

# *Roundtable*

Availability, accessibility, application, provenance, privacy and protection  
of geospatial information

2019-08-06

Side event at the Ninth Session of the United Nations Committee of Experts on Global Geospatial  
Information Management, United Nations Headquarters in New York



# Welcome and introductions

- Definition of a Roundtable:  
“Involving several people who talk about something as equals” (Cambridge dictionary)



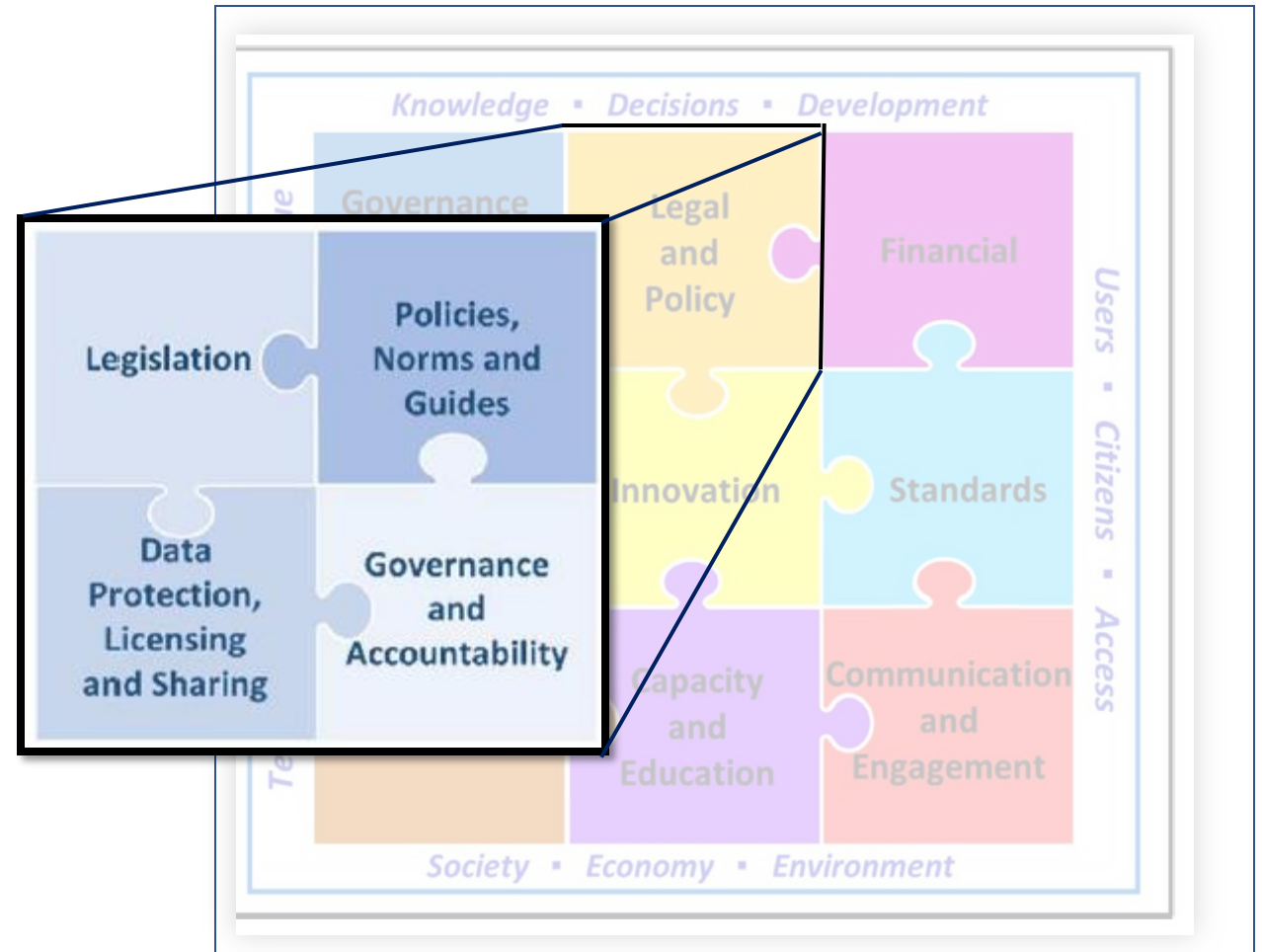
# Setting the Scene

- Objectives for the Working Group
- Use case exercise
- Initial findings
- Conclusion
  1. Input from more countries
  2. Contrast the initial findings with other use cases



