2021 Chicago Quantum Recruiting Forum

April 23rd Noon-4PM CST

12:00 - 12:10 Welcome and Introduction to Event
- Kate Timmerman, PhD, Executive Director of the Chicago Quantum Exchange
- Tara Ford, Senior Program Director, Office of Career Advancement

12:10 – 12:40 Keynote Address
- Dr. David Awschalom, Liew Family Professor of Molecular Engineering, UC, Chicago; Senior Scientist, Argonne; Director of the Chicago Quantum Exchange

12:40 Quantum Industry Applications Panel
- Efrat Shabtai: Principal Engineering Manager, Quantum Team – Microsoft
- Mark A. Tolbert: CEO & President - TOPTICA Photonics Inc.
- Venkata Josyula: Director, Technology and Product Development Team – Verizon
- Moderated by Preeti Chalsani, Ph.D.: Director of Industry Partnerships, Chicago Quantum Exchange (joint with the Polsky Center for Entrepreneurship & Innovation)

1:30 National Laboratories Spotlight
- Stephen K. Gray, Ph.D.: Senior Scientist – Argonne National Lab
- Meridith Bruozas: Manager of Educational Programs and Outreach – Argonne National Lab

2:15 Quantum Careers 101
- Kayla Lee, Ph.D.: Growth Produce manager, Community Partnerships – IBM Quantum
- Brian Ingmanson: Education Community Manager - IBM

2:30-4:00 Company Info Sessions and Speed Networking
- 2:30-2:50 HRL Info Session
- 3:00-3:20 Quantum Machines Information Session
- This time is also earmarked for companies, trainees, and students to connect for individual coffee chats and conversations:
  - Argonne National Lab
  - HRL
  - Super.Tech
  - Protiviti
  - Toptica
  - Verizon
  - Quantum Machines