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09.30	Arrival and registration
10.00	Welcome Roland Hohmann, Federal Office for the Environment FOEN 5'
10.05	Introduction: The GoApply project Wolfgang Lexer, Environment Agency Austria UBA 5'
10.10	Introduction: The Science-Practice lab Marco Pütz, Swiss Federal Research Institute WSL 5'
10.15	Practice keynote: Melanie Butterling, Federal Office for Spatial Development ARE <i>20' + 10' questions</i>
10.45	Science keynote: Robbert Biesbroek, Wageningen University <i>20' + 10' questions</i>
11.15	1st plenary: Success factors, challenges and good practice examples for the governance of adaptation Moderation: Swiss Federal Research Institute WSL 60'
12.15	Lunch
13.30	4 Parallel breakout groups: Implementing adaptation across sectors Issues: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Urban development Input: Jörg Knieling, HafenCity University Hamburg HCU - Water management Input: Karin Ingold, University of Bern - Natural Hazards and Risk Management Input: Margreth Keiler, University of Bern - Cooperation between states, regions and municipalities Input: Marco Pütz, Swiss Federal Research Institute WSL Moderation: Swiss Federal Research Institute WSL, Environment Agency Austria UBA AT, German Environment Agency UBA DE 60'
14.30	Presentation of breakout group results Group speakers Moderation: Swiss Federal Research Institute WSL <i>30' (5' per group + questions + short summary)</i>
15.00	Coffee break
15.30	2nd plenary: How can we improve the governance of climate adaptation? Moderation: Swiss Federal Research Institute WSL 60'
16.30	Wrap-up, next steps in GoApply and closing Moderation: Swiss Federal Research Institute WSL Jochen Bürgel, Environment Agency Austria UBA AT Roland Hohmann, Federal Office for the Environment FOEN 15'
16.45	The end

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Photo protocol

1st plenary: Success factors, challenges and good practice examples for the governance of adaptation

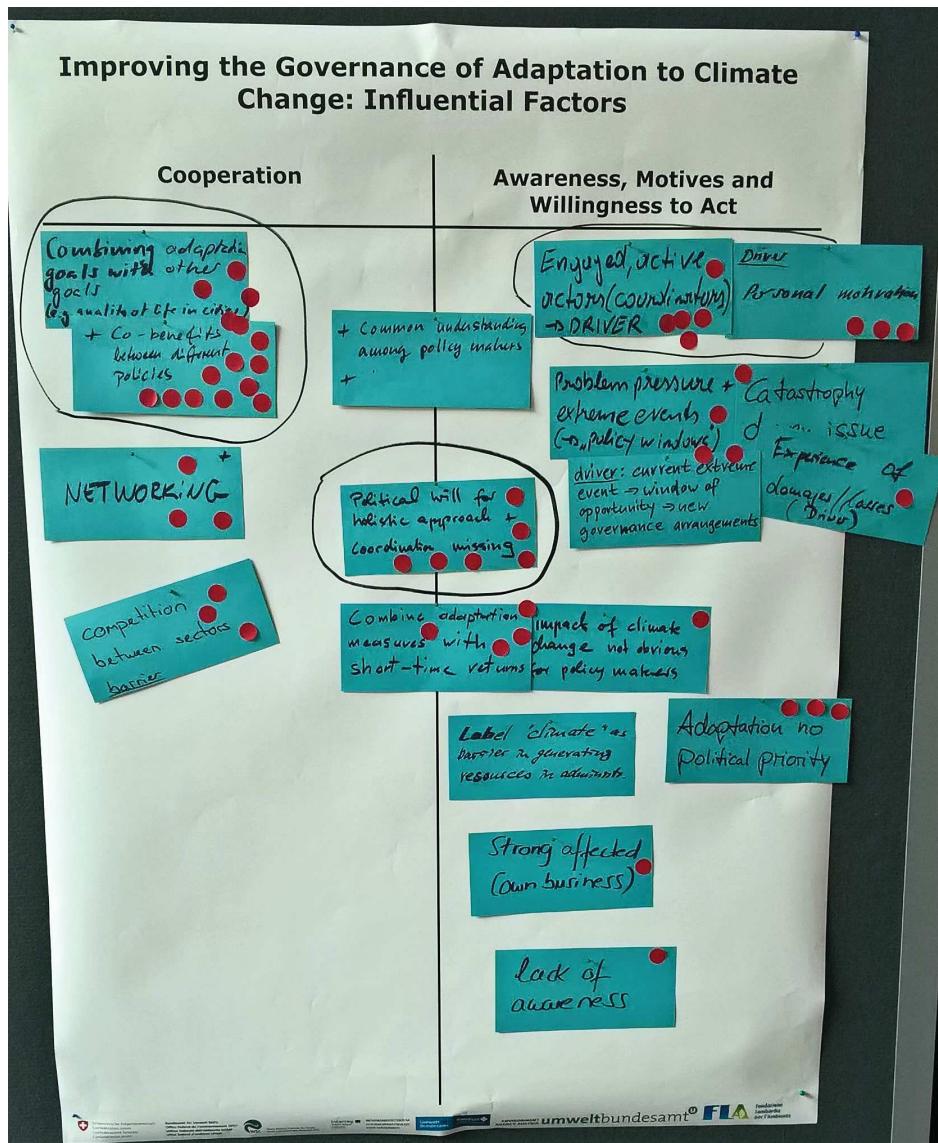


Figure 1: Success factors and challenges (1/2)

