

## **Session Program**

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## **2021 CAP Virtual Congress / Congrès virtuel de l'ACP 2021**

### ***TS-2 Quantum Machine Learning (DTP) / Apprentissage automatique quantique (DPT)***

Underline Conference System

# Monday 7 June

11:00

## TS-2 Quantum Machine Learning (DTP) / Apprentissage automatique quantique (DPT)

**Session** | **Location:** Underline Conference System | **Conveners:** Achim Kempf, Aida Ahmadzadegan

### 11:00-11:30 (I) Quantum Barren Plateaus and Generative Pre-Training

**Speaker**

Maria Kieferova

11:30-12:00

### (I) Interpreting artificial neural networks in the context of theoretical physics.

**Speaker**

Sebastian Wetzel

12:00-12:30

### Quantum Earth Mover's Distance: A New Approach to Learning Quantum Data

**Speaker**

Dr Milad Marvian

### 12:30-13:30 Break (Optional: Discussions)

### 13:30-14:00 (I) Large Scale QML Research in TensorFlow Quantum

**Speaker**

Michael Broughton

### 14:00-14:30 (I) Training quantum computers the same way as neural networks

**Speaker**

Nathan Killoran

### 14:30-14:45 Break (Optional: Discussions)

14:45-15:15

### (I) Quantum enhanced sampling: an essential tool for today's quantum computing practitioner

**Speaker**

Peter Johnson

### 15:15-15:45 (I) Variational Neural Annealing

**Speaker**

Juan Felipe Carrasquilla

### 15:45-16:00 Break (Optional: Discussions)

### 16:00-16:30 (I) Classical and quantum control and learning

**Speaker**

Barry Sanders

16:30-17:00

**(I) Enhancing Machine Learning and Combinatorial Optimization with Quantum Generative Models**

**Speaker**

Alejandro Perdomo-Ortiz

17:00-17:30

**Optional: Discussions**

17:30