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Symbol: $\forall V \oplus W = \aleph$

Abstract

This document defines the architecture, behavior, and governance framework of the **Witchborn Systems Web-AI Node**, a lawful, auditable, and corrigible AI interface serving as the operational heart of the Witchborn Systems website. It implements the **Event System Model (ESM)** and **Artificial Collective Intelligence (ACI)** specifications to provide explainable, source-grounded intelligence in full compliance with nonprofit transparency standards.

1. Purpose

The Web-AI Node transforms Witchborn Systems' public website into a living, ethical intelligence interface — a bridge between human oversight and autonomous computation. Its purpose is threefold:

- 1. To provide transparent AI interactions for the public and research partners.
- 2. To enforce corrigibility and ethical law-governed computation through the ESM.
- 3. To maintain immutable, verifiable audit trails for every AI-generated advisory, report, or decision.

2. System Overview

The Web-AI Node is an **Event-Driven Contextual Intelligence** system.

Each user query, document, or interaction is treated as a **lawful event**, processed through the ACI kernel, and rendered visibly in the web interface. The node embodies the **Nonprofit AI Authority** mission: transparency, interpretability, and accountability.

3. Architecture Layers

3.1 Presentation Layer (Interface)

- **Framework:** Next.js / Astro frontend with WebSocket real-time streams.
- Design Language: Dark-academic with flame-eye compass motif, black and gold tones.

Components:

- *Dialogue Console* conversational interaction with citation display.
- Transparency Drawer collapsible view showing reasoning trace and legal basis.
- o *Document Viewer* dynamic rendering of filings, advisories, or audit data.
- o *Ledger Access* link to immutable JSONL record of events and advisories.

3.2 Context Kernel (ACI Node)

Implements ACI cognitive stages:

- **Percept:** Parse and classify event input.
- **Cognition:** Retrieve relevant documents from the RAG corpus (IRS, bylaws, 9FS).
- **Reflection:** Evaluate ethical constraints and compute drift probability $p(r) = cs^pcs$.
- **Action:** Generate an interpretable, cited response; log event to ledger.

Each session's context graph is isolated to prevent cross-session drift.

3.3 Event System Model (ESM)

All actions conform to the ESM event schema:

$$E = \{t, a, s, r, p(r)\}$$

Where:

- *t* timestamp
- *a* actor (human or AI agent)
- *s* state vector (context)
- *r* result/output
- p(r) computed drift risk probability

All events are recorded in append-only JSONL format and cryptographically hashed to maintain chain integrity.

3.4 Reasoning Graph Layer

- **Storage:** PostgreSQL for structured events, MinIO for assets, Redis for active contexts.
- **Retrieval:** Hybrid keyword + vector search across official Witchborn Systems corpus.
- **Output:** Always accompanied by citations and reasoning transparency indicators.

3.5 Governance Interface

- Role-based access control (RBAC) with event tokens for **Director**, **Auditor**, **Editor**,
 etc.
- All high-impact actions require *RedQueen Law* validation no irreversible action without human assent.
- Director dashboard integrates directly with Google Drive and GitHub repositories for publishing bulletins and filings.

4. Operational Flow

- 1. **Event Ingestion** User input becomes a legal event.
- 2. **Law Enforcement** ESM validates event type, permissions, and ethical scope.
- 3. **Cognition & Reflection** ACI Node interprets and calculates drift risk.

- 4. **Output Rendering** Results displayed with citations and confidence metrics.
- 5. **Audit Commitment** Event is hashed, signed, and appended to the transparency ledger.

Each interaction is self-documenting — the system is its own auditor.

5. Compliance & Ethics

Every Web-AI response carries:

- **trace_id:** replayable audit identifier
- law_stack: ESM/ACI ethical laws invoked
- **risk_vector:** computed contextual drift profile
- **audit_stamp:** digital signature from Witchborn Systems

This ensures immutable accountability and compliance with nonprofit data ethics and public trust principles.

6. Security & Privacy

- No user profiling, advertising, or third-party analytics.
- All communication encrypted (TLS 1.3+).
- Public logs redact personally identifiable data automatically.
- Codebase and architecture periodically audited under Witchborn's "9FS Transparency Review."

7. Future Expansion

- 1. **Federated Web-AI Nodes:** Allow other nonprofits to join the same ESM network for multi-institutional drift tracking.
- 2. **Consensus Mesh:** Distributed event synchronization for cross-node ethical coherence.
- 3. **Blockchain Anchoring:** Optional anchoring of ledger hashes to Ethereum or IPFS for permanent proof of record.
- 4. **Public API:** Law-governed API for research and external audits, exposing traceable inference endpoints.

8. Symbolic Alignment

The Web-AI Node represents Witchborn's maxim:

"For all veils and Witchborn, there is infinite accountability." $\forall V \bigoplus W = \aleph$

This symbol encapsulates the philosophical root of the system — universality, convergence, and boundless transparency.

9. Signature & Authorship

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