IQST

II. Internationalisation and Networking Programmes

II.3 Networking programme within IQST

Content, objective and scope

The IQST networking programme establishes new connections and networks within IQST and plants seeds for new future research directions.

This includes

1. IQST open topic workshops
2. IQST colloquium talks by external researchers
3. IQST networking activities

which drive IQST's mission forward and which support new IQST initiatives.

Funding

The funding covers reasonable costs that are directly related to the IQST activity (e.g. travel and accommodation, catering).

Review Criteria

- Relevance to IQST and development of IQST's mission

 If applicable:

- Relevance to new IQST research initiatives

- Exchange on new research directions with innovative objectives

- Promotion of early-career scientists and exchange within the IQST community

- Invitation of internationally recognized scientists for IQST colloquia (incl. video stream to all IQST locations) & interaction with the IQST community via lab tours

- New approaches for community building and networking

Application

Applicants are invited to submit a proposal to the IQST office iqst@iqst.org. The proposal will be reviewed and decided upon by the IQST board.

For questions about your application, please contact IQST office or IQST directors

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Applicant(s):

IQST fellow or group member	Affiliation	e-mail

Invited guest(s)	Affiliation	e-mail

What is the planned activity and how does it support IQST's mission (0.5- W1 page)?

Do you have an IQST funded project and are you actively participating in IQST activity? If yes, please specify.

If applicable:

- **How does the topic of the workshop align with IQST's mission?**
- **How does the activity support new IQST research initiatives?**
- **Who will participate in the workshop, which IQST fellows are involved?**
- **How does the networking activity contribute to IQST?**
- **Preliminary time schedule and financial budget (activities and expenses) according to general universities guidelines for travel expenses.**

Note:

Upon approval by IQST Board, instructions for cost accounting will be communicated per email. Scanned copies of all incurred expenses must be sent to *iqst@iqst.org*