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Your recent message to sage-devel

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To: Matthias K  ppe <matthiaskoepp@gmail.com>
Cc: sage-conduct@googlegroups.com

Thu, May 2, 2024 at 1:42 PM

Dear Matthias,

We have some comments regarding your message to sage-devel that contained

- > Many thanks to all who participated in this poll. It's an illustration
- > (1) that participation in our community matters, and
- > (2) that keeping proper focus in discussions matters.

The message seems professional and informative. For the most part, it effectively communicates updates on project development and appreciates contributions from others. However, some might interpret the lines about the importance of participation and maintaining focus as slightly preachy or patronizing if they are sensitive to tone, especially since there's existing tension or disagreements within the community. We let the message go through, but in the future you might consider softening these statements to ensure they are received as intended.

The SageMath Code of Conduct Committee

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To: Julian R  th <julian.rueth@fsfe.org>
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Thu, May 2, 2024 at 2:29 PM

Dear Julian and committee,

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That's correct.

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I think there is a fundamental misunderstanding somewhere that needs to be resolved.

This is called "leadership". I'm leading the project.

I repeat my invitation to the committee to support me in my leadership to build an inclusive community.
The response to my Apr 12 message "(Re-)building an inclusive SageMath

community. II: Recognizing and fighting abuse, bullying, disrespect"
(<https://groups.google.com/g/sage-devel/c/xBzaINHWwUQ>), "The Sage Code
of Conduct Committee shares the goal of making sage development
welcoming and pleasant." did not do anything helpful in this regard.

Matthias

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