



Minor in German

Don't let the beautiful campus deceive you. Like a mountain, Ateneo has its muddy trails, narrow ridges, and impossible assaults. Sometimes, you just want to stop completely or maybe, just jump off the nearest cliff. Hopefully, you'd end up in a better place. But, there is no better place. Once you're on a summit, it's beautiful. Yet there is something more beautiful: the friendships you've made, and the better person you've become on that mountain. Injured, tired, and gross, but content.



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From overseas sands to tropical fields of green, I have learned to conquer the fear of leaving home for my dreams. From being the best of the class to being a mediocre among a sea of scholars, I have gained as much humility as lessons. From playing safe to taking risks, I have achieved the courage to take on what it means to be a woman for others.

Here's to taking a leap of faith with the blue and white, and to discovering the essence of MAGIS. Thank you, Ateneo.

On to greater heights!