Practice Doctorate Accreditation: Accreditation Standards

Program Mission:
AS D1.0.1 & AS D1.0.2

Program Mission: Profession's Purpose

Knowledge

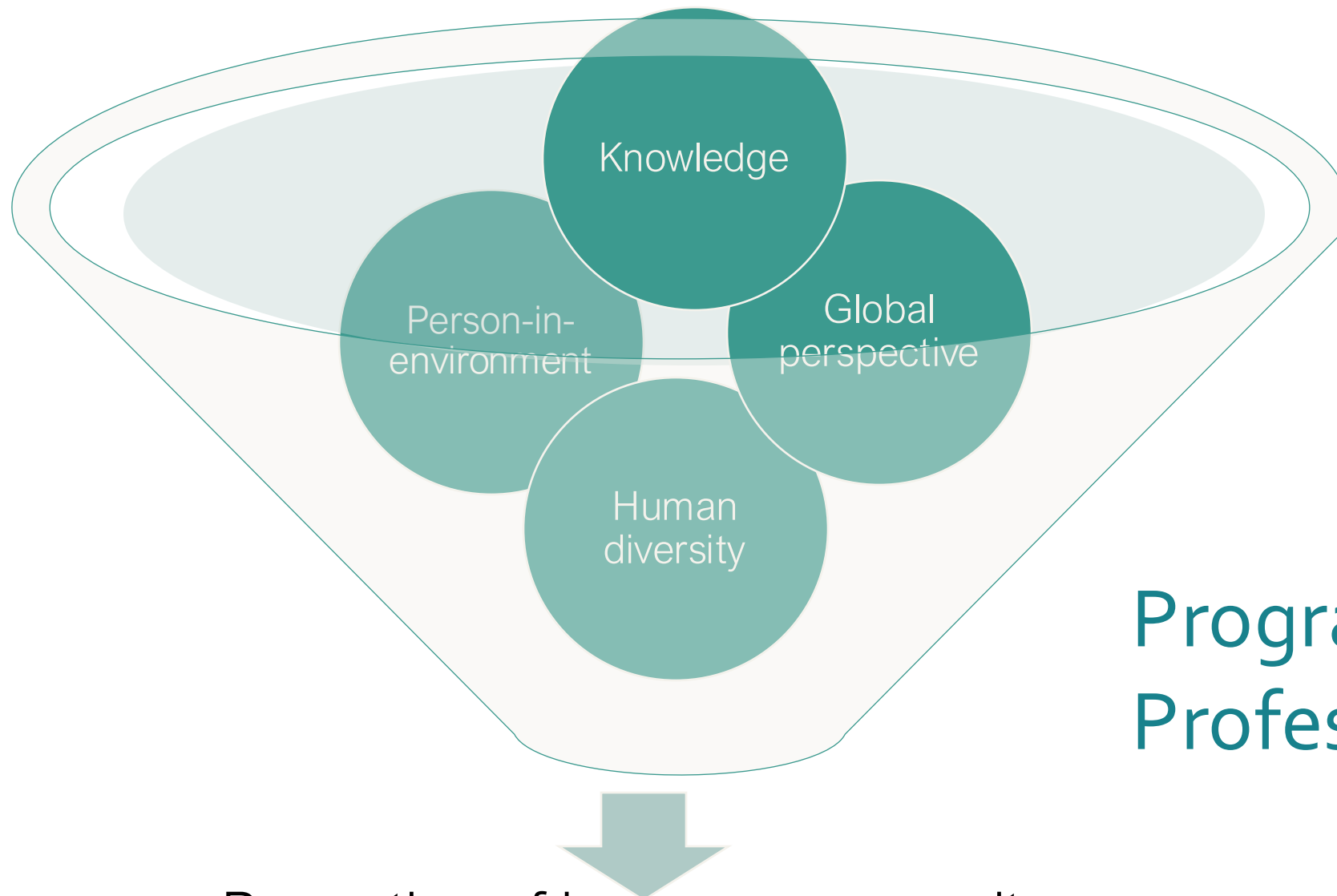Person-in-environment

Global perspective

Human diversity

Promotion of human, community, organizational, and societal well-being =
Social work profession's purpose

