

Welcome from the Center Directors and organizing committee



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Goals of the workshop

- Growing interest and activities around the topic of radiation impact on qubit performance/errors
- Connect experts to ensure awareness of all ongoing efforts
 - NQI Centers have recently been formed and new activities and facilities exist at the DOE centers
- Connect quantum and other communities (eg particle physics) who have relevant expertise in this topic and create a new community
- Discuss high priority next steps and opportunities for coordination/collaboration



Desired workshop outcomes

- Whitepaper for the community (and for program managers/funding agencies) outlining summary of the workshop
- Hopefully we use these two days of presentations and discussions to answer questions:
 - Is there a scientific consensus on the magnitude of the effect of radiation on different qubit devices?
 - How does the effect vary for different geometries or materials?
 - Have we fully disentangled radiation effects from other noise processes?
 - Are there gaps in current measurements methodologies, facilities and diagnostics to understand all mechanisms in play?
 - Generally, what are some key milestones and priorities for the next years?
 - Are there collaborative opportunities?

