

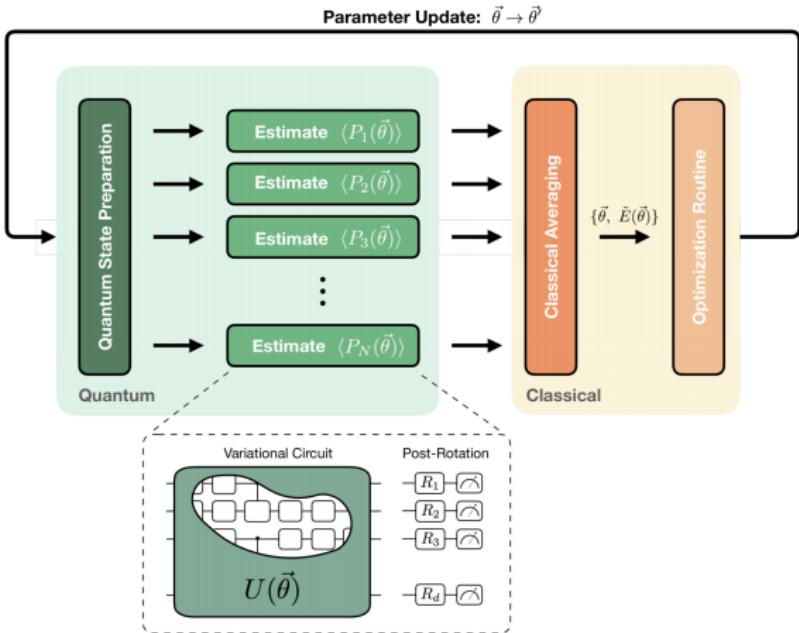
# Near-term Algorithms for Quantum Machine Learning

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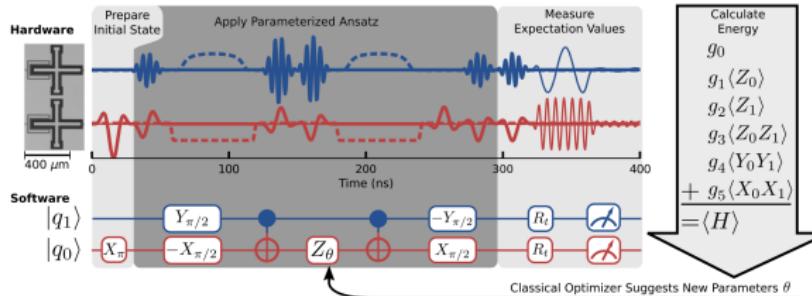
## Comparison

