



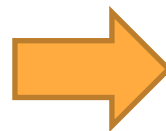
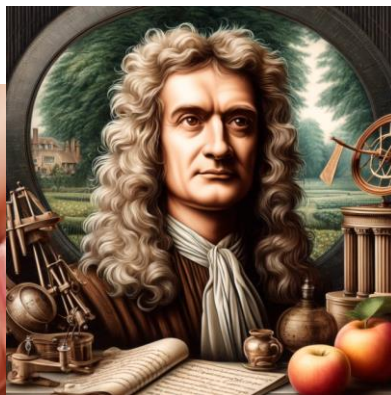
Kvantuminformatika és - kommunikáció – kicsi a bors, de erős

Imre Sándor, BME

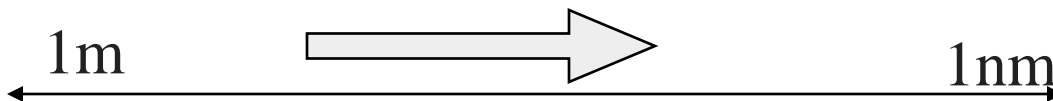
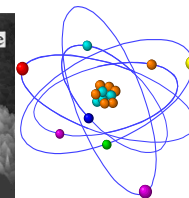
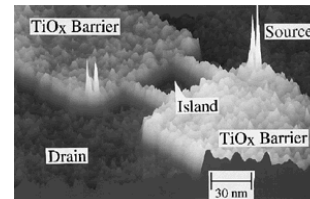
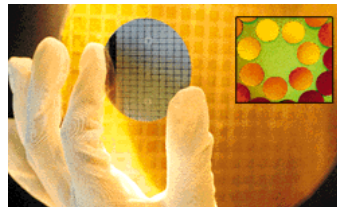
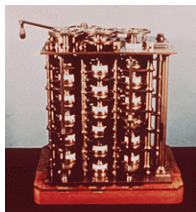
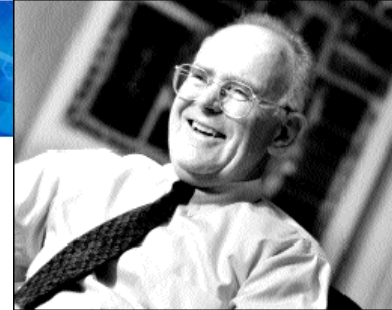


A TARTOMÁNY, AHOVÁ BEMERÉSZKEDÜNK

- 1 nanométer: ennyit nő a köröm 1 másodperc alatt!
- 29x félbevágunk egy almát
- A mm egymilliomod része.



