

#23: OpenQASM 3.0 Reference Python Implementation | “QAMP-21”

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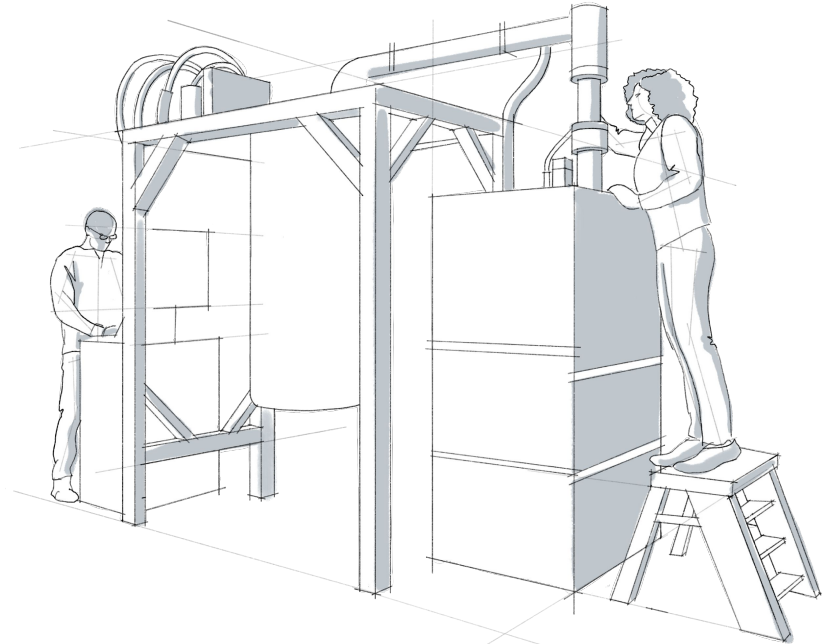
```
from qiskit import QuantumCircuit, execute
from qiskit import Aer, IBMQ
from qiskit.providers.aer.noise import NoiseModel

# Choose a real device to simulate from IBMQ provider
provider = IBMQ.load_account()
backend = provider.get_backend('ibmq_vigo')
coupling_map = backend.configuration().coupling_map

# Generate an Aer noise model for device
noise_model = NoiseModel.from_backend(backend)
basis_gates = noise_model.basis_gates

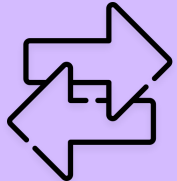
# Generate 3-qubit GHZ state
num_qubits = 3
circ = QuantumCircuit(3, 3)
circ.h(0)
circ.cx(0, 1)
circ.cx(1, 2)
circ.measure([0, 1, 2], [0, 1, 2])

# Perform noisy simulation
backend = Aer.get_backend('qasm_simulator')
job = execute(circ, backend,
              coupling_map=coupling_map,
              noise_model=noise_model,
              basis_gates=basis_gates)
result = job.result()
print(result.get_counts(0))
```



Why OpenQASM?

Convenient &
standardised format
for quantum circuits



Hardware-agnostic
representations



Closer to real
hardware



Straightforward syntax



Upgrades in OpenQASM 3.0

A complete language for quantum circuits now with salient features as compared to OpenQASM 2.0:

- Complete type system (constants, variables, operators, casting, expressions, ...)
- Control flow statements
- Support for versatile circuit and operation expression
- Dynamic circuit subroutines and external function calls
- Support for lower level operation definition
- Extended grammar for pulse operations

Physical level

`delay` statements, adding relative timings to operation

Type `stretch` to resolve concrete durations at compile time for granular calibration

