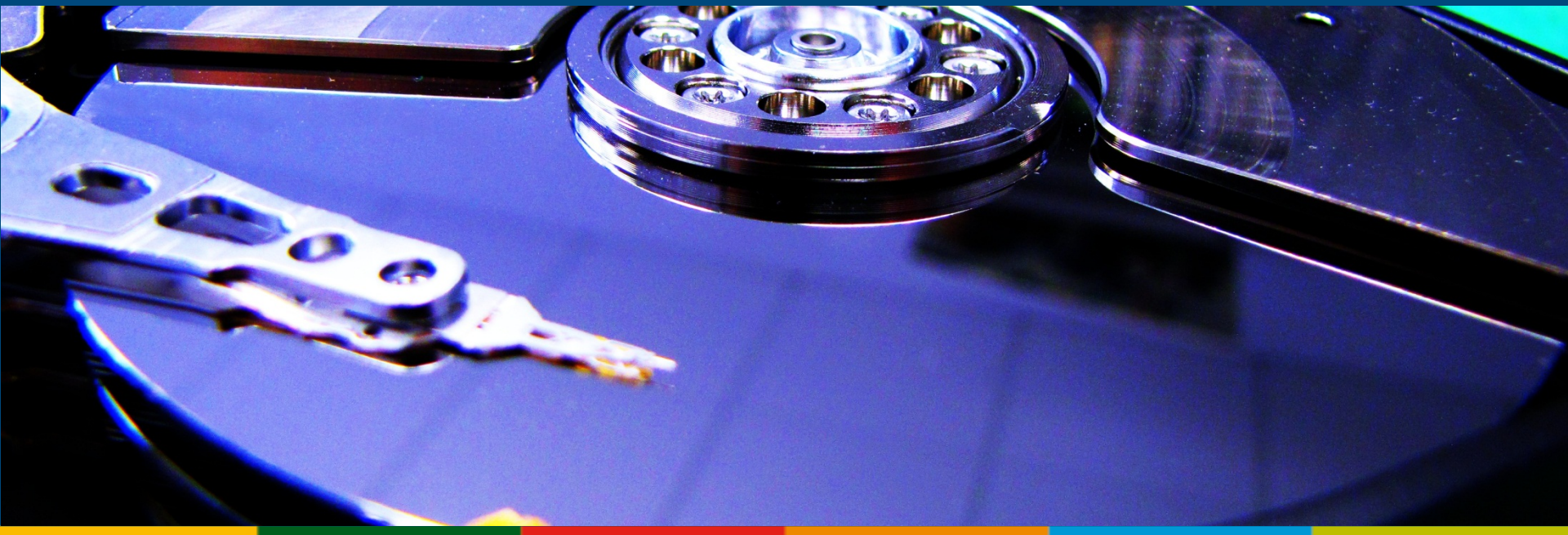


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Vision: **Researchers around the world sharing and using data**

- Beyond disciplines, countries, institutions
- Data infrastructure stakeholders:
“Data Access and Interoperability Taskforce”
- NSF/EC/AU/CA/Go8+: Data Web Forum



Principles:

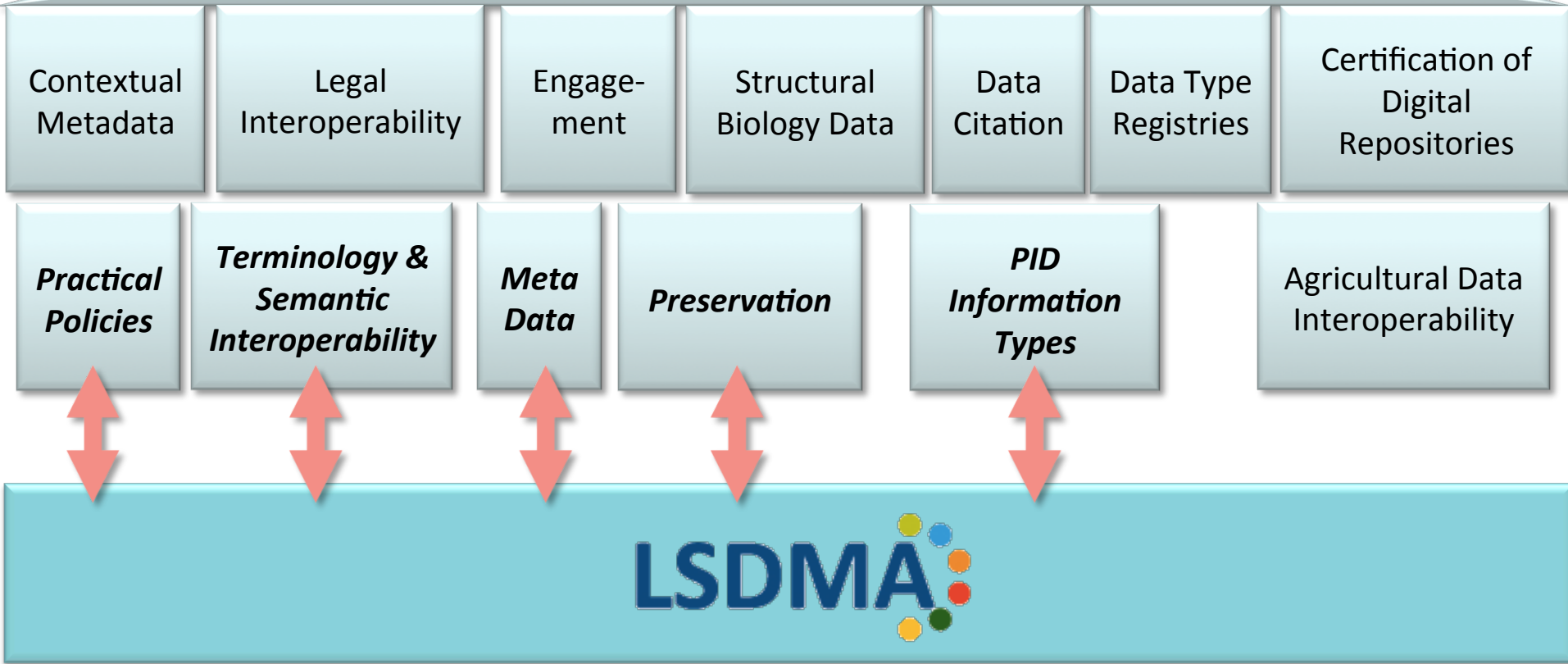
- Openness
- Balance – between organizations
- Consensus – à là IETF
- Harmonization
- Voluntary
- Non-profit

RDA Working Groups:

- Short-term: 12-18 months
- Focused efforts with specific actions adopted by specific communities
- Efforts that working scientists and researchers can use today
- International participation



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Case Statements are prepared and in discussion:
<http://forum.rd-alliance.org/viewforum.php?f=3>

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