
AI AND LAW

Sangeetha Mathiyazhagan, Student, Govt Law College, Vellore.

Suriya Prabha Karuppusamy, Student, Govt Law College, Vellore.

ABSTRACT

Artificial intelligence is playing a significant role in various areas of the world. It is essentially a machine that can perform certain tasks similar to humans. However, it cannot carry out all the tasks that humans can. Artificial intelligence is created by humans and cannot replace human roles entirely. Despite this, it is very important in legal proceedings. Tools like ChatGPT, Claude, and Gemini assist lawyers in understanding complex legal terms more easily. This blog discusses the role of artificial intelligence in the legal field. Today, artificial intelligence is causing several issues in society. One of the main concerns is the reduction in job opportunities. Unemployment is a major factor contributing to an increase in criminal activities, as some jobless individuals turn to illegal means like theft to earn money. This blog also addresses the challenges that come with the advancement of artificial intelligence in the legal field. None the less, artificial intelligence offers both benefits and drawbacks to people.

Key Words: - Artificial Intelligence (AI), Legal Technology, Legal Proceedings, Employment Challenges, Access to Justice.

I. INTRODUCTION

Nowadays artificial intelligence has entered into many fields, like education, healthcare, law, etc. Artificial intelligence is very important for a country's development. In the future, artificial intelligence will do all work done by humans except some work, such as eating, sleeping, understanding human emotions, etc. But it creates many problems in our society, such as declining employment opportunities, unemployment leading to poverty, and poverty leading our country to be an underdeveloped country. However, on the other hand, it creates many advantages in lots of field specially in the law field. It helps lawyers and judges to case analysis, draft documents, etc., So, it reduces the time. So, every person gets justice without delay. But sometimes it creates fewer mistakes, so the answers should refer to other books, websites, etc.

II. SIGNIFICANCE OF AI IN LAW FIELD

1. It helps lawyers to analyze the cases.
2. Humans take time to do work related to cases, but it reduces the time to draft cases. So, it reduces the pending cases in court.
3. Artificial intelligence quickly analyzes the case laws related to the case.
4. Artificial intelligence identifies lots of documents using very little time.
5. Artificial intelligence helps ordinary people to understand the basic remedies that are available to them who are affected by some offenses.¹

III. CHALLENGES BY IMPROVEMENTS OF AI

1. Sometimes artificial intelligence is used for cybercrimes.
2. Offenders used AI to create fake images and videos. After that they threaten to release photos of the victim. So, it led to some wrongful decisions taken by victims.
3. Artificial Intelligence is used for the misuse of personal data.

¹<https://blog.ipleaders.in>

4. Artificial Intelligence sometimes makes mistakes. So, it is difficult to decide who is responsible for those mistakes.
5. Improvement of artificial intelligence reduces the employment opportunity for lawyers and legal staff.
6. Sometimes artificial intelligence is used to create unlawful contracts, signatures, etc

IV. ADVANTAGES OF AI IN LEGAL FIELD

- It reduces the time to draft documents.
- Artificial Intelligence provides free legal guidance to common people.
- It provides the relevant case laws and provisions without delay.
- It provides the legal services at a lower cost than the human beings. So, it is very helpful to have basic knowledge about courts and cases for common people.
- Artificial Intelligence works all the time when needed. ²

V. ROLE OF AI IN CYBER LAW

- ❖ Artificial intelligence helps in identifying cybercrimes such as online theft and fraud.
- ❖ It ensures the security of personal data for online users.
- ❖ Artificial intelligence plays a role in preventing online criminal activities.
- ❖ AI systems are capable of blocking fake emails and harmful software.
- ❖ Artificial Intelligence helps in verifying an individual's identity.

VI. IMPACT OF AI ON LAWYERS

²<https://www.upes.ac.in>

1. Artificial intelligence helps lawyers to find relevant case laws so they are not interested in reading books and referring to books. It reduces the book reading habits of lawyers.
2. Artificial intelligence identifies the errors that occur in document drafting.
3. It reduces the cost of conducting proceedings. So, it is very useful for both lawyers and their clients.
4. Clients received a quick response, so it created hope on the lawyers.
5. Lawyers face huge problems in their lives by improvement of artificial intelligence because it reduces the employment opportunities for them. Unemployment creates more stress for them.³

VII. IMPORTANCE OF LEGAL REGULATIONS IN AI

- ❖ The Indian constitution provides the fundamental rights for every citizen such as equality, privacy, freedom of expression etc., So, legal regulations is very important for protecting these rights.
- ❖ Legal regulations are very important for determining who is responsible when creating harm.
- ❖ AI sometimes collects personal data of persons, so legal regulations provide protection to the privacy of every individual.
- ❖ Nowadays lots of people use artificial intelligence systems without any fear about crimes because they fully believe legal regulations to be there when using AI systems.
- ❖ Sometimes offenders involve the crimes using AI systems, such as creating fake videos and photos to threaten victims. So legal regulations prevent the AI-related offenses.⁴

VIII. FUTURE OF AI IN LEGAL SYSTEM

1. Article Intelligence reduce the time.

³<https://clp.law.harvard.edu>

⁴<https://www.unesco.org>

2. It predicts the possible result before reaching final judgement.
3. In the future, the common people can easily get the full information of their cases who cannot have enough money to get guidance from lawyers.
4. It reduces the court burden in the future.
5. The parties can settle their disputes online frequently. So, it reduces the time of every individual.
6. Government creates strict legal regulations for artificial intelligence in the legal field.
7. Legal documents can be easily translated into languages that they want by using artificial intelligence.
8. It creates full hope on artificial intelligence because in the future the legal framework will become very strict for artificial intelligence.
9. Artificial intelligence cannot replace lawyers and judges completely. It assists the lawyers and judges. The decision of judges will be final. The decision cannot be based on artificial intelligence systems completely.
10. In the future, AI helps reach judgment quickly without any delay. So, it creates hope in the judicial system. The people get justice at a reasonable time when they want.

IX. RELAVANT JUDGEMENTS

- 1. Greenopolis Welfare Association v. Narender Singh &Ors. (Delhi High Court, 2025): 61372/2025 & CM APPL. 61371/2025⁵**

Held:

Artificial intelligence may sometimes create mistakes in case citation. So blindly believing in artificial intelligence for legal research can become risky. Therefore, before using artificial intelligence, must refer.

⁵(Delhi High Court, 2025): 61372/2025 & CM APPL. 61371/2025

2. Mata v. Avianca, Inc. (S.D.N.Y. 2023) Citation: 2023 WL 4118496 (S.D.N.Y. June 22, 2023).⁶

Held:

The lawyers submitted a fake case citation using ChatGPT without checking. So, the lawyers were punished.

X. CONCLUSION

Artificial Intelligence is very important in the legal field in the future. Despite AI giving some drawbacks, it provides bigger support to country development. The entry of artificial intelligence in every field creates unemployment in the future. So, it affects common people. Strict legal regulations are necessary to reduce crime by using artificial intelligence. So, it creates hope for both artificial intelligence and legal systems.

Furthermore, AI can help lawyers and judges by reducing the time required for legal research and document analysis. It can improve access to justice by providing legal information to people at a lower cost. AI also helps in managing large volumes of legal data with greater accuracy and efficiency. However, human supervision remains essential to prevent errors, bias, and misuse of technology. Therefore, a balanced approach combining technological innovation with ethical and legal safeguards is necessary for the sustainable growth of AI in the legal sector.

⁶2023 WL 4118496 (S.D.N.Y. June 22, 2023)