Support for qubit-specific calibration instructions via `defcal` construct

Design Philosophy & execution

Arbitrary classical control flow, gate modifiers and timings

Ability to perform new kinds of circuits and experiments

Pulse level calibration and **multi level optimization**

Logical Level

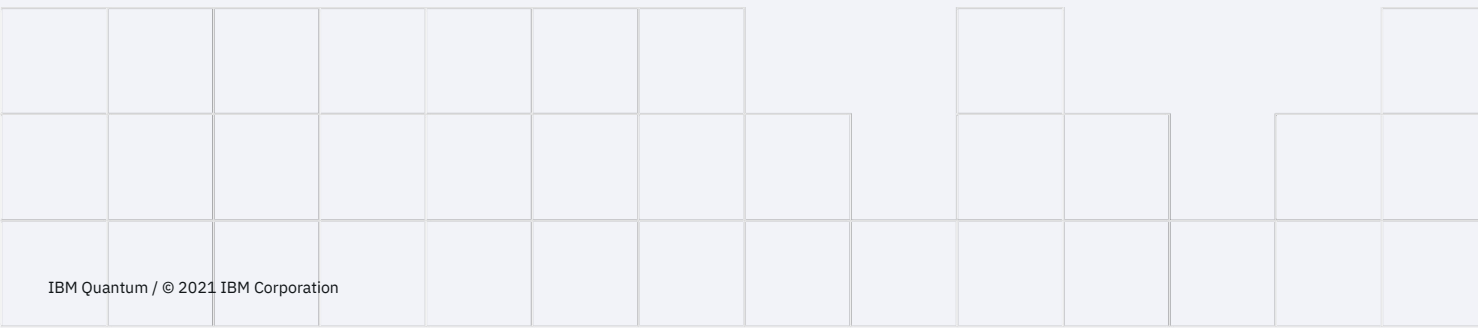
Ability to use quantum-classical dependencies in quantum circuits

Native support for classical computation on measurement results

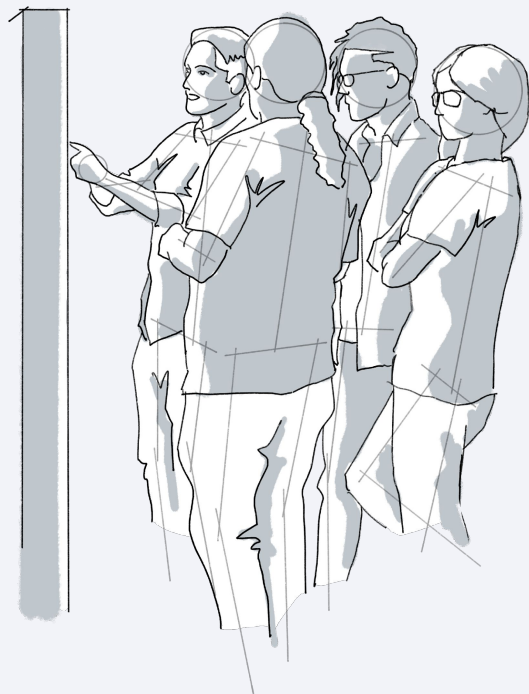
Robusts classical types with support for classical control flow

Support for `int`, `uint`, `float`, `bool`, and `bit` for classical types with functionality to specify a type with exact bit-precision for **low-level** and **bitwise** operations

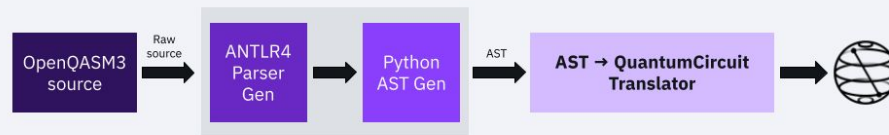
Checkpoint #3 Update



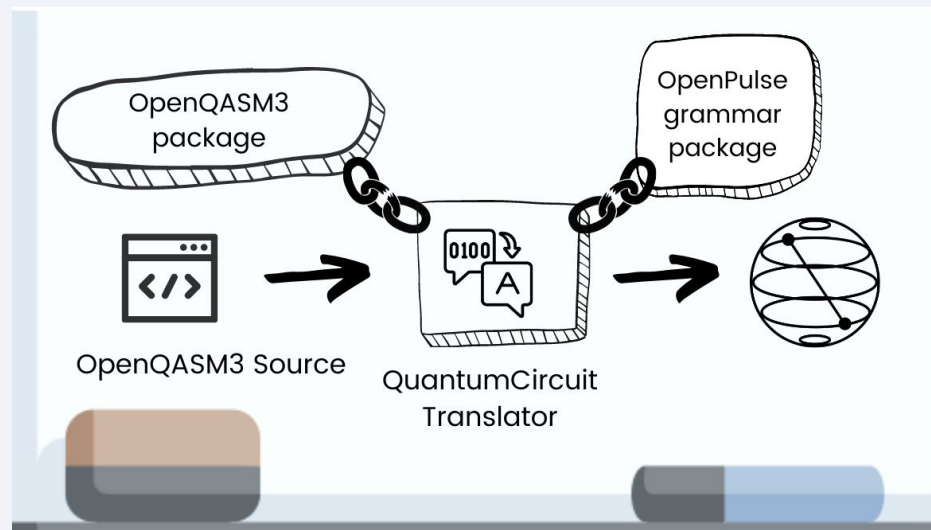
Architecture



Current



Proposed defca1 support (incomplete)



How are we bringing about changes?