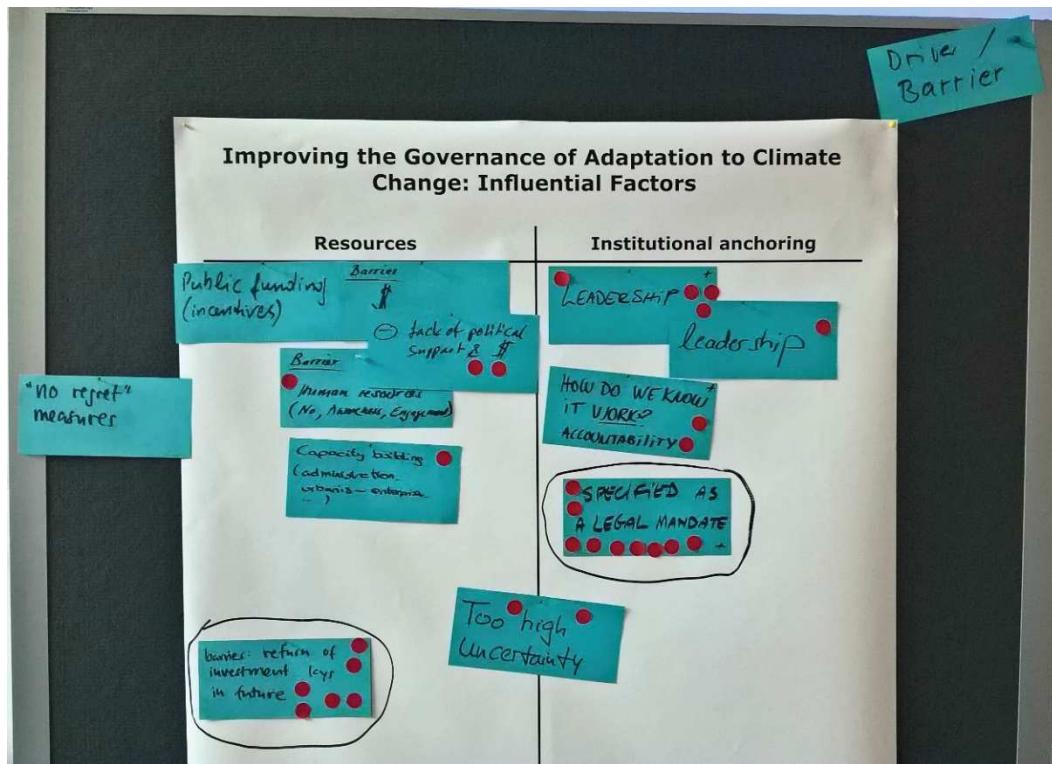


Figure 2: Success factors and challenges (2/2)