- less operations
- more measurements
- optimization on classical computer

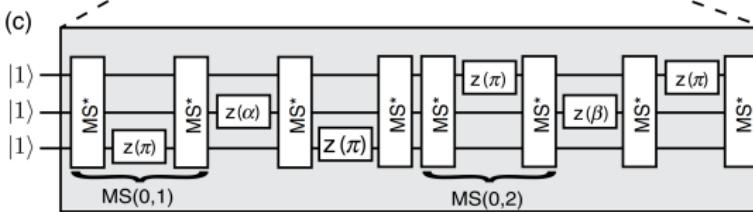
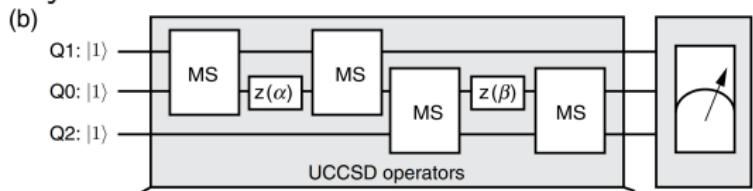
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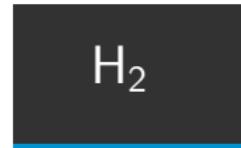
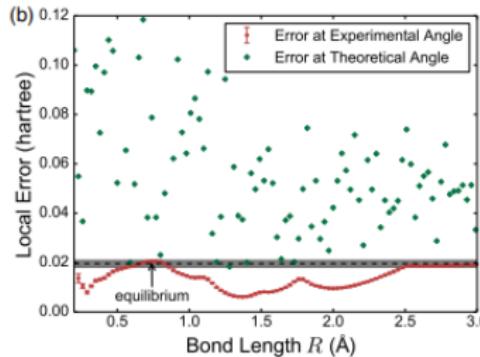
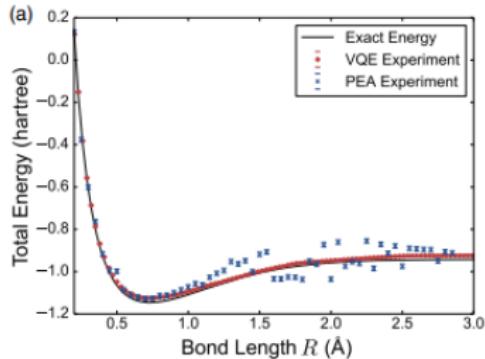
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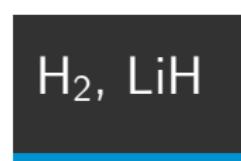
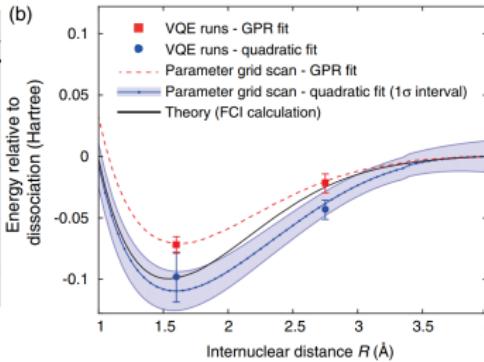
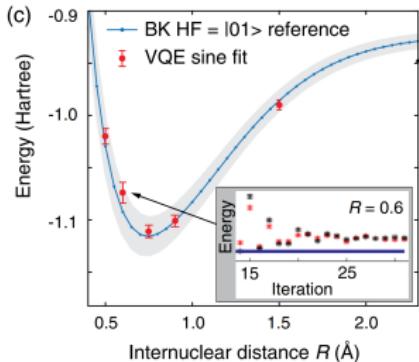


Trapped ions

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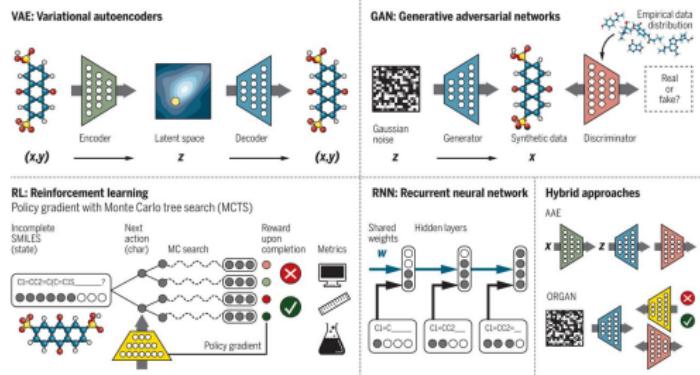


## Some remarks

- What can you do with only the energy?
- How large to be useful?
- Which systems are interesting?  
⇒ Inverse design

**Challenge 1. The Designer Challenge.** While the mission of the 20th century was related to providing answers to questions pertaining to properties of specific chemical structures, the questions of the 21st century revolve around the **inverse design** problem:<sup>88–94</sup> finding the best chemical structures that are associated with desired and requested properties. A potential solution for this challenge is the use of invertible models from machine learning such as generative models (GANs, autoencoders, ...)<sup>48,89</sup> or inverting molecules from families of Hamiltonians.<sup>90–93</sup>

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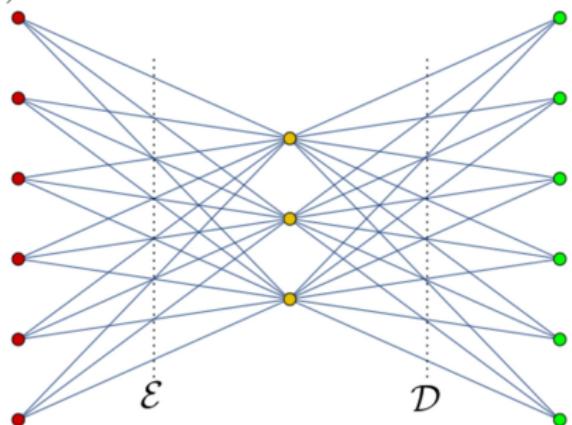
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Can we reformulate this machine learning toolbox for near-term quantum devices?