- Tight integration with the OpenQASM 3 Technical Steering Committee (TSC) OpenQASM3 reference AST

- Several contributions to Qiskit/openqasm repo while working on the Translator

Open Casting angles to floats - slow and precise or quick and lossy? #280
mbhealy opened this issue 13 days ago · 4 comments

would really welcome the ability to choose to precision and provide a specific operator or indicator to ensure better precision. In C, I have seen where people will explicitly encode the floating point number they want to ensure speed&accuracy. Something like that might be a useful addition as well.

Hope this helps some :)

jwoehr commented 2 days ago Contributor

Some folks concerned with this issue might be interested in QAMP Fall 2021 Team No. 23's ways of handling this which will be presented in our Oct. 7 session for QAMP checkpoint.

Open Reference implementation of OpenQASM 3.0 AST in Python #269
aspcompiler wants to merge 53 commits into @qiskit:master from aspcompiler:ast

AbeerVaishnav13 commented 7 days ago

Hi @aspcompiler, we were in the process of using your QASM3 to AST generator for the Qiskit Advocate Mentorship Program project on OpenQASM3 and noticed a few bugs/potential changes...

- 1. No restriction on re-assignment to const types**

Presently there are no restrictions on re-assignment to const types. For example, if I write the following code:

```
const my_const = 10; // parses as a 'ConstantDeclaration' statement
my_const = 5; // parses as a 'ClassicalAssignment' statement - WRONG
```

Shouldn't the AST gen step throw an error for statement-2 i.e. re-assignment to an immutable identifier?

- 2. 'bool' instead of NoDesignatorTypeName.bool**

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nelimee commented 19 days ago

Hi @aspcompiler,

We started to use your AST generator for the Qiskit Advocate Mentorship Program project on OpenQASM3 and found some things that might be considered as issues.

Here is a quick description of each, sadly I did not have the time to investigate the source of these issues yet:

```
# Code to get the AST from one of the example files in https://github.com/aspcompiler/openqasm/tree/ast/examples
from openqasm.parser.antlr.qasm_parser import parse

file = "adder.qasm"
with open(file, "r") as f:
    qasm_str = f.read()

ast = parse(qasm_str)
```

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jakeshman commented 7 days ago · edited · Contributor

@AbeerVaishnav13, some quick answers, since I'm looking at this (but am not on the main author team).

- 1. reassignment to const:** that probably isn't the role of the AST to throw an error on that, because AST generation is more about syntax than programme correctness. The first pass of AST generation (which the reference implementation here is) doesn't generally track which identifiers are being assigned, and what their types are - that would most likely come in a later, compilation stage.
- 2. cast operator doesn't preserve enum:** that looks like a bug to me.

Fixed NoDesignatorType parsing ✓ @93ddd

aspcompiler commented 7 days ago Contributor Author

@AbeerVaishnav13: @jakeshman just answered 1. I just pushed a fix for 2.

shiyunon and others added 5 commits 18 days ago

- fixed some issues raised in #269 ✗ ad0a9ce
- Small subtle adjustment to the identifier list and constant declaration ✗ 347841c
- adding a code snippet from adder.qasm as a new test case. ✗ 5696e17
- Merge branch 'master' into ast 2ccb56a
- Removed fixed type to sync up with grammar ✓ f380a95

PR Contributions

PR#295 :

- Identifying an important hole in the specification about mathematical functions
- Addition of the power (**) operator for complex numbers

PR#269 :

- Extensive testing on various inputs
- Remarks to improve overall ease of use
- A few defects raised to the attention of the authors

PR#296 :

- Following the progressive definition of OpenPulse grammar
- Waiting for advances from the main team