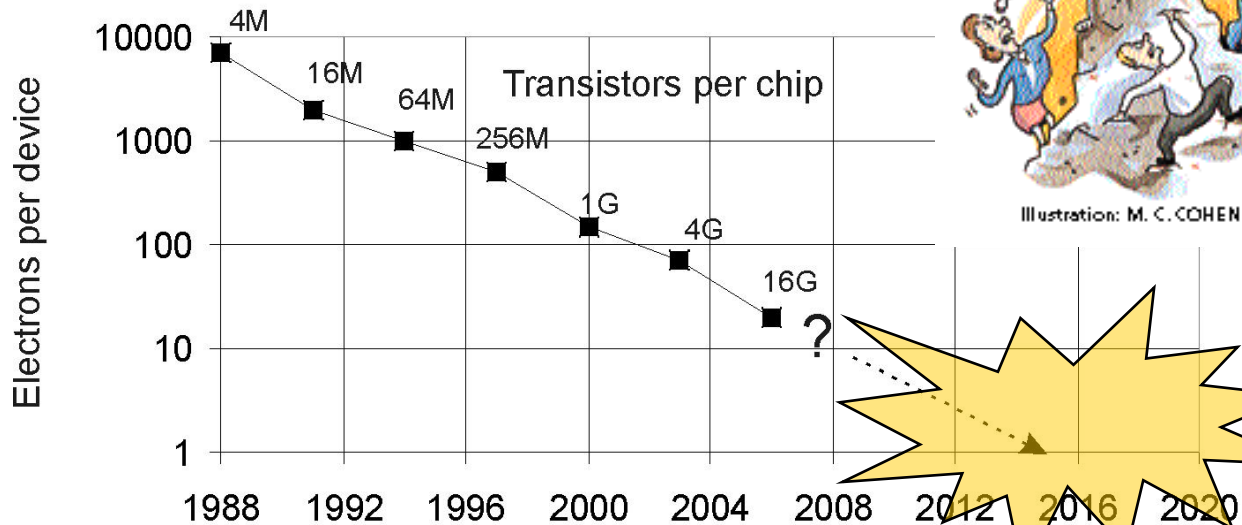
MOORE'S LAW



Minden 18 hónapban megduplázódik a mikroprocesszorok sebessége

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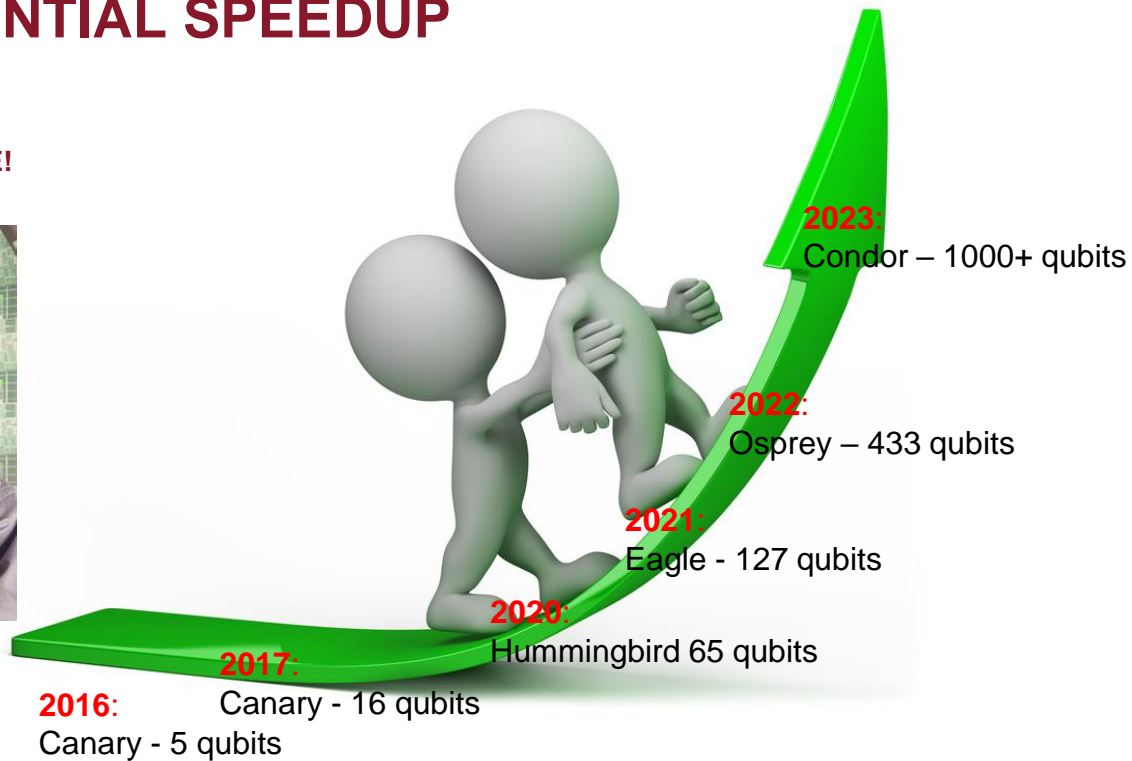
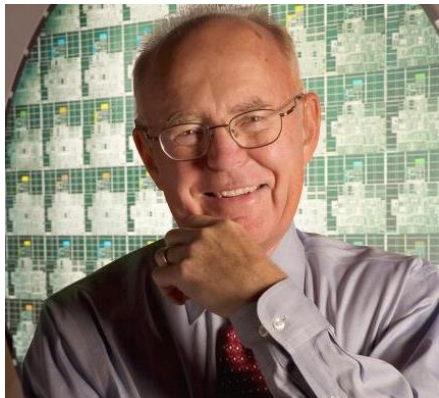
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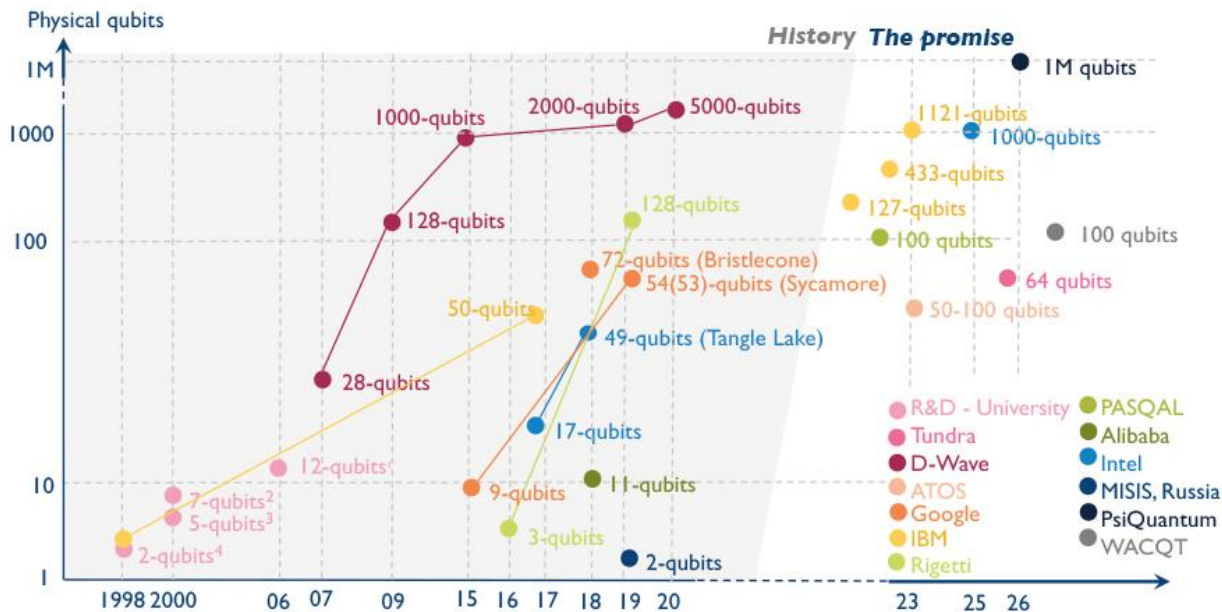
ULTRA-EXPONENTIAL SPEEDUP

MOORE'S LAW IS STILL ALIVE!



1998-2026 Physical qubit roadmap for quantum computer

(Source: Quantum Technologies 2021, Yole Développement, June 2021)

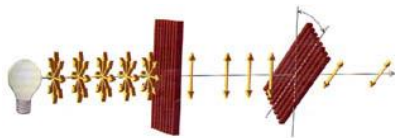
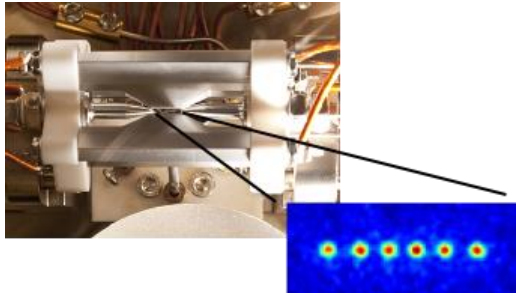
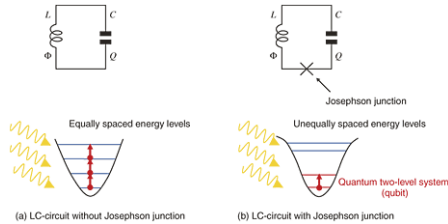
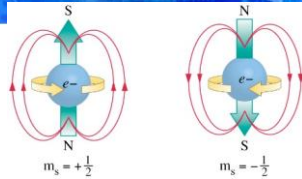


¹ (Institute for Quantum Computing, Perimeter Institute for Theoretical Physics, MIT)

² (Los Alamos National lab)

³ (TU Munich)

⁴ (Oxford University, IBM, UC Berkeley, Stanford, MIT)



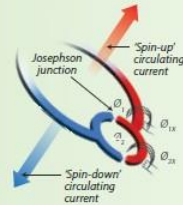
Four routes to quantum computing

Physicists are developing different flavors of quantum computer, based on different types of quantum bits (qubits).



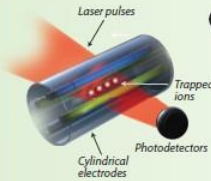
1 Spin qubits

Made from spins of electrons or nuclei trapped in a solid substrate, such as nitrogen vacancy centers in diamond. Can remain in superposition states for up to several seconds and can be compatible with current chip-manufacturing technology. Noise from solid-state environment could hamper scaling up.



