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## Insight into Students' Interest in the Pillars of Quantum Technologies

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There is a lack of talents in the industry of quantum technologies, which can be counteracted by training of existing workforce. We want to design this training within an interest-oriented approach due to the positive effects of interest on the process and quality of learning. A first step contains the measurement of interest for these topics. The present study aims to assess the interest of  $N = 383$  students in the pillars of quantum technologies (quantum computing, communication, sensing, simulation). Furthermore, correlations between the interests are shown. Initial results suggest a marginal positive interest in the pillars and strong correlations.

### Education level

Age over 18 (excluding teacher education)

### Physics topic

Quantum mechanics

### Research focus

Evaluation & Assessment

### Research method

Other

### Organizing preference criteria

Physics topic

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