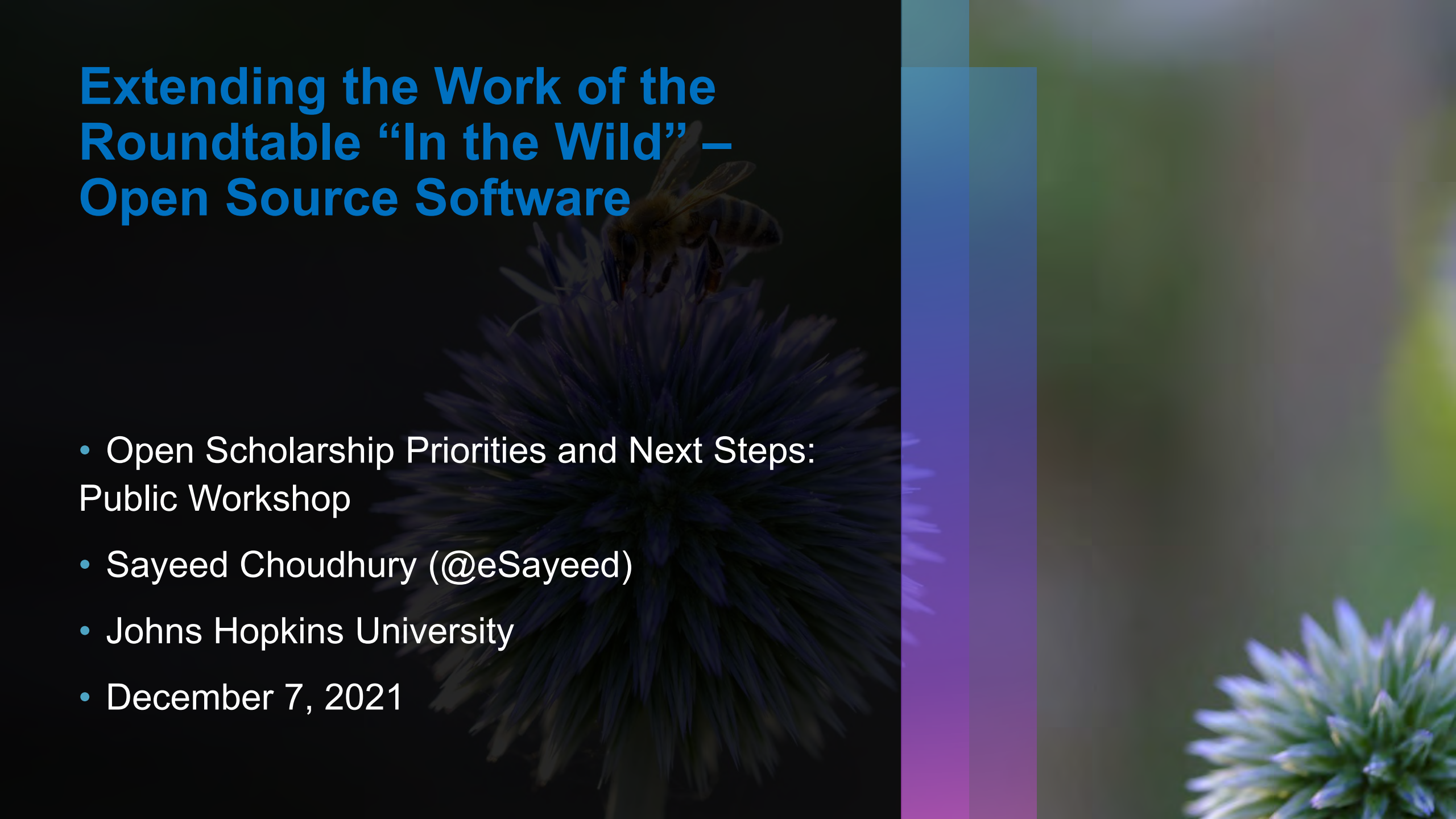# Extending the Work of the Roundtable "In the Wild" – Open Source Software

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Wisdom from the Hopi

- "There is a river flowing now, very fast. It is so great and swift that there are those who will be afraid. They will try to hold on to the shore. They will feel they are being torn apart and suffer greatly. Know that the river has its destination. The elders say we must push off into the middle of the river, keep our eyes open and our heads above the water. See who is in there with you and celebrate. At this time in history we are to take nothing personally, least of all ourselves, for the moment we do that, our spiritual growth comes to a halt. The time of the lone wolf is over. Gather yourselves; banish the word 'struggle' from your attitude and vocabulary. All that we do now must be done in a sacred way and in celebration. We are the ones we've been waiting for. Now, go to your mat and push off from the shore."

Resources

- Johns Hopkins
  - https://drcc.library.jhu.edu/open-source-programs-office/
  - https://hopkinsathome.vhx.tv/engineering-technology/videos/open-source-final
- University/Government
  - https://ospoplusplus.com/
  - https://www.researchsoft.org/
- Industry open source foundations
  - https://ospo.zone/ (Eclipse Foundation)
  - https://todogroup.org/blog/ospology-the-study-of-ospos/ (Linux Foundation)