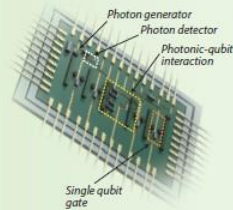
2 Superconducting circuits

Superpositions of currents flowing in opposite directions around a superconductor at the same time. Being solid state, they are potentially easy to manufacture, but have relatively short coherence times and require low temperatures to operate.



3 Ion traps

Qubits reside in arrays of ions trapped in electric fields, with their quantum states manipulated by lasers. Very clean systems that don't suffer from defects, allowing for logic gates with low error rates—but scaling up will require new fabrication infrastructure.



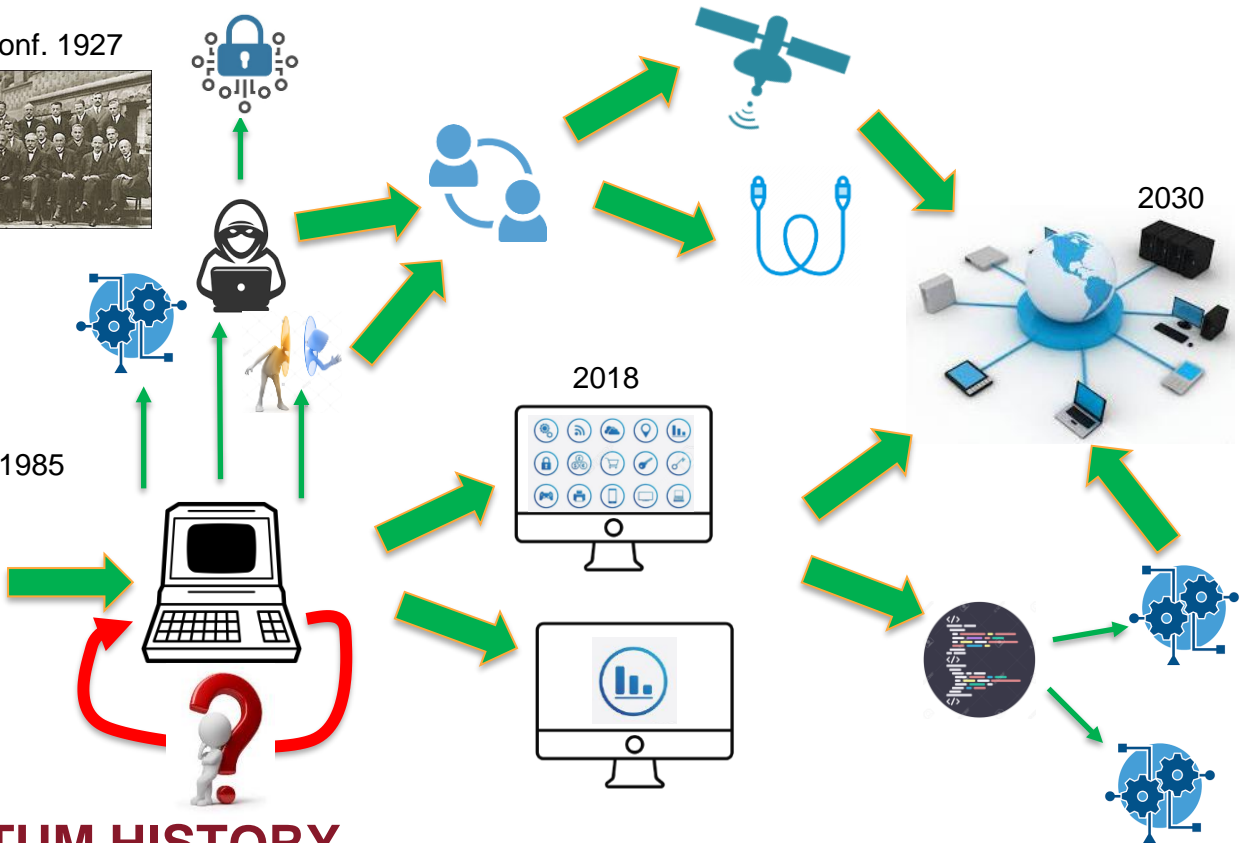
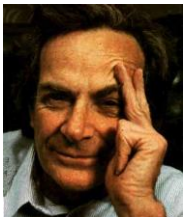
4 Photonic circuits

Qubits are encoded in the quantum states of photons travelling around circuits in silicon chips, which include etched waveguides and tiny linear optical components. Need for qubit redundancy could be minimized by photons' resistance to interference, but building photonic logic gates is difficult, and single-photon sources pose a technical challenge.

5th Solvay conf. 1927



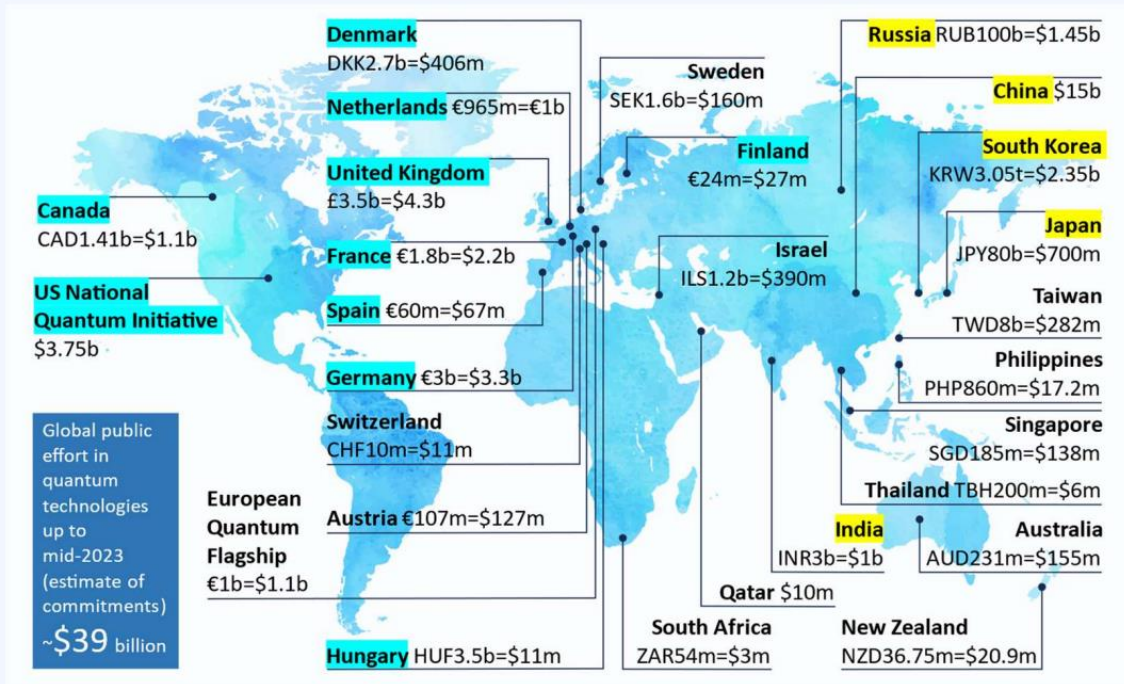
R. P. Feynmann 1985



SHORT QUANTUM HISTORY

Global Investments

Investments in quantum technologies, both private and public, have grown greatly in the past years



