

PONTIFICAL GREGORIAN UNIVERSITY
INSTITUTE OF ANTHROPOLOGY
Interdisciplinary Studies on Human Dignity and Care

DECLARATION OF INTENT

The Institute of Anthropology (IADC), an academic institute of the Pontifical Gregorian University, seeks to promote Safeguarding measures and the protection of minors and vulnerable people through formation, education and interdisciplinary research.

By basing its approach on an anthropological view of human life from a Christian perspective, the IADC researches and teaches on the issues of human dignity and care in an intercultural and interdisciplinary way.

The Institute contributes to the development of a common model of a safer world, it raises awareness of the urgency of safeguarding, especially with regard to minors and vulnerable adults, and prepares experts from all over the world to prevent abuse in any form.

The IADC envisions a world where all humans can live in freedom and without fear from violation of their dignity and receive the care they need and deserve.

Through education, formation and research, the IADC aims to train current and future safeguarding professionals in applying measures that promote and protect human dignity, as well as create healthy relationships and environments.

The IADC strives to educate professionals – both lay and religious – who work to protect vulnerable people and to apply their knowledge in different societal and cultural contexts for the good of the Church and society as a whole.