The DreaMIT Constitution

Article I: Purpose
DreaMIT aims to provide support for immigrant youth, incoming undocumented students, and others who wish to join our efforts. Through community service and outreach, we want people to know about the undocumented student population at MIT so more students know they can also reach their dreams. Additionally, we want to create this support group to share resources and information, and raise awareness at MIT.

Article II: Membership

1. Any member of the MIT community is eligible to become a member of this organization. One is considered a member of this organization in any given academic term if he/she has attended at least one organized event by DreaMIT and one meeting in the preceding or current term.
2. DreaMIT's membership will at all times consist of at least 5 MIT students and be more than half MIT students.
3. DreaMIT will not discriminate based on any characteristic listed in MIT's Nondiscrimination Statement.
4. If DreaMIT charges any monetary dues, there will be exceptions made for students that cannot afford these dues.

Article III: Coordination and Collective Leadership

1. DreaMIT will have a collective leadership structure, with equal representation and voting for all its members. Depending on need and capacity of the group, we will elect members into officer or coordinator roles.
   a. Coordinator
      1. The coordinator shall be an official representative of the group to any other organization and to MIT.
      2. The coordinator will ensure there is a designated pointperson to facilitate all meetings.
   b. Treasurer
      1. The treasurer shall be responsible for the finances of the group.
      2. The treasurer is required to sign all checks/vouchers of the group.
2. All officers of this organization must be distinct current MIT students.
3. Elections:
   a. Elections of officers shall occur each semester, unless we rotate coordinator roles between members.
   b. Any member of this organization is eligible to run for any office.
c. Quorum for elections is two-thirds of the group.

d. Any member is elected if he or she wins a majority of the voting members.

e. If more than two people are running and no one wins a majority, then the person with the fewest votes is dropped from the ballot and votes are recast.

f. The term of office runs from one election to the subsequent election.

4. Removal: Officers may be removed by a two-thirds vote of the members.

Article IV: Meetings

1. Meetings shall be held once a week.

2. Meetings shall be run collectively, and a pointperson designated by the collective will help facilitate each meeting.

3. All decisions shall be made by a majority vote of all members present.

4. Quorum for a meeting shall be one-quarter of the members of the organization.

Article V: Amendments

1. Amendments shall be presented by any member of the organization.

2. Amendments shall be passed by majority of the members present.

3. Quorum for amending this constitution shall be majority of all members of the organization.

Article VI: ASA Governance Clause

DreaMIT agrees to abide by the rules and regulations of the Association of Student Activities, and its executive board. This constitution, amendments to it, and the by-laws of this organization shall be subject to review by the ASA Executive Board to ensure that they are in accordance with the aforementioned rules and regulations.