Partial map of global committed public investments in quantum technologies by mid-2023. Source: QURECA / World Economic Forum

The “Mosca inequality”

Because of the “store now, decrypt later attack”, data may already be not secure if

Quantum Threat Time

< Migration Time + Shelf-life Time

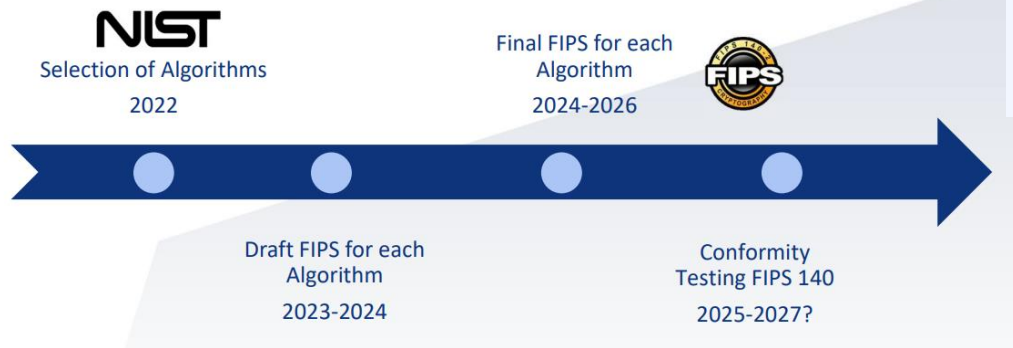
Time to quantum
computer threat



Time needed to migrate
to quantum-safe solutions

Time data needs
to be secure for

POST-QUANTUM CRYPTOGRAPHY



FIPS = Federal Information Processing Standards



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COULDA BEEN A CONTENDER —

Post-quantum encryption contender is taken out by single-core PC and 1 hour

Leave it to mathematicians to muck up what looked like an impressive new algorithm.

DAN GOODIN - 8/2/2022, 8:31 AM

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NIST PQC Finalists Update: It's Over For The Rainbow

by Edlyn Teske on 26. March 2022

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Last month, one of the three NIST finalists for post-quantum signature schemes received its final nail in the coffin: Ward Beullens, a PostDoc at IBM Research, published a practical key recovery attack against the Rainbow signature scheme.

IACR News item: 10 April 2024

[Quantum Algorithms for Lattice Problems](#)

Yilei Chen

Note: Update on April 18: Step 9 of the algorithm contains a bug, which I don't know how to fix.

We show a polynomial time quantum algorithm for solving the learning with errors problem (LWE) with certain polynomial ϵ .

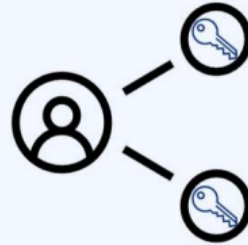
Post Quantum
Cryptography



Quantum Key
Distribution

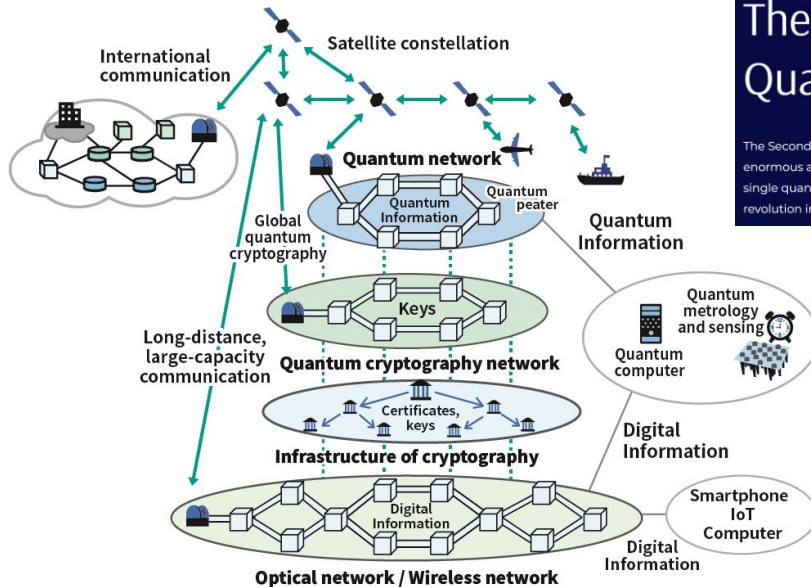


Pre-Shared Keys



Symmetric key cryptography





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Quantum Safe legislations and guidance

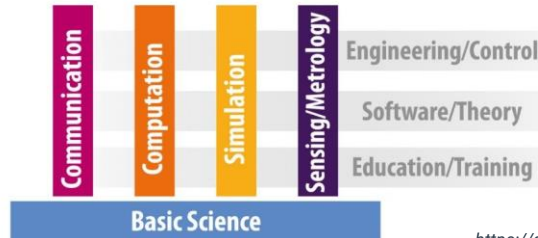
- **USA:** Quantum Computing Cybersecurity Preparedness Act (late 2023)
- **UK:** Guidance from NCSC on NIST standardizing Post Quantum Cryptography, legislation likely at the end of NIST process
- **EU:** whitepapers, but no EU-wide legislations

by Melchior Aelmans (Juniper Networks)

The future is Quantum



The Second Quantum Revolution is unfolding now, exploiting the enormous advancements in our ability to detect and manipulate single quantum objects. The Quantum Flagship is driving this revolution in Europe.



<https://qt.eu/>

Quantum technologies will be transformative across many sectors critical to our economy and society including health, energy, communications, finance and security.