## Classical Autoencoder

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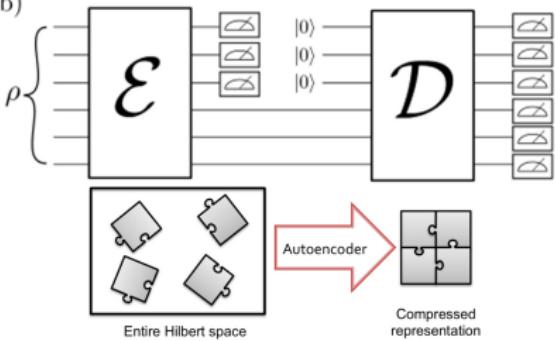


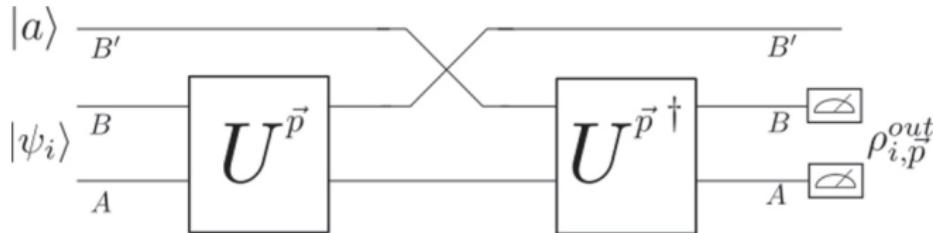
## Quantum Variational Autoencoder

Jhonathan Romero

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b)





## Fidelities

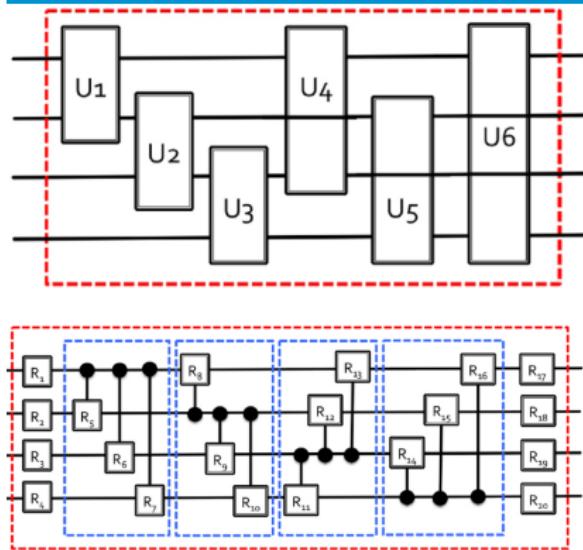
$$C_1 = \sum p_i F(|\psi_i\rangle_{AB}, \rho_{i,\vec{p}}^{out})$$

- no input in swap
- guaranteed  $C_1 \leq C_2$

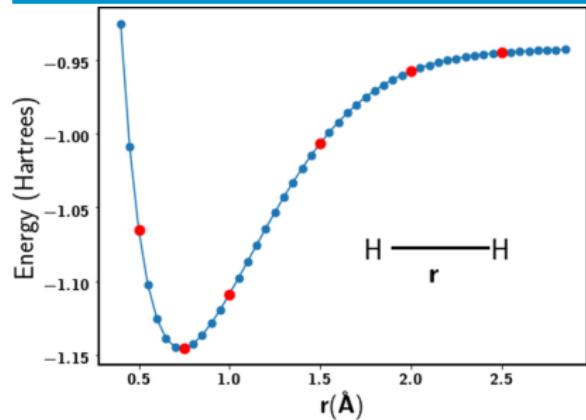
$$C_2 = \sum p_i F(\text{Tr}_A [|\psi'_i\rangle \langle \psi'_i|_{AB}], |a\rangle_B)$$



