

Instructor Certification

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Purpose of this session:

Conduct a preliminary needs analyses to determine whether police instructors require certification.

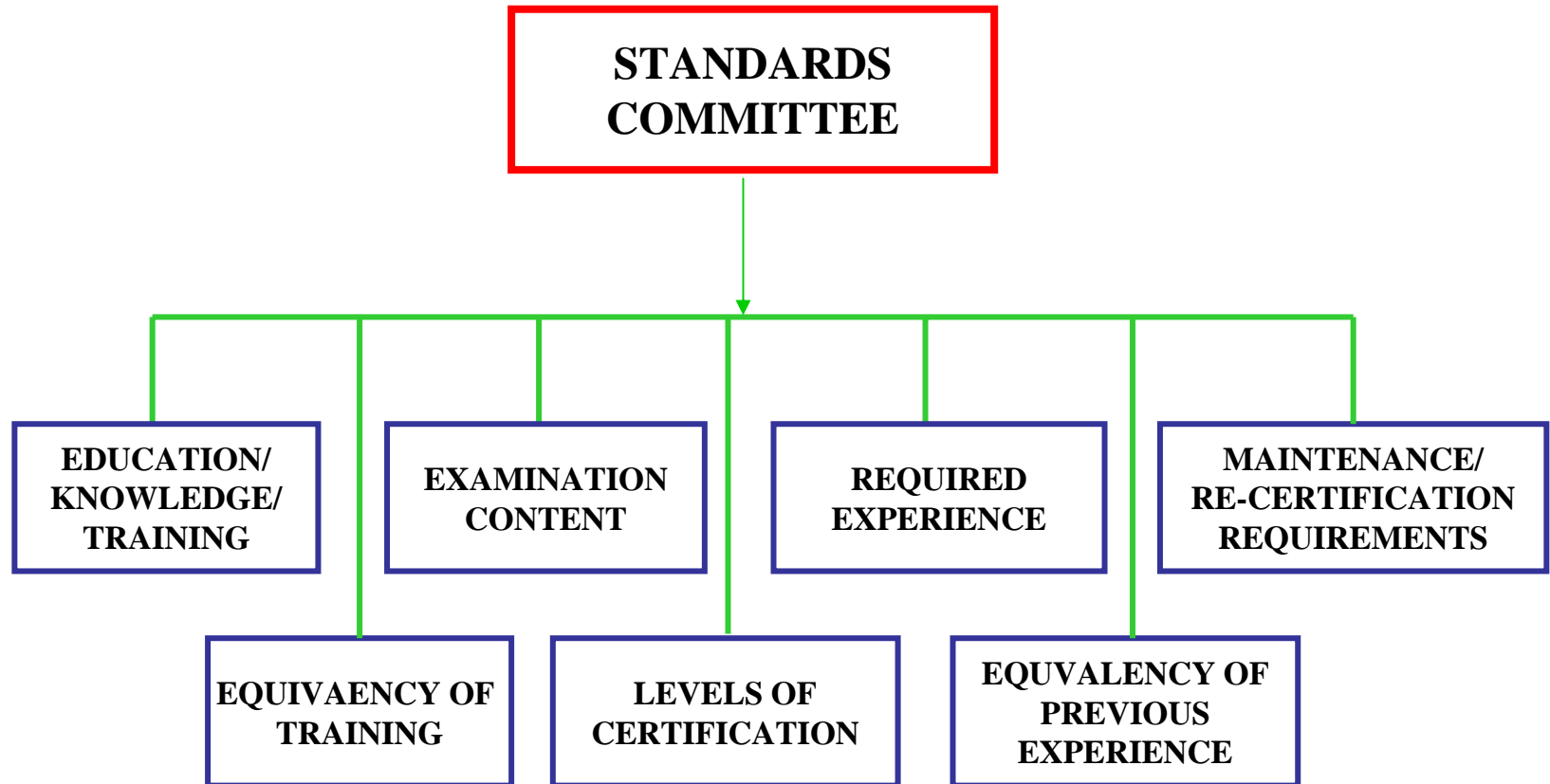
Outcomes:

1. List the reasons why certification is beneficial or necessary.
2. List the reasons why certification is NOT beneficial or necessary.
3. Identify barriers to implementing certification.
4. NEXT STEPS: Where to go from here and who is interested to become involved.

