International LegalTech Competition

E-ACCESS TO JUSTICE

Considerable expansion of digital technology has changed the way the legal profession is being practised. LegalTech has been incorporated into many areas of law, with the justice sector being no exception. The application of modern technology in the justice system can lead to the development of new and innovative judicial and non-judicial dispute resolution processes aimed at a more efficient pursuit of justice by litigants.

The task of the contestants is to demonstrate how the digitalization of justice may increase the efficiency of the legal system and facilitate access to justice. In the 21st century, it is clear that access to justice could be improved by implementing basic technological tools such as electronic pleading systems and video conferencing.

Dear Participants, just think outside the box! How can technology be more effectively integrated into the justice system? Are there more innovative ways that will reduce the problems associated with achieving timely and fair justice (whether it is administered by court or achieved by other means). Or perhaps there is an innovative way to identify constraints to access to justice? Or are you able to come up with an effective tool to increase public confidence in the judiciary?

Keep in mind that innovation is not always technology, innovation is always about people. You may (but need not) assume that there is obviously a positive relationship between judicial technologies and access to justice. But if you think otherwise, show us how to avoid being overly optimistic in this regard and use technology responsibly.

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1st stage (online)
Please submit your presentation/video together with the application form to the following e-mail address: mdymitruk@oirp.wroclaw.pl by midnight on 30 April 2022

2nd stage (onsite)
We shall select finalists who will take part in the second stage of the competition that will take place during the FBE General Congress in Sofia (Bulgaria), 23-25 June 2022. In this stage, the finalists shall make their speeches to the jury.

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