Whittier College School of Law

By-Laws of the Campus Democrats

Article I – NAME

§1. This association shall be known as the Campus Democrats.

Article II – AN EQUAL OPPORTUNITY ORGANIZATION

§1. Campus Democrats is an equal opportunity organization. Campus Democrats shall not discriminate on the basis of race, sex, nationality, religion, ethnic origin, physical or mental disability.

Article III – PURPOSES AND GOALS

§1. To support the philosophy and candidates of the Democratic Party.

§2. To support the efforts to increase the participation of Whittier Law School students in Democratic affairs.

§3. To educate and train its members so that they may be better able to:
   • educate students at Whittier Law School about the philosophy of the Democratic Party;
   • assist in the election of local, state, and national Democratic candidates;
   • and affect political change on the local, state, and national level.

§4. To expose the Orange County community to the issues that will affect their daily lives and the avenues available for making a difference in the political system.

Article IV – MEETINGS

§1. A general meeting may be held every two weeks.

§2. All election day activities will require full participation by available students.

§3. Meetings of the Board of Directors, as defined by Article V, may be initiated by any officer upon notification to all directors.
Article V – OFFICERS AND ELECTIONS

§1. The Board of Directors shall consist of the following officers:
   • President / Co-Presidents
   • Vice President
   • Treasurer
   • Communications Director

§2. The Board of Directors shall determine the agenda and policy of the Campus Democrats and coordinate all activities and events.

§3. All positions will be elected once yearly at the second general meeting of the school year.

§4. Members of the Campus Democrats may nominate any other member as a candidate for office, either at the second general meeting or any other meeting of the school year in the event of a vacancy; except for a remaining Co-President who may assume the role of office is vacated; and except that the Vice President shall serve as acting President for the duration of the remaining Co-President’s temporary or permanent absence. Nominations must be seconded by another member and officer is elected by 50%+1 of the members present or by proxy.

§5. All Officers must maintain active involvement in all of the Campus Democrats activities and endeavors.

§6. If any Officer does not maintain active involvement in the, they shall be removed from office by a majority of the vote of the members.

§7. Minutes of each meeting shall be recorded and published within 7 days by an Officer on a rotating basis.

Article VI – DUES

§1. Dues for membership in Campus Democrats at Whittier Law School shall be $5.00 per semester, payable at $10.00 per school year.

Article VII – AMENDMENT TO THE BY-LAWS

§1. The by-laws may be amended by a 2/3 vote of the members.