

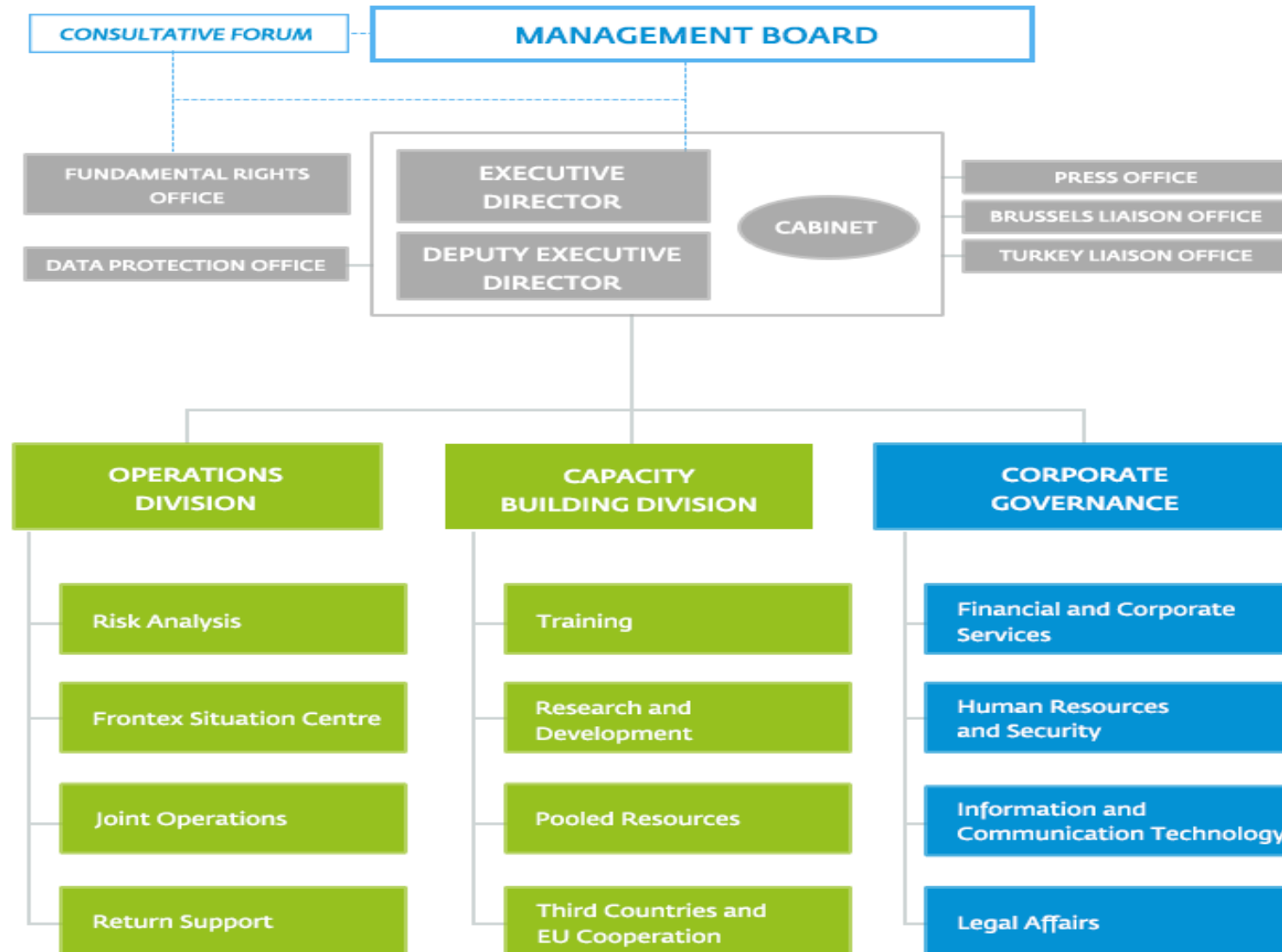
# CAPACITY BUILDING

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# FRONTEX' STRUCTURE



# CAPACITY BUILDING



# POOLED RESOURCES

## European Border and Coast Guard Teams

EBCGT

Rapid Reaction

## European Return Intervention Teams

Forced Return  
Monitors

Forced Return  
Escorts

Return Specialists

## Technical Equipment

Patrol boats

