OpenDreamKit Southampton site report June 2016

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Recruitment

- We had a significant delay in the recruitment process for the Research Fellow position at Southampton.
 - top ranked candidate (Marijan Beg) is a Croatian citizen
 - · additional paperwork as Croatia joined the EU recently
 - anticipated Brexit referendum increased pressure on UK Home Office (applied for worker authorisation certificate)
 - · overall delay about 5 months
 - · Marijan Beg took up post on 19 April 2016.
- Now just over 2 months into the project

Proposed and approved changes: delay by 4 months

- We asked for the following changes in the project timings:
 - T2.7 (M24-M28 \rightarrow M28-M32)
 - T2.8 (M14-M40 \rightarrow M18-M44)
 - T2.9 (M0-M36; M40-M46 \rightarrow M0-M46)
 - T3.8 (M3-M9 \to M7-M13)
 - T4.11 (M9-M15 \rightarrow M13-M25)
 - T4.13 (M15-M21 \rightarrow M19-M25)
 - T4.14 (M21-M24 \rightarrow M25-M28)
 - T7.4 (M28-M40 \rightarrow M32-M44)
 - D2.13 (M44 \rightarrow M48)
- · No other tasks and deliverables affected

Southampton team

- Marijan Beg (research fellow)
 - · Electrical Engineer
 - · PhD in computational physics and magnetism
- Ryan Pepper (PhD student, associated)
 - · Physicist from Birmingham University
 - PhD student in EPSRC CDT in Next Generation Computational Modelling
- Hans Fangohr (investigator)

Finances

- report from finance team completed
- not aware of any issues (apart from Brexit)

Overview achievements

- Project webpages at http://joommf.github.io
- Presentation of OpenDreamKit and Jupyter-OOMMF (JOOMMF) project at largest international magnetism meeting in San Diego, CA, US (Jan 2016):

http://opendreamkit.org/activities/2016-01-12-joommf-talk-MMM2016/

- Meeting with OOMMF core developers (Jan 2016)
- Jupyter-OOMMF project http://github.com/joommf
 - Jupyter Notebook
 - OOMMF: Object Oriented MicroMagnetic Framework
 - First steps towards Python OOMMF interface

https://github.com/joommf/oommfc

 Presentation and publication on Software Engineering for computational science (ICSE, Austin, Texas (US), May 2016)

http://arxiv.org/abs/1601.07392

Active work: Component Architecture T3.8

 T3.8: Python Interface for OOMMF micromagnetic simulation https://github.com/OpenDreamKit/OpenDreamKit/issues/57

Initial exploration of Python-OOMMF interface options

- https://github.com/fangohr/oommf-python
- A number of refined Python-based tools for computational micromagnetics are under development, code at http://github.com/joommf/
 - good test coverage (codecov.io)
 - continuous integration (travis-ci.org)
 - documentation (readthedocs.io)
- Months 7 13 (now in month 10)