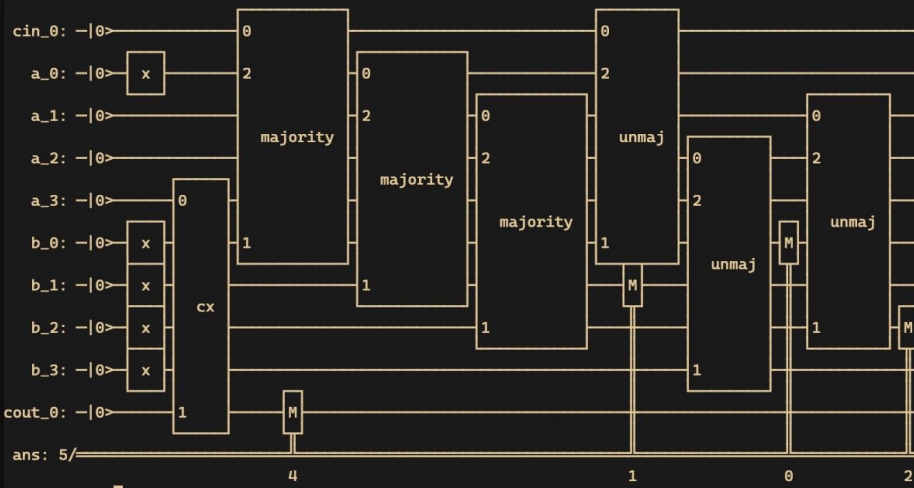
PR#1 ([jakelishman/openqasm](#)):

- Automatic packaging of the OpenQASM 3.0 parser using GitHub Actions
- Waiting for the “openqasm” package to be available

