Official Stance of the Vice-Rector for Student Affairs and Academic Programs on the use of Artificial Intelligence in Teaching and Learning

The breakthrough in the development and dissemination of generative artificial intelligence that we are currently witnessing offers unique possibilities, but also challenges. Wroclaw University of Economics and Business sees the latter as opportunities for pursuing our mission of educating future business experts and leaders and creating an environment for the development of the knowledge, skills and competencies of the future.

Generative artificial intelligence will significantly change the process of education and learning. An important challenge for our University is to introduce new methods of developing knowledge, skills and competencies, while at the same time acknowledging the limitations and possibilities of this technology.

In order to align this process with the values of our academic community, we adopt the following principles for the application of artificial intelligence in education and learning:

1. **Openness:** AI tools have the potential to inspire innovation in the education and learning processes, both in terms of the expected learning outcomes, as well as in terms of teaching methods and ways of verifying knowledge and skills.
2. **Ethical use of AI tools**: extreme care is required in terms of the use of AI tools in an ethical way, paying particular attention to potential risks such as bias, discrimination or the use of other author's works.
3. **Autonomy**: academic teachers are free to decide on the extent of acceptable use of AI tools in the courses they teach, including in the students' work and verification methods of learning outcomes. The principles of using AI tools are communicated to students in their first classes.
4. **Responsibility and critical thinking**: everyone using AI tools is responsible for the quality of the content presented, its accuracy and copyright issues.
5. **Transparency**: the use of AI tools in the content presented must be clearly stated, including the extent and manner of such use. Failure to exercise due diligence in this regard constitutes a breach of the University's values*.
6. **Privacy and data security**: the use of AI tools requires compliance with the necessary standards of privacy and data security, especially when using open platforms that may collect or store sensitive data.

Wroclaw University of Economics and Business supports the development of skills in terms of the ethical and effective use of AI tools by academic teachers and students in their work. We strive to provide equal access to AI tools and the necessary infrastructure.

* model declaration on the use of AI tools:

"In preparing this paper, I have used selected AI tools to the following extent: [Name and version of tool or service, (scope and objectives]). The content resulting from the use of these tools has been reviewed and edited by me to the extent that I can declare that I am the author of the entire work".