## Parametrized Unitaries



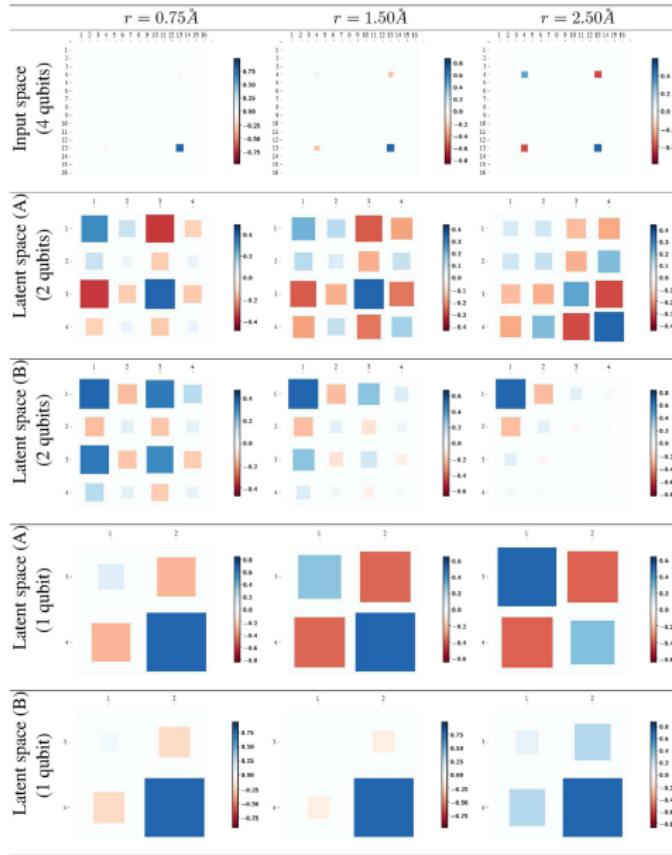
## Training vs. Test



Circuit	Final size (# qubits)	Set	$-\log_{10}(1 - \mathcal{F})$ MAE <sup>a</sup>	$-\log_{10}$ Energy MAE <sup>a</sup> (Hartrees)
Model A	2	Training	6.96(6.82–7.17)	6.64(6.27–7.06)
	2	Testing	6.99(6.81–7.21)	6.76(6.18–7.10)
	1	Training	6.92(6.80–7.07)	6.60(6.23–7.05)
	1	Testing	6.96(6.77–7.08)	6.72(6.15–7.05)
Model B	2	Training	6.11(5.94–6.21)	6.00(5.78–6.21)
	2	Testing	6.07(5.91–6.21)	6.03(5.70–6.21)
	1	Training	3.95(3.53–5.24)	3.74(3.38–4.57)
	1	Testing	3.81(3.50–5.38)	3.62(3.35–4.65)

<sup>a</sup> MAE: Mean absolute error. Log chemical accuracy in Hartrees  $\approx -2.80$ .





## Latent Space exploration

- Identify information  $\Rightarrow$  **Douglas Mendoza**
- State preparation
- Operations on reduced space

## Quantum information applications

- Lossless compression as proxy for entanglement entropy
- Error correction scheme  $\Rightarrow$  **Smik Patel**

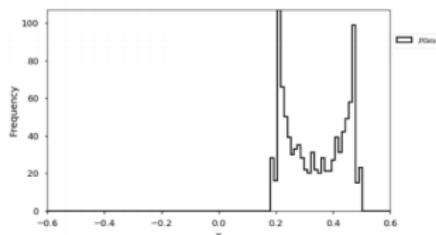


# Jhonathan Romero

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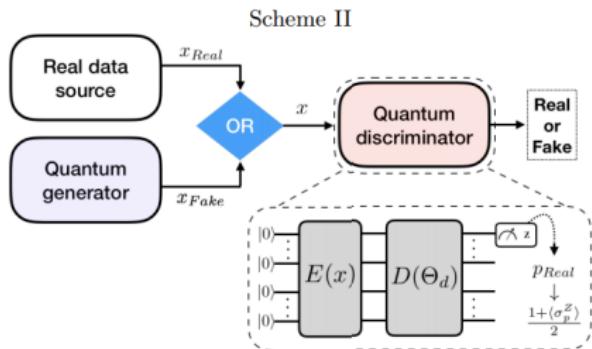
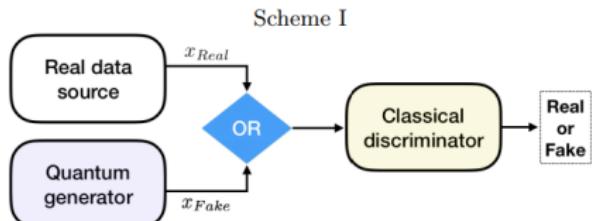
- replicate classical distribution

