

## Resolution establishing

# **“Krzyżowa Initiative for Quantum Information” European Research Network**

1. The undersigned scientists gathered in Krzyżowa, Poland, on 15 June 2004, have decided to establish the “Krzyżowa Initiative for Quantum Information”, a European Research Network.
2. The aim of the KIQIn network is to:
  - a) promote the research on quantum information and related areas,
  - b) organise workshops and conferences in the field,
  - c) stimulate joint research projects,
  - d) highlight scientific achievements of its members.
3. The KIQIn membership does not preclude its members from conducting activities in other scientific networks or research consortia. The membership in the network does not imply any financial obligations.
4. As of today, i.e. 15 June 2004, the KIQIn Network consists of:
  1. Ingemar Bengtsson (Stockholm)
  2. Hans Briegel (Innsbruck)
  3. Andreas Buchleitner (Dresden)
  4. Artur Ekert (Cambridge)
  5. Mark Fannes (Leuven)
  6. Peter Hänggi (Augsburg)
  7. Ryszard Horodecki (Gdańsk)
  8. Andrzej Jamiołkowski (Toruń)
  9. Maciej Lewenstein (Hanover)
  10. Giuseppe Marmo (Naples)
  11. Remy Mosseri (Paris)
  12. Dènes Petz (Budapest)
  13. Martin Plenio (Imperial College, London)
  14. Jakub Rembieliński (Łódź)
  15. Raymond Streater (King’s College, London)
  16. Walter Strunz (Freiburg)
  17. Rüdiger Schack (Royal Holloway, London)
  18. Armin Uhlmann (Leipzig)
  19. Reinhard Werner (Braunschweig)
  20. Karol Życzkowski (Cracow / Warsaw).

Polish scientists represent the network Laboratorium Fizycznych Podstaw Przetwarzania Informacji (LFPPI).

5. The network is governed by the Board of the Network. The Board takes its decisions during its regular meetings or virtual meetings, organised by e-mail at least once a year. The Board meetings are convoked and chaired by the Chairman of the Board, elected for a period of three years.
6. The first Board is composed of the persons listed as founders of the Network in point 4. The Network Board elected Karol Życzkowski to serve as a Chairman and his term of office expires on June 30, 2007.
7. Any member of the network may ask his/her colleague from the same institution to represent him during a meeting of the Board. Any member may motion that he be replaced in the Board by any other scientist working in his institution. Such a replacement has to be approved by the majority of the Board.
8. Other research groups may be admitted to the Network, if they are recommended by at least three members of the Network Board and get the approval of more than 66% of the members of the Board. In such a case one representative of the admitted group becomes a new member of the Board.
9. The above mentioned rules, according to which Network acts, may be changed by a qualified majority of 66% of the Board members.
10. Any member of the Board is entitled to resign from the membership upon a written request to the Chairman of the Board.

*Signed by the 20 founding members of the KIQuln Network  
Krzyżowa, June 15, 2004*