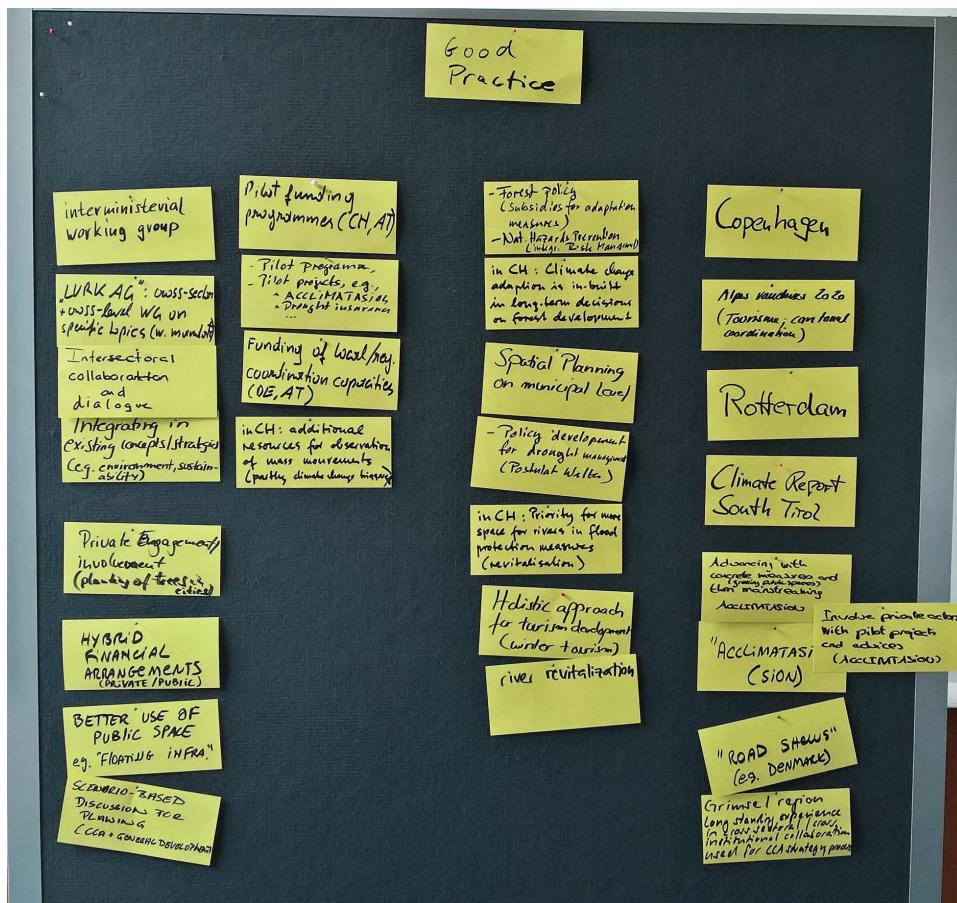


Figure 3: Good practice examples

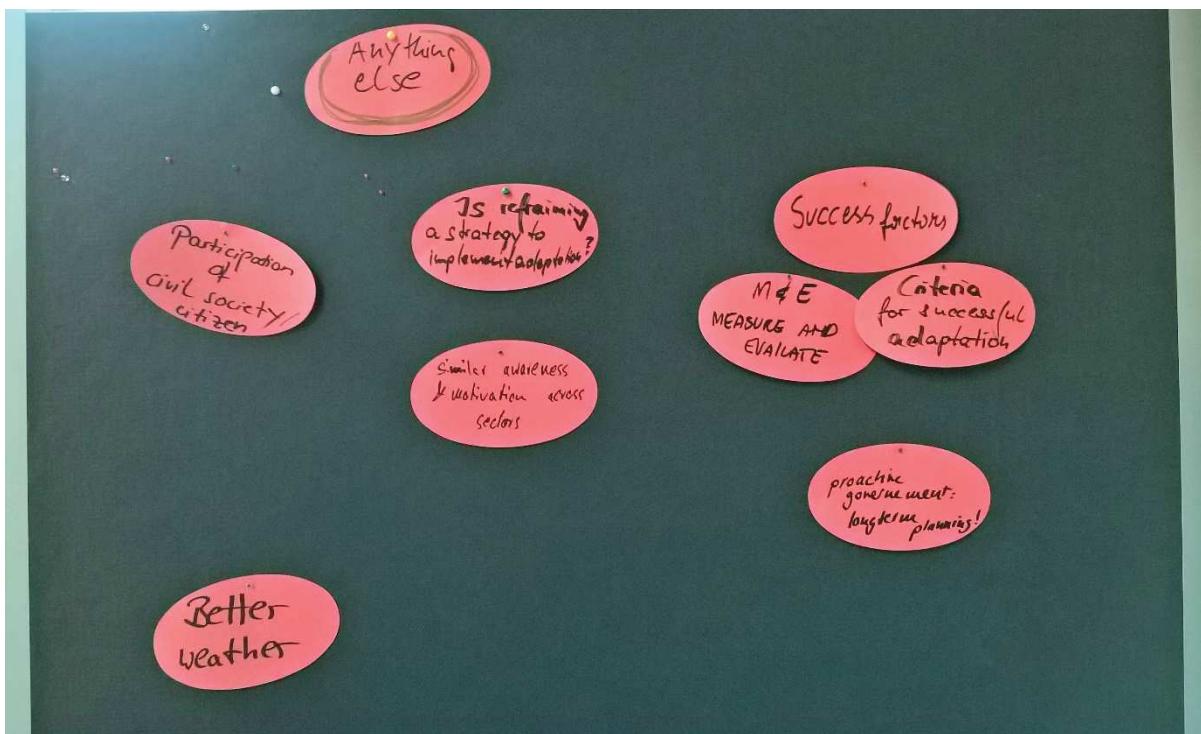


Figure 4: Anything else

4 Parallel breakout groups: Implementing adaptation across sectors

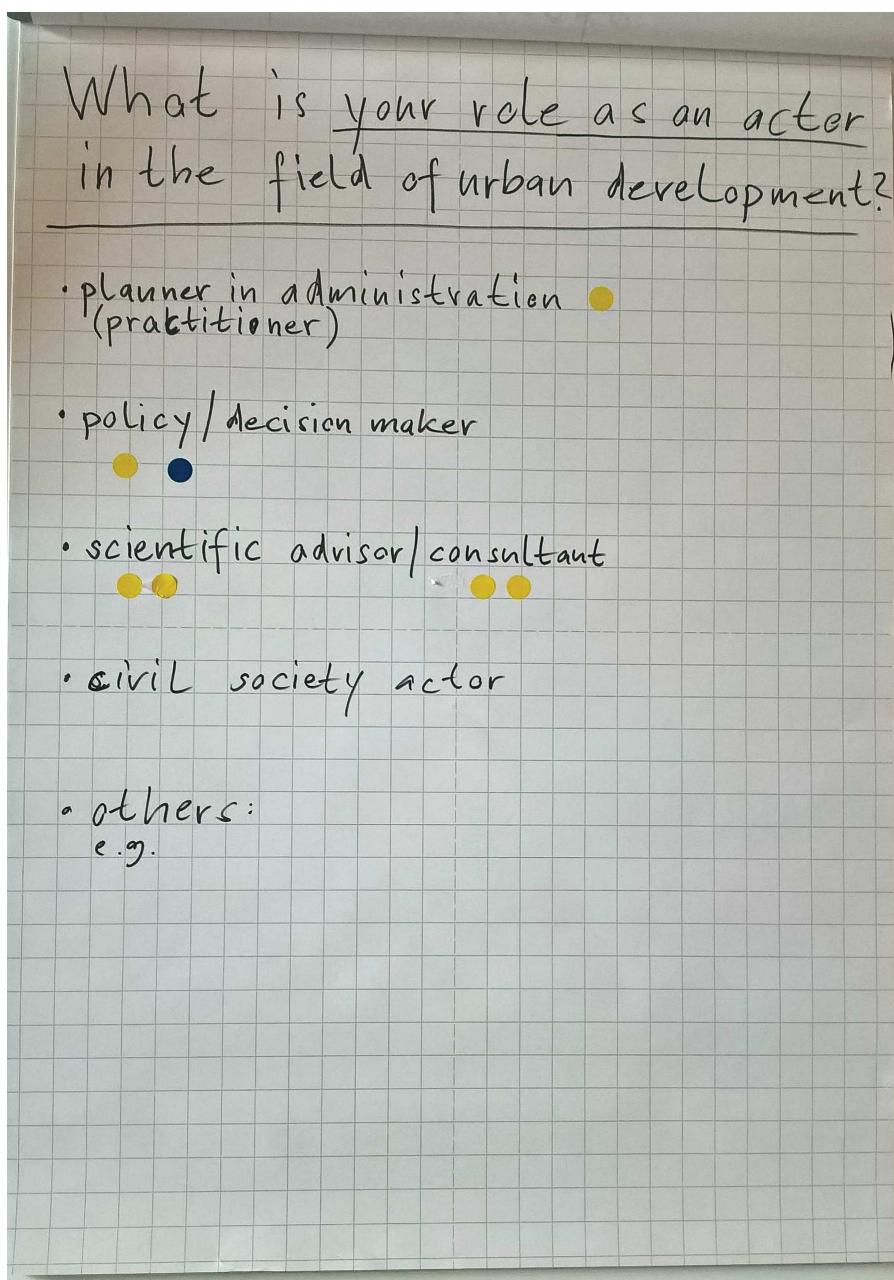


Figure 5: Breakout group urban development (1/2)