-Jonathan Legh-Smith,
UKQuantum's Executive Director,



HUNQUTECH
2017-2021



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[https://wigner.mta.hu/quatumtechnology/en/node/](https://wigner.mta.hu/quatumtechnology/en/node/1)



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DECLARATION ON A QUANTUM COMMUNICATION INFRASTRUCTURE FOR THE EU

All 27 EU Member States

have signed a declaration agreeing to work together to explore how to build a quantum communication infrastructure (QCI) across Europe, boosting European capabilities in quantum technologies, cybersecurity and industrial competitiveness.

@FutureTechEU #EuroQCI

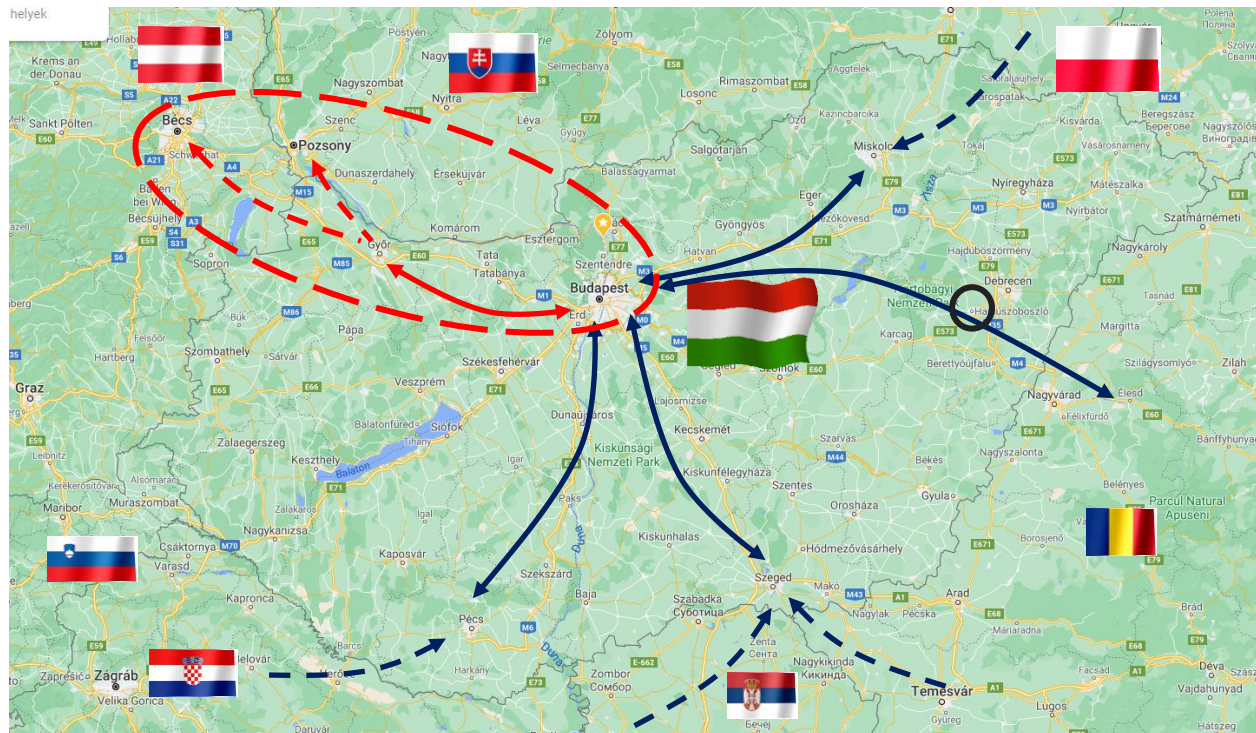


Hungarian activities

- Develop a QKD system using entangled photon pairs sent over a free-space optical telescope link.
- Install an optical ground station for satellite-based QKD systems.
- Realize a QKD system based on entangled photon pairs sent over an optical fiber link.
- Complete the development of a continuous variable QKD system.