Aircraft

Patrol cars  
etc

# RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT

**MONITOR NEW TECHNOLOGIES**  
Meeting industry ->  
Technology providers and research  
community



**ASSESS  
TECHNOLOGIES**



**PILOT PROJECT**

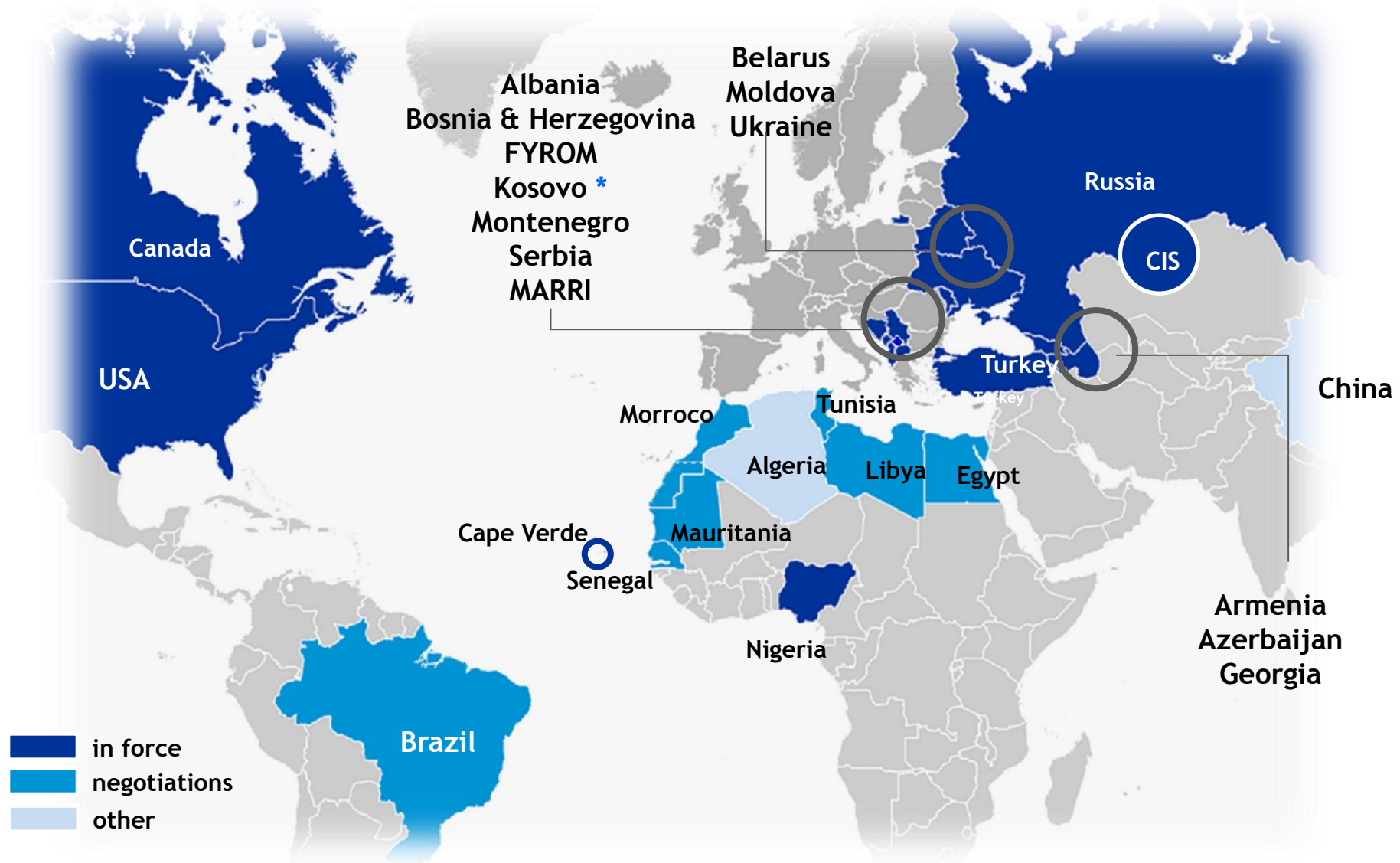
- Interagency co-operation on common use of aerial assets
- Business model for surveillance services

