Preface—At the Crossroads of Law and Technology

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PREFACE

The materials that follow were created for a joint program presented by the California Institute of Technology and Loyola Law School. The program was designed to bring together students from the two institutions to promote greater dialogue between the legal and technological disciplines and to address the challenges facing legal institutions from new technology.

The institutional participants developed a mock trial involving the legal system in cyberspace. Experienced attorneys and students from both schools participated in the mock trial. The program participants submitted briefs and summaries of their expert testimony in support of their arguments to the Honorable Diarmuid O'Scanlanlain, who presided over the mock trial. These materials follow, together with the Symposium introduction, the facts of the case, the Judge’s Opinion, and the program’s keynote address delivered by Ira Magaziner.