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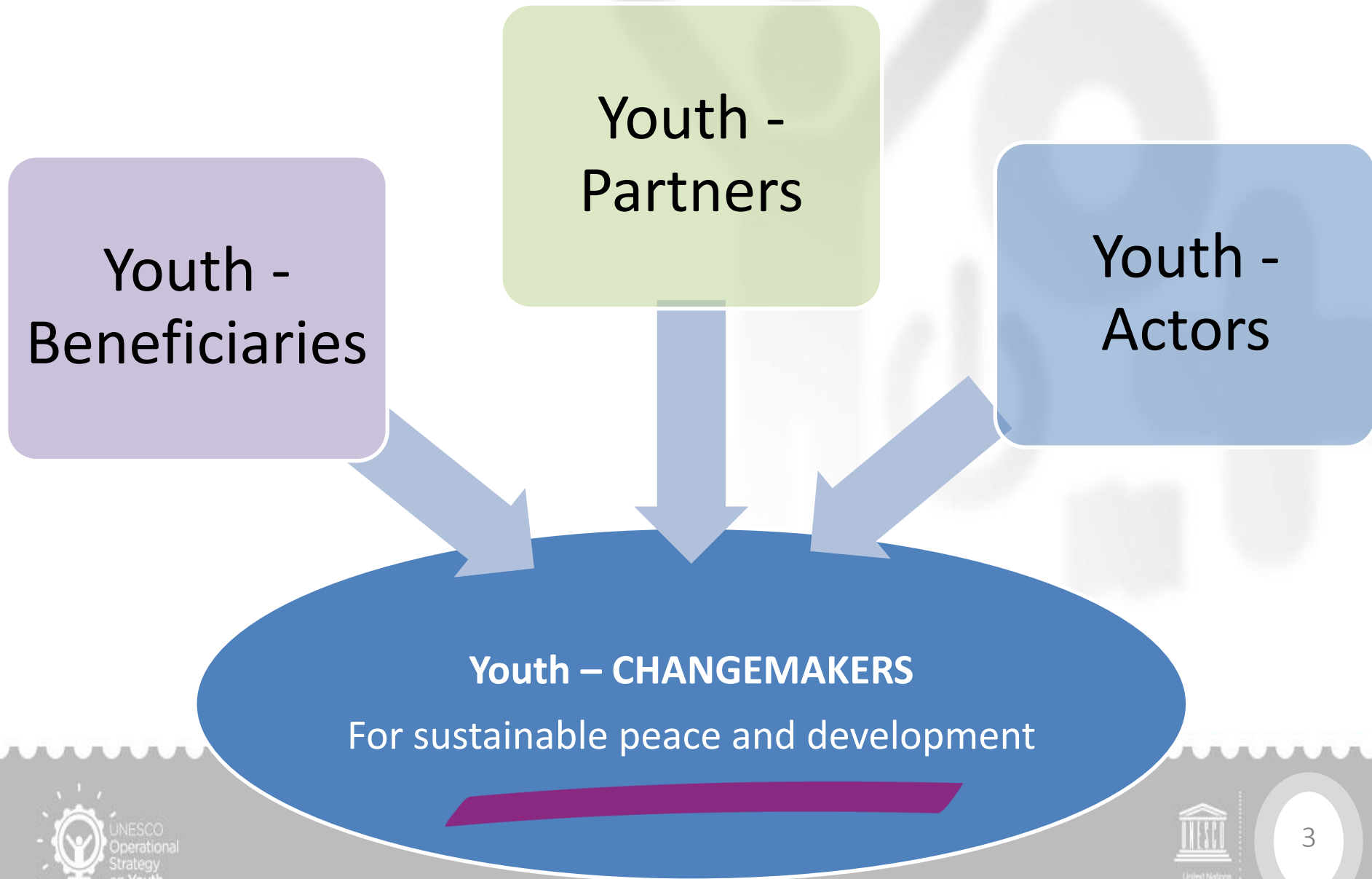


