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Abstract: Quantum science emerged from studies of the smallest objects in nature. Today, it promises to deepen our understanding of the universe and deliver groundbreaking technology, from quantum computers to ultra-precise measuring devices to next-generation materials, quantum sensing, quantum communication with the many interesting applications in quantum cryptography for instance. The basic concepts underlying the field of quantum science, including superposition, entanglement, and the uncertainty principle are indeed the basics for developing such novel technological approaches and application. This keynote will recall how quantum Physics principles and our understanding of them are harnessed to benefit society and catalyze new research across disciplines as well as great prospects in technological developments.

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