Program Mission: Profession's Purpose

Quest for justice + Creation of conditions facilitate human rights

Elimination of poverty + Enhance-ment of life for all

→ Social Work Purpose
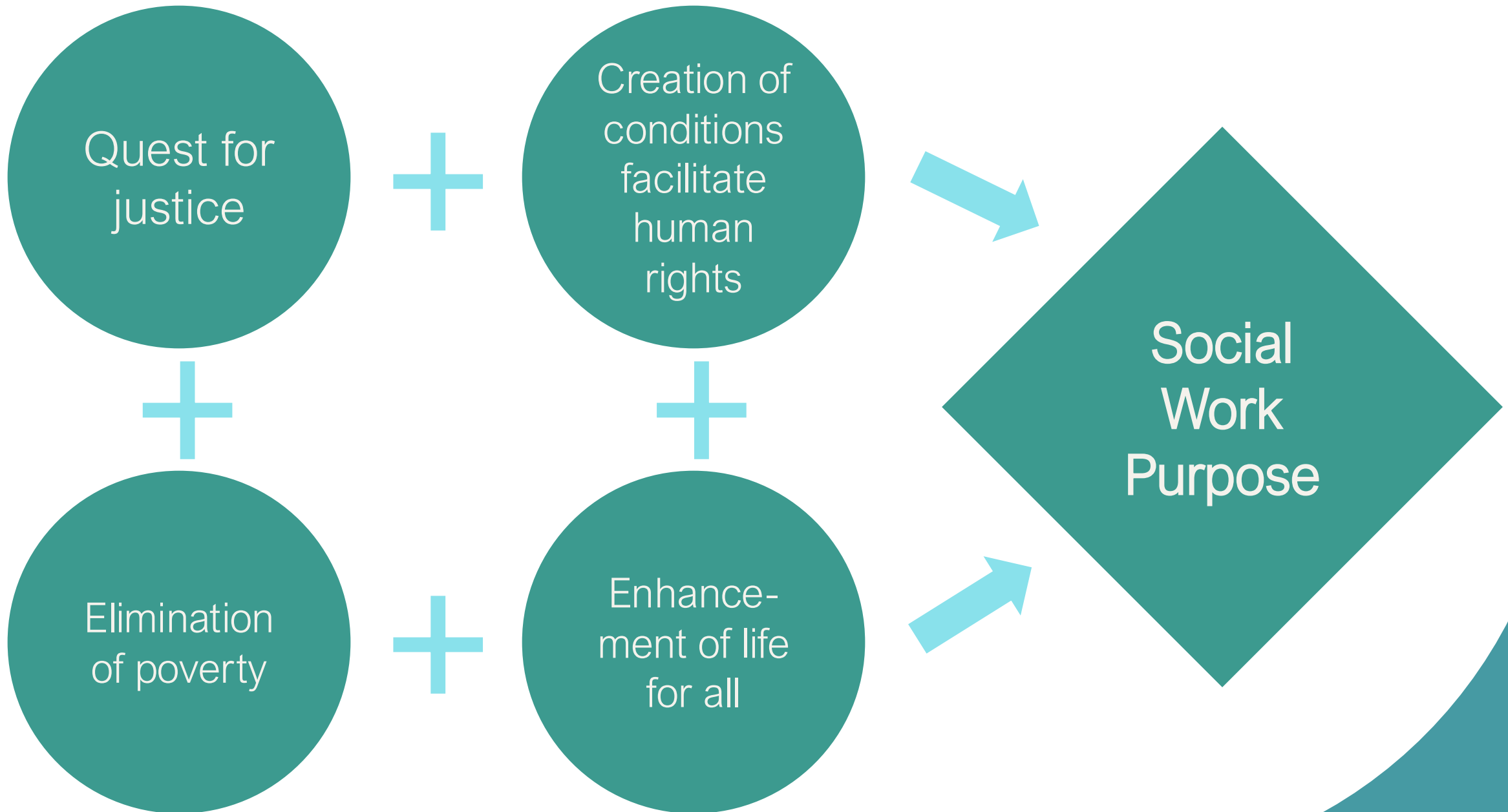
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Dignity & worth of person

Importance of human relationships

Anti-racist perspective

Scientific inquiry

Human rights

Social justice

Service

Competence

Anti-oppressive perspective

Integrity

Program Mission: Program's Context

Definition: Program Context

Program context encompasses the needs and opportunities of practice communities.

