

Special Issue

Quantum Beam and Its Applications for Quantum Technologies

Message from the Guest Editor

The first quantum revolution created electronics based on semiconductors, optical engineering, and information and communication technologies. As a result, our daily life has dramatically changed. Quantum beam is used as an indispensable technology (ion beams for doping, electron beams for carrier lifetime controlling, etc.) for the first quantum revolution.

However, we are facing issues which are difficult to solve using current technologies. Quantum technologies such as quantum computing, quantum cryptography, and quantum sensing are rapidly developed, and a new era of quantum technologies, so-called "Second quantum revolution", is coming now. Quantum beam technologies have enough potential to be one of the key technologies to accelerate the second quantum revolution. To do so, we need to improve/sophisticate current technologies and demonstrate advanced quantum beam. The scope of this Special Issue incorporates a wide range of topics on quantum beam and its applications for quantum technologies.....

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