**TEST NEW TECHNOLOGIES**



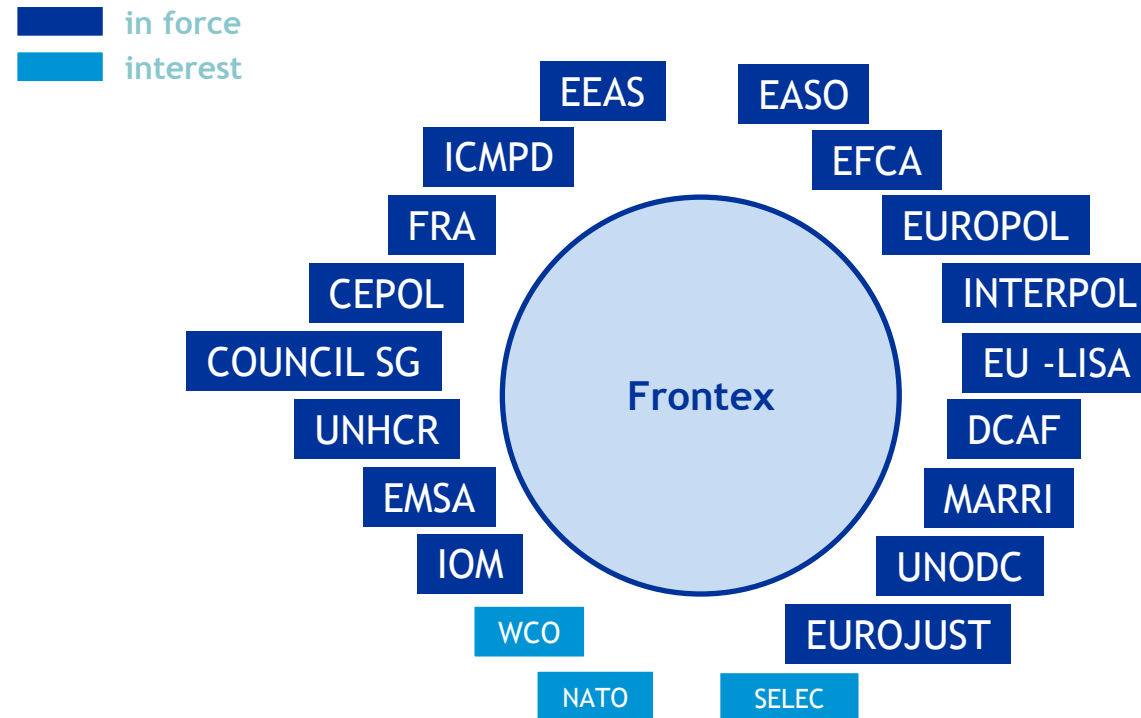
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# INTERNATIONAL AND EUROPEAN COOPERATION



\* This designation is without prejudice to positions on status, and is in line with UNSCR 1244 and the ICJ Opinion on the Kosovo declaration of independence

# COOPERATION WITH INTERNATIONAL ORGANISATIONS



# FRONTEX TRAINING ACTIVITIES

## LEGAL BASIS

### *Article 36*

The Agency shall, .....

- ... develop specific training tools ...
- ... provide advanced training ...
- ... conduct regular exercises ...
- ... ensure that deployed staff have received training in
  - Relevant union and international law
  - Fundamental rights
  - Access to international protection
  - Search and rescue
- ... ensure training for
  - Forced-return monitors
  - Forces-return escorts
  - Return specialists
- ... establish and further develop common core curricula ...
- ... provide training for instructors of national border guards
  - Fundamental rights
  - Access to international protection
  - Maritime law
- ... offer training courses and seminars ...
- ... establish an exchange programme ...



