# THE OUTDOOR ADVENTURE CLUB OF THE CHICAGO-KENT COLLEGE OF LAW, IIT

## Introduction

#### Section 1

The purpose of the Outdoor Adventure Club is: to draw from the wealth of student experience with outdoor adventures and to share this knowledge with the Chicago-Kent community; to create opportunities for students to participate in outdoor adventures, and; to use outdoor adventures as a unique and memorable networking experience.

#### Section 2

The Outdoor Adventure Club will benefit the Chicago-Kent community: by promoting exciting outdoor adventures; by using the combined knowledge of the student body to expose students to a variety of outdoor adventures, and; by connecting students to legal professional who enjoy outdoor sports and recreation.

# Section 3

The Outdoor Adventure Club proposes that Chicago-Kent students Edward Gonzalez, Keenan Daniels, and Michael Mason shall be its initial officers until a sufficient number of members can be assembled and proper elections can be held.

# CONSTITUTION OF THE OUTDOOR ADVENTURE CLUB OF THE CHICAGO-KENT COLLEGE OF LAW, IIT

#### Preamble

We, the students of Chicago-Kent College of Law, IIT; in order to facilitate within the school's community an appreciation for the outdoors; to promote networking opportunities among students and legal professionals who share a passion for outdoor sports; and to create opportunities for students to enjoy and learn about outdoor recreation; do establish this Constitution for the Outdoor Adventure Club of the Chicago-Kent College of Law, IIT.

#### **Article I: Name**

This organization shall be named the Outdoor Adventure Club (OAC) of the Chicago-Kent College of Law, Illinois Institute of Technology.

## **Article II: Membership**

## Section 1

Membership to the Outdoor Adventure Club (OAC) is open to all Chicago-Kent students.

# Section 2

To become a member, a student must give notice to the OAC through email or through one of its officers.

# Section 3

Members shall be notified of all pertinent OAC business through email.

# Section 4

UNLESS OTHERWISE ADOPTED BY RULE Members shall not be required to pay dues in order to establish or maintain their membership with the OAC.

Some OAC activities may require participants to help cover costs associated with those activities.

# **Article III: Executive Committee**

## Section 1

The Executive Committee shall be made up of three elected officers: President, Secretary, and Treasurer.

## Section 2

The officers of the Executive Committee shall be elected by the members of the OAC. Each member of the OAC is entitled to one vote. Yearly elections shall take place by Halloween.

# Article IV: Powers and Duties of the Executive Committee

## Section 1

The Executive Committee's main focus shall be to orchestrate outdoor excursions for the enjoyment and education of Chicago-Kent students. Additionally, the OAC shall endeavor to create opportunities for students to interact with legal professionals through outdoor sports and recreation.

## Section 2

The Executive Committee has the power to raise funds for the OAC.

# Section 3

The Executive Committee has the power to appropriate OAC funds.

## Section 4

The Executive Committee shall formulate its own rules and procedures.

## Section 5

The Executive Committee shall have the power to form other committees when necessary to further the objectives of the OAC.

# **Article V: Officers**

# Section 1

The President shall be the presiding officer over the meetings of the Executive Committee. The President shall communicate with OAC members in order to keep members informed and to solicit feedback or suggestions. The President shall represent the OAC when meeting with any other club, association, organization, or entity.

#### Section 2

The Secretary shall record any votes taken by the Executive Committee. The Secretary will also keep the Calendar. The Secretary shall be responsible for recording any rules implemented by the Executive Committee.

# Section 3

The Treasurer shall maintain the financial records and the official budget of the OAC.

### **Article VI: Constitutional Amendments**

A two-thirds vote by the Executive Committee and a simple majority of the members is necessary for any amendment to these bylaws.