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Christiana is a Business Technology Lawyer, CEO of "The Hybrid LawTech Firm", empowered by Christiana Aristidou LLC. She has been practicing business and technology law for more than 24 years and has been involved in multijurisdictional and complex business and technology legal projects involving advanced and emerging technologies. Christiana has been advising major local and international players on digital transformation, innovative project financing, regulation, compliance and has trained a great number of individuals, corporations, authorities and regulators.

She is the Director of SmartCity Business, a company that aims to create smart laws and business models that can

be used by smart cities to assess what value they offer citizens by integrating ICT and emerging technologies into their infrastructure and services, enabling the acceleration of change from smart cities to smart societies. She is also a non-executive Director of Rhea Legal Tech, a company that offers AI, machine learning and automation solutions to the legal, regulatory and supervisory industries.

Christiana is the President of the CBA's Technology Committee, a National Delegate to the ISO TC/307 Blockchain Committee actively contributing to Working Group 3 drafting standards on Smart Contracts and to Working Group 6 on Blockchain use cases. She is a member of ITU and has served in ITU-FG-DLTs. She is also a Certified International Legal Project Practitioner (IILPM), a member of the PMI Cyprus Chapter, an approved HRD Trainer, the Ambassador of European Legal Technology Association (ELTA) in Cyprus, and a Digital Transformation Specialist. Christiana is a co-founder, and, until recently, the Vice-Chair of the Cyprus Blockchain Association (CBA) which has recently merged with the Cyprus Blockchain Technologies (CBTs). She is currently a board member of CBTs and holds advisory and directorship positions in technology and investment companies. Christiana is also a technology law author with numerous publications and articles in reputable international journals, legal magazines, and on social media and a regular speaker at national and international law and technology conferences and summits.



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