Constitution of PLEASURE

Article I: Purpose

The purpose of Pleasure at MIT is to create a culture at MIT with high expectations for healthy interactions and a culture that is intolerant of violence and disrespect.

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 they have attended at least one meeting in the current term.
2. The organization’s membership will at all times consist of at least 5 MIT students and be more than half MIT students.
3. This organization will not discriminate based on any characteristic listed in MIT's Nondiscrimination Statement.
4. If this organization charges any monetary dues, there will be exceptions made for students that cannot afford these dues.

Article III: Officers

1. This organization will have at a minimum two officers:
   a. President
      1. The president works cooperatively with the entire group and shares responsibility for leading the group with all members equally. The president shares in the responsibility that we all have to retain a respectful environment at all times.
   b. Secretary
      1. The secretary is responsible to seeing that someone takes notes and makes these notes available to the group within 48 hours of the meeting.
   c. Treasurer
      1. The treasurer is responsible for managing the finances of the group, and will approve all disbursements from the group’s accounts.

2. All officers of this organization must be distinct current MIT students.

3. Elections:
   a. Elections of officers shall occur at least once per year in the first month of the fall semester.
   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 at least once per month.
2. Meetings shall be run collaboratively with respect.
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 a two-thirds vote of the members present.
3. Quorum for amending this constitution shall be two-thirds of all members of the organization.

**Article VI: ASA Governance Clause**

PLEASURE @ MIT 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.