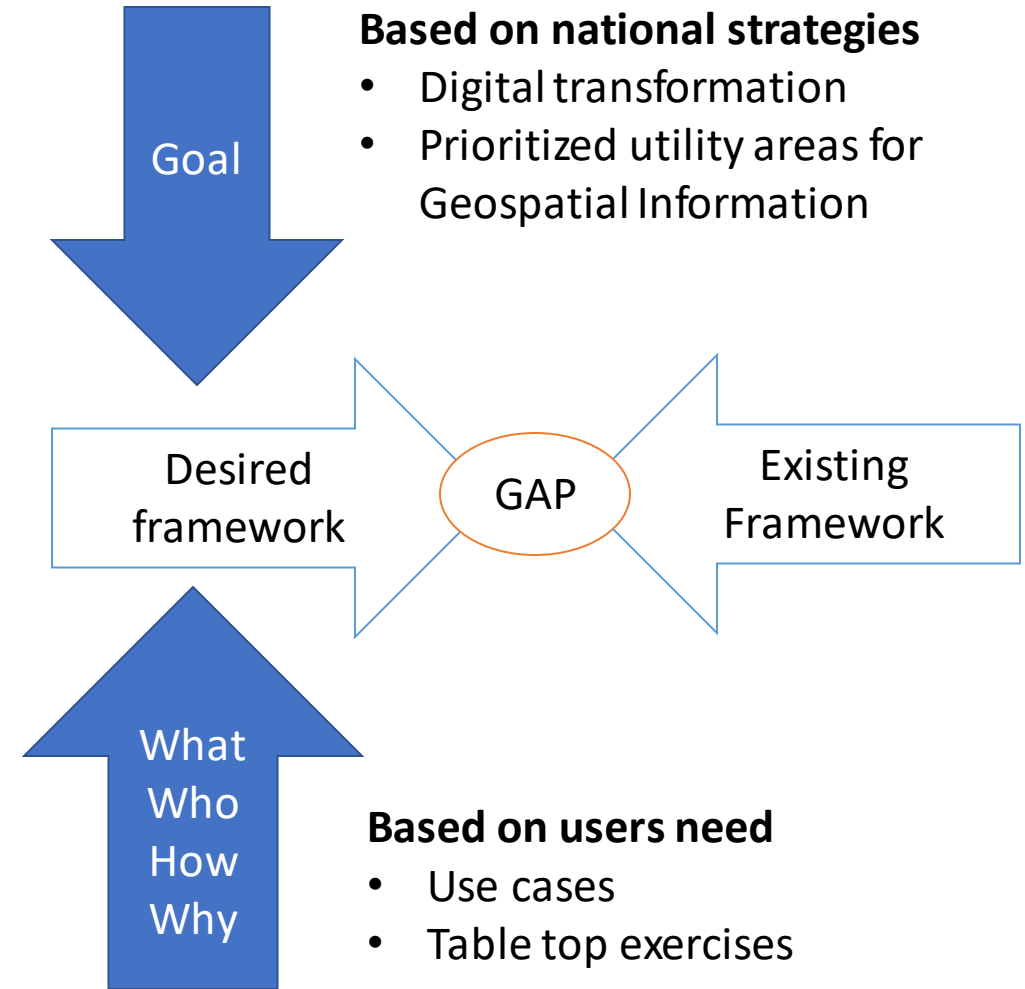
# Method

- The United Nations Integrated Geospatial Information Framework (IGIF)
- Implementation Guide, Strategic Pathway 2 (SP2)

