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# EXPLORING MISTAKEPROOFING IN HEALTHCARE DESIGN

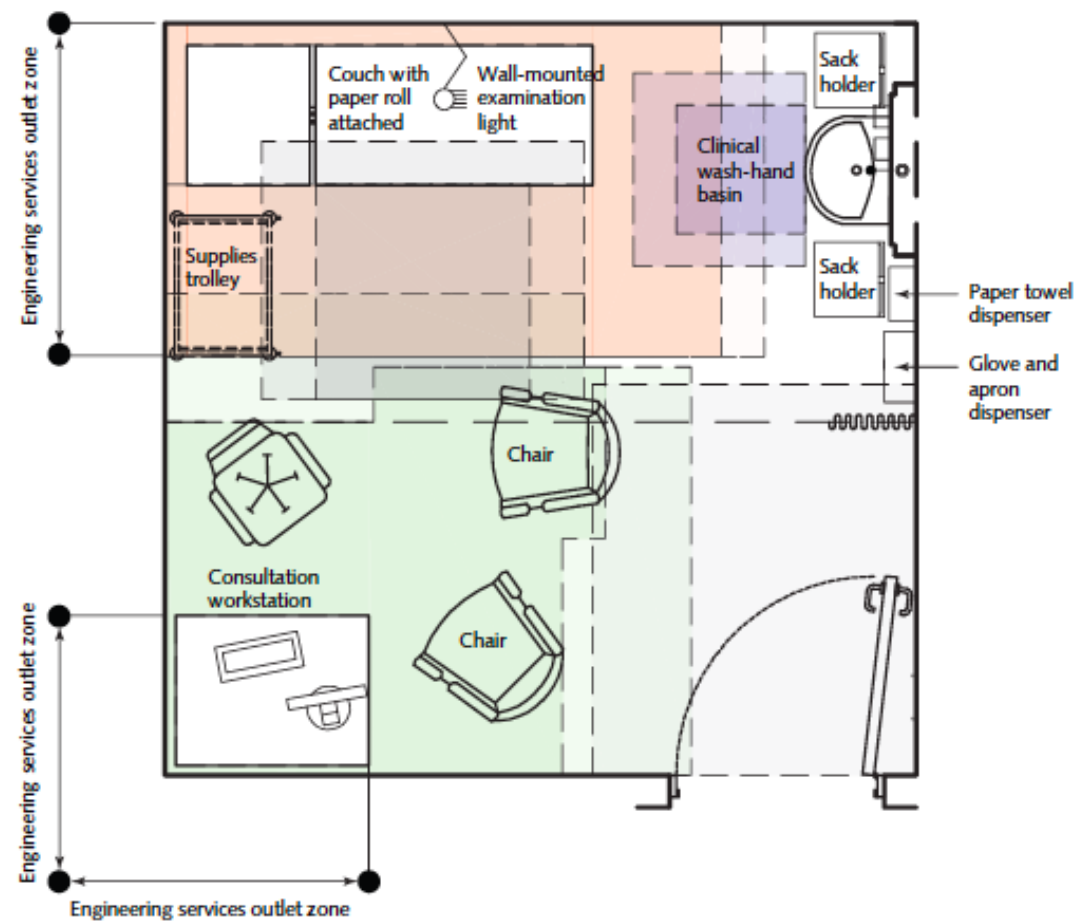
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# INTRODUCTION



