

# Final ceremony of the Quantum Future Academy 2019 Program

30 August 2019 -16:30 – 20:30

*Institut d'Optique Graduate School, 2 avenue Augustin Fresnel, Palaiseau*

**16:00** Arrival of the participants

**16:30** Start of the event

Moderator: **Alex Puissant**, scientific journalist

**16:35** Welcome speeches

**Sylvie Retailleau**, President of Université Paris-Saclay

**Jean-Louis Martin**, General Director of IOGS

**16:40** Welcome notes

**Thomas Skordas**, Head of the Directorate "Digital Excellence and Science Infrastructure", DG CONNECT, European Commission

**Joaquim Nassar**, Head of the Department "Strategy, Expertise and Management of International Cooperation Programmes", French Ministry of Higher Education, Research and Innovation (MESRI)

**Herbert Zeisel**, Head of the subdivision "Research for Digital Transformation", German Federal Ministry of Education and Research (BMBF)

**16:50** Quantum Technologies in France, Germany and Europe

Discussion with **T. Skordas**, **J. Nassar**, **F. Staley** and **H. Zeisel**

Moderated by **Alex Puissant**

**17:25** Scientific presentation by **Prof. Alain Aspect**

**18:25** Quantum Future Academy 2019: Handover of certificates to the participants

**J. Nassar** and **H. Zeisel**

**18:40** Quantum Future Academy 2019: closing remarks and outlook

**T. Skordas**, **J. Nassar** and **H. Zeisel**

**18:50** Buffet

**20:30** End of the event