Demo

```
adder.qasm *alignment.qasm > *cphase.qasm > *dd.qasm >... buffers (⚡)tests|ψ python3 build_ast.py ../../examples/adder.qasm -I ../../examples/ -t
```

```
18 */
17 OPENQASM 3;
16 include "stdgates.inc";
15
14 gate majority a, b, c {
13   cx c, b;
12   cx c, a;
11   ccx a, b, c;
10 }
9
8 gate unmaj a, b, c {
7   ccx a, b, c;
6   cx c, a;
5   cx a, b;
4 }
3
2 qubit[1] cin;
1 qubit[4] a;
22 qubit[4] b;
1 qubit[1] cout;
2 bit[5] ans;
3 uint[4] a_in = 1; // a = 0001
4 uint[4] b_in = 15; // b = 1111
5 // initialize qubits
6 reset cin;
7 reset a;
8 reset b;
9 reset cout;
10
11 // set input states
12 for i in [0: 4] {
13   if(bool(a_in[i])) x a[i];
14   if(bool(b_in[i])) x b[i];
15 }
16 // add a to b, storing result in b
17 majority cin[0], b[0], a[0];
18 for i in [0: 2] { majority a[i], b[i + 1], a[i + 1]; }
19 cx a[3], cout[0];
20 for i in [2: -1: 0] { unmaj a[i], b[i+1], a[i+1]; }
21 unmaj cin[0], b[0], a[0];
22 measure b[0] -> ans[0];
23 measure b[1] -> ans[1];
24 measure b[2] -> ans[2];
25 measure cout[0] -> ans[4];
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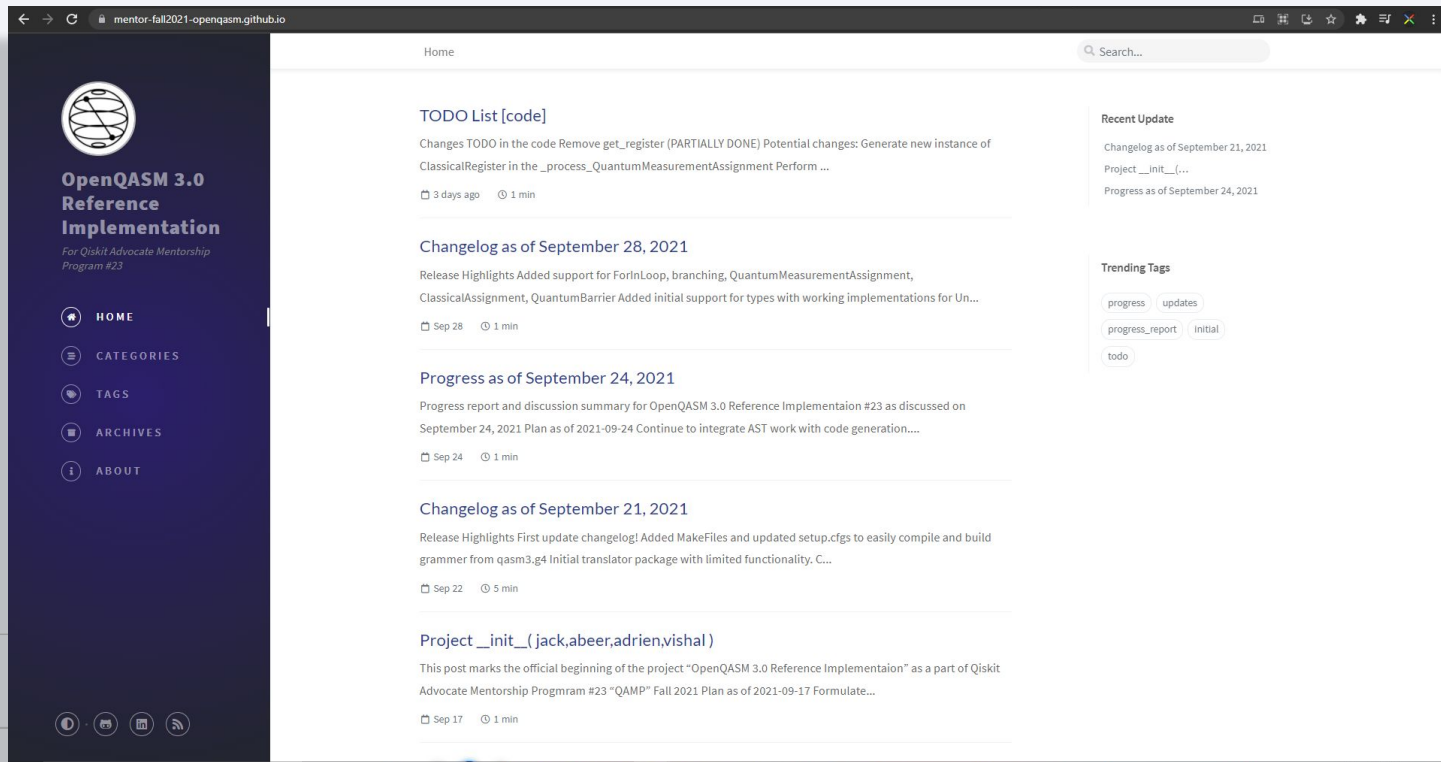


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Dedicated blog website

Check it out here:

<https://mentor-fall2021-openqasm.github.io/>



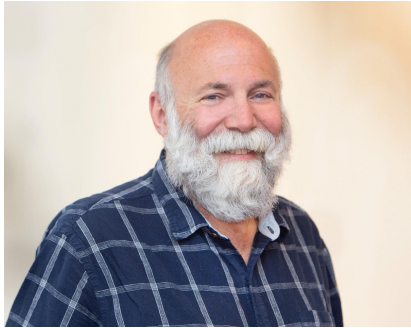
The screenshot shows a web browser displaying the homepage of the OpenQASM 3.0 Reference Implementation blog. The page features a dark blue sidebar on the left with the Qiskit logo and navigation links: HOME, CATEGORIES, TAGS, ARCHIVES, and ABOUT. The main content area is white and contains a list of blog posts. Each post includes a title, a brief description, and a timestamp. The posts are:

- TODO List [code]**: Changes TODO in the code Remove get_register (PARTIALLY DONE) Potential changes: Generate new instance of ClassicalRegister in the _process_QuantumMeasurementAssignment Perform ... (3 days ago, 1 min)
