

## **SENSORS JOURNAL**



# Call for Papers Special Issue on Photonic Quantum Sensors Devices and Applications

Photonic quantum sensing utilizes the principles of quantum mechanics in conjunction with photonics for precision sensing and detection. The traditional optical approach has some noteworthy limitations in terms of resolution and accuracy. However, the applications of quantum phenomena such as quantum superposition and quantum entanglement to photons enable photonic quantum sensing to surpass its counterparts in efficiency. Photonic quantum sensor devices promise to surpass existing boundaries within the realm of sensor technology, notably in terms of precision, by leveraging the inherent principles of quantum mechanics. The practical realization of photonic quantum sensor devices, which work beyond ideal laboratory conditions in practical applications within the broader spectrum of sensor technology, is the next step in quantum sensor technologies. Considering these developments, this Special Issue invites contributions that delve into photonic quantum sensors' foundational principles and practical applications.

#### **Topics**

This Special Issue of the IEEE Sensors Journal will showcase state-of-the-art in Photonic Quantum Sensors. Original research contributions and review papers are sought related areas including (but not limited to):

- Metrology and Sensing
- Communication
- Healthcare
- Aerospace
- Agriculture
- Robotics
- Imaging

- Energy
- Defense and Security
- Environmental Monitoring
- AI and IoT Applications
- Sensing Materials
- Navigation and Positioning

### Important dates (updated)

September 30, 2024 December 31, 2024: Deadline for Manuscript Submission

February 28, 2025: Completion of Final Review

May 2025: Publication

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