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## BUILDING DESIGN



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BUILDING  
DESIGN



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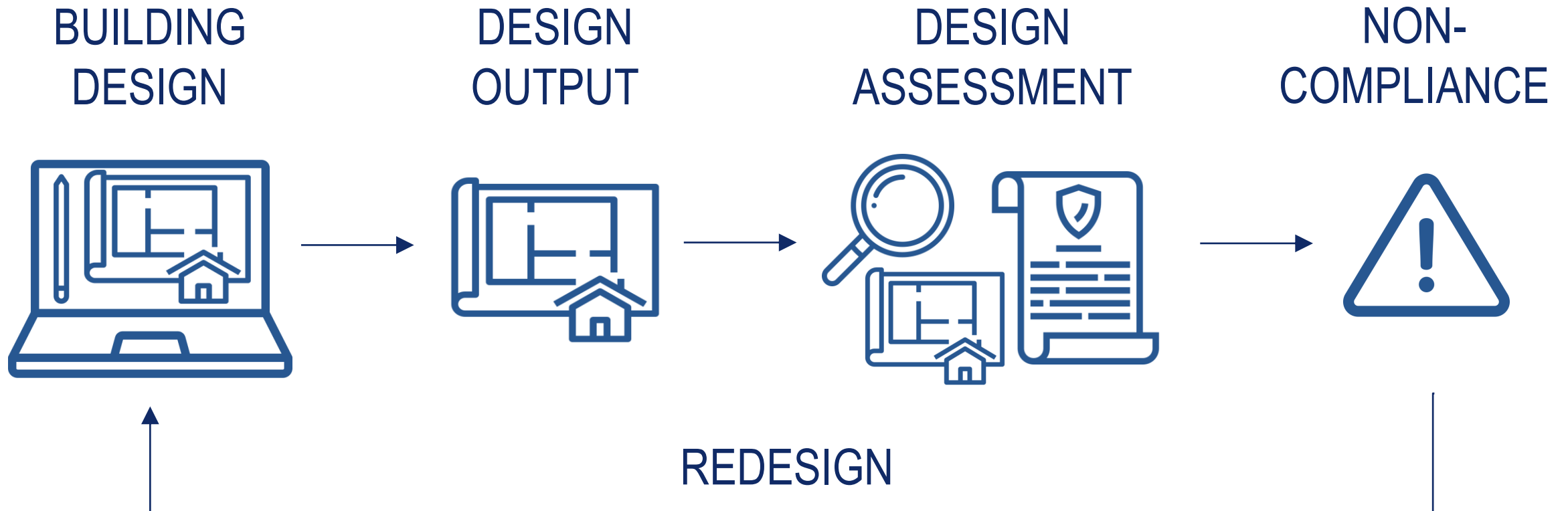
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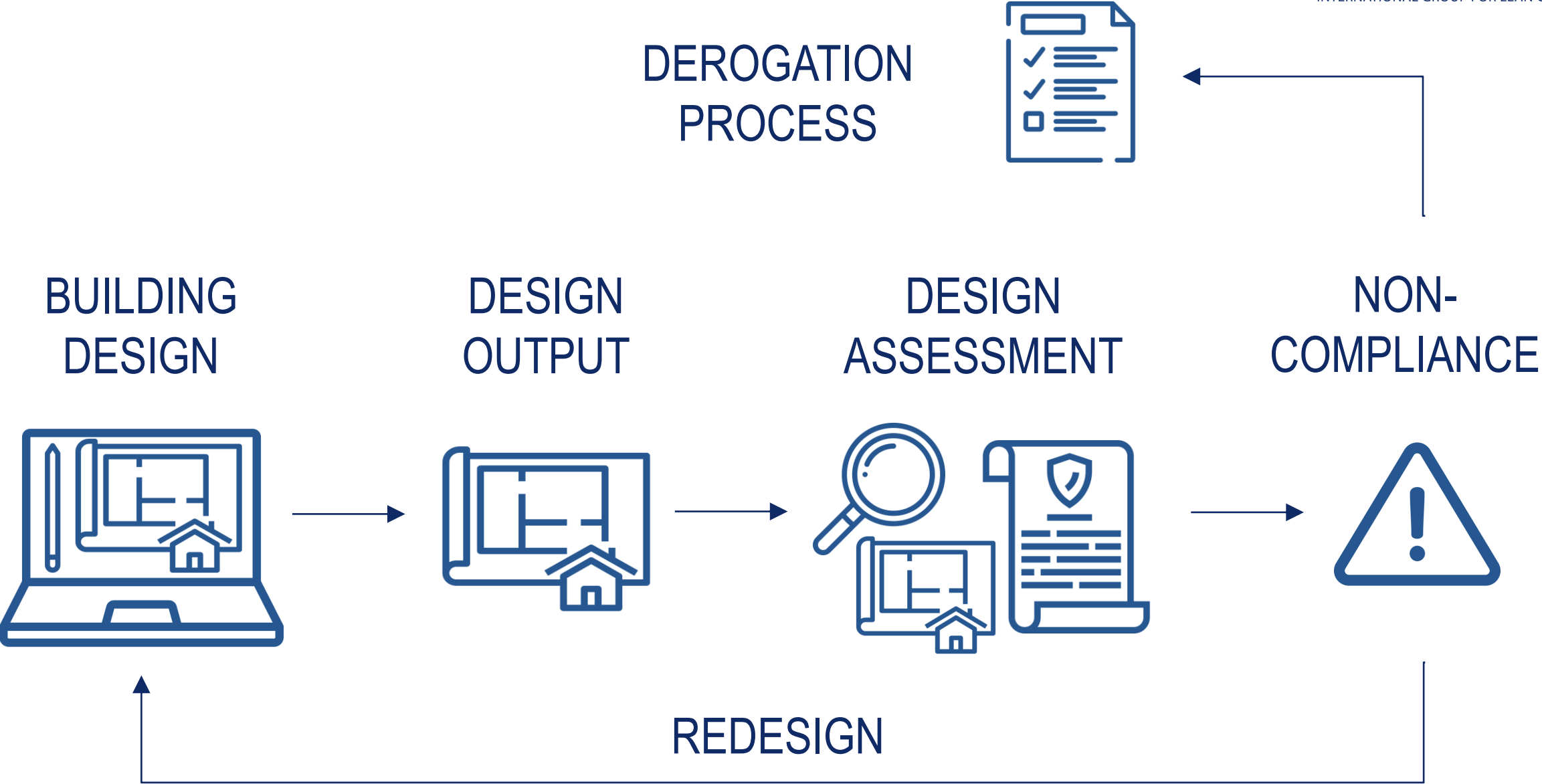
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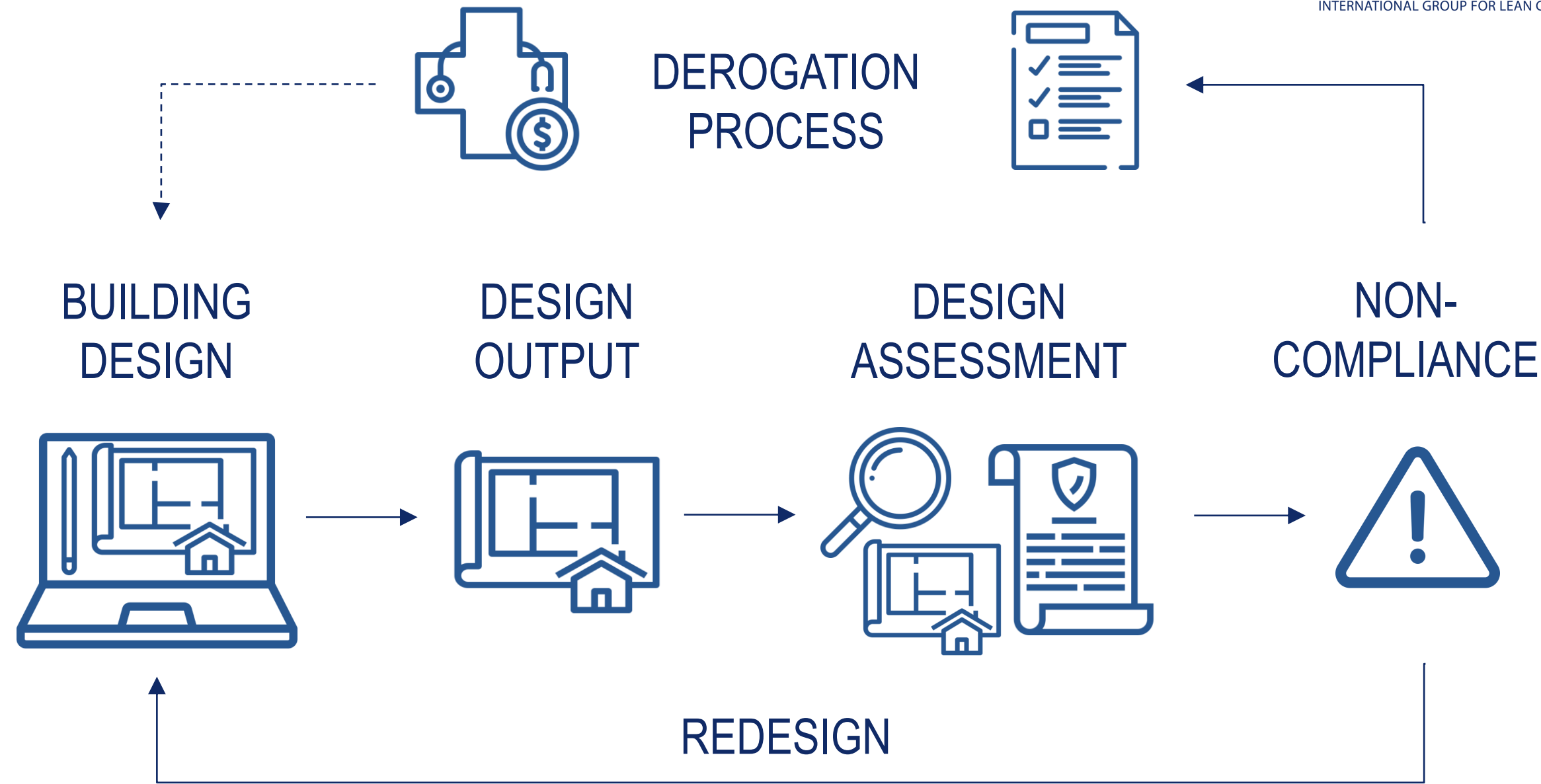


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## REDESIGN

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**AUTOMATION**

streamlines design assessment



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## AUTOMATION

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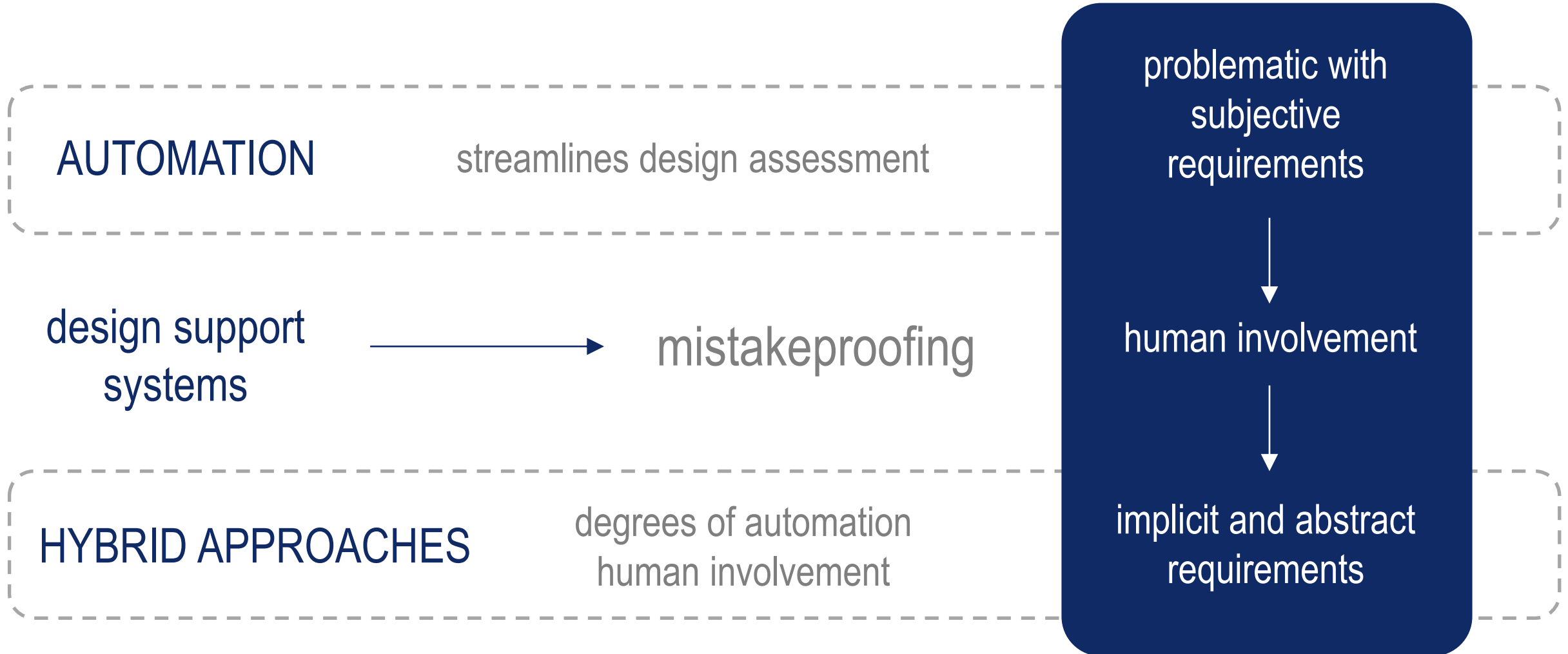