- Changelog as of September 28, 2021**: Release Highlights Added support for ForinLoop, branching, QuantumMeasurementAssignment, ClassicalAssignment, QuantumBarrier Added initial support for types with working implementations for Un... (Sep 28, 1 min)
- Progress as of September 24, 2021**: Progress report and discussion summary for OpenQASM 3.0 Reference Implementaion #23 as discussed on September 24, 2021 Plan as of 2021-09-24 Continue to integrate AST work with code generation.... (Sep 24, 1 min)
- Changelog as of September 21, 2021**: Release Highlights First update changelog! Added MakeFiles and updated setup.cfgs to easily compile and build grammer from qasm3.g4 Initial translator package with limited functionality, C... (Sep 22, 5 min)
- Project __init__(jack,abeer,adrien,vishal)**: This post marks the official beginning of the project "OpenQASM 3.0 Reference Implementaion" as a part of Qiskit Advocate Mentorship Program #23 "QAMP" Fall 2021 Plan as of 2021-09-17 Formulate... (Sep 17, 1 min)

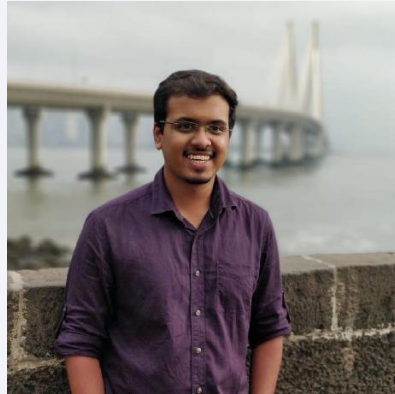
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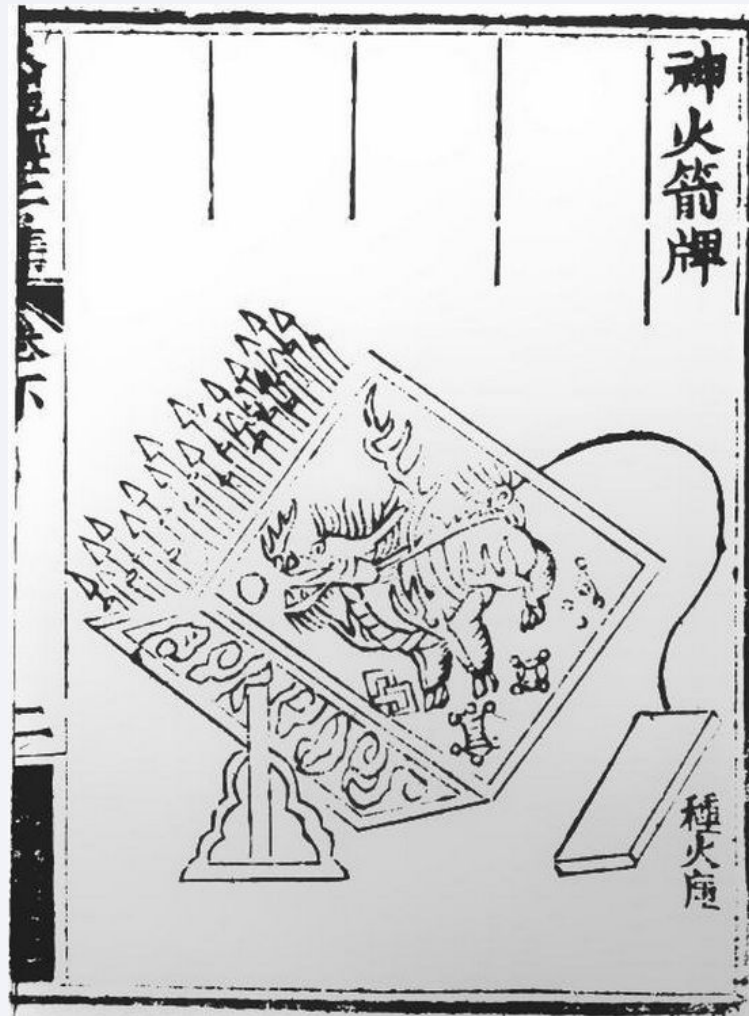


Today Is Yesterday's Tomorrow

In the course of 20 years' dilettante interest in Quantum Computing, I have seen the field progress from what Nobel laureate [Bill Phillips](#) called “A 50-50 chance: 50% chance in 50 years” to a world-wide collaborative research project involving the brightest young minds of every habitable continent.

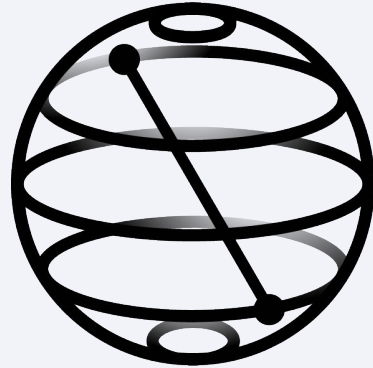
It has been a pleasure and a privilege to participate in QAMP Fall 2021 with this stellar team! Best of luck in your careers!

- Jack Woehr



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