

## ABSTRACT

**Nur cahyanti J.2014.***Politeness Strategies Used by English Teacher in Classroom Interaction.* Under the thesis Of English Education Department the faculty of Teachers Training and education, University Muhammadiyah of Makassar, guided by Hj. Andi Tenri Ampa and Andi Asri Jumiatiy.

This research aimed at finding out the types of politeness strategies used by English teacher in classroom interaction. The data were conducted on Octobers 2018 from two teachers at SMPN 4 Tamalatea.

This used descriptive qualitative research; the instruments were an observation checklist and interview. The observation checklist was to know the dominantly used the type of politeness strategies in classroom interaction and the interview was distributed to the teachers at SMPN 4 Tamalatea.

The findings of this research showed that the teacher used the types of politeness strategies, they are positive politeness, negative politeness, bald On Record and Off the record. The used of types the dominantly used the teachers is Bald On Record.

**Keywords:** Politeness Strategies, English Teacher, Classroom Interaction.