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preliminary findings

Evidence from theoretical data from literature review

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## METHOD

1. Identification of technologies to support design
2. Classification according to the principles of mistakeproofing, based on their use in design
3. Analysis of technologies and their application

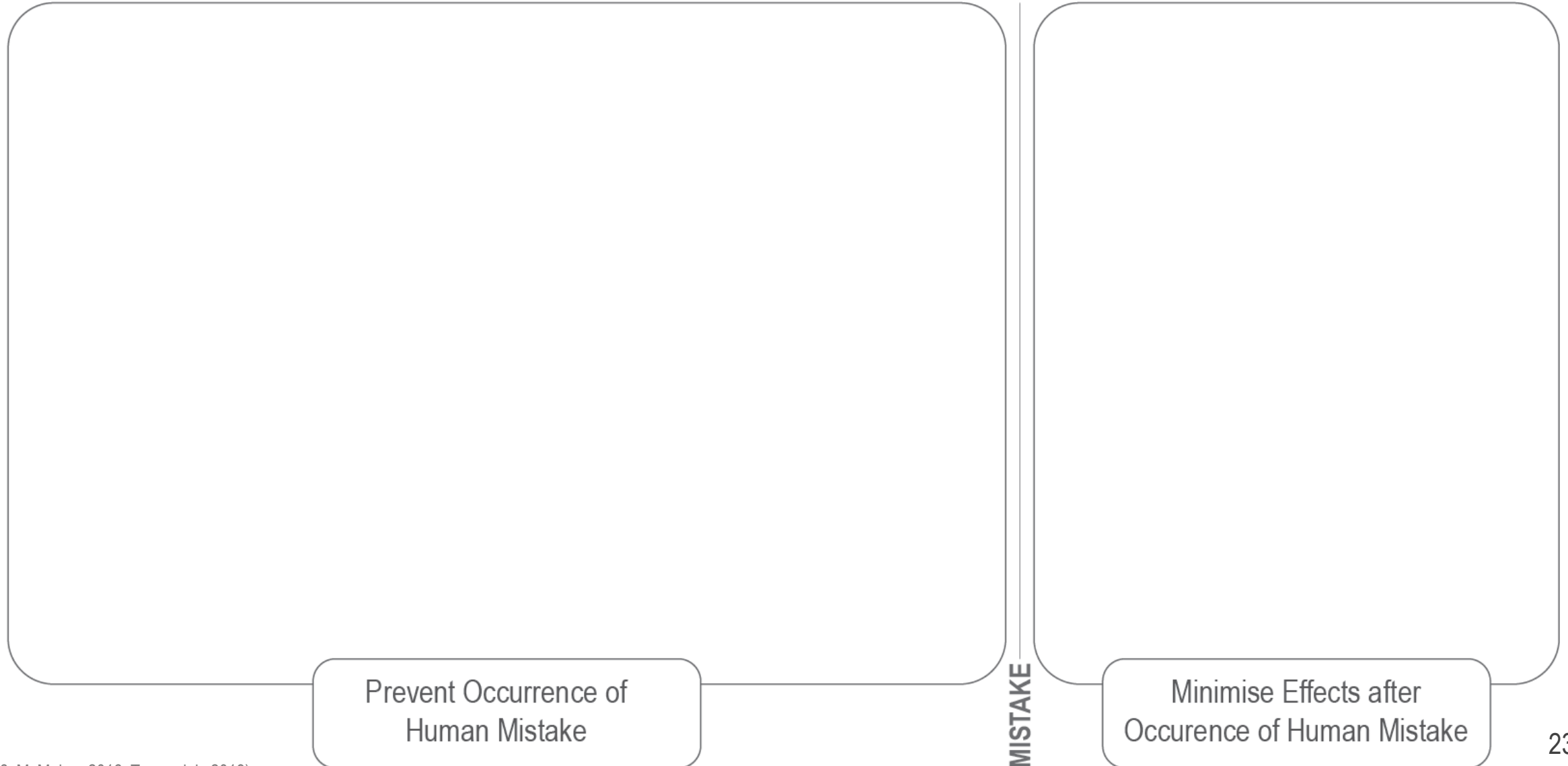
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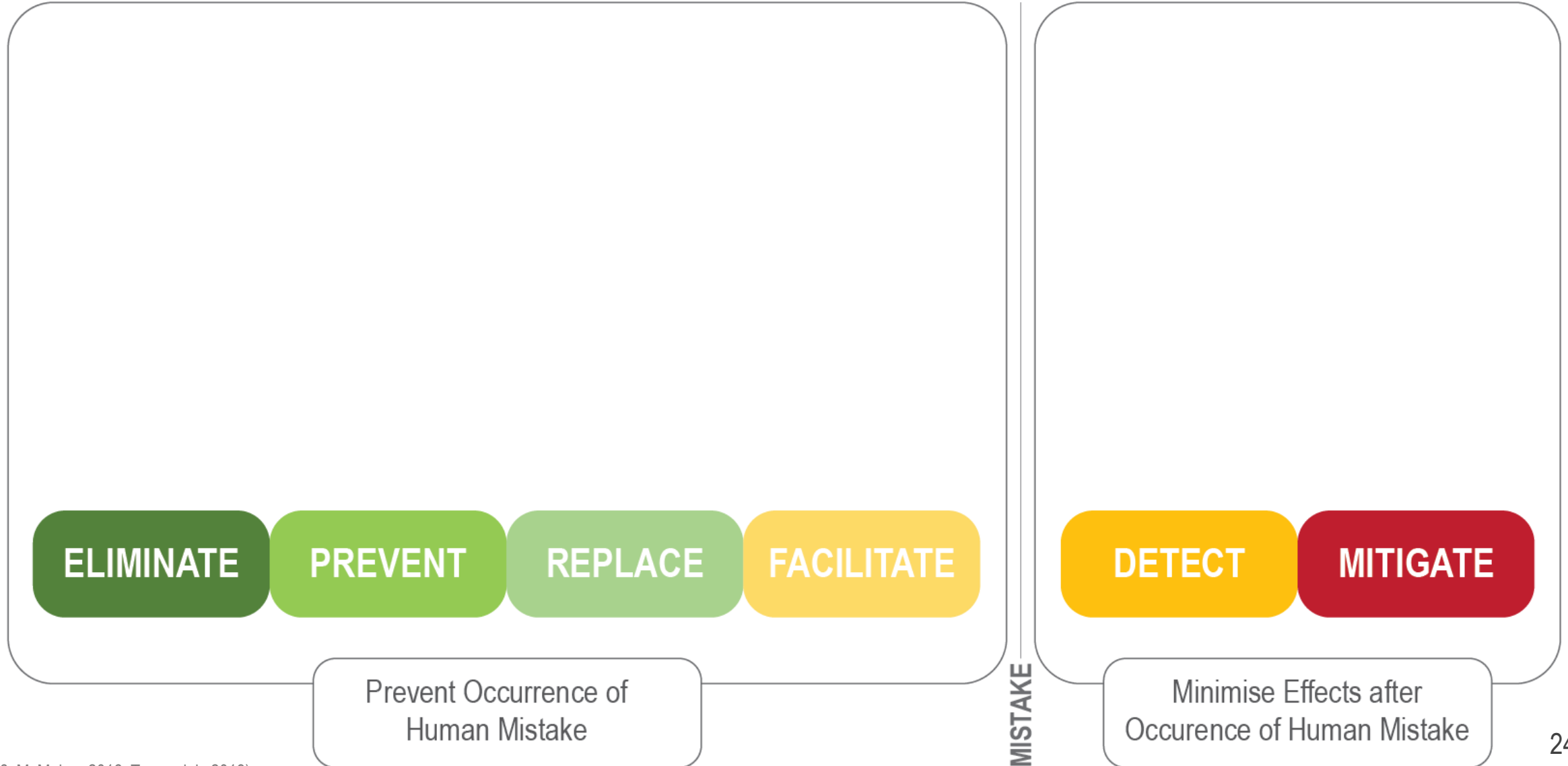
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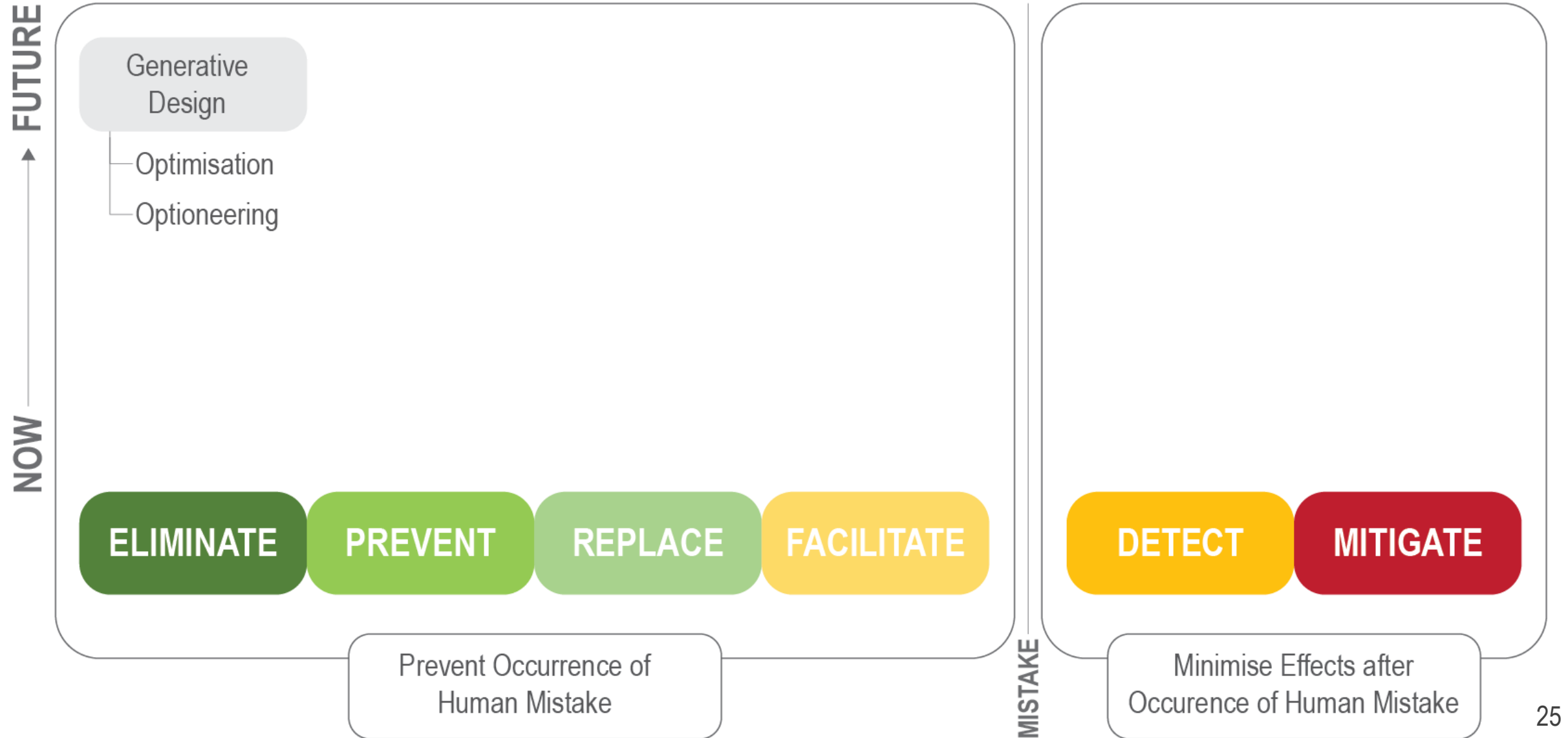