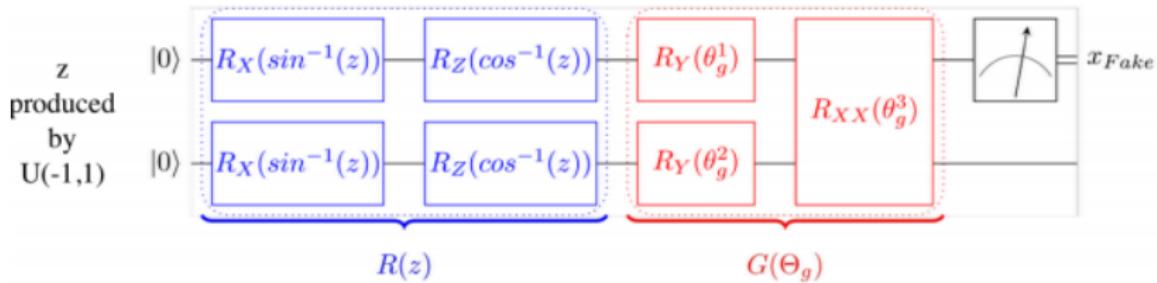
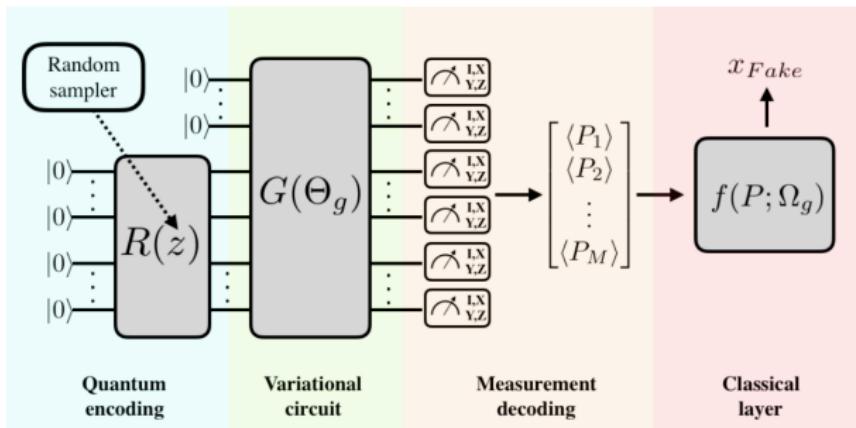
Real data source:

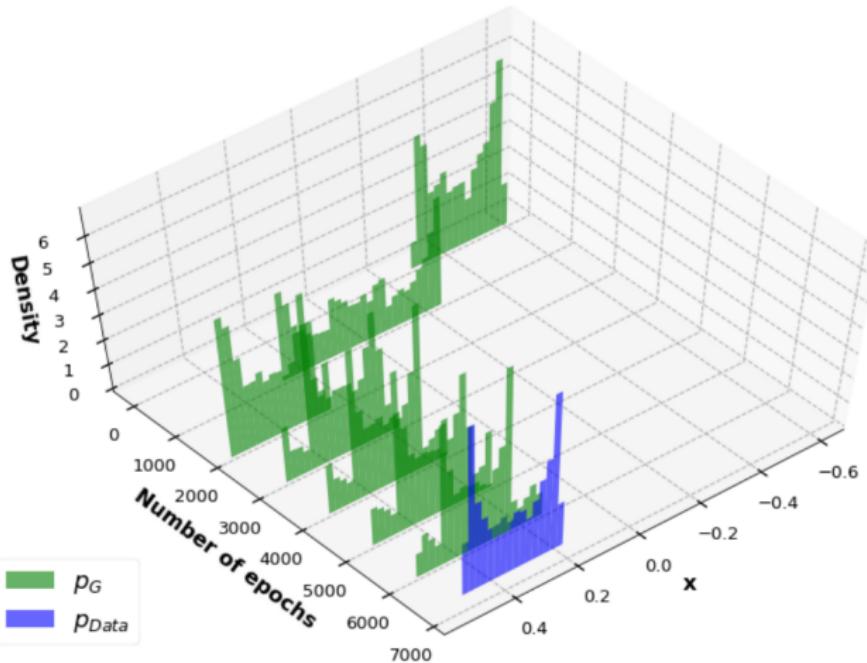


- adversarial training

$$\begin{aligned}
 C &= -\frac{1}{2} \mathbb{E} [F_D(x; \Theta_d)] \\
 &\quad -\frac{1}{2} \mathbb{E} [\log [1 - F_D((F_G(z; \Theta_g, \Omega_g); \Theta_d)))]
 \end{aligned}$$





