis because it refers to the time when President Barack Obama was talking in that time in those election debate.

Last is the word “*today*” in [3] is also included in time deixis because it refers to the time and the situation when those election debate is held. It can be known by viewing the situation and the explanation of President Barack Obama when he was getting debate speech. Meanwhile, there is no specific meaning for the words “*the future*” shown in [4], but it also indicate the time for the next generation of American people, and it is the reason why “*the future*” in the utterances above also can be included in time deixis.

## 7) Section 7

*OBAMA: “Number two, we do have to deal with our border so we put more border patrol on the -- any time in history and the flow of undocumented works across the border is actually lower than it's been [1]in 40 years.”*

*OBAMA: “[2]Now, Governor Romney just said, you know he wants to help those young people too, but [3]during the Republican primary, he said, "I will veto the DREAM Act", that would allow these young people to have access.”*

*OBAMA: “[4]Now, we've got to make sure that we do it in a smart way and a comprehensive way, and we make the legal system better.”*

In this section, there is only three words which are included as time deixis, such as shown in utterances above. First is the phrase “*in 40 years*” such can be seen in [1]. Those phrase included as time deixis because it indicates the specific times before the speech event happens. In that time, President Barack Obama was talking about the

condition of United States 40 years before until those election debate was being held. Next is the word “*now*” such as can be seen in [2] and [4] in this section also can be included in time deixis because it refers to the specific time when speech event is happen. The word “*now*” indicating the time and situation when those election debate speech was happening. President Barack Obama also using the word “*now*” with the purpose to make sure in applying his plan in the next time.

The last is the word “*during*” such can be seen in [3]. The word “*during*” in this section refers to the specific times before the speech event happens. Here, President Barack Obama reviewing Governor Romney’s statement when he was in Republican primary and it shown by using the word “*during*”. This is the reason why the word “*during*” also included as time deixis.

## 8) Section 8

*OBAMA: “[1]Now Governor Romney had a very different response.*

*OBAMA: “[2]The day after the attack, governor, I stood in the Rose Garden and I told the American people in the world that we are going to find out exactly what happened.”*

*OBAMA: “And [3]then a few days later, I was there greeting the caskets coming into Andrews Air Forces Base and grieving with the families.”*

In section 8, the time deixis only used three times such as shown in utterances above. First is the word “*now*” included as time

deixis, because it indicates the specific time when speech event happen. Here, President Barack Obama reviewing about Governor Romney's response toward the attack that happened to U.S. embassy in Benghazi, Libya.

Next is the phrase "*the day after the attack*" in utterances above also can be included as time deixis, because it belongs to the specific times before the speech event happens. Here, President Barack Obama was talking about what he have done in the day after the attack that happened toward U.S. embassy in Benghazi, Libya.

The last is the word "*then*" in utterances above refers the time in few days after President Barack Obama gave the speech in the Rose Garden. So, the word "*then*" also can be included as time deixis too.

## 9) Section 9

*OBAMA: "But there have been too many instances [1]during the course of my presidency, where I've had to comfort families who have lost somebody."*

*OBAMA: "When it comes to community colleges, we are setting up programs, including with Nassau Community College, to retrain workers, including young people who may have dropped out of the school but [2]now are getting another chance, training them for the jobs that exist [3]right now."*

In this section, there are three words that were used by President Barack Obama in his debate speech, they are "*during*",

“*now*” and “*right now*”. First, is the word “*during*” in utterances above belongs to the specific times when President Barack Obama becoming U.S. President until those election debate was being held. So, the word “*during*” can be included as time deixis. Next is the word “*now*” and “*right now*” that used in utterances above has the same meaning. They included in time deixis because they are refer to the specific time in present. In this case, based on the context in the video, those words refers to the time or situation where President Barack Obama getting those election debate versus Governor Romney. By using the utterances above, President Barack Obama want to explain that people who dropped out from their school still given chance and trained to get a better job by the government that lead by him at the time.

#### 10) Section 10

*OBAMA: “[1]Now, Governor Romney actually wants to expand those tax breaks.”*

*OBAMA: “[2]Then companies won't come here.”*

First is the word “*now*” in utterances above can be included as time deixis because it refers to the specific times when the speech event happens. In this section President Barack Obama criticizing about Governor Romney has stated during those election debate. Next is the word “*then*” in utterances above also can be included as

time deixis because it belongs to the time in the future that are going to happen if the U.S. government didn't equip the trained engineers.

### 11) Section 11

*OBAMA: "Soldiers who are overseas fighting for us [1]right now. People who are working hard [2]every day, paying payroll tax, gas taxes, but don't make enough income."*

*OBAMA: "That's why I'm asking for your vote and that's why I'm asking for [3]another four years."*

In the last section, first is the word "*right now*" such as shown in utterances above refers to the specific time when the speech event happens. Next is the phrase "*every day*" such shown in utterances above also can be included as time deixis, because it refers to the work day of American people.

The last is the phrase "*another four years*" used by President Barack Obama shown in utterances above is included in time deixis. Those phrase is refer to the time or the day for becoming United States President in the next period. By using phrase "*another four years*", President Barack Obama want ask the vote from all of U.S. nation that can make him to be The U.S. President for his second times until the next four years, so he can fix all of his plan that have not carried out yet and finish his job as U.S. President for better future of United States.