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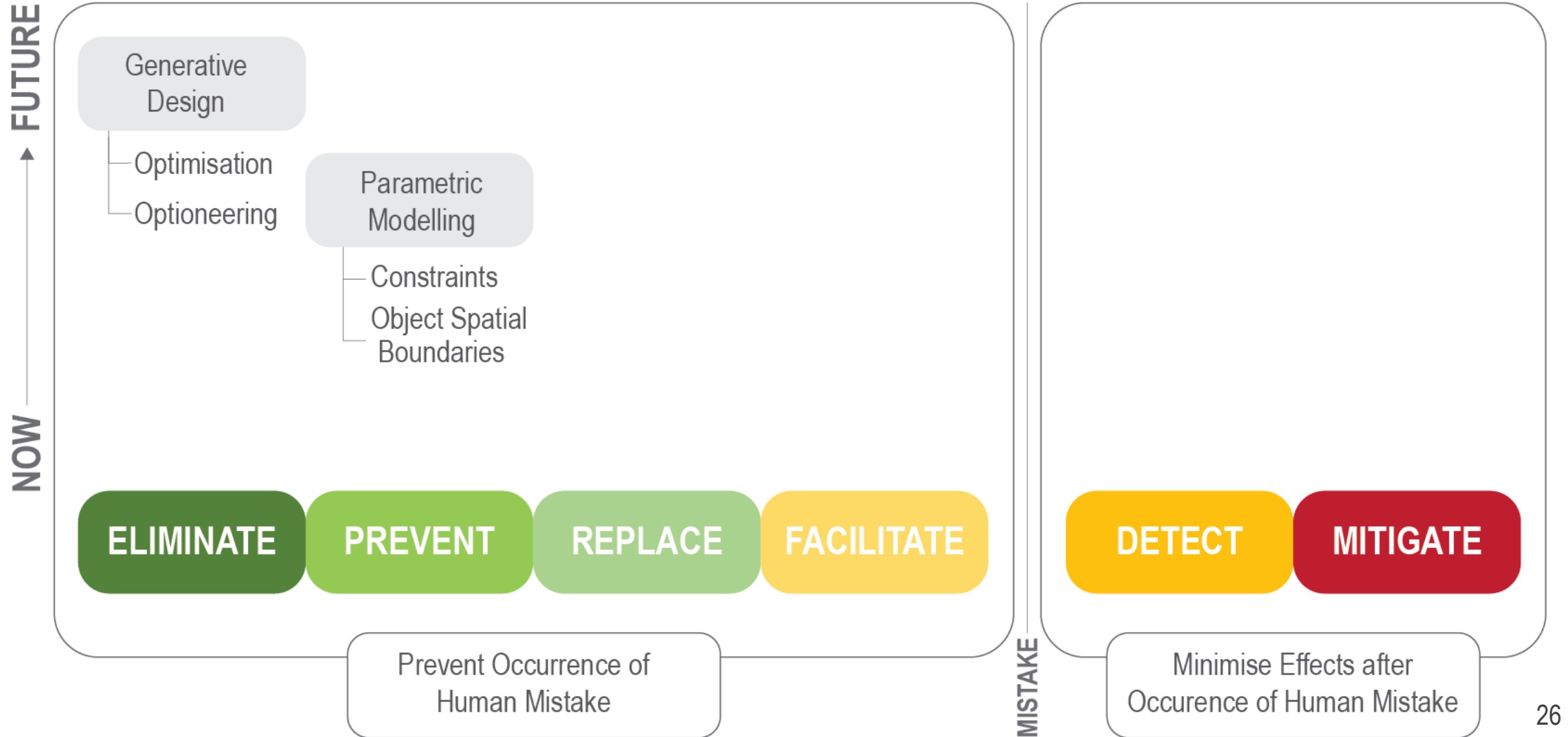




