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New Images of God in Contemporary Physics, Quantum Metaphysics, and Theism: Quantum God, Emptiness, Consciousness, and Energy

Message from the Guest Editors

Quantum reality is a mysterious domain where linear time dissolves and relative space collapses, leading to a timeless and spaceless realm. It challenges the classical intuitions of human beings in ways that are profoundly counterintuitive to the human sensory experience. Quantum reality is linked to consciousness and the interconnectedness of all creation.

The narrow bandwidth of human perception limits human understanding, ignoring the vastness of what we cannot see, hear, or perceive. A holistic understanding of reality could transcend the limits of reductionism and allow us to reclaim the meaning at the heart of creation.

Improvements in our understanding of quantum physics could lead to new images of God; the nature of quantum phenomena requires the use of images similar to those used in many mystical and religious traditions, particularly Eastern ones.

By following an unconfined approach, we could consider various scientific and theological interpretations to describe the concept of God through the filter of quantum science and metaphysics.

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