

The future impact of security & defence policies on the European Research Area (SANDERA)

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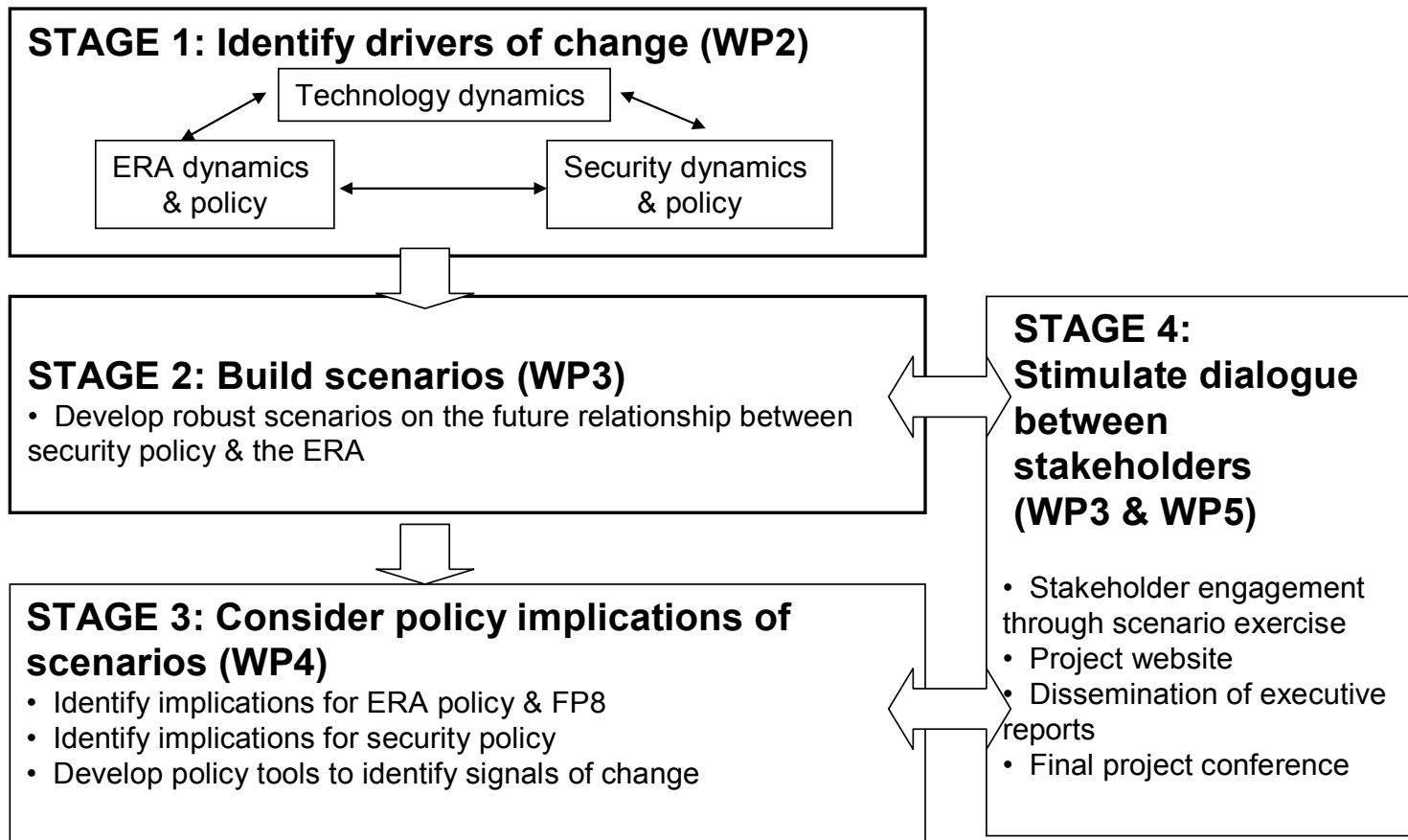
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Aims & objectives

- **Aim:** to explore the relationship between EU strategy to move towards the ERA & those EU policies focused on the security of the European citizen in the world
- **Objectives:**
 - Identify drivers of change in the relationship between security & defence policies and the ERA
 - Develop exploratory scenarios of alternative futures of the relationship between security policy & the ERA
 - Analyse policy implications of the scenarios & develop indicators of change
 - Stimulate dialogue & promote stronger networking between the security policy and S&T policy communities

Figure 2: Our methodology



Improved policy-relevant insight

- Improved understanding of the potential implications of developments in security policy for the move towards the ERA
- Improved understanding of the security policy implications of knowledge dynamics & developments in the ERA
- Strengthen the European Commission's strategic policy intelligence capacity
- Stimulate dialogue between stakeholders & facilitate new policy networks

Inputs for the preparation of FP8

- **Identifying new research areas**
 - New security missions at the European level....?
 - leading to new requirements for new activities under FP8?
- **Identifying research capacity & framework issues**
 - Research capacity & the ability of the European system to perform research & renew its human resources?
 - Capacity of European research system to perform research needed to ensure security of the European citizen?
 - Effects (positive & negative) of security-related tasks on civil R&D & the conduct of science?