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- 1) Adaptation needs
- Cooperation : Who? What?
 - Coop.: needs time, resources and purpose
 - what makes cooperation effective? (more coherence, consistency)
 - Knowledge : who knows what?
- 3) Success factors
- Pilot activities
 - Incentives
 - Linking local with upper levels
 - Put a face on CCA
 - Using existing coordination structures
 - economic arguments
 - Good practices
 - Addressing target groups

Figure 6: Breakout group urban development (2/2)

Breakout group water management

- Competition of space / resources
- Conflicting timescales of long-term climate change projections and models and 4-year period of policy makers
 - Problem of cost - benefit ratio for policy maker during their time
 - take advantage of synergies
 - take advantage of extreme events
- Distinction between climate change and “ordinary” problems
- Commitment until action plan becomes concrete
 - Different interests
 - Get people to be concerned
 - More stories and less data
 - Exchange platforms
- Model projects as good practice examples for stakeholders
 - Replace time through space
- Only already sensitised people take part in participatory processes in the first place
- Participatory process fails to get binding solutions
 - 1 common rule necessary
- Network
- Legitimation for committees

Good practice example

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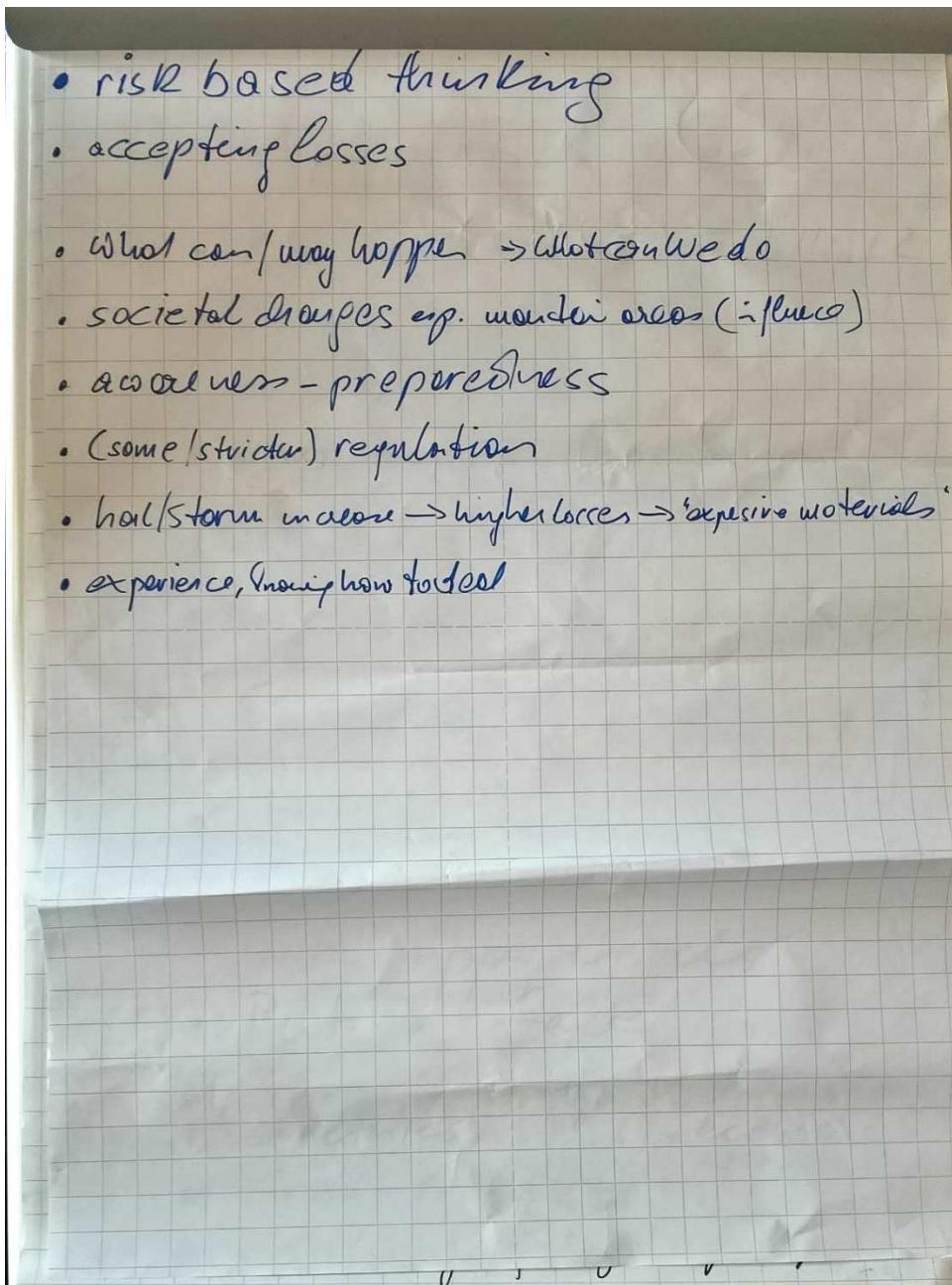


