Constitution of Artificial Intelligence and Law Society

Article I: Name

Section 1: The name of this organization shall be Artificial Intelligence and Law Society.

Article II: Purpose

Section 1: The purpose of this organization shall be to:

(1) Educate law students, faculty, and professionals on the implications and applications of artificial intelligence (AI) in legal practice, including ethical regulatory, and technological concerns.
(2) Innovate by fostering discussions on how AI can improve legal practice, enhance access to justice, and create solutions for contemporary legal challenges.
(3) Foster collaboration between students, legal professionals, technologists, and industry experts to bridge the gap between AI and the legal profession.
(4) Advocate and promote the responsible and ethical use of AI in the legal profession while ensuring that AI technologies enhance, rather than undermine, the principles of justice and fairness.
(5) Host events that introduce legal professional and students to cutting-edge developments at the intersection of AI and the law.

Article III: Affiliations

Section 1: This organization is not affiliated with any other organization. This organization may pursue partnerships with other University of Miami School of Law organizations, legal tech groups, and innovation hubs to support student-led AI initiatives and expand networking opportunities.

Article IV: Membership

Section 1: General membership and Executive Board membership are open to all enrolled students at the University of Miami School of Law. The membership of this organization shall consist of students who have signed up for Artificial Intelligence and Law Society emails.

Section 2: This organization and its members shall not discriminate against any individuals for reasons of race, religion, color, sex, age,

disability, sexual orientation, gender identity/expression, veteran status, or national origin.

Section 3: There shall be two categories of membership:

1. General Members: Open to all students who sign up for the organization's email list or attend events.
2. Active Members: students who participate regularly in meetings and contribute to initiatives.

Article V: Executive Board and Officers

Section 1: The officers of the organization shall consist of the following:

A. President
B. Vice-President
C. Secretary
D. Treasurer
E. Historian

The duties of the officers shall be set forth in the Bylaws. Additional officer positions may be created as needed by amending the Bylaws.

Section 2: All officers must be members of the organization.

Section 3: The term of each office shall run from April 1 to May 31 and last for one year. If the organization does not elect officers prior to April 1, the organization will become inactive in accordance with the rules of the University of Miami School of Law. The process for electing officers and filling vacancies shall be in accordance with the Bylaws.

Section 4: Elections shall be conducted via a voting process outlined in the organization's bylaws. Vacancies shall be filled through a special emergency election.

Article VI: Committees

Section 1: The Executive Board may establish committees as necessary to achieve organizations objectives. Committees may include but are not limit to:

1. Fundraising Committee
2. Speakers and Panel Discussions Committee
3. Communications Committee

Each committee shall be led by a designated office or appointed committee chair determined at each election interval.

Article VII: Meetings

Section 1: The Society shall hold general meetings at least once per month during the academic year.

Section 2: Executive Board meetings shall occur at least once per semester to review progress, budget, and strategic initiatives.

Article VIII: Amendments

Section 1: This constitution may be amended by a two-thirds vote of the membership at any regular or special meeting.

Section 2: Notice of a proposed amendment shall be delivered by email to the member list no less than one week prior to the date of the vote.

Article IX: Recordkeeping

Section 1: This document shall be recorded and published on the Artificial Intelligence and Law website.

Section 2: Financial records shall be managed by the Treasurer and reviewed at least once per semester by the Executive Board.

Article X: Dissolution

Section 1: In the event that the organization becomes inactive, any remaining funds shall be transferred to a University of Miami School of Law student fund or a related academic initiative, as determined by the faculty advisor, and the Executive Board, by the approval of the Dean of Students.

Approval & Ratification – at the Organization's First Meeting

Date:

Name of Organizer:

Date:

Initials of Faculty Advisor: