

RESTATED AND AMENDED  
ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF HACKER INITIATIVE

Article I

The name of this corporation is Hacker Initiative.

Article II

A. This corporation is a nonprofit public benefit corporation and is not organized for the private gain of any person. It is organized under the Nonprofit Public Benefit Corporation Law for charitable purposes.

B. The specific purpose of this corporation is to provide financial, creative and technical support to individuals and organizations committed to hacking, experimentation, and deep knowledge in the scientific, technical, engineering, and mathematics (STEM) fields. Additionally, this corporation may engage in any activities that are reasonably related to or in furtherance of its stated charitable and public purposes, or in any other charitable and public activities.

Article III

A. This corporation is organized and operated exclusively for charitable and public purposes within the meaning of Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended (the "Code").

B. No substantial part of any activities of this corporation shall consist of carrying on propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, and the corporation shall not participate or intervene in any political campaign (including the publishing or distribution of statements) on behalf of, or in opposition to, any candidate for public office.

C. Notwithstanding any other provision of these Articles of Incorporation, this corporation shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on (i) by a corporation exempt from federal income tax under Section 501(c)(3) of the Code, or (ii) by a corporation, contributions to which are deductible under section 170(c)(2) of the Code.

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Article VI

The net income and assets of the corporation are irrevocably dedicated to charitable and public purposes and no part of the net income or assets of the corporation shall ever inure to the benefit of any director, officer or member thereof, or to the benefit of any private person, except that the corporation is authorized and empowered to pay reasonable compensation for services rendered and to make payments and distributions in furtherance of the purposes set forth in Article II above.

Article VII

Upon the dissolution or winding up of the corporation, after paying or adequately providing for the debts and obligations of the corporation, the remaining assets of the corporation shall be distributed to a nonprofit fund, foundation or corporation that is organized and operated exclusively for charitable and public purposes and which has established its tax exempt status under Section 501(c)(3) of the Code.

Dated: June 14, 2022

Interim Secretary:

Vicki Friedberg  
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President:

William D. Pollock  
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