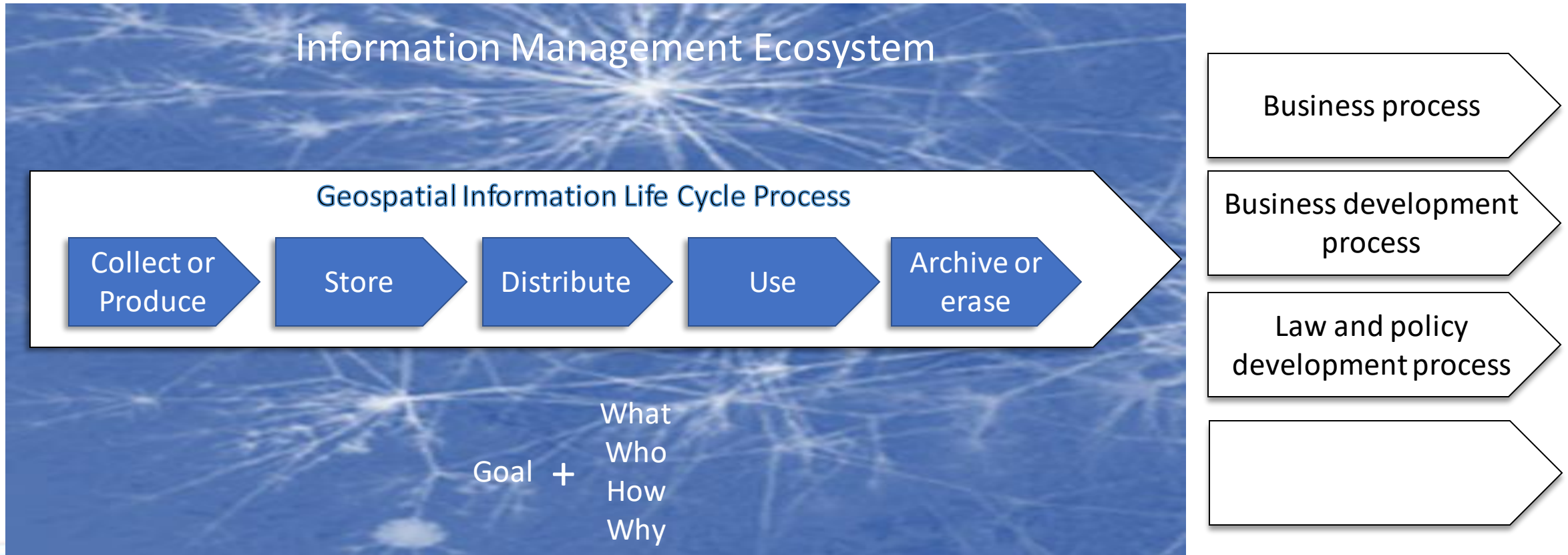


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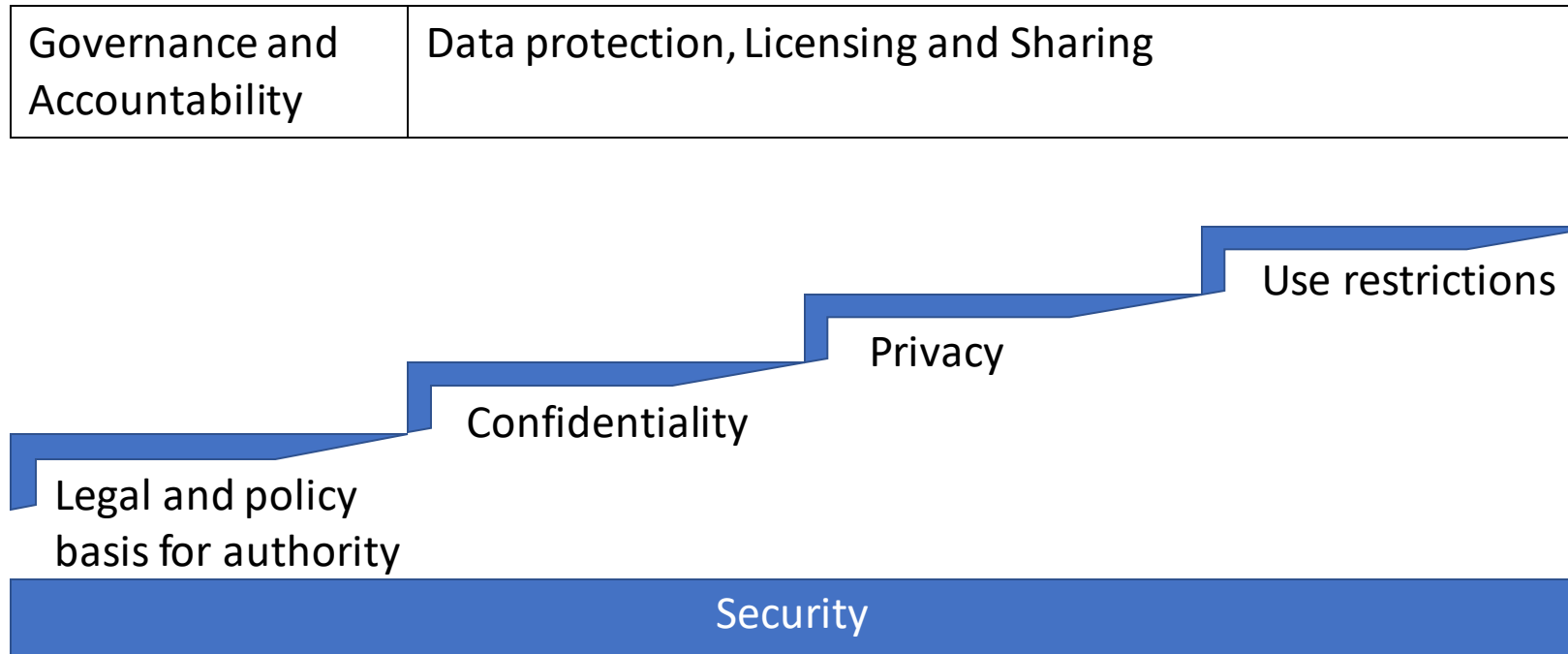
1. Assess Existing Policy and Legal Framework
2. Identify and analyze Gaps and opportunities
3. Address Gaps and opportunities
4. Future Proof Policy and Legal Frameworks
5. Address Policy Coherence and Legal Interoperability