# REGULATION ON THE EUROPEAN BORDER AND COAST GUARD

## NEW DEMANDS

- Integrated Border Management
- Coast Guard Functions
- Vulnerability Assessment
- European Return Intervention Teams
- Child Specific Training
- Quality Assurance
- Research
- Hot spots
- Observers
- Customs
- .....etc

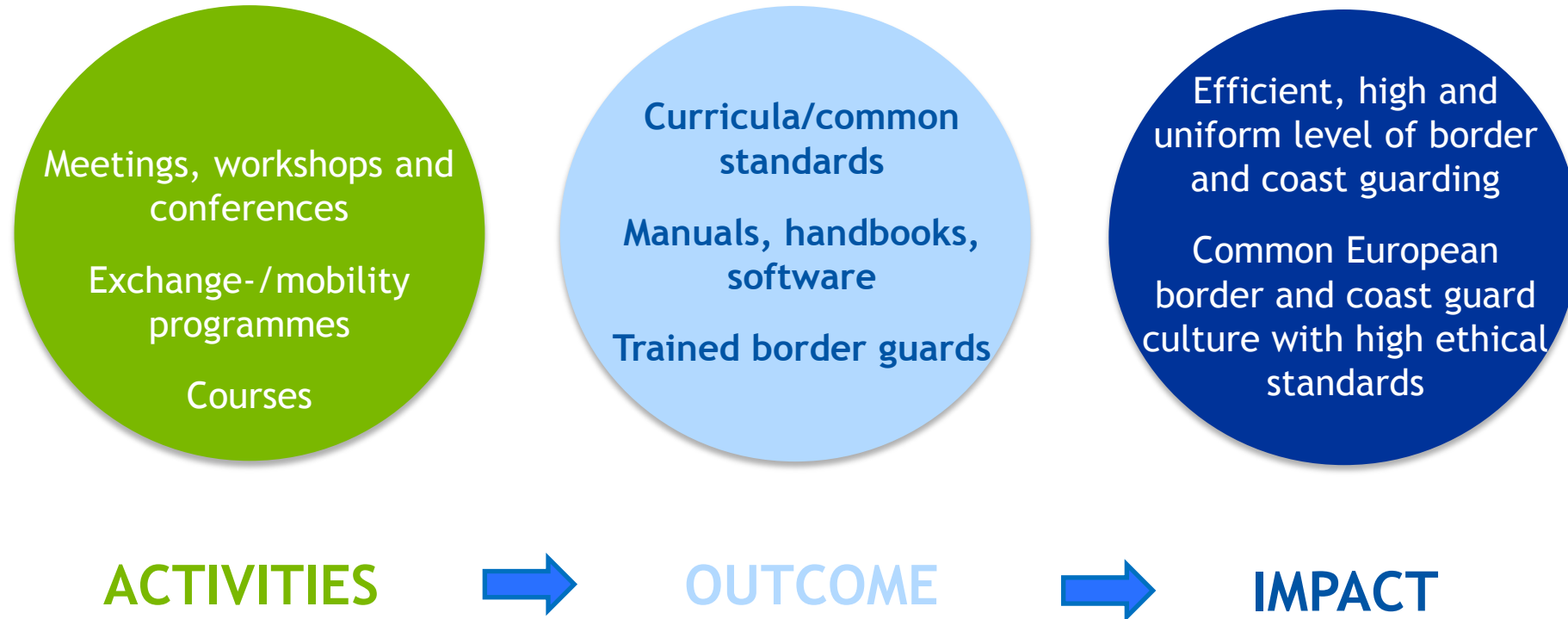
# TRAINING MISSION

To support the MS to  
achieve an efficient,  
high and uniform level  
of border and coast  
guarding