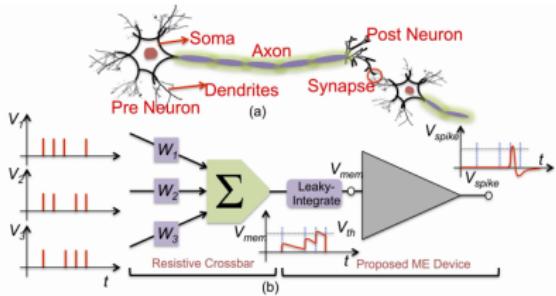


Currently looking at noisy simulations and implementations on a superconducting device  $\Rightarrow$  **Abhinav Anand**



# Classical Spiking Neuron

- sparse connectivity
- spikes transfer information
- thresholding behavior
- temporal character
- ⇒ extremely efficient



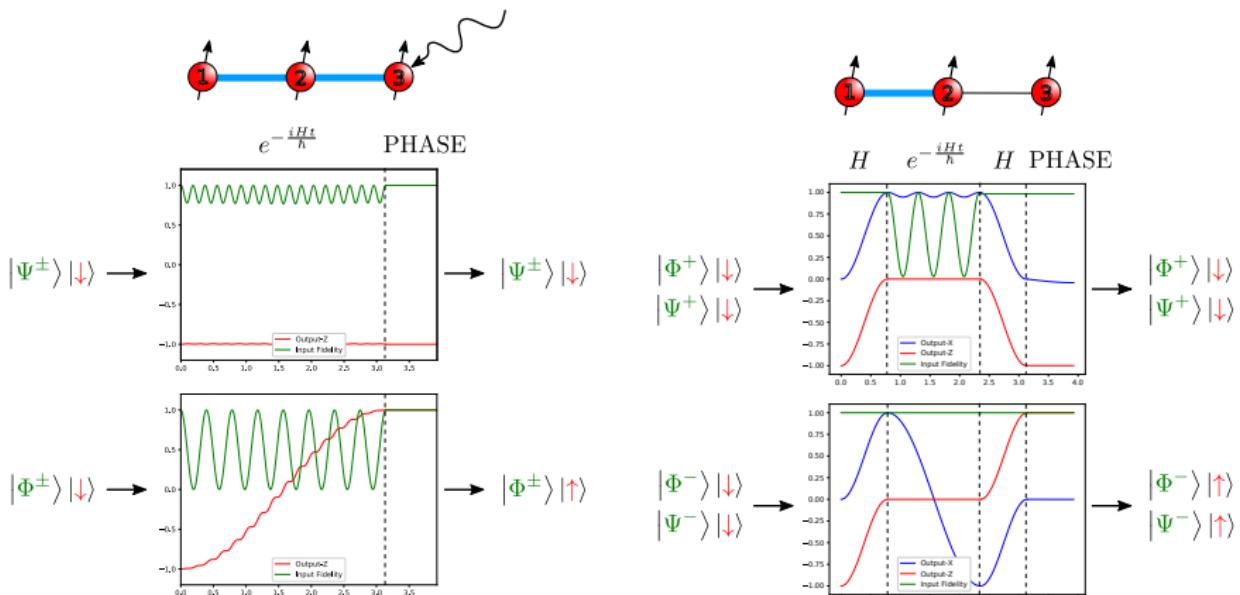
# Quantum Spiking Neuron

**Lasse Bjørn Kristensen**  
 (Aarhus University, DK)  
 arXiv:1907.06269

- quantum neuron with temporal character
- not gate based
- discriminate Bell states without changing

$$\begin{aligned} |\Phi^\pm\rangle &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (|00\rangle \pm |11\rangle) \\ |\Psi^\pm\rangle &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (|01\rangle \pm |10\rangle) \end{aligned}$$