# Analysis of the “architecture” of data sharing



# Basic steps in legal and policy analysis of data sharing



# About the Roundtable

## Aim

- To consider results, opportunities and options, based on initial results from the WG.
- Raise awareness and importance of partnerships with other countries and other partners, academia and commercial sector (Academic Network, PSN, WGIC)

## Expected outcome

- A report with input to a White Paper on legal and policy issues around sharing of geospatial data across borders.





# Agenda for the Roundtable

13:30-14:00 Welcome and introductions

14:00-14:45 Panel #1 Use case exercise to address sharing of geospatial data across borders

14:45-15:30 Panel #2 IGIF Strategic Pathway 2 Policy and Legal and the geospatial community

Break 30 min

16:00-16:45 Panel #3 Privacy of Geo-location Data

16:45-17:30 Panel #4 Enabling regional collaboration and applications

17:30-18:00 Summary and wrap up

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# Panel #1 Use case exercise to address sharing of geospatial data across borders

Moderator: Mr. Kevin Pomfret (Centre for Spatial Law and Policy)

Introduction: Mr. Kevin Pomfret

Panel: Ms. Xu Kun/Mr. Zhang Feng (Ministry of Natural Resources, China)  
Mr. Durwin Humphrey (Guyana Lands Survey Commission)  
Ms. Rosamond Bing (Ministry of Land and Natural Recourses, Tonga)



# Panel #2 IGIF Strategic Pathway 2 Policy and Legal and the geospatial community

Moderator: Mr. Steven Hagan (Private Sector Network/Oracle)

Introduction: Ms. Malgorzata Drewniak (Lantmäteret, Sweden)

Panel: Mr. Mark Richardt (Open Geospatial Consortium)  
Prof. Dieter Fritsch (Hexagon)



# Break



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# Panel #3 Privacy of Geo-location Data

Moderator: Ms. Barbara Ryan (WGIC)

Introduction: Mr. Arnout Desmet (TomTom, Chair – WGIC Policy Committee)

Panel: Mr. Zaffar Mohamed-Ghouse (SpatialVision)  
Mr. Jim Steiner (Oracle)  
Mr. Jim Van Rens (Riegl)



# Panel #4 Enabling regional collaboration and applications

Moderator: Mr. Simon Costello (Geoscience Australia)

Introduction: Mr. Simon Costello

Panel: Mr. Prashant Shukle, (Natural Resource Canada)  
Ms. Eydís Líndal Finnbogadóttir (National Land Survey of Iceland)  
Mr. Sebastian Carisio (National Geospatial Intelligence Agency, USA)



# Summary and Wrap-up



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