Figure 7: Breakout group natural hazards and risk management

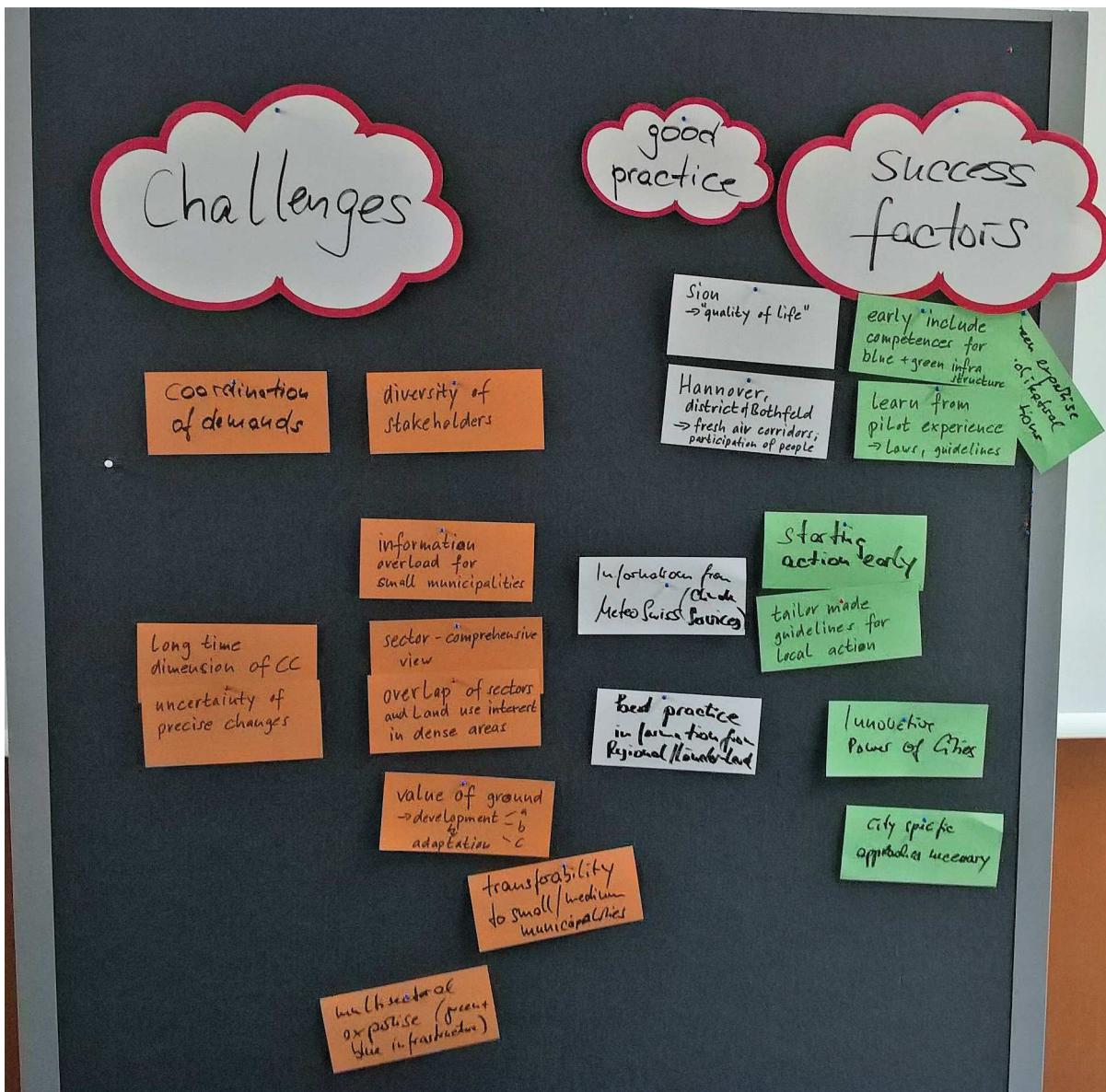


Figure 8: Breakout group Cooperation between states, regions and municipalities

2nd Plenary: How can we improve the governance of climate adaptation?