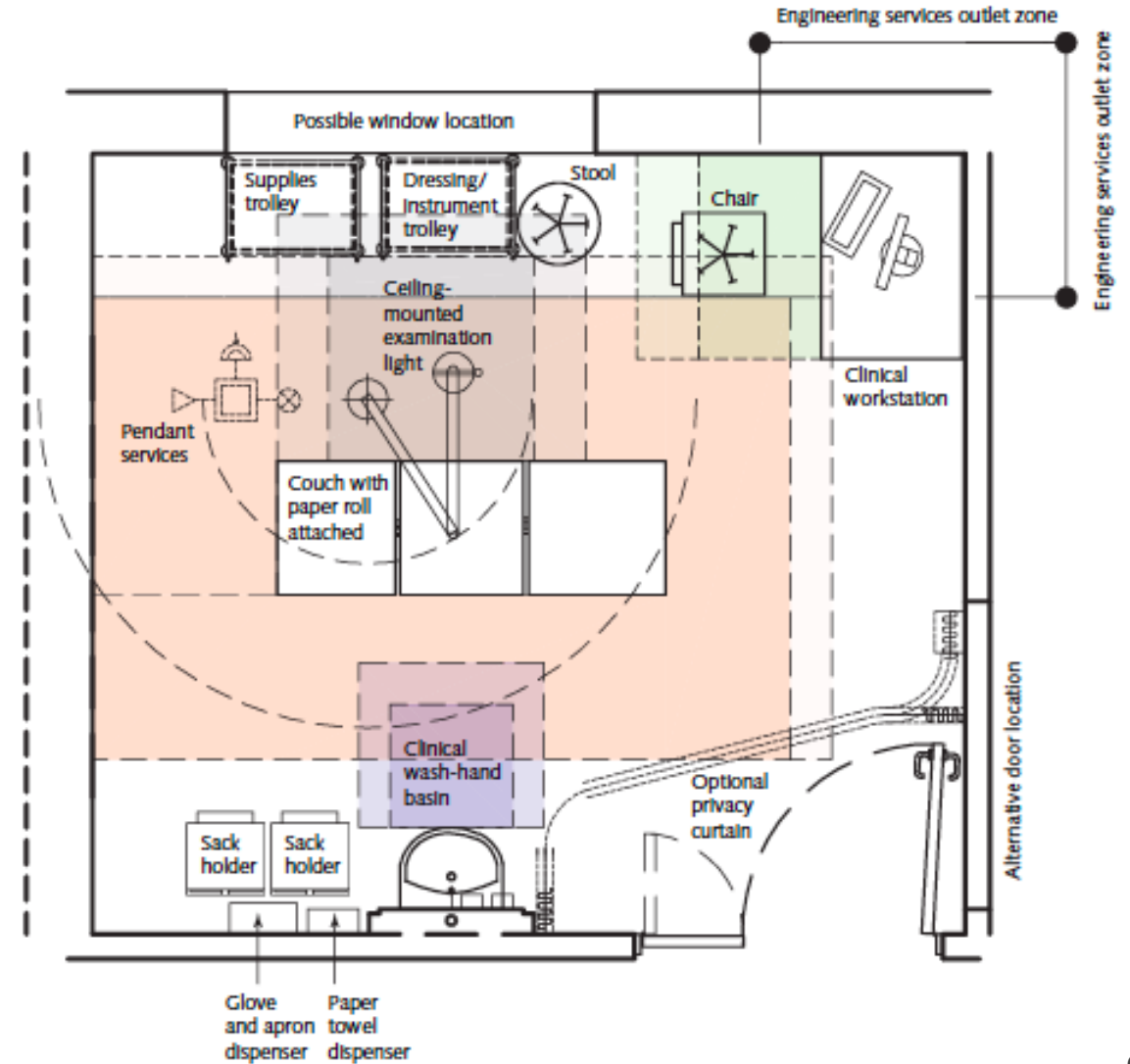
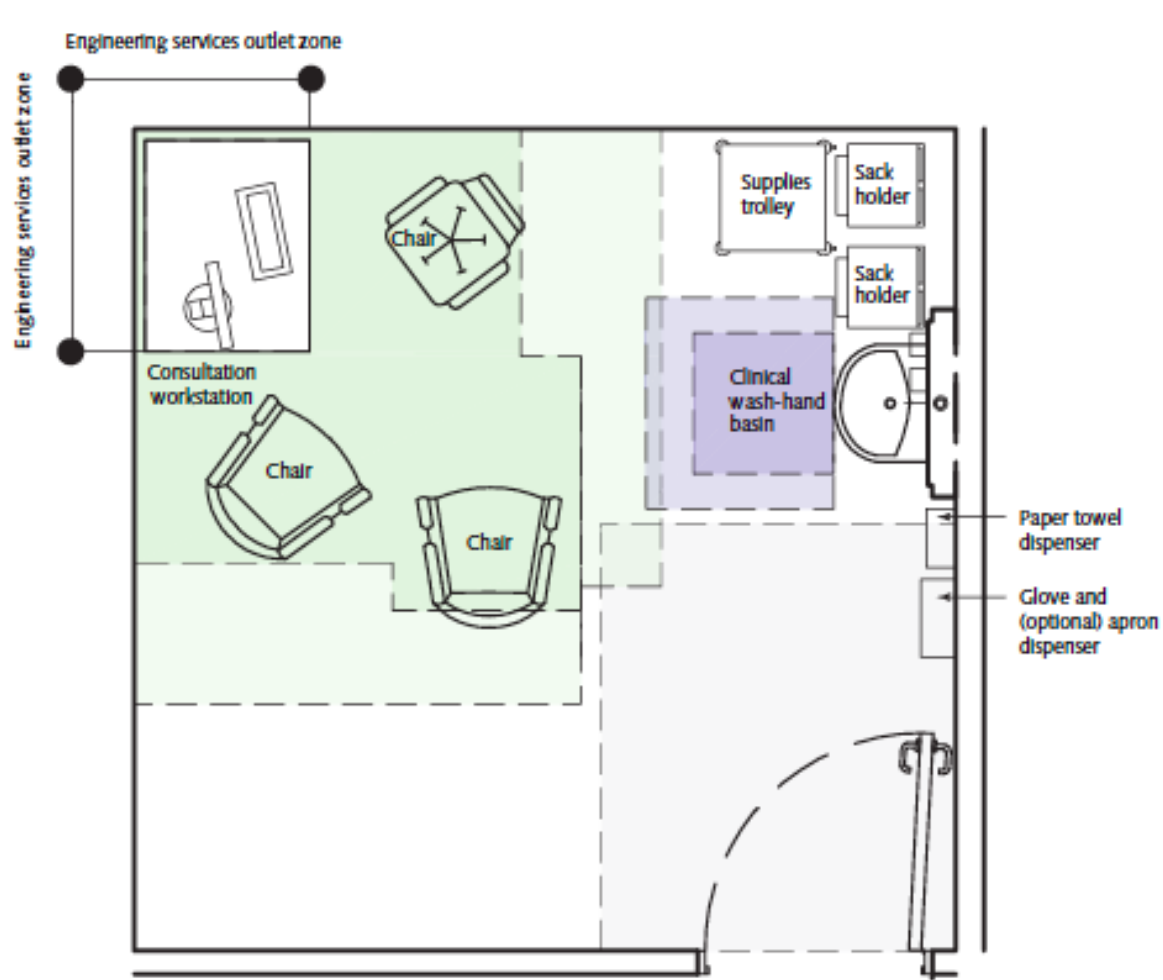
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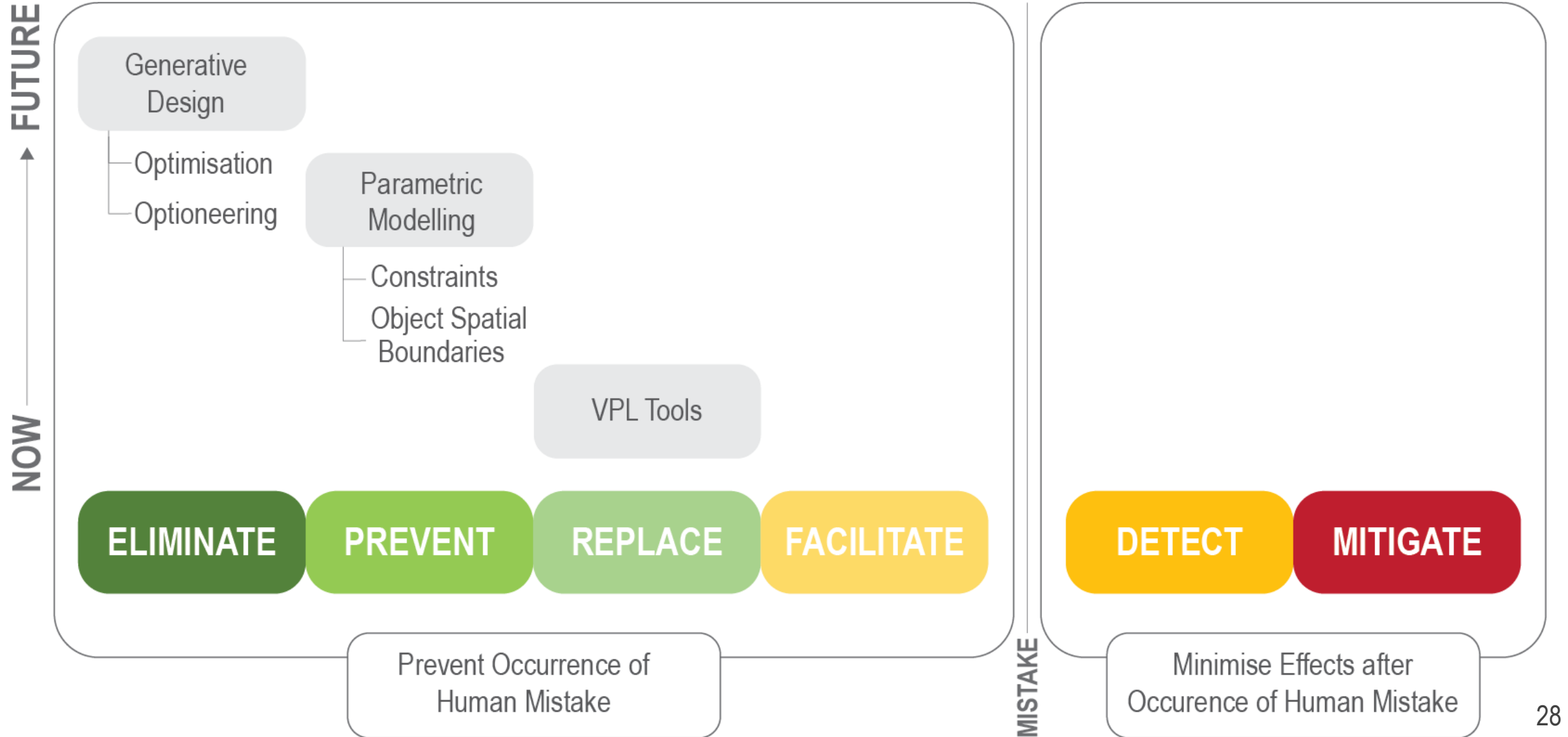
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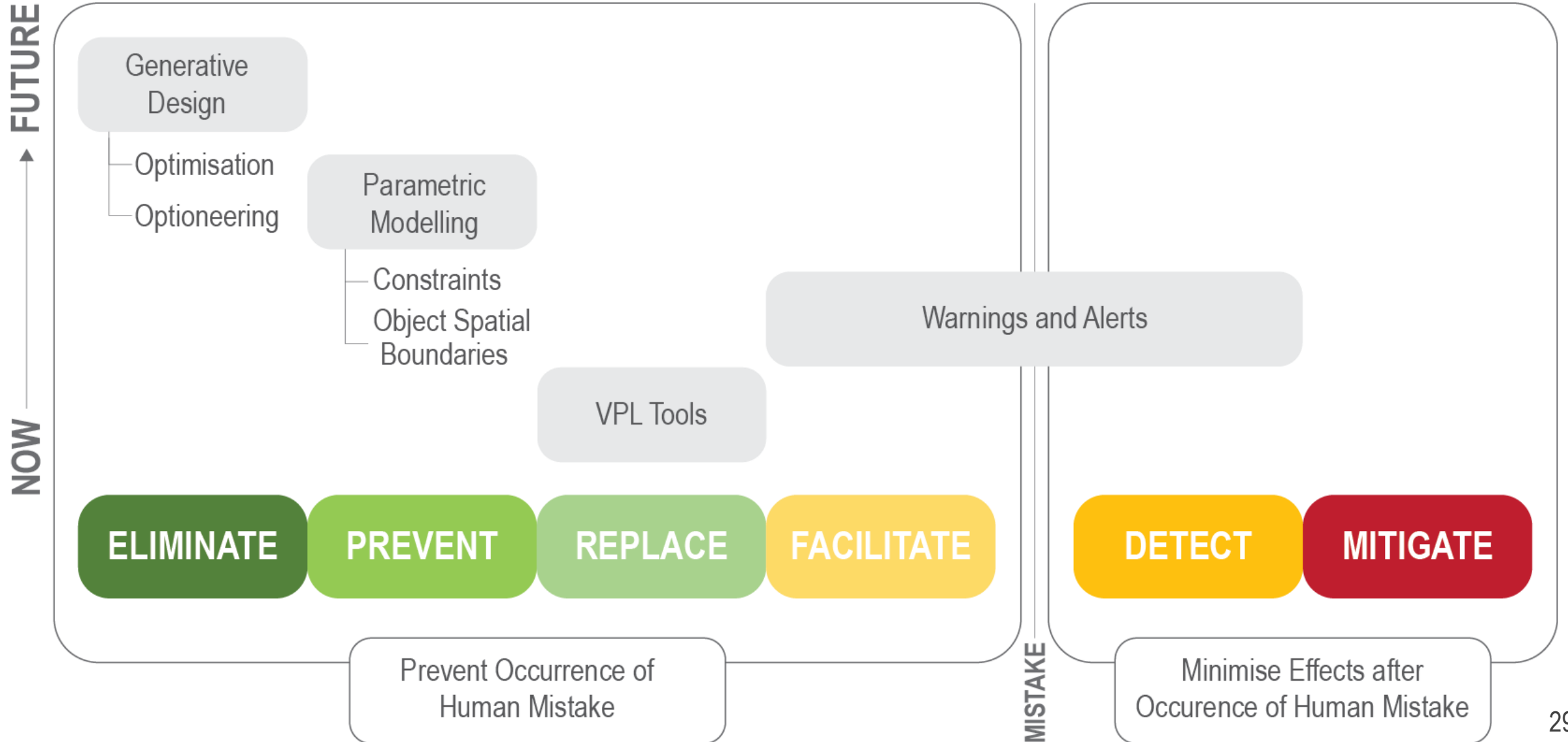