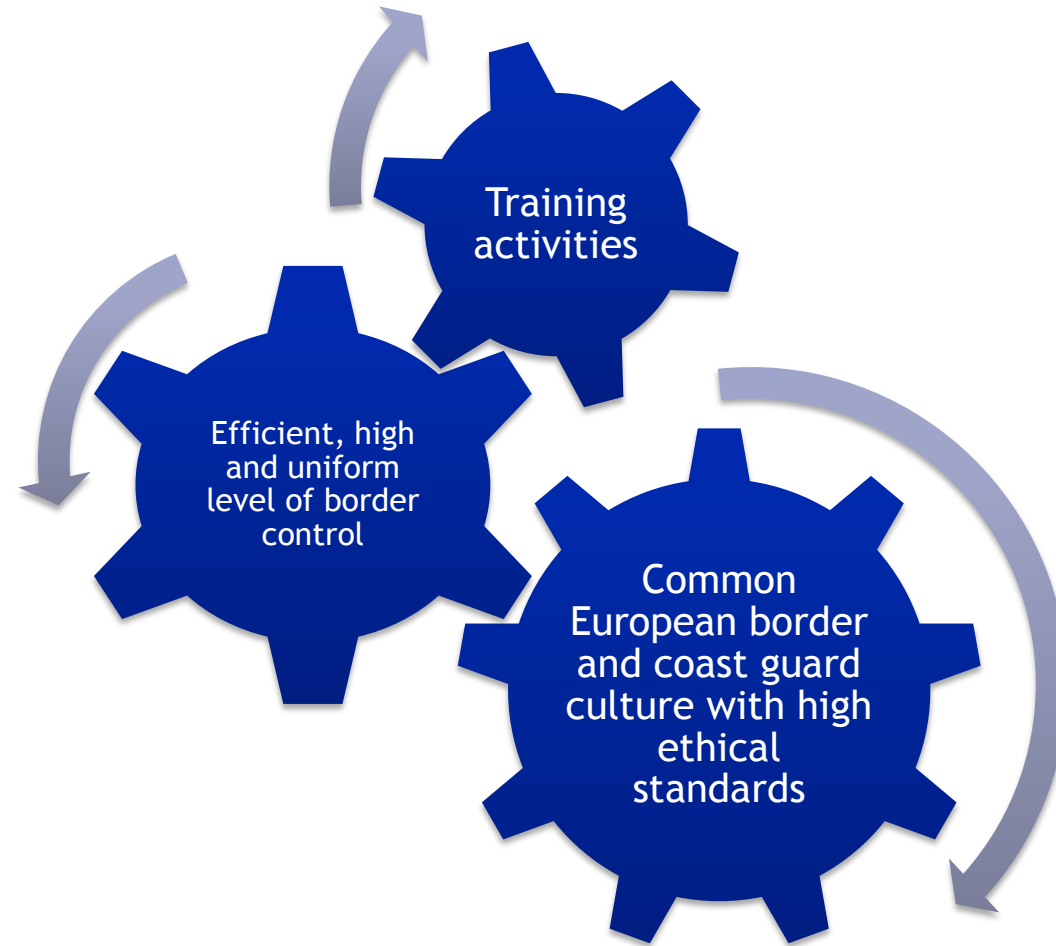
# STRATEGIC OBJECTIVES

1. A ***promoter*** of excellence in border and coast guard education and training;
2. A ***developer*** and provider of harmonised, learner-centred, accreditable and cost-effective training products of high professional quality and ethical standards, supporting operational needs;
3. A ***facilitator*** of the development and the implementation of professional standards aligned with the SQF for border guarding and the Bologna/Copenhagen principles, and a promoter of the alignment of national curricula and
4. A ***supporter*** of capacity building in the Member States and Partner Countries.