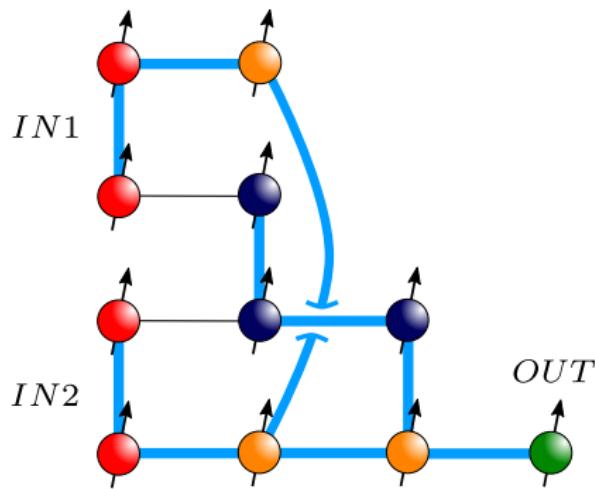




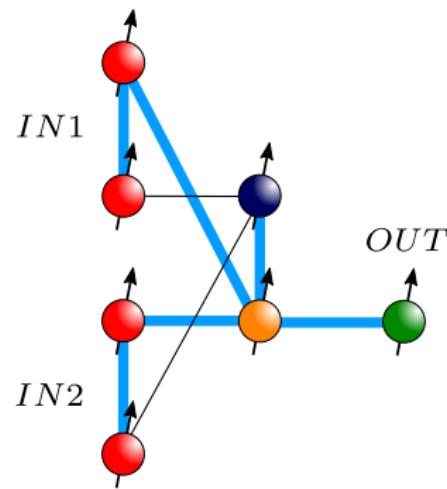
$$H = \frac{J}{2} \vec{\sigma}_1 \cdot \vec{\sigma}_2 + \beta \sigma_2^z \sigma_3^z + A \cos\left(\frac{2\beta}{\hbar} t\right) \sigma_3^x$$

$$H = \frac{J}{2} \vec{\sigma}_1 \cdot \vec{\sigma}_2 + \delta \sigma_2^x \sigma_3^x + B \sigma_3^z$$



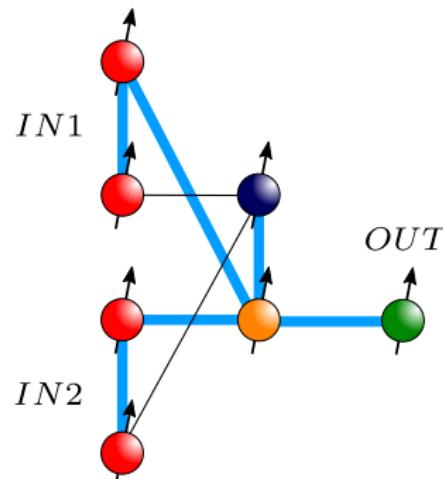
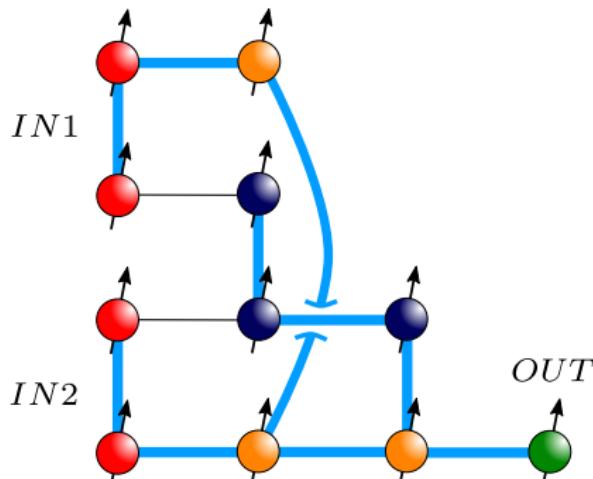


- 7 qubit overhead
- feed forward



- 3 qubit overhead
- not strictly feed forward
- complication in readout





- Measurement back-action  $\Rightarrow$  non-trivial correlations in network
- Defines an expected likelihood kernel  $\Rightarrow$  quantum kernel learning methods

$$P_{|\uparrow\rangle} = \sum_0^3 |a_i|^2 |b_i|^2 \sim k(p, p') = \int p(x)p'(x)dx$$



## Done:

- First demonstrations of non-trivial machine-learning functions

## To do:

- Expand machine learning functions
- Apply concepts to new problems
- From simulation to experimental demonstration



Thank you for your attention!



Questions are welcome

**Slides:** <https://mfdgroot.github.io/>

