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■ Preface

The 11th Conference on the Theory of Quantum Computation, Communication and Cryptography was organized by the Freie Universität Berlin from the 27th to the 29th of September 2016. Quantum computation, quantum communication, and quantum cryptography are subfields of quantum information processing, an interdisciplinary field of information science and quantum mechanics. The TQC conference series focuses on theoretical aspects of these subfields. The objective of the conference is to bring together researchers so that they can interact with each other and share problems and recent discoveries.

A list of the previous editions of TQC follows:

- TQC 2015, Université libre de Bruxelles, Belgium
- TQC 2014, National University of Singapore, Singapore
- TQC 2013, University of Guelph, Canada
- TQC 2012, The University of Tokyo, Japan
- TQC 2011, Universidad Complutense de Madrid, Spain
- TQC 2010, University of Leeds, UK
- TQC 2009, Institute for Quantum Computing, University of Waterloo, Canada
- TQC 2008, University of Tokyo, Japan
- TQC 2007, Nara Institute of Science and Technology, Nara, Japan
- TQC 2006, NTT R&D Center, Atsugi, Kanagawa, Japan

The conference consisted of invited talks, contributed talks and a poster session. This year, contributed talks were solicited for two tracks: Conference Track (talk + proceedings) and Workshop Track (talk only). The accepted submissions to the Conference Track appear in these Proceedings, while the accepted Workshop Track submissions are only listed here. Accepted submissions for both tracks are listed in their order of submission.

The invited talks were given by Andris Ambainis (University of Latvia), Ronald Hanson (TU Delft), Lidia del Rio (University of Bristol), Andreas Winter (Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona).

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Anne Broadbent



■ List of Contributed Talks

Michał Oszmaniec, Remigiusz Augusiak, Christian Gogolin, Janek Kolodnyński, Antonio Acín and Maciej Lewenstein.

Random bosonic states for robust quantum metrology

Mario Berta, Omar Fawzi and Marco Tomamichel.

On Variational Expressions for Quantum Relative Entropies

Mark Wilde, Marco Tomamichel and Mario Berta.

Strong converse rates for private communication over quantum channels

Giacomo De Palma, Dario Trevisan and Vittorio Giovannetti.

Gaussian States Minimize the Output Entropy of the One-Mode Quantum Attenuator

Stacey Jeffery and Shelby Kimmel.

NAND-Trees and Graph Connectivity in Quantum Algorithms

Christian Majenz, Mario Berta, Frédéric Dupuis, Renato Renner and Matthias Christandl.

Catalytic Decoupling of Quantum Information

Tom Cooney, Christoph Hirche, Ciara Morgan, Jonathan Olson, Kaushik Seshadreesan, John Watrous and Mark Wilde.

Operational meaning of quantum measures of recovery

Stacey Jeffery and François Le Gall.

Quantum Communication Complexity of Distributed Set Joins

Marco Piani, Marco Cianciaruso, Thomas Bromley, Carmine Napoli, Nathaniel Johnston and Gerardo Adesso.

Robustness of asymmetry and coherence of quantum states

Shelby Kimmel, Cedric Yen-Yu Lin, Guang Hao Low, Maris Ozols and Theodore Yoder.

Hamiltonian Simulation with Optimal Sample Complexity

Rodrigo Gallego, Jens Eisert and Henrik Wilming.

Defining work from a resource-theoretic perspective

Mohammad Bavarian, Thomas Vidick and Henry Yuen.

Parallel Repetition via Fortification: Analytic View and the Quantum Case

Iagoba Apellaniz, Matthias Kleinmann, Otfried Gühne and Geza Toth.

Witnessing metrologically useful entanglement

Alex Bocharov, Shawn Cui, Martin Roetteler and Krysta Svore.

Computing with Qutrits: Comparative Analysis of Two Ternary Architectures

Patrick Hayden, Sepehr Nezami, Xiao-Liang Qi, Nathaniel Thomas, Michael Walter and Zhao Yang.

Holographic duality from random tensor networks

Cecilia Lancien, Sara Di Martino, Marcus Huber, Marco Piani, Gerardo Adesso and Andreas Winter.

Should Entanglement Measures be Monogamous or Faithful?

Juan Bermejo-Vega, Nicolas Delfosse, Dan E. Browne, Cihan Okay and Robert Raussendorf.

Contextuality as a resource for qubit quantum computation

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