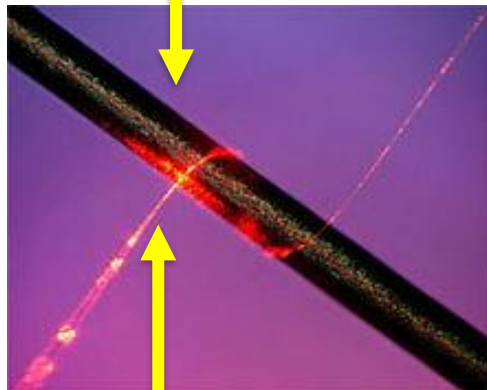


EUROQCI - HUNGARIAN BACKBONE NETWORK 2024-2025

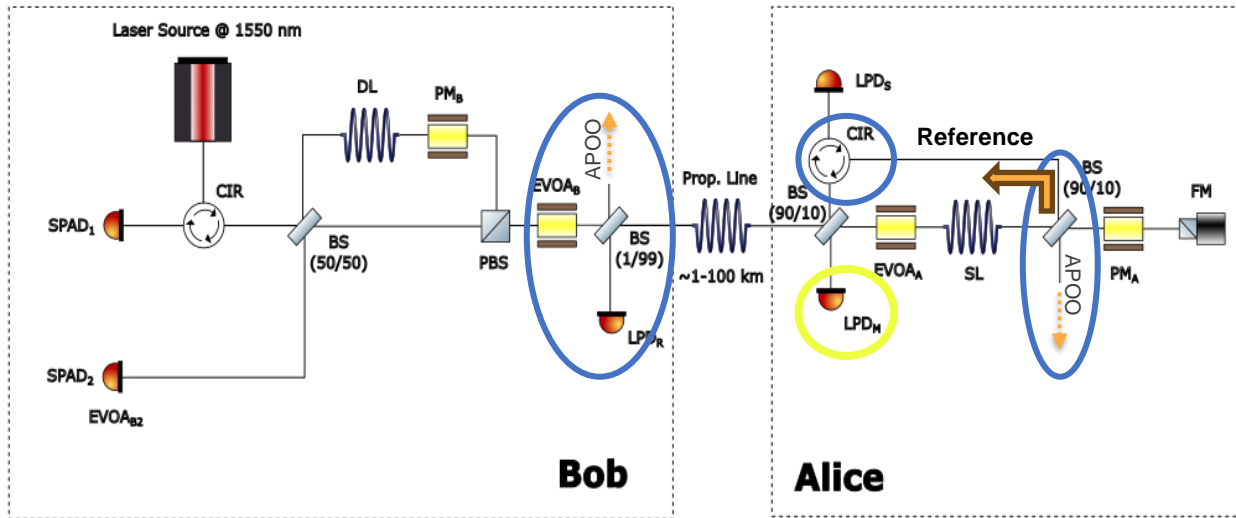


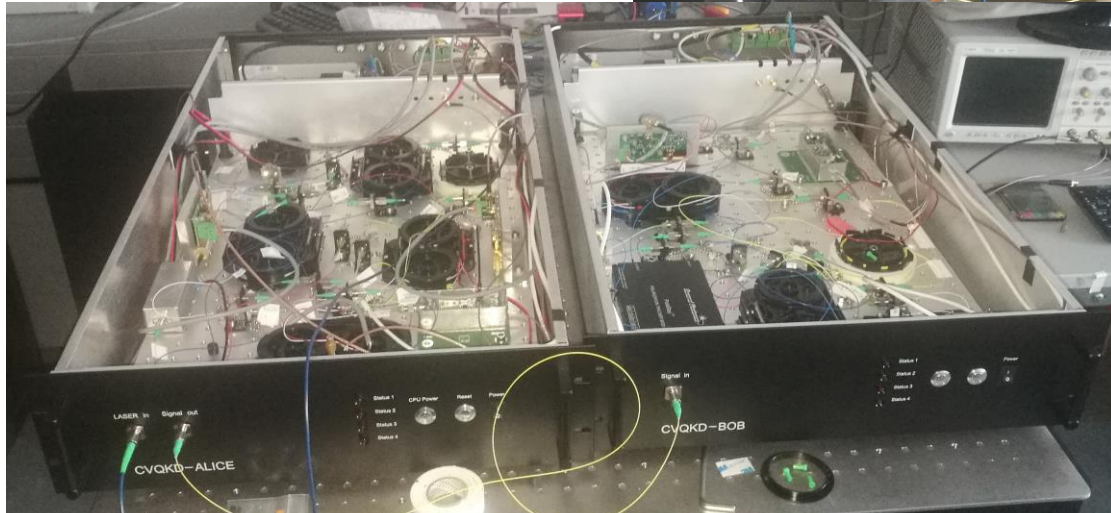
FIBER BASED QKD

This is your hair

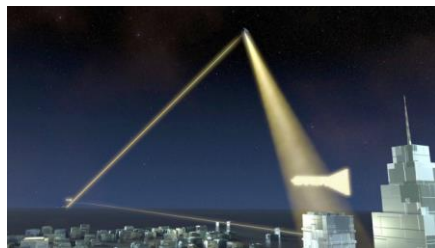


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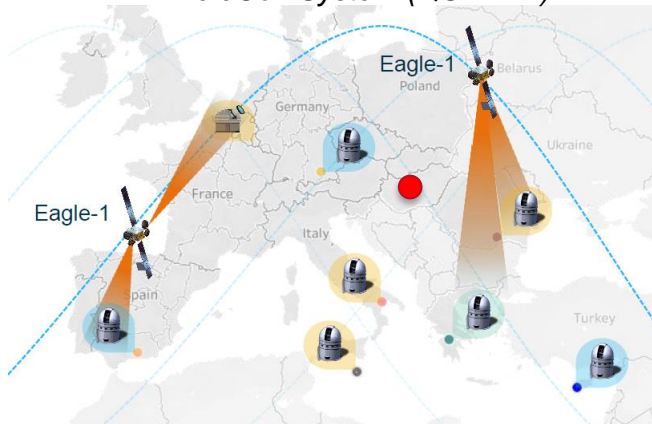




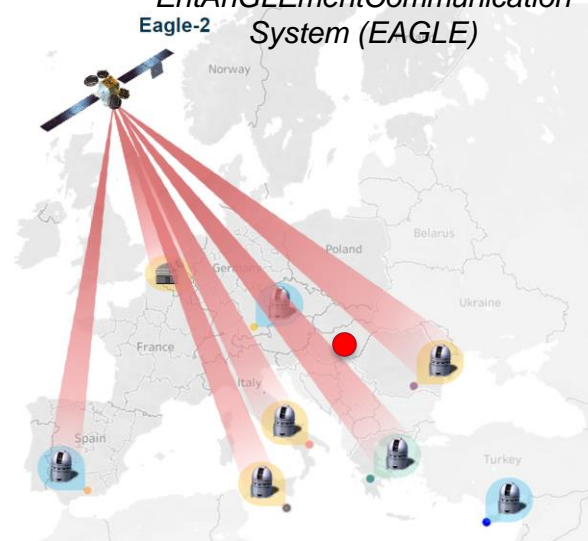
Space segment: ESA-SAGA



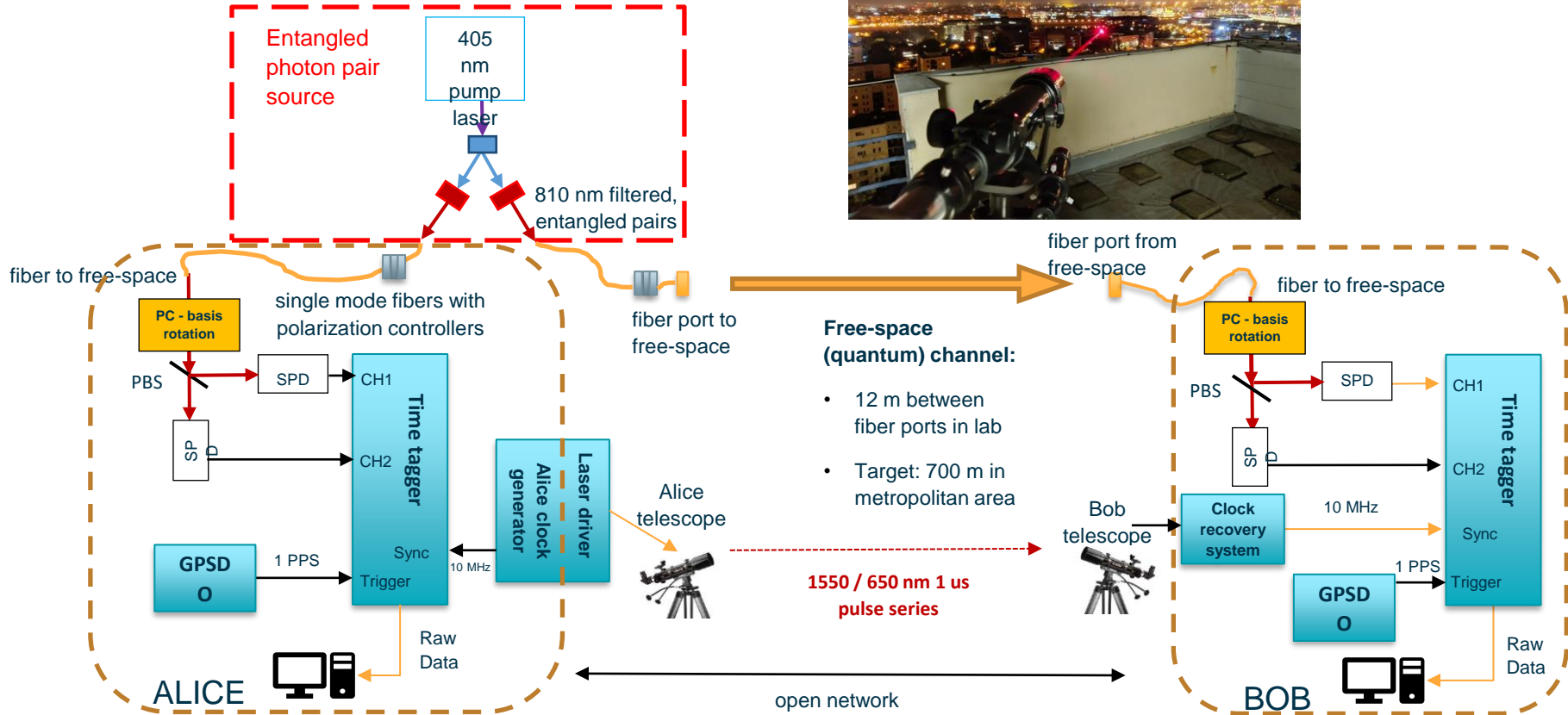
LEO/MEO: prepare and measure
Quantum Cryptography
TeleComSystem (QUARTZ)



