



# Quantum Global Public Goods Implementation on Qiskit

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**THE GLOBAL GOALS**  
For Sustainable Development

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# Equal preservation of GPG: A universal call to action protect the planet.

- Motivation: use quantum technologies to tackle SDGs.
  - Assimilation of SDGs as Global Public Goods (GPG) ; a good which cannot be replaced with any other good, and that no one can be theoretically excluded from.
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If a nation is able to enjoy the benefit of the GPG without paying for it, we end up at the free-rider problem.



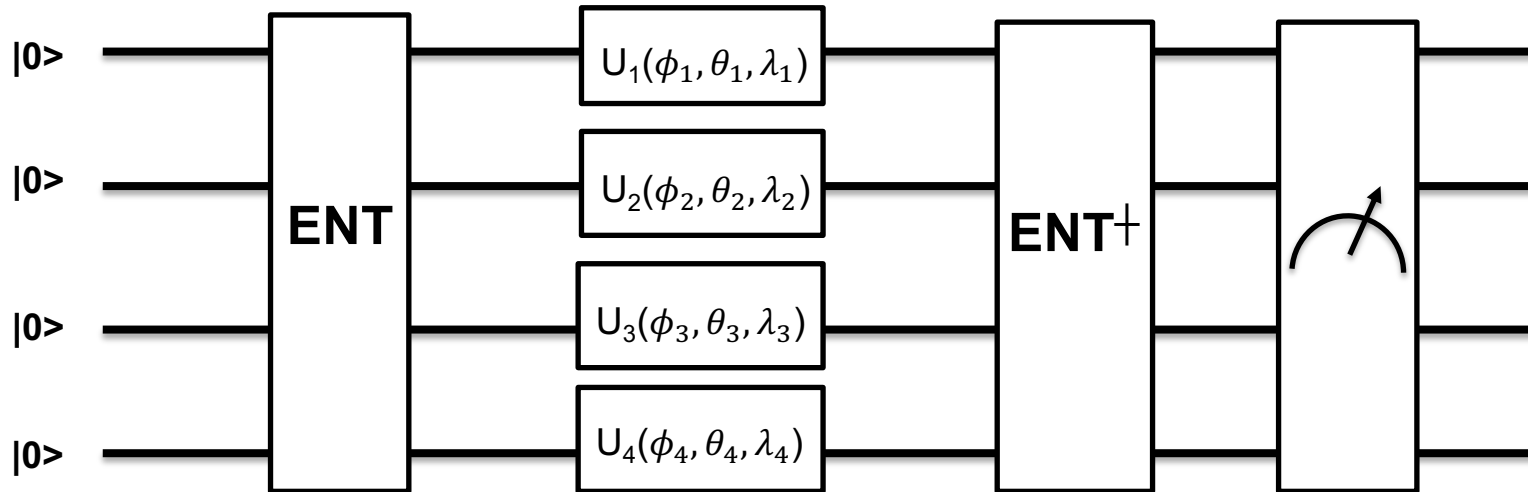
Can we... efficiently combine quantum protocols with Game Theory to address free riding countries in international environmental agreements?

# Prisoner's dilemma

		Country 2	
		cooperation	non-cooperation
Country 1	cooperation	$(-1; -1)$	$(-10; 0)$
	non-cooperation	$(0; -10)$	$(-5; -5)$

# Implementation of Quantum strategies :

Each country may apply arbitrary unitaries (n countries)



*Entanglement  
operator (Creation  
of GHZ state)*

Quantum advantage : Individual strategies now **correlated**

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# What to do with the output?

- Sampling circuit output -> **returns a global mixed strategy**
  - Possibility to estimate each country's payoff
  - Plug this state in **cost function** defined by given constraints on the problem
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# Iterate classically on all possible quantum strategies

- Once cost function is evaluated, iterate over all quantum strategies to find an optimal distribution of payoffs.

**Goal** : minimize cost function value

How can we define it?

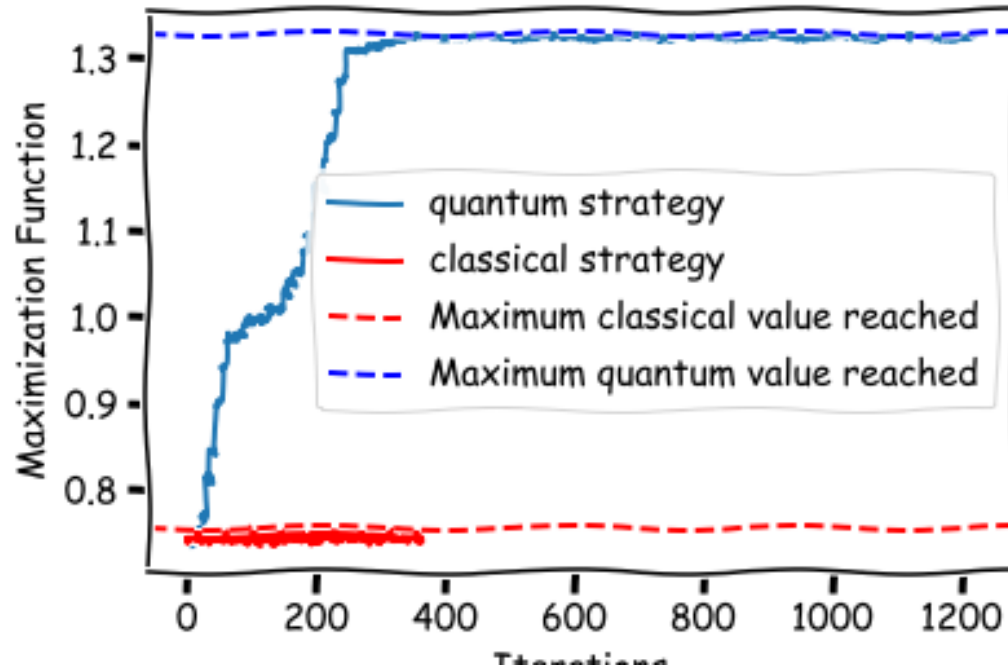
- To preserve the Public Good : potential need to symmetrize efforts, the payoff should be the same amount for everyone
- Each country should have a positive payoff



Obtain  $\min_{\theta} \sigma(\theta) - \|\theta\|_1$

$\theta \in \mathbb{R}^{3N}$

# Quantum strategy advantage over best classical one



- New optimum found using quantum strategy.
- Since minimum values are negative, absolute values are considered here



# Further possibilities of improvement

Enhancing this approach  
with Quantum  
Meta-Learning

Defining better cost  
function and payoff matrix

Modifying the entanglement  
type to study more  
complicated dynamics

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# **Modeling efficiently the problem :**

## **Building Payoff matrix**

Critical to perform realistic optimization, it should put constraints linked to real social and political issues over each countries :

### **Example of GHG emissions :**

One should consider :

- abatement costs for each country
- Cost of potential damages linked to failure of containing climate change impacts
- Etc...