

Workshop on Quantum Artificial Intelligence

27-28 July 2023

Technical Program

The schedule is given in Central European Summer Time (CEST - UTC+02 ROME - ITALY)

Thursday 27 July 2023	
9:00 – 9:30	QAI 2023 - Opening
9:30 – 10:30	Keynote Talk <i>Quantum machine learning: technology and applications in the natural sciences and beyond</i> Speaker: Francesco Tacchino, IBM Research, Zurich, Switzerland
11:00 – 12:00	Keynote Talk <i>Training quantum machine learning models at scale</i> Speaker: Amira Abbas, University of Amsterdam, Netherlands
12:00 – 13:00	Keynote Talk <i>Figure of merit for quantum machine learning tasks: explicit and implicit models and losses</i> Speaker: Michele Grossi, CERN, Geneva, Switzerland
14:00 – 16:00	Session I: <i>Quantum Machine Learning</i> <i>Chair: Michele Grossi (CERN)</i> <i>14:00 – 14:20 “Using quantum supervised and unsupervised learning for binary classification in online setting”</i> Authors: Corrado Loglisci (Università degli Studi di Bari “Aldo Moro”); Donato Malerba (Università degli Studi di Bari Aldo Moro) Speaker: <i>Corrado Loglisci</i> <i>14:20 – 14:40 “Implementation of Markov Decision Processes into quantum algorithms for reinforcement learning”</i> Authors: Manuel P. Cuellar (University of Granada) Speaker: <i>Manuel P. Cuellar</i> <i>14:40 – 15:00 “Parametrized quantum circuits for anomaly detection and generative tasks”</i> Authors: Stefano Giagu (Sapienza Università di Roma and INFN); Simone Bordoni (Sapienza Università di Roma and Technology Innovation Institute Abd Dhabi); Andrea Cacioppo (Sapienza Università di Roma); Lorenzo Colantonio (Sapienza Università di Roma) Speaker: <i>Stefano Giagu</i> <i>15:00 – 15:20 “Quantum Based Outlier Detection”</i> Authors: Anna Bernasconi (University of Pisa, Italy); Alessandro Berti (University of Pisa); Gianna Del Corso (University of Pisa); Alessandro Poggiali (University of Pisa) Speaker: <i>Alessandro Berti</i> <i>15:20 – 15:40 “Latent Style-based Quantum GAN for Image Generation”</i> Authors: Su Yeon Chang (CERN); Michele Grossi (CERN); Bertrand Le Saux (European Space Agency (ESA)); Sofia Vallecorsa (CERN) Speaker: <i>Michele Grossi</i> <i>15:40 – 16:00 “Unconventional Chemical Contributions to Quantum Artificial Intelligence”</i> Authors: Pier Luigi Gentili (Università degli Studi di Perugia) Speaker: <i>Pier Luigi Gentili</i>

16:30 – 18:30	<p>Session II: Quantum Optimization <i>Chair: Autilia Vitiello (University of Naples Federico II)</i></p> <p>16:30 – 16:50 “Quantum Annealing for Constraint Satisfaction and Constrained Optimization Problems” Authors: Philippe Codognet (JFLI) Speaker: <i>Philippe Codognet</i></p> <p>16:50 – 17:10 “A preliminary study on Genome Assembly using Quantum Annealing” Authors: Carlos Cano (University of Granada) Speaker: <i>Carlos Cano</i></p> <p>17:10 – 17:30 “Quantum Algorithms for WMC, MPE and MAP” Authors: Fabrizio Riguzzi (University of Ferrara) Speaker: <i>Fabrizio Riguzzi</i></p> <p>17:30 – 17:50 “Encoding Extension-based Problems in Argumentation to QUBO” Authors: Marco Bairoletti (University of Perugia); Francesco Santini (University of Perugia) Speaker: <i>Marco Bairoletti</i></p> <p>17:50 – 18:10 “A Quantum Evolutionary Strategy for Optimisation Problems” Authors: Vincenzo Lipardi (Maastricht University); Roberto Schiattarella (University of Naples Federico II); Giovanni Acampora (University of Naples Federico II) Speaker: <i>Vincenzo Lipardi</i></p> <p>18:10 – 18:30 “Application of Quantum Genetic Algorithms to Network Signal Setting Design” Authors: Giovanni Acampora (University of Naples Federico II); Angela Chiatto (University of Naples Federico II); Stefano De Luca (University of Salerno); Roberta Di Pace (University of Salerno); Alfredo Massa (QuantumNet); Roberto Schiattarella (University of Naples Federico II); Autilia Vitiello (University of Naples Federico II) Speaker: <i>Alfredo Massa</i></p>
Friday 28 July 2023	
9:30 – 10:30	<p>Keynote Talk <i>Title to be Announced</i> Speaker: Antonio Mezzacapo, IBM Research, New York, USA</p>
11:00 – 12:00	<p>Keynote Talk <i>Quantum Annealers for Computational Intelligence</i> Speaker: Amir Pourabdollah, Nottingham Trent University, United Kingdom</p>
12:00 – 13:00	<p>Keynote Talk <i>Quantum Evolutionary Algorithms</i> Speaker: Giovanni Acampora, University of Naples Federico II, Italy</p>
14:00 – 16:00	<p>Session III: Quantum Computing and Computational Intelligence <i>Chair: Giovanni Acampora (University of Naples Federico II)</i></p> <p>14:00 – 14:20 “Continuous Variable Quantum Physics-Informed Neural Networks” Authors: Stefano Markidis (KTH) Speaker: <i>Stefano Markidis</i></p> <p>14:20 – 14:40 “Quantum optimization of Binary Neural Networks” Authors: Pietro Torta (SISSA); Guglielmo Lami (SISSA) Speaker: <i>Pietro Torta</i></p> <p>14:40 – 15:00 “Compiling Quantum Circuits for the Graph Coloring Problem”</p>

	<p>Authors: Angelo Oddi (ISTC-CNR); Riccardo Rasconi (CNR); Marco Baiocchi (University of Perugia) Speaker: <i>Angelo Oddi</i></p> <p>15:00 – 15:20 “<i>Multi-class classification based on quantum state discrimination</i>” Authors: Roberto Giuntini (University of Cagliari); Giuseppe Sergioli (University of Cagliari) Speaker: <i>Giuseppe Sergioli</i></p> <p>15:20 – 15:40 “<i>Quantum Fuzzy Inference Engine for Particle Accelerators Control</i>” Authors: Roberto Schiattarella (University of Naples Federico II); Giovanni Acampora (University of Naples Federico II); Michele Grossi (CERN); Michael Schenk (CERN) Speaker: <i>Roberto Schiattarella</i></p> <p>15:40 – 16:00 “<i>Genetic Algorithms as Classical Optimizer for the Quantum Approximate Optimization Algorithm</i>” Authors: Giovanni Acampora (University of Naples Federico II); Angela Chiatto (University of Naples Federico II); Autilia Vitiello (University of Naples Federico II) Speaker: <i>Angela Chiatto</i></p>
16:30 – 17:30	<p>Tutorial <i>Quantum Measurement Error Mitigation through Computational Intelligence</i> Speaker: Autilia Vitiello, University of Naples Federico II, Italy</p>
17:30 – 18:30	<p>Workshop closing</p>