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## UNIVERSITY MEMORANDUM

MEMO NO. : Memo 25-26:17  
DATE : September 2, 2025  
TO : The AdZU Community  
SUBJECT : **Adoption of Magis-360 and AI Guidelines for Teaching and Learning**

Ateneo de Zamboanga University affirms its commitment to resilient, mission-aligned education. I am pleased to inform you that two key documents (see attached documents) have been reviewed, approved, and signed by our academic heads:

1. **Magis-360: AdZU General Blended Learning Framework** – our official model for instructional delivery, integrating self-paced study, live sessions, and academic consultations to ensure continuity of learning in all circumstances.
2. **AdZU Guidelines on Responsible Use of Artificial Intelligence (AI) for Teaching and Learning** – our University-wide policy for ethical and transparent AI use, ensuring integrity while encouraging thoughtful integration. The **AdZU AI Declaration Form** will accompany submissions where AI tools are employed.

I wish to thank **Mr. Romeo Rabajante, Jr.** and the **CDBL team**, together with our academic leaders, for their collaboration in bringing these frameworks to life.

Our approach is consistent with the Catholic Church’s guidance on emerging technologies. The **Rome Call for AI Ethics** urges that AI be guided by transparency, inclusion, accountability, impartiality, reliability, and respect for privacy. The Vatican’s 2025 Note *Antiqua et nova* further reminds us that while AI is powerful, it can never replace the human intelligence created in the image of God. AI must remain at the service of human dignity and the common good.

Let us embrace Magis-360 and the AI Guidelines not merely as policies, but as tools for formation; helping us to teach and learn with competence, integrity, and discernment, always for and with others.

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