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# Joint ICTP-WE Heraeus School and Conference on Frontiers at the Intersection of Quantum Simulation and Machine Learning

## Description:

The intersection of machine learning and quantum simulation is emerging as a fruitful research area. This combined school and workshop will bring together leading experts as well as interested students to foster exchange between communities and explore synergies between the fields.

## MORE DETAILS:

In the past two decades, major advancements in machine learning (ML) and quantum simulation have been achieved. ML algorithms define the state of the art in natural language processing and image recognition; quantum simulation is opening up new avenues to investigate correlated matter. Both fields are becoming increasingly intertwined in recent attempts to provide insights in quantum many-body physics. An objective of developing machine learning-enhanced numerical methods and quantum simulation is to push our capabilities to study exotic phases or non-equilibrium states. Furthermore, while quantum simulators emerge as a new tool to address these outstanding research topics, their advent raises further questions that ML approaches can potentially solve.

This event aims to discuss, where quantum challenges match the natural strengths of ML and, reversely, the quantum applications call for developing new ML techniques.

## TOPICS:

- Quantum simulation of many-body systems,
- Data-driven characterization of quantum systems,
- Quantum state representation with machine learning models,
- Protocol optimization for quantum control.

## SCHOOL SPEAKERS:

Francesca FERLAINO, University of Innsbruck and IQOQI  
Eliska GREPLOVA, Delft University of Technology  
Florian MARQUARDT, Max Planck for the Science of Light  
Edwin Miles STOUDEMIRE, Flatiron Institute  
Filippo VICENTINI, Ecole Polytechnique

## CONFERENCE SPEAKERS:

Federico BECCA, University of Trieste  
Marin BUKOV, MPI PKS  
Ao CHEN, University of Augsburg  
Alexandre DAUPHIN, Pasqal  
Anna DAWID, Flatiron Institute  
Vedran DUNJKO, Leiden University  
Kaden HAZZARD, University of Rice  
Johannes KOFLER, Johannes Kepler University Linz  
Richard KUENG, Johannes Kepler University Linz  
Zala LENARCIC, Jozef Stefan Institute  
Julian LEONARD, TU Wien  
Ludwig MATHEY, University of Hamburg  
Friederike METZ, EPFL  
Evert van NIEUWENBURG, Leiden University  
Yusuke NOMURA, Tohoku University  
Thereza PAIVA, Federal University of Rio de Janeiro  
Max PRÜFER, TU Wien  
Markus OBERTHALER, Heidelberg University  
Anna SANPERA, Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona  
Agnes VALENTI, ETH Zurich  
Roberto VERDEL, ICTP  
Benoit VERMERSCH, University of Grenoble-Alpes  
Johannes ZEIHNER, Max Planck Institute of Quantum Optics  
Pan ZHANG, Chinese Academy of Sciences



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Trieste, Italy



## Applications and Deadlines:

Requesting financial and/or visa support:  
**4 February 2024**

For all other applicants:  
**8 March 2024**

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## GRANTS:

A limited number of grants are available to support the attendance of selected participants, with priority given to participants from developing countries. There is no registration fee.

## FURTHER INFORMATION:

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