CAPSTONE INTERNSHIP PROJECT PROPOSAL

Isabel Budenz x IntegrityStudio.ai

POSITION DETAILS	
Title	AI Governance & International Compliance Research Intern
Department	Policy & Compliance
Supervisors	John Skelton (Head of Policy) & Aaron Weise (Head of AI Compliance Development)
Duration	12 weeks (Full-time) or 20 weeks (Part-time)
Location	Remote with optional hybrid in Austin, TX

January 2026

Executive Summary

IntegrityStudio.ai seeks to leverage Isabel Budenz's unique combination of international commercial arbitration expertise, EU law foundation, and multilingual capabilities to develop a comprehensive cross-jurisdictional AI compliance framework. This capstone project will produce actionable research and tooling that directly enhances IntegrityStudio's enterprise compliance offerings for multinational clients navigating the evolving global AI regulatory landscape.

Project Title

"Cross-Border AI Compliance: Building an International Dispute Resolution Framework for Enterprise LLM Governance"

Project Rationale

The Business Need

As enterprises deploy LLMs across multiple jurisdictions, they face a fragmented regulatory environment:

• The **EU AI Act** (effective 2024-2026) introduces risk-based classifications and compliance obligations

• **International commercial disputes** arising from AI system failures lack established arbitration precedents

• Enterprise clients require **audit-ready documentation** that satisfies multiple regulatory regimes simultaneously

Why Isabel Budenz

Isabel's profile uniquely positions her to address these challenges:

Qualification	Application at IntegrityStudio
LLM International Commercial Arbitration (Stockholm)	Design dispute resolution clauses for AI service agreements
LLB International & European Law (Groningen)	Navigate EU AI Act compliance requirements
EU AI Act coursework	Immediate familiarity with regulatory framework
Quadrilingual (DE/ES/EN/FR)	Analyze regulations across key EU jurisdictions
Legal research for A for Arbitration	Academic rigor for policy documentation
Clifford Chance Antitrust Virtual Internship	Understanding of enterprise legal operations

Project Scope & Deliverables

Phase 1: Research & Analysis (Weeks 1-4)

Objective: Establish the regulatory landscape for AI governance across priority jurisdictions.

Tasks:

1. Conduct comparative legal analysis of AI regulations in: EU (AI Act, GDPR), Germany, France (CNIL), Spain (AEPD), UK (post-Brexit), United States (state-level, NIST AI RMF)

2. Map compliance obligations to IntegrityStudio's product capabilities

3. Research emerging arbitration case law involving AI systems

Deliverable: *Regulatory Mapping Report* (25-30 pages)

Phase 2: Framework Development (Weeks 5-8)

Objective: Create actionable compliance frameworks for IntegrityStudio's enterprise clients.

Tasks:

1. Develop a **Multi-Jurisdictional Compliance Matrix**

2. Draft **Model Contractual Clauses** for AI service agreements

3. Create **Compliance Checklist Templates** integrated with IntegrityStudio's features

Deliverable: *AI Governance Compliance Toolkit* (Framework + Templates)

Phase 3: Dispute Resolution Innovation (Weeks 9-11)

Objective: Establish IntegrityStudio as a thought leader in AI dispute resolution.

Tasks:

1. Design an **AI Arbitration Readiness Protocol**

2. Develop **Arbitration Clause Recommendations** optimized for AI disputes

3. Create a **White Paper** positioning IntegrityStudio's platform for AI dispute resolution

Deliverable: *AI Dispute Resolution Framework & White Paper*

Phase 4: Integration & Presentation (Week 12)

Objective: Synthesize all work into client-ready materials and internal knowledge assets.

Deliverable: *Final Presentation & Webinar Recording*

Final Capstone Deliverable

"The IntegrityStudio International AI Compliance & Dispute Resolution Handbook"

Format: Interactive digital handbook (PDF + web-based tool)

Part	Contents
I: Regulatory Landscape	EU AI Act Deep Dive, National Implementation (DE, FR, ES, UK), US Approaches, Convergence Anal
II: Compliance Toolkit	Multi-Jurisdictional Compliance Matrix, IntegrityStudio Feature Mapping, Checklists, Templates
III: Contractual Framework	Model AI Service Agreement Clauses, Liability Allocation, Governing Law Guide, Arbitration Drafting
IV: Dispute Resolution	AI Arbitration Landscape, Evidence & Audit Trail Best Practices, Arbitral Institution Comparison, Case
Appendices	Regulatory Text Excerpts, Template Library, Glossary (EN/DE/FR/ES), Resource Bibliography

Unique Value Proposition: This handbook will be the first resource combining AI observability platform capabilities with international arbitration expertise - a direct competitive differentiator for IntegrityStudio.