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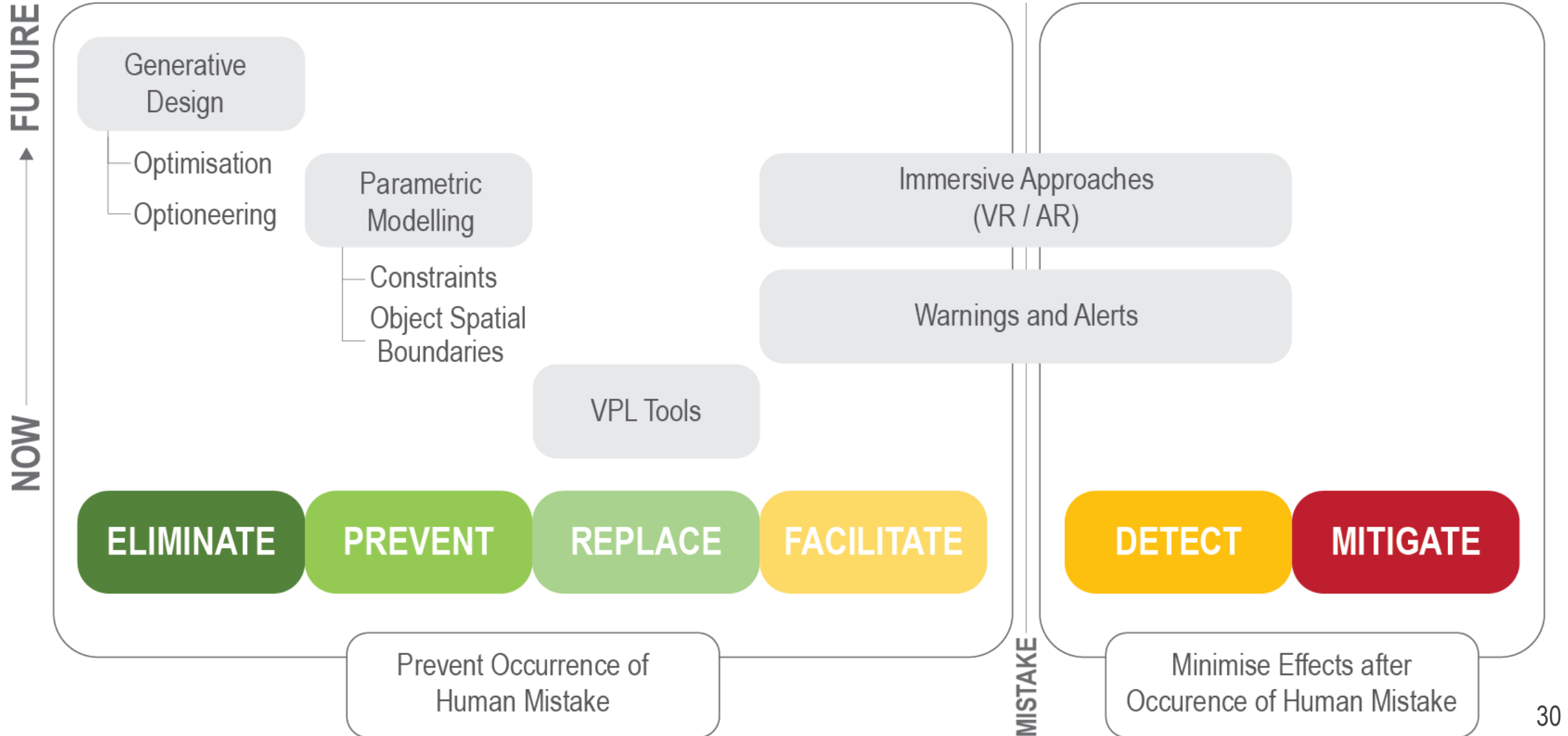
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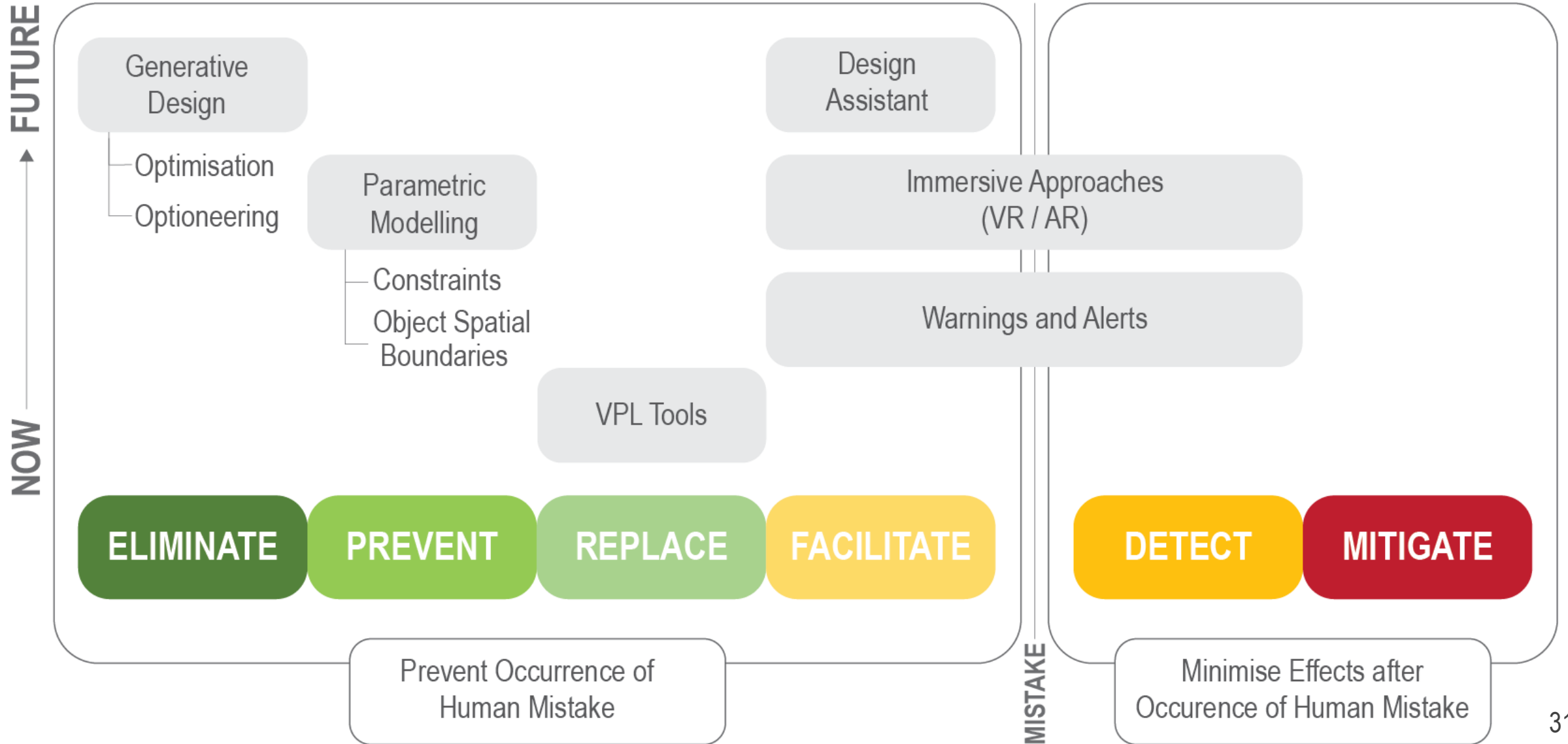
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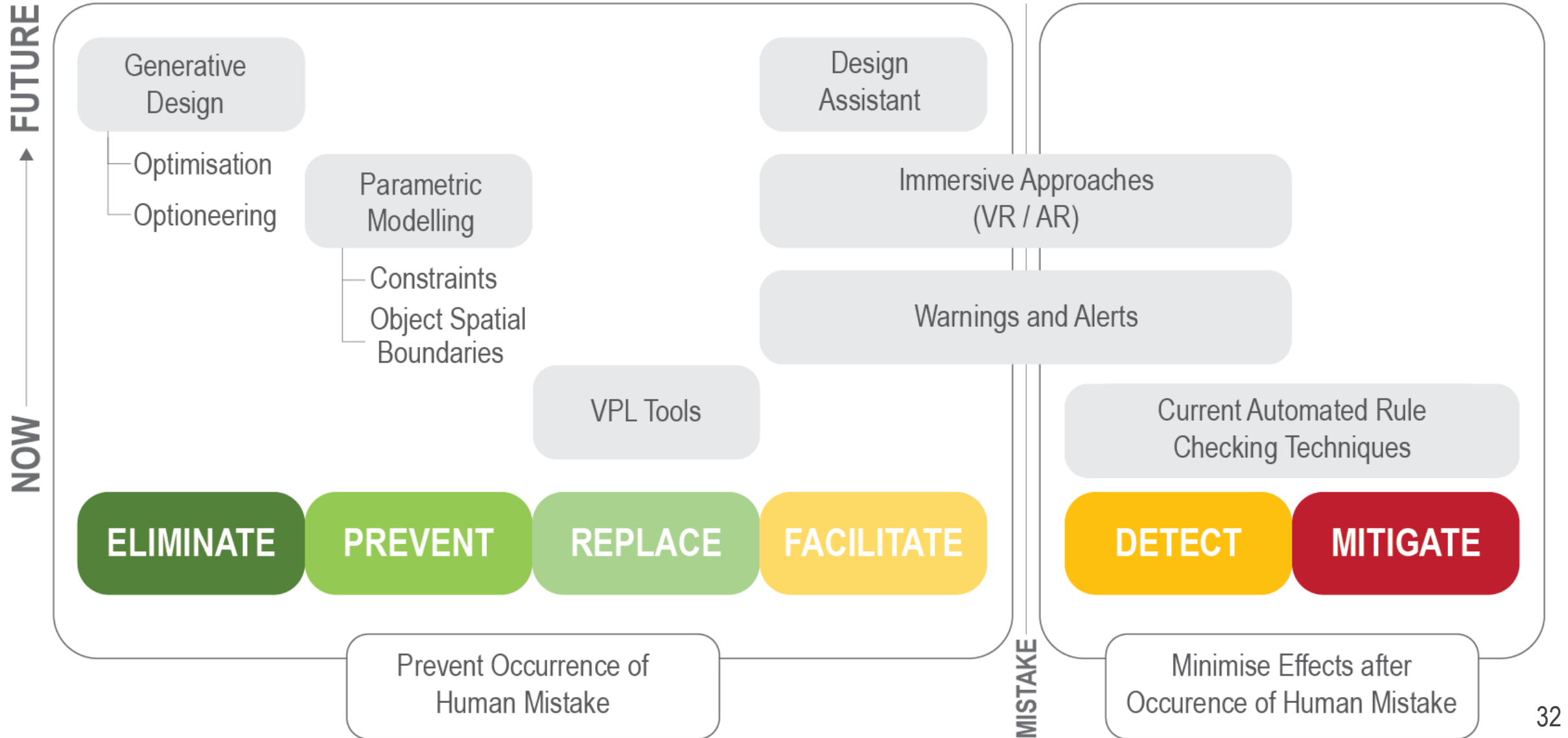
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# DISCUSSION