GEO: entanglement based
EntAnGLEmentCommunication
System (EAGLE)



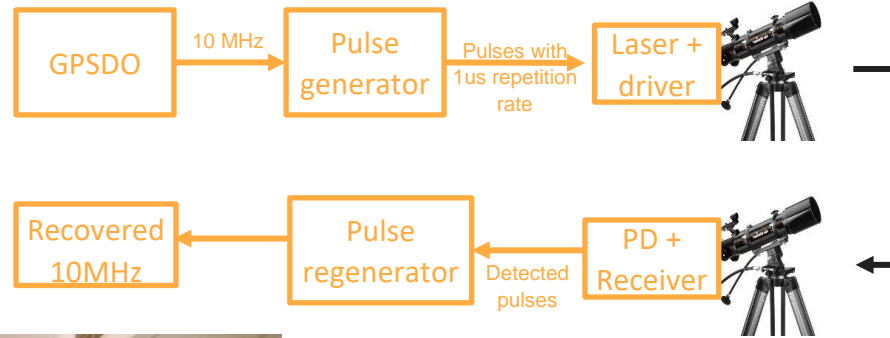
FREE SPACE QKD





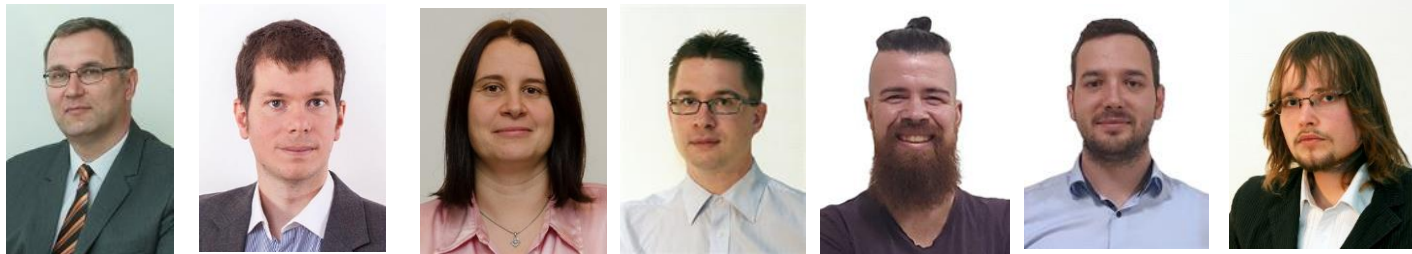
CERTAIN:
Complex electronic
hardware for free-space
entanglement-based
quantum key distribution
system

