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Integral GlobalTech Partners Invests in UK’s Universal Quantum Ltd., a Developer of Trapped-Ion Quantum Computing Systems

Integral GlobalTech Partners (Representative: CK Choun, hereinafter "IGT") announced that a fund managed by IGT group has participated in the Series A round of Universal Quantum, Ltd. (CEO: Sebastian Weidt, hereinafter "Universal Quantum").

Background and Purpose of Investment

The quantum technology market is projected to reach $60 billion to $100 billion annually by 2035, and is expected to unlock up to $2.7 trillion of economic value across sectors such as pharmaceuticals, finance, and automotive. While achieving scale is the major challenge in quantum computing, Universal Quantum offers a practical approach to delivering high-quality qubits through its proprietary modular trapped-ion technology, without relying on large, costly lasers or cooling infrastructure.

Japan is positioned as one of Universal Quantum's key growth markets. Under its "Japan Nexus" strategy, IGT supports the global expansion of startups possessing exceptional technologies. By participating in this Series A funding round of over $100 million, IGT will back Universal Quantum's strategic business development in the Japanese market, while supporting the commercialization of its technology and its broader global expansion.

About Universal Quantum

Universal Quantum was founded in 2018 by Professor Sebastian Weidt and Professor Winfried Hensinger of the University of Sussex. The company leverages its modular trapped-ion architecture to develop fault-tolerant, utility-scale quantum computers.

URL： https://universalquantum.com/

About Integral GlobalTech Partners

Integral GlobalTech Partners Corporation (Representative Director: Chee Kong Choun) was founded in March 2025 as an investment firm targeting global tech growth companies in Japan, Asia, the United States, and beyond. The firm invests in middle to late-stage startups in technology sectors including AI-powered SaaS, robotics, mobility, and renewable energy. IGT combines the operational support expertise cultivated through Integral Group's founding business as a private equity firm, with the global investment knowledge of our JV partner, Granite Asia, a leading Asian VC, to support the growth of portfolio companies.

About Integral Group

Integral Group Corporation (Representative Director: Reijiro Yamamoto) engages in private equity, real estate, and GlobalTech growth investments to contribute to society and industry. "Integral" stands for "integral calculus – accumulation over time" meaning that the Group will strive to establish a relationship of highest trust and will aim to

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accumulate the highest wisdom over time to be a Trusted Investor. The Group acts as one to drive the value enhancement of the investees by combining the insights and expertise gained across diverse asset classes.

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