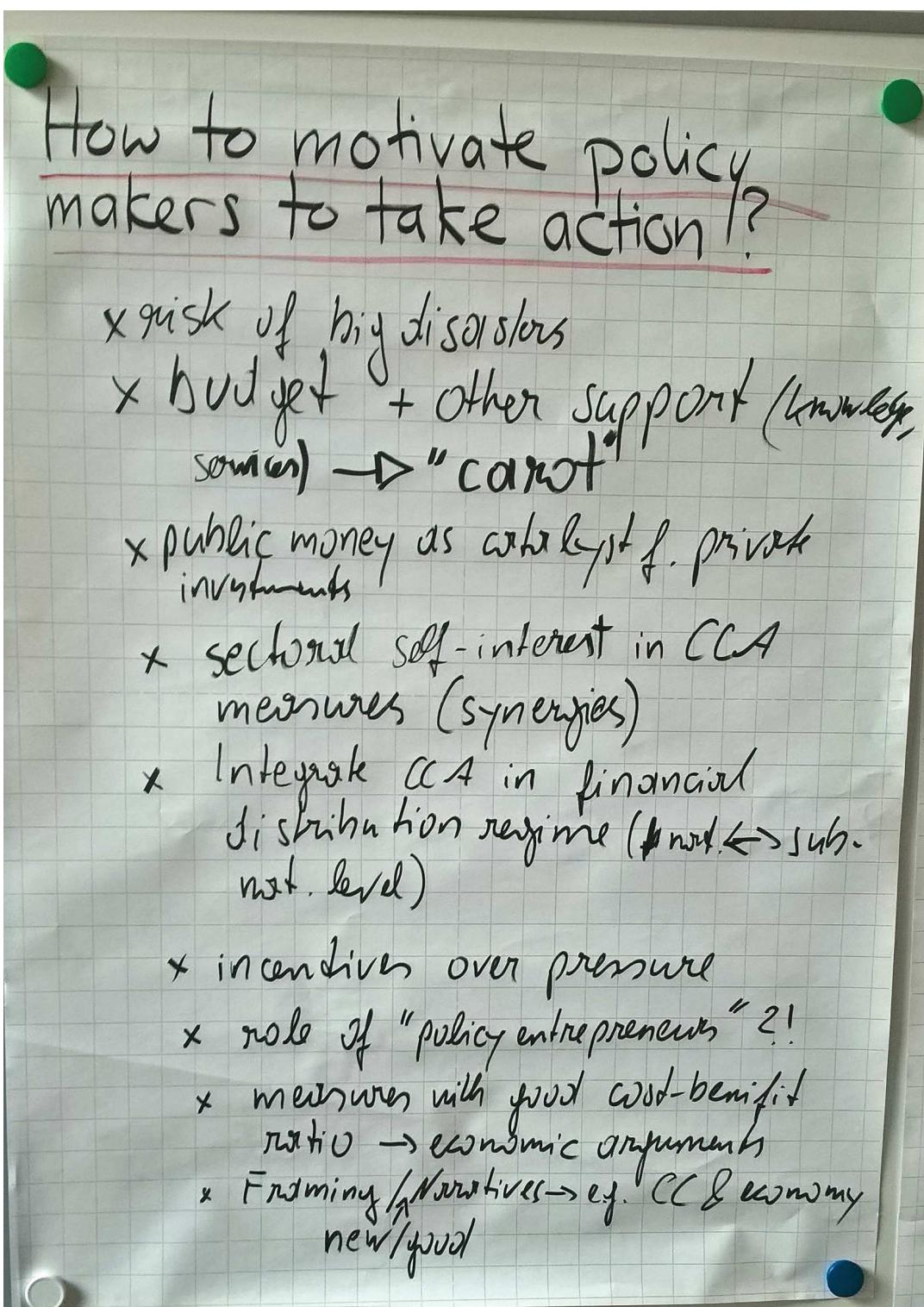


Figure 9: How to motivate policy makers to take action?

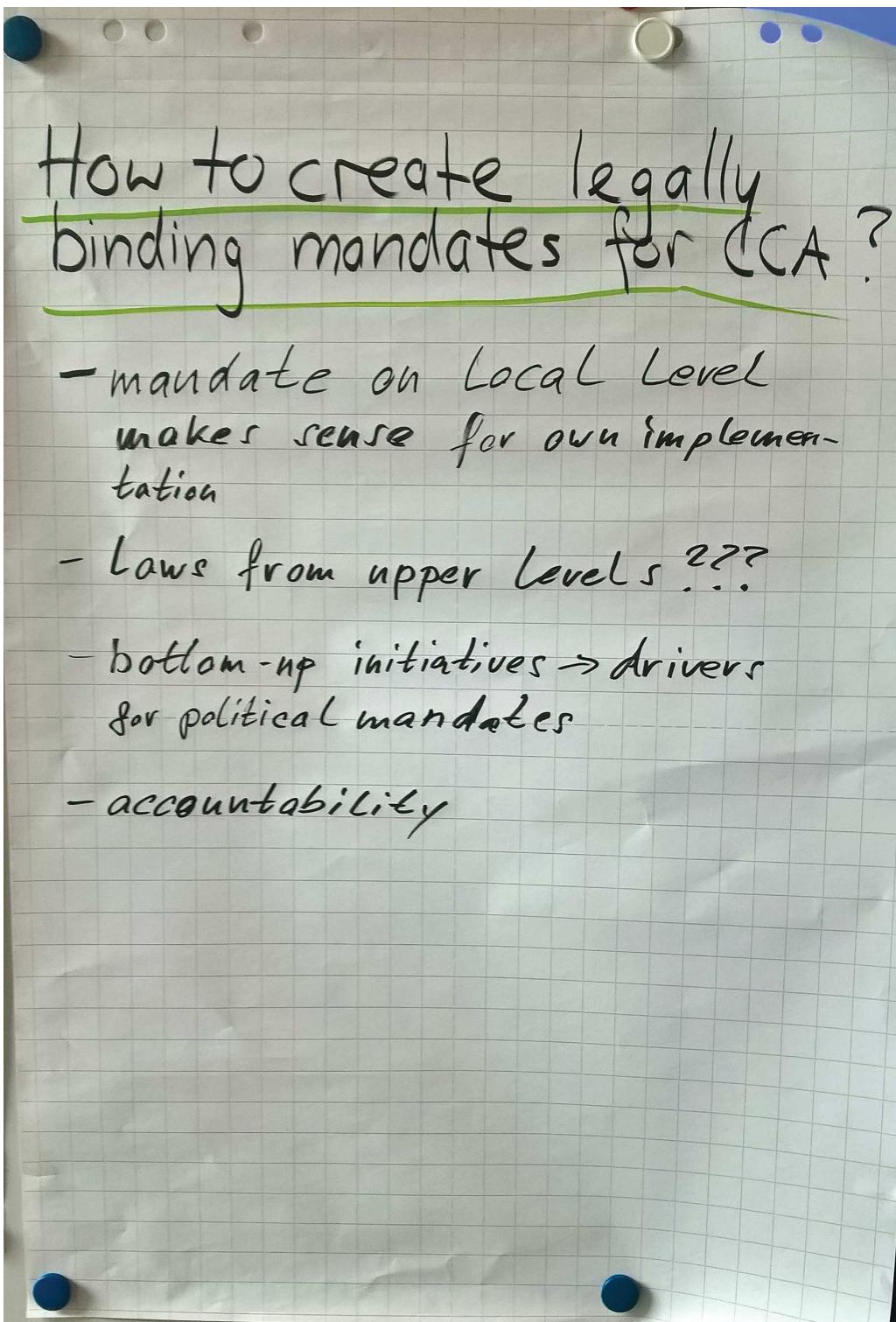


Figure 10: How to create legally binding mandates for CCA?

