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Wraping up four years of OpenDreamKit

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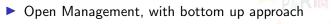


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Back to homework

- What are the needs of our communities?
- What can we do about it?
- What can we do about our people?



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BOSSEE

Call: European Open Science Cloud INFRAEOSC-02-2019 **Scope:** Core Jupyter development, demonstrators in many areas of science

Leader: Min-Ragan Kelley Partners: EGI, INSERM, QuantStack, WildTreeTech, ... Submitted: January 2019; denied Will submit again!



Future funding: FAIR mathematical data

Mathematical Data have a key role to play and raise specific challenges

FAIRMAT

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Leader: Michael Kohlhase Submitted: January 2019; denied Will submit again!



Scope: Computational mathematics / Tetrapod **Leader:** ? Key question: proper administrative support

Funding for: community building, conferences; no RSE!



How to overcome failures?









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