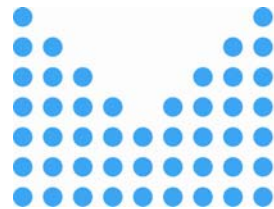


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ANACEN – background

(reasons for establishment)

- **Lack of coordination**
 - intra-agency, inter-agency, at international level
- **Schengen enlargement**
 - Schengen evaluation
 - National Plan on Border Protection Management
- **Current trends in the EU**



ANACEN establishment

- **1/2007 – 6/2007 - preparatory phase**
 - Time limited interagency working group
 - Proposal for structure and activities of ANACEN
- **September 2007 - Establishment of ANACEN**
 - Governmental resolution



UP TO NOW FUNCTIONING

- **Start of activities 09/2007**
- **Pilot phase**
 - 09/2007 – 06/2008
 - Rules of procedure
 - Organizational set-up
 - Evaluation of pilot phase (information to Government)
- **Fully functioning 07/2008**



COORDINATION BOARD

- **central coordination of border protection management**
- **high level authority of all institutions involved**
- **guidance over ANACEN activities**
- **gives concrete tasks to ANACEN**



ANACEN - Institutions involved

- **All institutions dealing with migration**
 - Ministry of the Interior
 - Police
 - Ministry of Home Affairs
 - Ministry of Labour and Social Affairs
 - Ministry of Industry and Trade
 - Customs Service
 - Ministry of Justice
 - Intelligence services