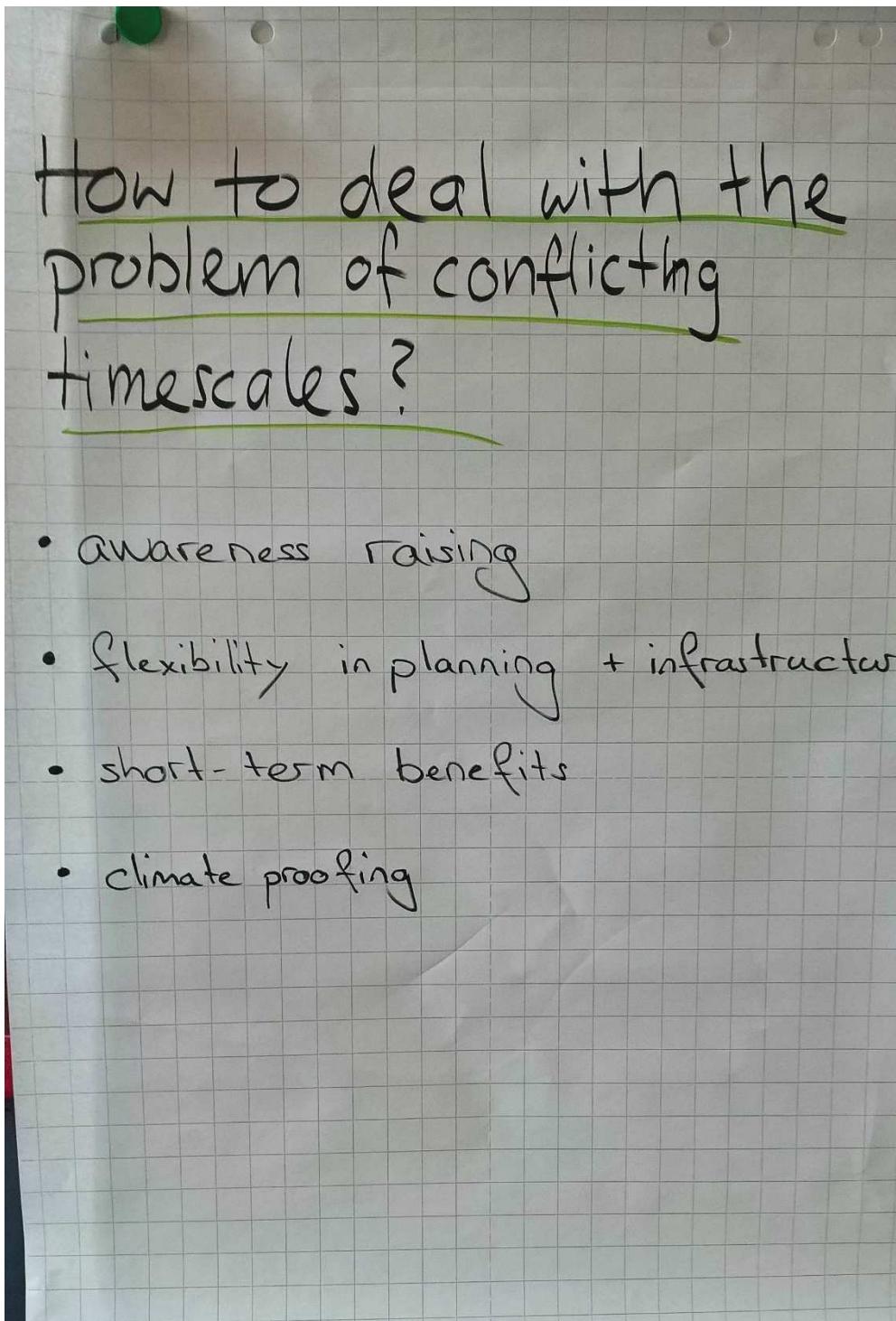


Figure 11: How to deal with the problem of conflicting timescales?