TECHNOLOGY	APPLICATION	LIMITATION
<b>E</b> Generative Design	Sorting layout of floorplans based on constraint requirements of area and spatial adjacencies.	Needs pre-definition of rules and constraints to feed AI algorithms; need to be integrated with designers' workflow.
<b>P</b> Parametric Modelling	A window must have a wall as a host; minimum free distances in front and on both sides of beds.	Needs pre-definition of rules and parameters to be incorporated into object families.
<b>R</b> VPL Tools	Repetitive operations - including, adapting and modifying objects with repetitive parameters.	Might need further inspection depending on the accuracy of the VPL algorithm.
<b>F</b> Design Assistant	Suggest where, how and why elements should be inserted; track decision-making process.	Need to excel interfaces between humans and technologies; integrate with designers' workflow and cognitive process.
<b>F</b> Warnings and Alerts <b>D</b>	Visually flag potential mistakes; promptly inform designers after any mistake is detected.	The amount and frequency of warnings can be overwhelming; warnings might be ignored by the user.
<b>F</b> Immersive VR / AR <b>D</b>	Use of VR headsets and software to walk-through the design.	Humans can feel uncomfortable while using this type of technology; depends on the quality of hardware/software.
<b>D</b> Automated Rule Checking <b>M</b>	Checking building models against set of encoded rules; can be isolated or continuous.	Depend on the way existing software has been developed; low adaptability and flexibility to sets of requirements.