CLASSICAL SYNCHRONIZATION

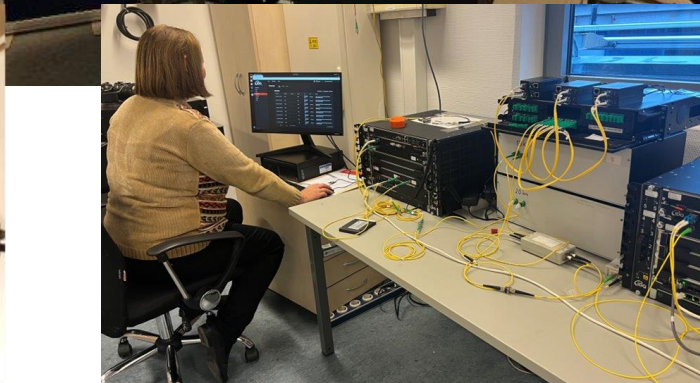
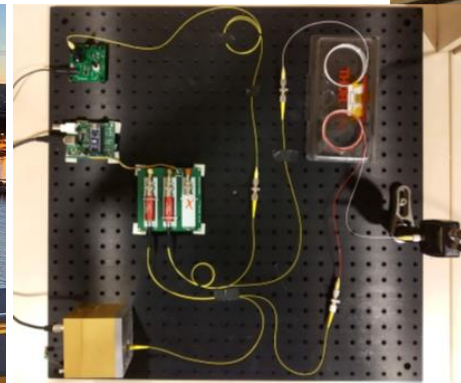
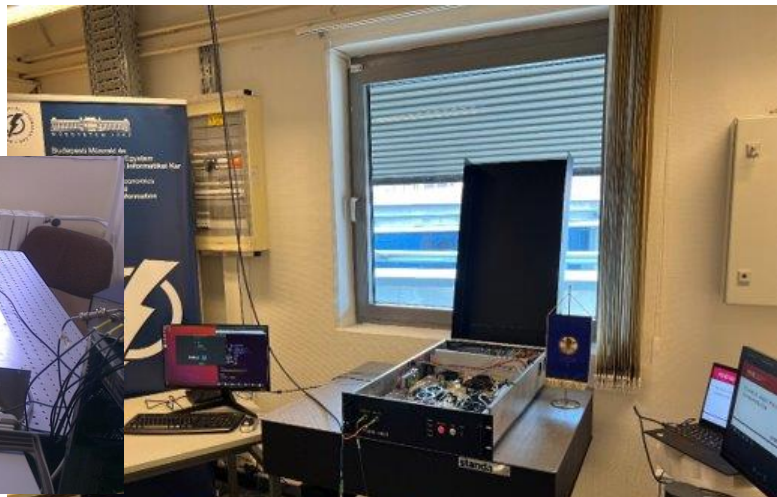
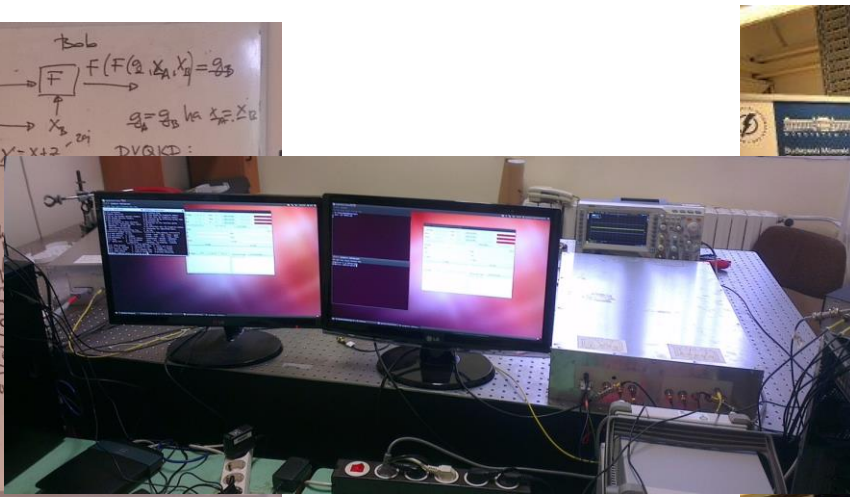
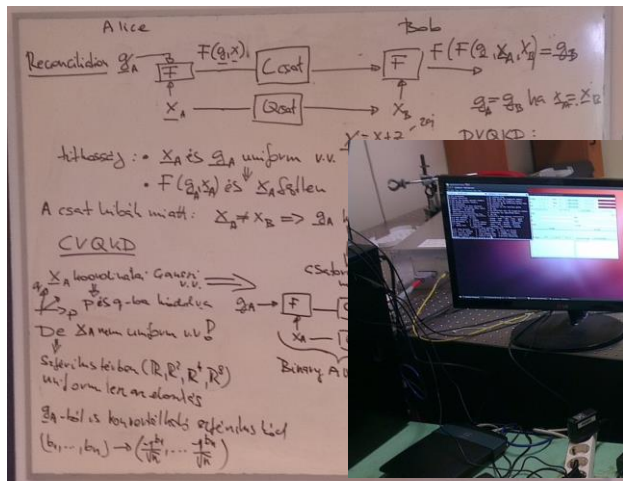


1550 / 650 nm
experimental
laser sync Alice /
Bob





OUR QUANTUM COMMUNICATIONS RESEARCH GROUP



Competences and actual projects – fiber based

- Own developed Optical Quantum Random Number Generator
- BB84 QKD demonstration with own developed system (*in cooperation with Ericsson Hungary*)
- CV QKD long distance demonstration with own developed system as part of the national QKD network (*in cooperation with Hungarian Telekom and HUN-REN Wigner Research Centre for Physics*)
- Developing an entanglement-based QKD system (fiber-based, using SNSPD detectors)
- OpenQKD OpenCall: QuantumGigalink - Extension of high-speed leased line service with QKD encryption function (*in cooperation with Magyar Telekom*)
- Participation in the national project of the European Quantum Communication Infrastructure (EuroQCI)
- Modeling, analysis, planning, implementation and operational support of QKD networks (*in cooperation with NETvisor Zrt.*)



Competences and actual projects – free-space and space

- Development of an entanglement-based free-space QKD over River Danube (*in cooperation with Vodafone Hungary*)
 - in-house entangled photon source at 810nm, in-house optical clock synchronization
- Participating in different ESA projects
 - QuStation - Quantum Communications Capable Optical Ground Stations in Hungary (*in cooperation with ATL Zrt.*)
 - Certain - Complex electronic hardware for free-space entanglement-based quantum key distribution system (*in cooperation with Relcom Kft.*)
 - DeQOS - Development of Quantum and Optical Communication for Satellite Systems Course (*in cooperation with ATL Zrt., C3S Ltd., E-Group Zrt.*)
- Deploying quantum-capable optical ground station
- Investigating the possibilities for cubesat-based QKD
- Theoretical work on future's satellite based QKD systems



Research directions – quantum internet

- Developing and analyzing entanglement-based quantum communication protocols over the quantum internet (quantum wifi, superactivation of quantum channels)
- Analyzing different aspects of satellite-based quantum networks (architecture, configurations, routing)
- Investigation of application possibilities of different quantum memories (both in fiber-based and satellite-based networks)

Research directions – quantum computers

- Analyzing different quantum algorithms on different quantum computers
- Developing new algorithms for quantum computers

Educational activities (BSc, MSc, PhD)

- 20+ years experience



- Kvantumszámítógépek és alkalmazásai

- Alapok
- Algoritmusok
- Programozás
- Benchmarking
- AI, stb

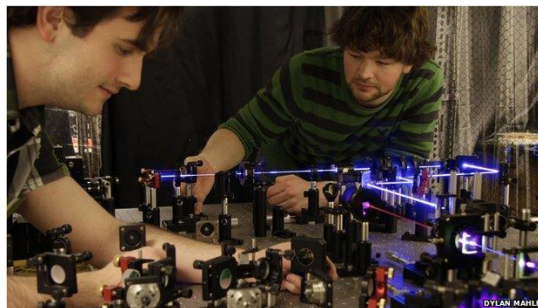
MSC QUANTUM SPEC.

- Kvantumhálózatok

- Alapok
- Kvantum-infoelmélet
- Titkosító rendszerek
- Kvantuminternet: vezetékes+műholdas
- QRNG stb.

- Labor

- Qszámítógép hardver
- Qhálózat hardver
- Programozás
- QRNG stb.



Jelenleg 10 kvantumos tárgy fut ~350 hallgatóval

Questions?