



AI & Quantum Futures Alliance®

Call for Appointments

Directors (AI Programs | Quantum Initiatives | Partnerships & Outreach)

Organization Overview

The AI & Quantum Futures Alliance (AIQFA) is the world's leading umbrella organization convening top experts in artificial intelligence and quantum computing under a shared pledge to robust ethics, visionary policy, and global collaboration. Through research funding, strategic partnerships, talent development, and policy advisement, AIQFA shapes the future of science and technology for the benefit of all.

Position Summaries

AIQFA invites applications for three Director-level roles to drive our core missions:

- **Director, AI Programs** – Lead the conception, funding, and oversight of our AI research portfolio and applied-AI initiatives.
- **Director, Quantum Initiatives** – Oversee quantum computing R&D collaborations, technology road-mapping, and incubation of quantum startups.
- **Director, Partnerships & Outreach** – Forge and manage strategic alliances with governments, academia, and industry, and steward AIQFA's global community engagement.

Key Responsibilities

- Define strategy, objectives, and KPIs for your domain in alignment with AIQFA's vision.
- Design and manage grant programs, pilot projects, and collaborative consortia.
- Build and nurture relationships with research institutions, corporate sponsors, and policy bodies.
- Shape ethical frameworks and best-practice guidelines relevant to your field.
- Represent AIQFA at international conferences, working groups, and high-level meetings.



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Essential Qualifications

- **For all roles:** Proven leadership in a global or intergovernmental technology organization; mastery of ethical and policy issues in emerging tech; exceptional communication and coalition-building skills; advanced degree (PhD preferred) or equivalent expertise.
- **Director, AI Programs:** Deep track record in AI research or large-scale AI deployments.
- **Director, Quantum Initiatives:** Demonstrated experience in quantum computing projects or quantum-tech commercialisation.
- **Director, Partnerships & Outreach:** Strong history of forging and sustaining high-impact strategic partnerships across sectors.

Term & Location

- Three-year renewable term.
- Based at AIQFA headquarters with international travel as required.

Application Process

Submit by 31 May 2025 (23:59 IST) to **appointments@aiqfa.com** with subject line: “Director Application – [ROLE AND SPECIALISATION]: [Your Name]”

Include:

1. CV highlighting leadership and domain achievements.
2. Cover letter stating your vision and strategic priorities for the role.
3. Two professional references.

AIQFA is an equal-opportunity organization and welcomes applications from all qualified candidates.