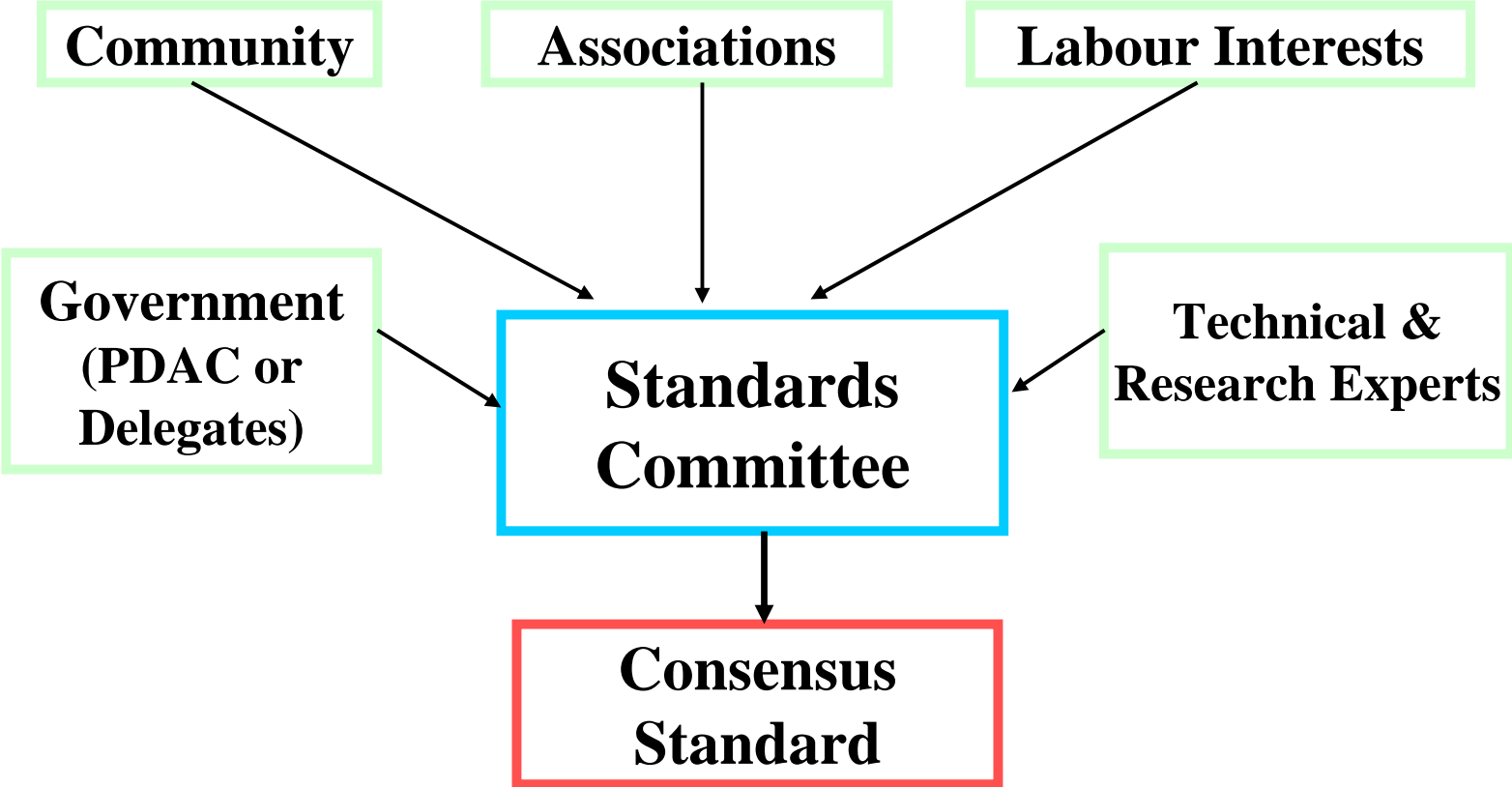
Definition of Certification

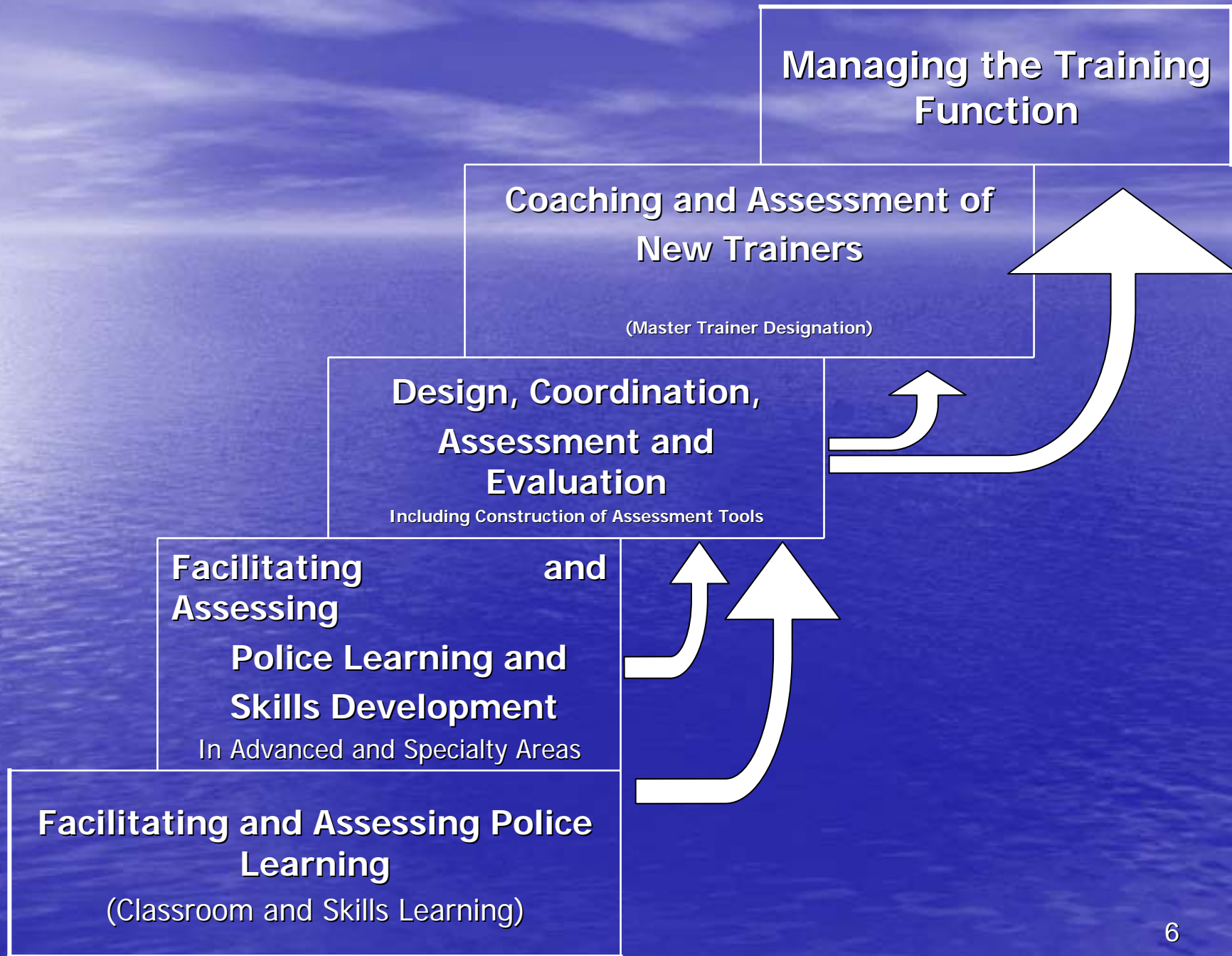
- An activity concerned with determining, directly or indirectly, that relevant requirements of a standard or other set of criteria are fulfilled. (Ref: Canadian General Standards Board)

Canadian General Standards Board – Model for a Standard



Stage I: The Standards Development Process





Definition of Accreditation

- A procedure by which an authoritative body gives formal recognition that a body is competent to carry out specific conformity assessment tasks. (Ref: Canadian General Standards Board)