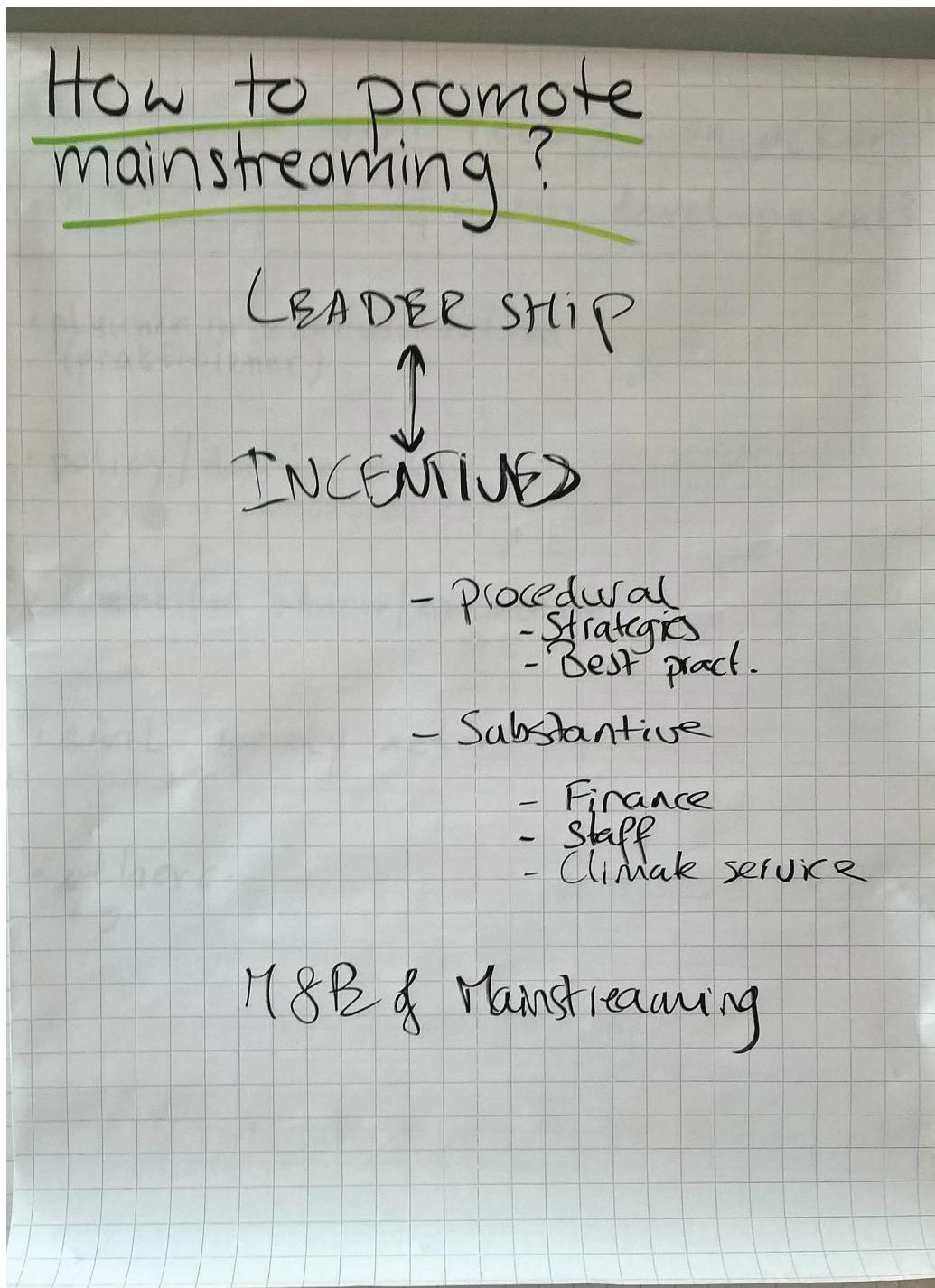


Figure 12: How to promote mainstreaming? (1/2)

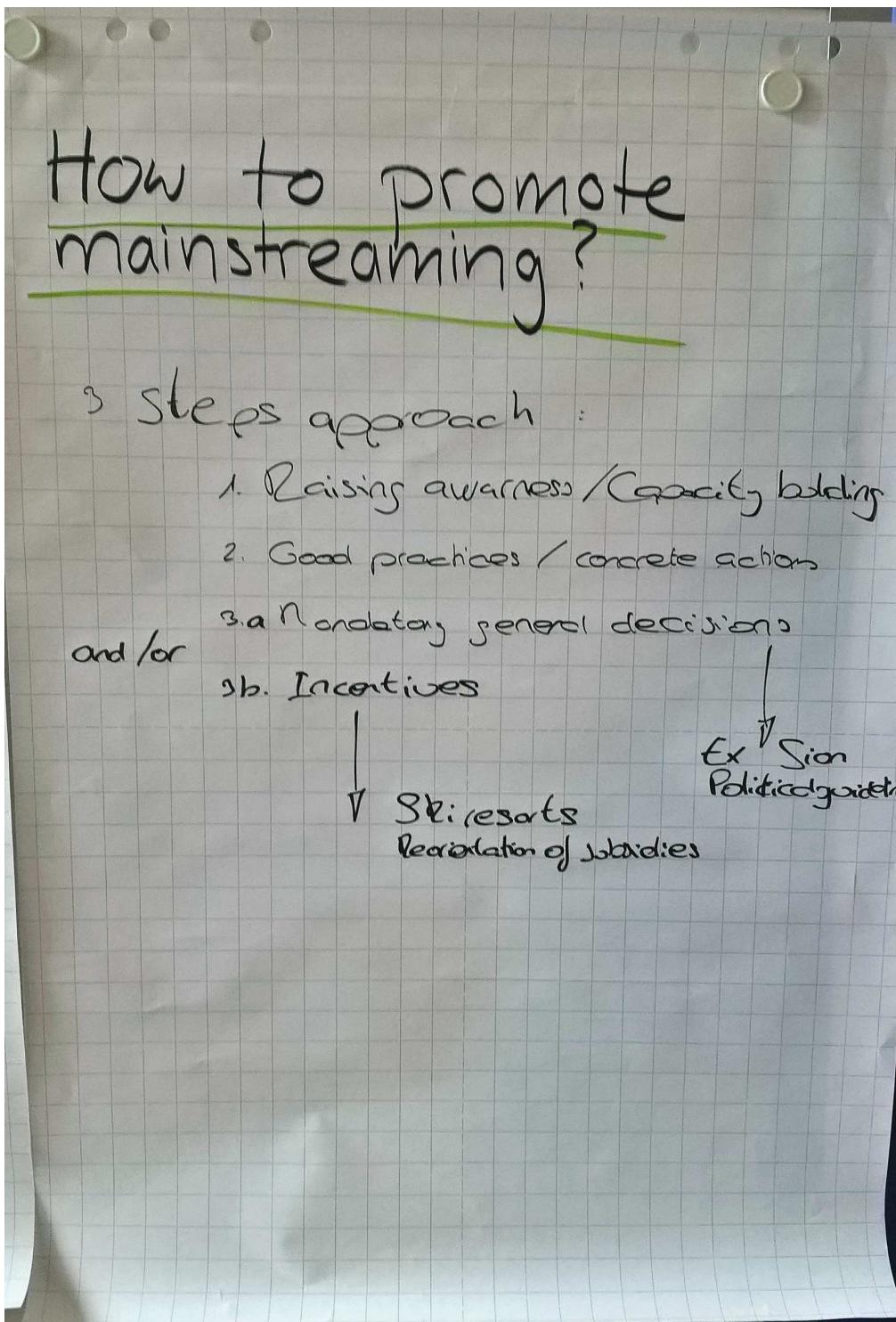


Figure 13: How to promote mainstreaming? (2/2)