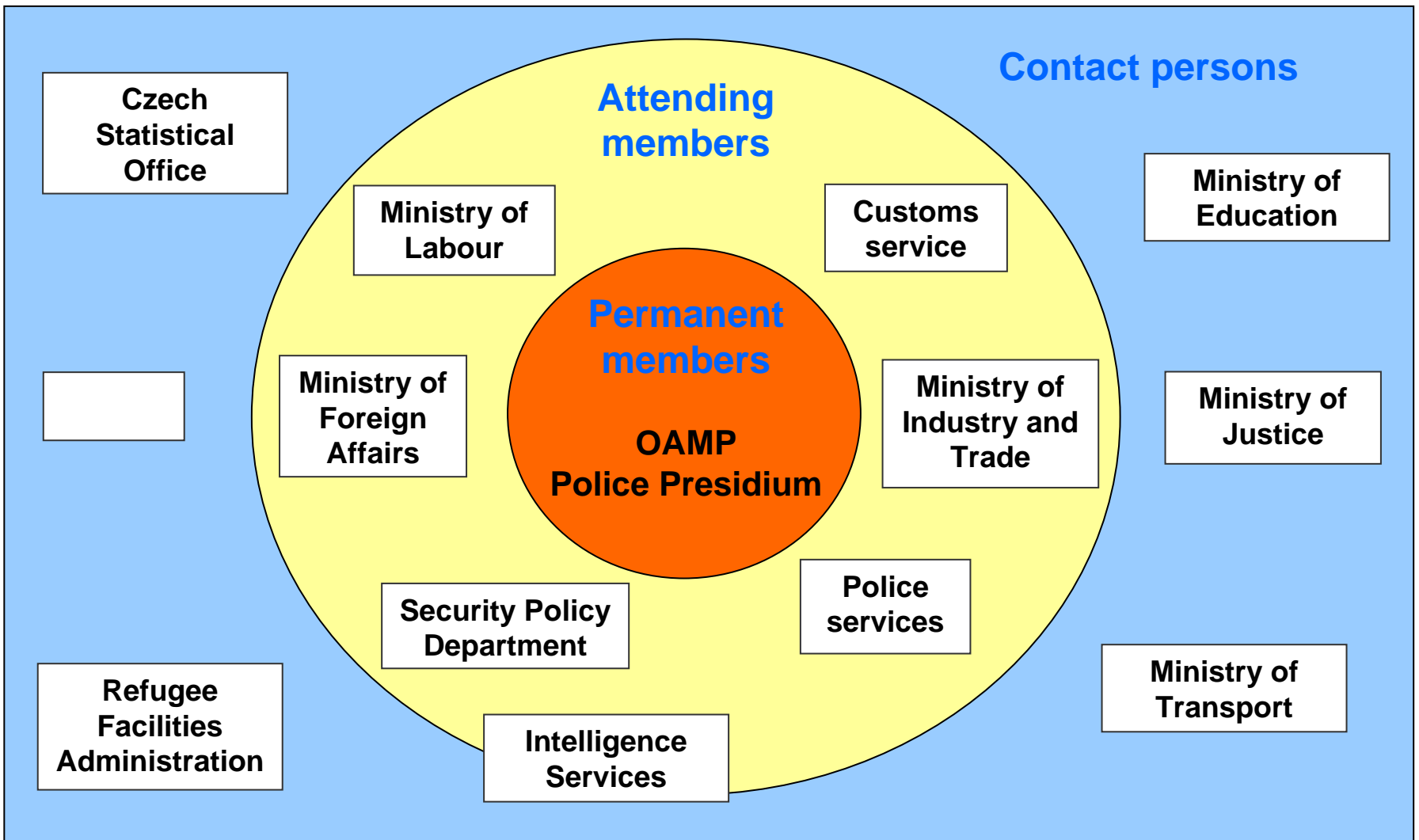


SYSTEM OF LIAISON OFFICERS

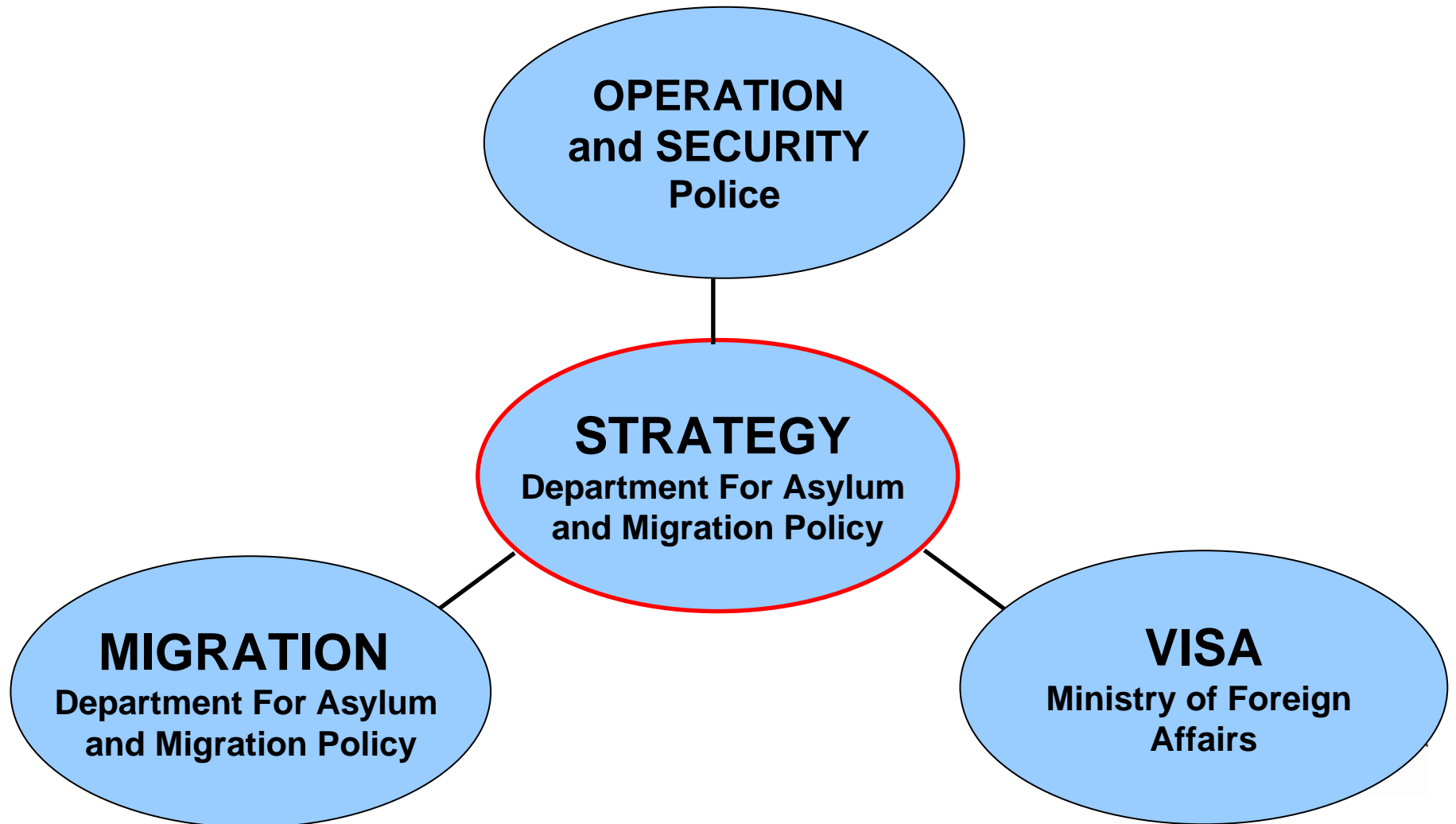
- **members of ANACEN**
 - permanent members
(Department for Asylum and Migration Policy + Police Presidium)
 - attending members
- **contact persons**
- **coordinator of ANACEN**
 - Department for Asylum and Migration Policy



MEMBERS OF ANACEN



FORA SYSTEM



RESPONSABILITIES OF ANACEN MEMBER

- **Mandate to communicate position of represented institution**
- **Direct contact to representative of Coordination Body**
- **Recommended profile:**
 - Analytical skills
 - Knowledge of institutions information systems
 - Work experience within institution
 - university degree, English speaking (preferable)
 - security clearance (confidential)



Structure of ANACEN

- **Joint analytical unit - „liaison officers“**
- **Thematically oriented fora**
- **Principles of functioning**
 - provide recommendations, propose measures
 - **No decision on implementation of proposed measures**
 - Flexibility and operability
 - Close interagency cooperation



ANACEN – tasks

- Risk analysis in field of migration and border protection
- Interagency coordination of issues of common interest
- Improvement of information exchange system
- Elaboration of strategic analysis reports (for Government, Coordination Board)



ANACEN OUTPUTS

- **Minutes of fora meetings**
- **Analytical reports**
- **Case studies**
- **Strategic reports for Coordination Body and Czech Government**

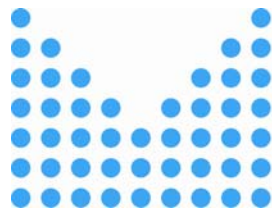


LESSONS LERANT

- **Overall scope of activities proved valid**
- **Activities of all fora considered as balanced and satisfactory**
- **Flexible communication was set**
 - e-mail communication proved effective
- **enhanced coordination among institutions involved**
- **Accelerated discussions and negotiation among institutions**



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