## SCOPE OF WORK



# IMPACT



# THE PROCESS

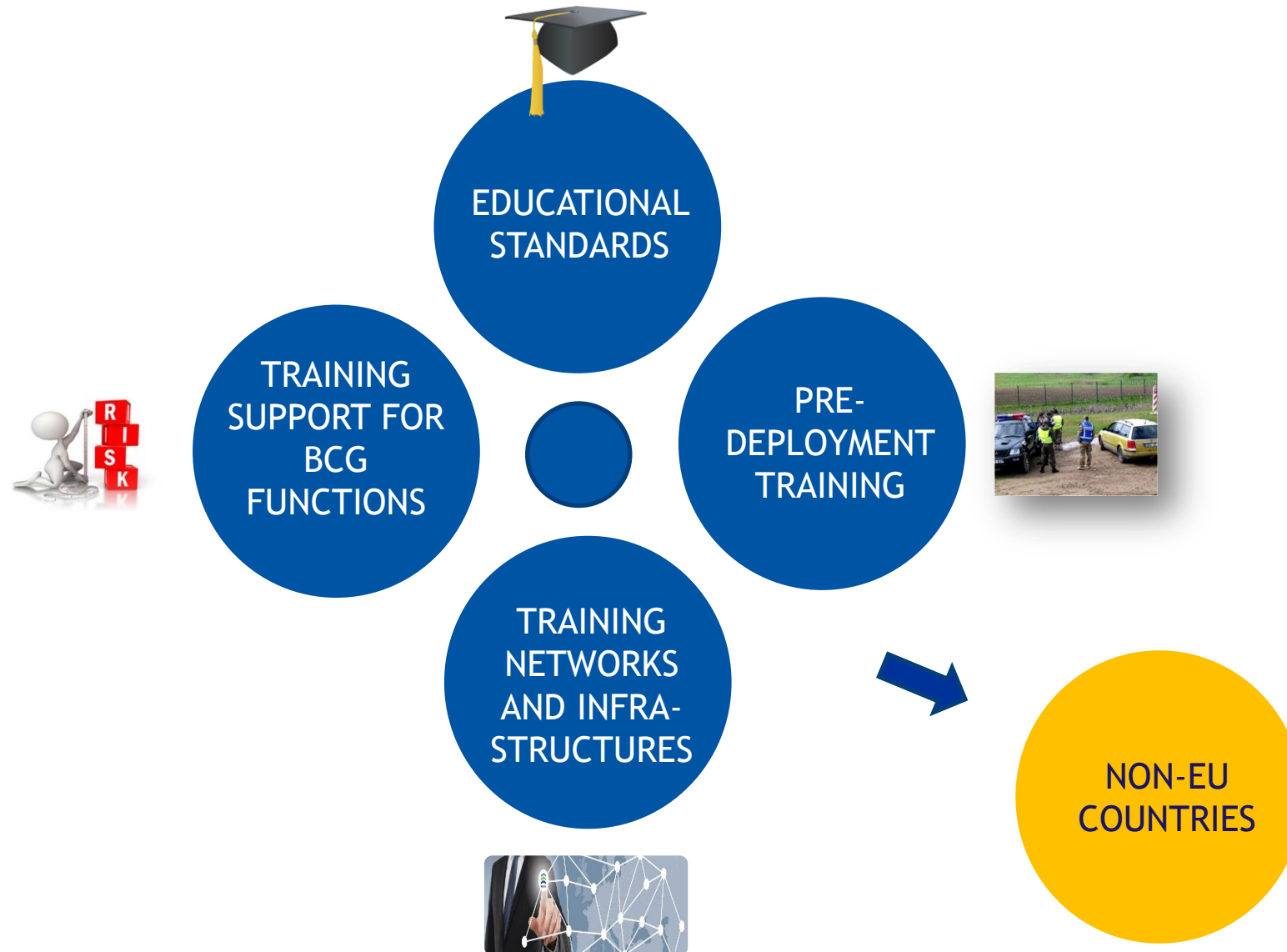
TRAINING TOOLS,  
CURRICULA,  
MANUALS

BEST PRACTICES

COURSES,  
TRAINING  
ACTIVITIES



# ACTIVITY AREAS

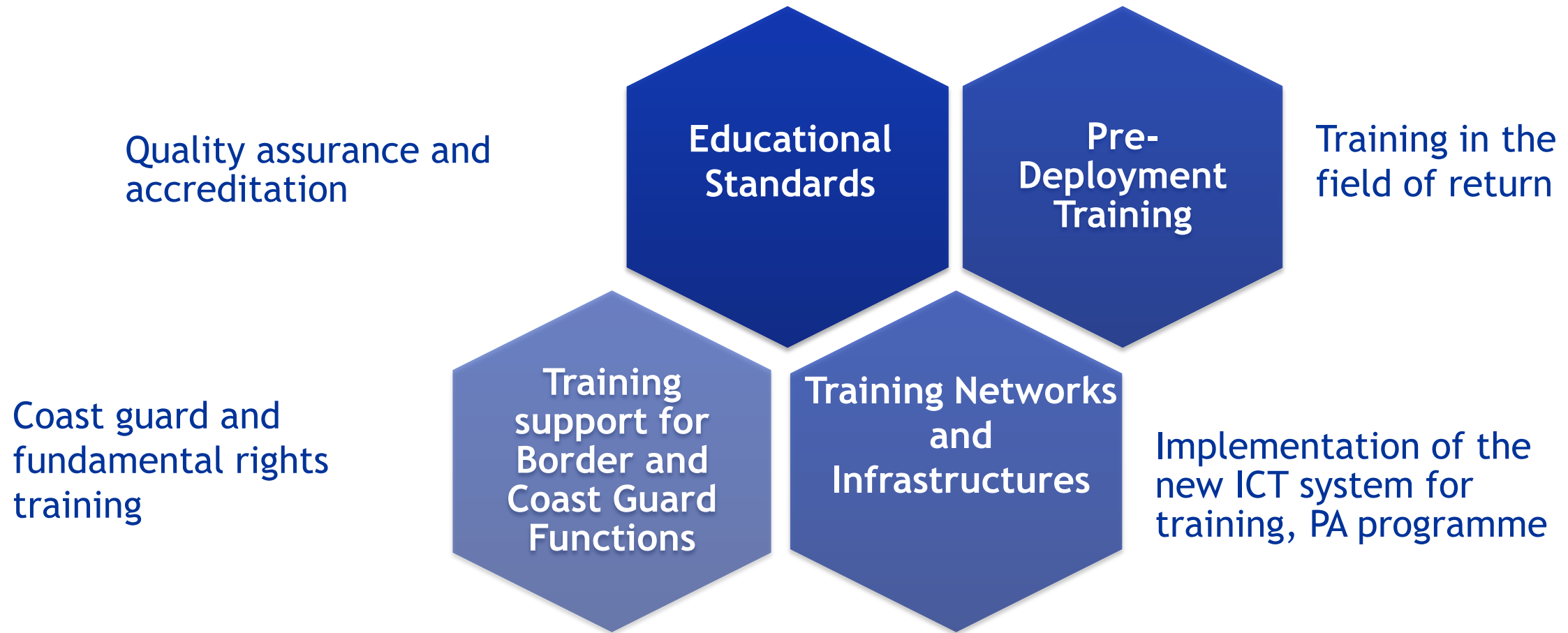


# MAIN CHANGES AND PRIORITIES 2017

- Training for the members of the new pools (return)
- Education and training in maritime border guarding
- Regional training activities based on needs assessment
- Accreditation and certification
- Simulations and collaborative learning
- Cost-effective ways of educational development and training provision



# MAIN CHANGES AND PRIORITIES 2017



# EUROPEAN COOPERATION ON COAST GUARD FUNCTIONS



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## *Article 53*

1. The Agency shall, in cooperation with the European Fisheries Control Agency and the European Maritime Safety Agency, **support national authorities carrying out coast guard functions at national and Union level and, where appropriate, at international level by:**

.....

- c) **Building capacity** by drawing up guidelines and recommendations and by establishing best practices as well as by providing training and exchange of staff;

.....

3. The commission shall, .... make available a **practical handbook** on European cooperation on coast guard functions. ....

# COAST GUARD FUNCTIONS

## FRONTEX' CONTRIBUTIONS

1. Maritime border control
2. The prevention and suppression of trafficking and smuggling and connected maritime law enforcement
3. Maritime monitoring and surveillance
4. Maritime search and rescue
5. Activities related to Coast Guard Functions (risk analysis, training and R&D)