Growth Opportunities

Professional Development Track

Area	Opportunity	Outcome
Technical Literacy	Shadow engineering team; learn OpenTelemetry	Translate technical capabilities into legal language
Client Exposure	Attend 3-5 enterprise client calls	Understanding of real-world compliance challenges
Thought Leadership	Co-author blog post with John Skelton	Published work demonstrating expertise
Public Speaking	Present at internal all-hands + external webinar	Presentation experience with technical audience
Network Building	Introductions to legal/compliance partners	Professional connections in AI governance space

Potential Post-Internship Pathways

• **Full-Time Role:** AI Compliance Analyst at IntegrityStudio

• **Continued Collaboration:** Consulting arrangement for ongoing regulatory updates

• **Academic Track:** Research partnership for LLM thesis on AI arbitration

• **Reference & Network:** Strong recommendation for AI governance roles at arbitration institutions, enterprise legal departments, law firms, or regulatory bodies

Mentorship Structure

Primary Supervisors

John Skelton (Head of Policy) - Weekly 1:1 meetings (30 min). Focus: EU AI Act interpretation, policy strategy, regulatory relationships.

Aaron Weise (Head of AI Compliance Development) - Weekly 1:1 meetings (30 min). Focus: Product-compliance integration, client requirements, practical implementation.

Cross-Functional Exposure

Team Member	Role	Interaction
Alyshia Ledlie	CEO	Monthly check-in; strategic context
Micah Lindsay	Chief Data Scientist	Technical sessions on AI evaluation
Chandra Srivastava	CMO	Positioning compliance offerings
Engineering Lead	TBD	OpenTelemetry & platform architecture overview

Success Metrics

Quantitative

✓ Complete regulatory analysis for 6+ jurisdictions

✓ Develop 10+ template documents (checklists, clauses, protocols)

✓ Produce 1 comprehensive handbook (80+ pages)

✓ Deliver 2 presentations (internal + external)

✓ Co-author 1 published piece (blog or white paper)

Qualitative

✓ Demonstrate ability to translate legal requirements into product features

✓ Show growth in technical communication skills

✓ Receive positive feedback from client-facing interactions

✓ Produce work product integrated into IntegrityStudio's sales materials

Logistics

Compensation: Competitive internship stipend commensurate with experience; details to be finalized.

Tools & Access: IntegrityStudio platform demo environment, legal research databases, collaboration tools (Slack, Notion, Google Workspace), direct access to leadership calendars.

Work Arrangement: Remote-first with flexibility for European timezone. Core collaboration hours: 2:00 PM - 6:00 PM CET. Optional on-site visit to Austin office (travel supported).

Application of Isabel's Unique Strengths

Isabel's Background	Direct Application
Stockholm LLM in International Commercial Arbitration	Design arbitration frameworks for AI disputes; analyze SCC procedures
Groningen LLB in International & European Law	EU AI Act analysis; cross-border compliance mapping
EU AI Act coursework	Immediate productivity on regulatory research
Native German	Analyze German national implementation; translate regulatory texts
Native Spanish	Cover Spanish AEPD guidance; support Latin American expansion research
C2 English	Primary drafting language for all deliverables
B1 French	Support French CNIL analysis; review French-language sources
Amnesty International PR experience	Stakeholder communication; public-facing content
A for Arbitration research	Academic research methodology; arbitration institution knowledge
Clifford Chance virtual internship	Enterprise legal operations understanding

Next Steps

1. **Introductory Call:** Meet with John Skelton and Aaron Weise to discuss project scope and expectations

2. **Onboarding:** Platform access, tool setup, team introductions

3. **Kick-off:** Finalize 12-week project plan with milestone dates

4. **Week 1 Start:** Begin Phase 1 regulatory research

This capstone internship represents a unique opportunity to shape the future of AI governance at the intersection of technology and international law. Isabel Budenz's distinctive qualifications make her an ideal candidate to drive this initiative and establish IntegrityStudio as the trusted platform for compliant AI deployment worldwide.

Prepared for: IntegrityStudio.ai Leadership Team
Date: January 2026
Contact: sales@integritystudio.ai