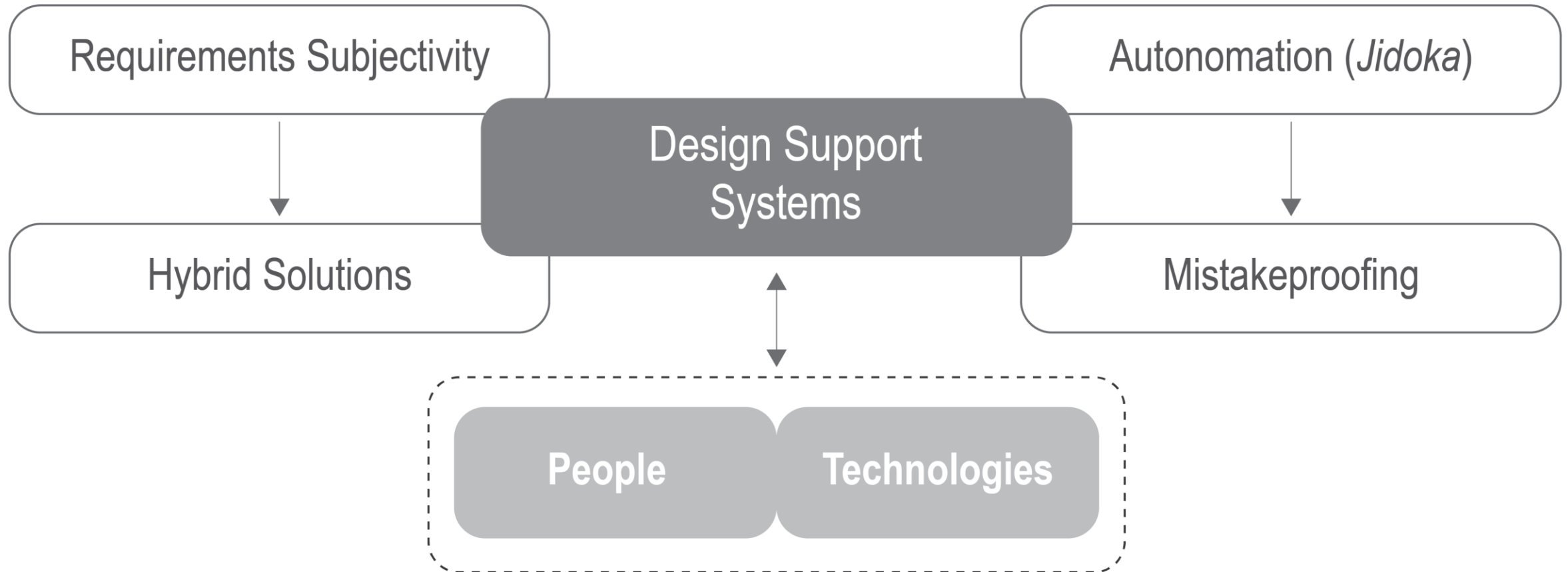


## MISTAKES IN DESIGN



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# THEORETICAL IMPLICATIONS



# FINAL REMARKS

*It is feasible to adopt mistakeproofing concepts in design*

**LIMITATION** technologies were theoretically assessed  
validation in design practice is needed

**FUTURE WORK** further investigate and test contributions from each technology in practice

Need to understand the relationship between  
**human designers and technologies**  
to further explore mistakeproofing possibilities in design



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