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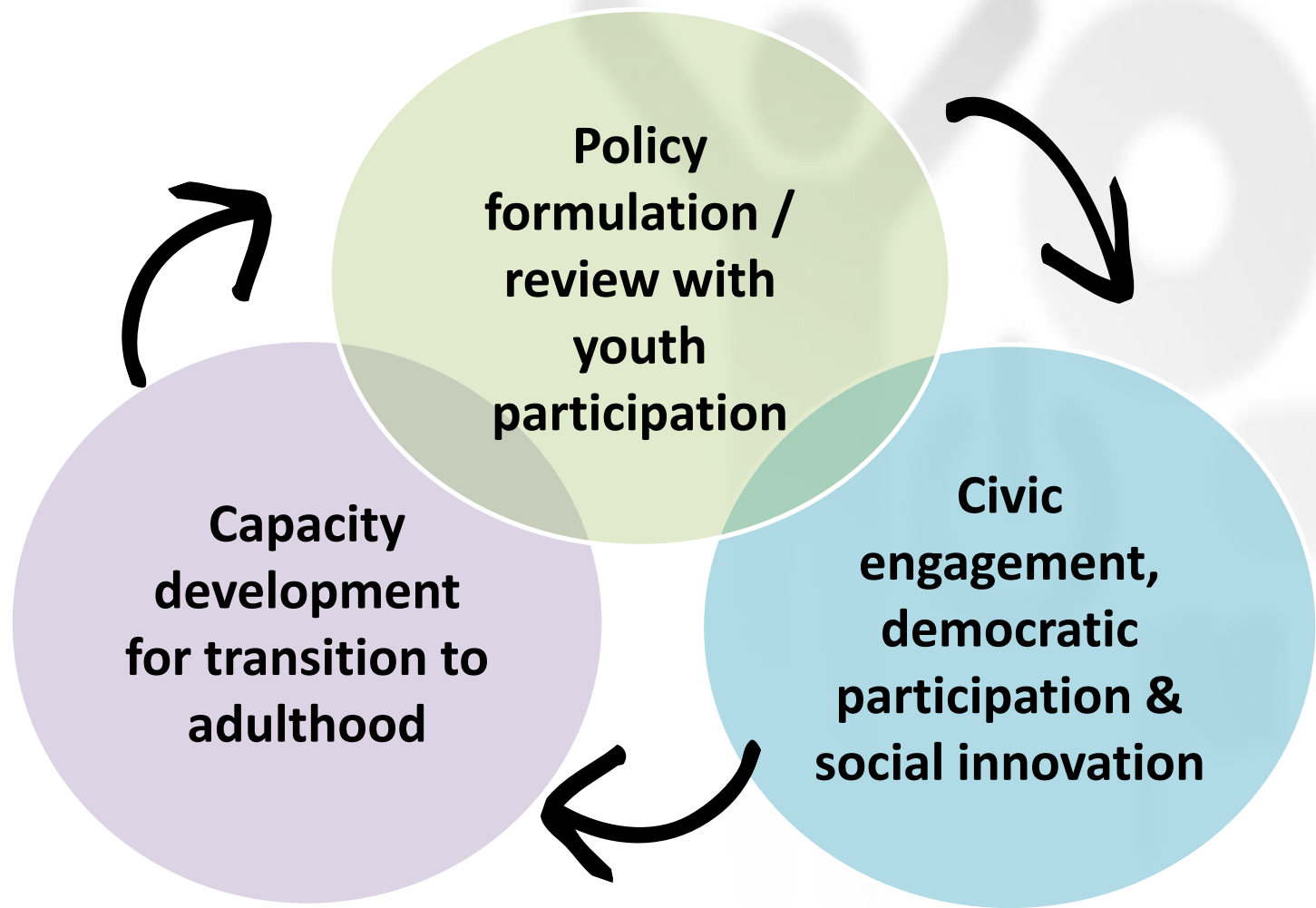


**AN OVERVIEW...**

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*Objective: Ensuring that young women and men are engaged in policies and programmes affecting them and lead action to promote peace and sustainable development in their countries and communities.*



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The logo features the text 'NET MED' in a white, sans-serif font inside a white speech bubble shape. Below this, the word 'YOUTH' is written in a large, white, stylized font where the letters are interconnected. Underneath 'YOUTH', the full name 'NETWORKS OF MEDITERRANEAN YOUTH' is written in a smaller, white, sans-serif font. The entire logo is centered on a blue background with several curved lines in yellow, orange, and light blue.

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Networks of Mediterranean Youth (NET-MED Youth) is a three-year project (2014-2017) implemented by UNESCO and funded by the European Union.

It benefits 10 countries along the eastern and western basins of the Mediterranean Sea

We work with youth organizations, providing young women and men with the necessary skills, tools and capacities, to create an enabling environment for them to share experiences and knowledge and to be active citizens and take part in decision-making

**We aim to empower youth  
to be full participants in  
building their communities  
and to be agents of positive  
transformations**







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## NETWORKING AND COLLABORATION

- ✓ Mappings of youth organizations in each country
- ✓ Regional, sub-regional, S-S and N-S exchange of knowledge and experience
- ✓ Consolidation of existing online platforms

## YOUTH POLICIES

- ✓ Capacity-building for youth organizations on themes related to strategic planning, advocacy and communication, gender mainstreaming, policy-dialogue and more
- ✓ Development, revision and implementation of national/local policies and strategies on youth, with the participation of youth organizations

## YOUTH AND MEDIA

- ✓ Monitoring of youth representation in media, surveys on young people's habits and perceptions about media
- ✓ Outreach activities and trainings to promote youth-friendly, inclusive, fair media coverage; as well as freedom of expression and media and information literacy
- ✓ Media production by youth
- ✓ Capacity-building for young journalists, bloggers and citizen journalists

## SKILLS FORECASTING, CAPACITY-BUILDING AND ADVOCACY

- ✓ National and regional research on the labour market, youth transitions and challenges
- ✓ Development of tools for skills anticipation in collaboration with national entities
- ✓ Capacity-building for youth organizations to boost employment policy design

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