6. Maritime environmental protection and response
7. Maritime accident and disaster response
8. Fisheries inspection and control
9. Maritime customs activities
10. Ship casualty and maritime assistance service
11. Maritime safety, including vessel traffic management
12. Maritime, ship and port security

# COAST GUARD FUNCTIONS

## FRONTEX' TRAINING CONTRIBUTIONS

### COURSES

- European joint master's in strategic border management
- Mid-level officers course
- Debriefing experts
- Screening experts
- Second-line interview experts
- Maritime border surveillance officer
- Fundamental rights
- Anti-trafficking in human beings
- Identification of falsified documents
- Risk analysis
- National coordination center (NCC) operators
- Exchange programmes for EBCG team members
- Exercises for EBCG team members
- etc.

# COAST GUARD FUNCTIONS

## FRONTEX' TRAINING CONTRIBUTIONS

### TRAINING TOOLS

- Sectoral qualifications framework for border guarding
- Common core curriculum for border guard basic training
- Fundamental right training for border guards, trainers manual
- Anti-trafficking training for border guards, trainers manual
- Air-crew training manual
- Air-crew - helicopter hoist operator, standard training procedures
- Air-crew - night vision goggles, standard training procedures
- Air-crew - electro-optical and infrared system operator, standard training procedures
- Common integrated risk analysis model
- Boarding in Frontex coordinated joint maritime operations, best practices and guidelines
- etc.

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