These are informed by the historical, political, economic, environmental, social, cultural, demographic, institutional, local, regional, and global contexts and by the ways they elect to engage these factors. Additional factors include new knowledge, technology, and ideas that may have a bearing on contemporary and future social work education, practice, and research.
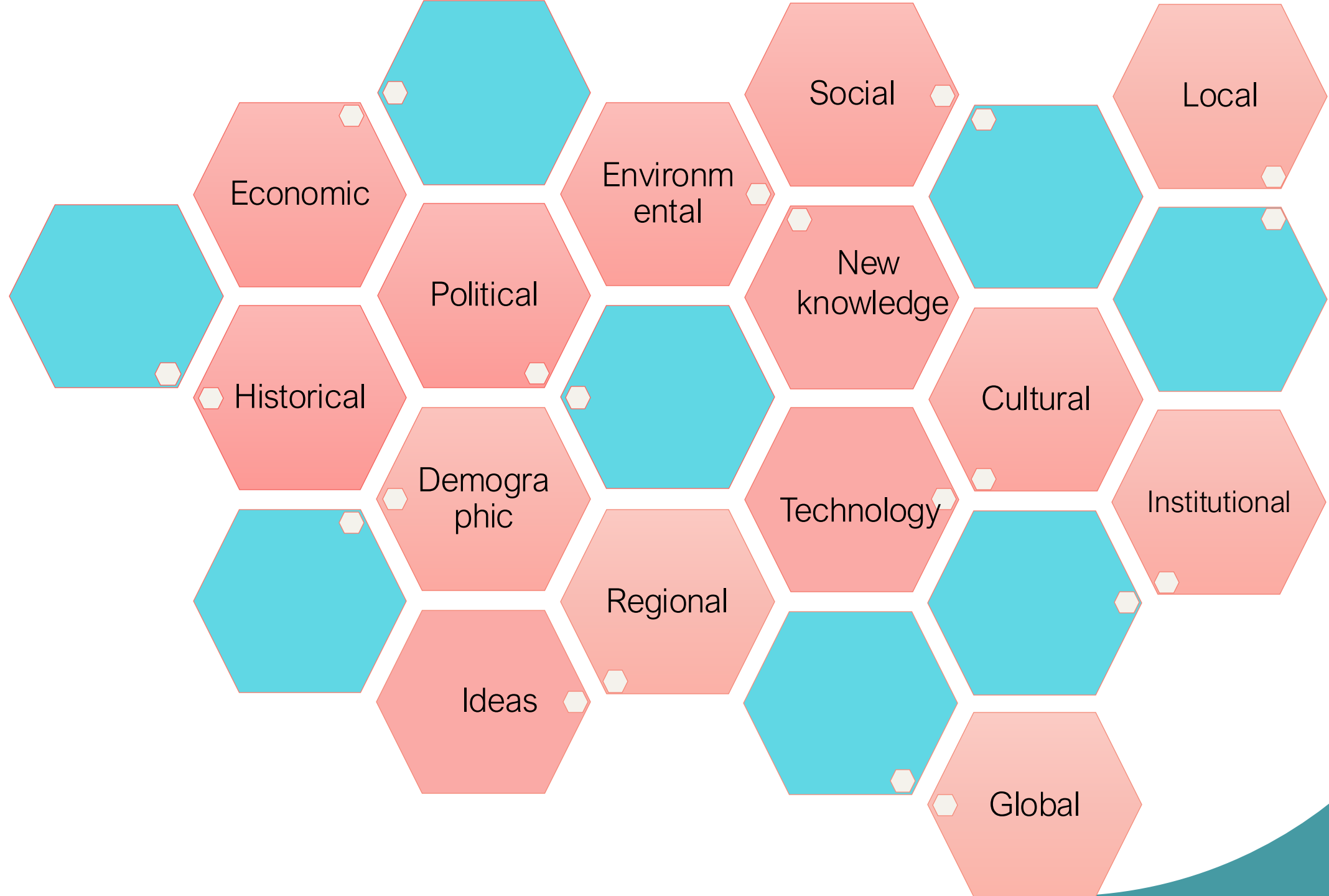
Program Context: Prompts

- Prompts for context:
  - What environmental features and factors fully allow the accrediting body to understand the program's story?
  - What contextual elements influence your program daily?

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Program Context Examples

- Examples of contextual factors:
  - Institution's orientation
  - Geographical setting
  - Populations represented in the program
  - Populations served by the program's faculty, students, and graduates
  - Other elements unique to the program
  - Institutional mission
  - Program goals

Applied Content

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- Individual Brainstorming
  - Grab pen & paper or blank document
  - List elements of your program's context

Applied Content

- Pair sharing

Program Mission:
AS 1.0

Program Mission: AS 1.0 Focus

- AS 1.0 = AS D1.0.1 & AS D1.0.2

- AS 1.0 Focus:
  - Explaining consistency with the content, language, and verbiage of the program's mission statement.

- AS 1.0 does not focus upon explaining consistency with
  - Curricular offerings,
  - Programmatic features, and
  - Program operations.

Program Mission

Accreditation Standard D1.0.1:

The program has a program-level mission statement that is consistent with the profession's purpose and values. Institutions with both a practice doctorate program and another CSWE-accredited or candidate social work program have separate mission statements for each program.

Program Mission

AS D1.0.1, Compliance statement a:

- The program provides the program-level mission statement.

Program Mission

- Programs develop mission statement content.

- Quote the program's full mission statement.

- The mission statement must be specific to the *program-level* (practice doctorate)

Program Mission

AS D1.0.1, Compliance statement b:

- The program describes how the program's mission statement is consistent with the profession's purpose and values.

Program Mission

- Explain the consistency between the program's mission statement, the profession's purpose, and the profession's values.
    1. Select and quote excerpts from program's mission statement
    2. Explain *how* the identified quote from the program's mission statement is consistent with each element of the profession's purpose or values by identifying clear and explicit linkages.

Element of the Profession's Purpose & Values	Elements from Program's Mission Statement & Consistency Explanation
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Person-in-environment framework	
Global perspective	
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Program Mission

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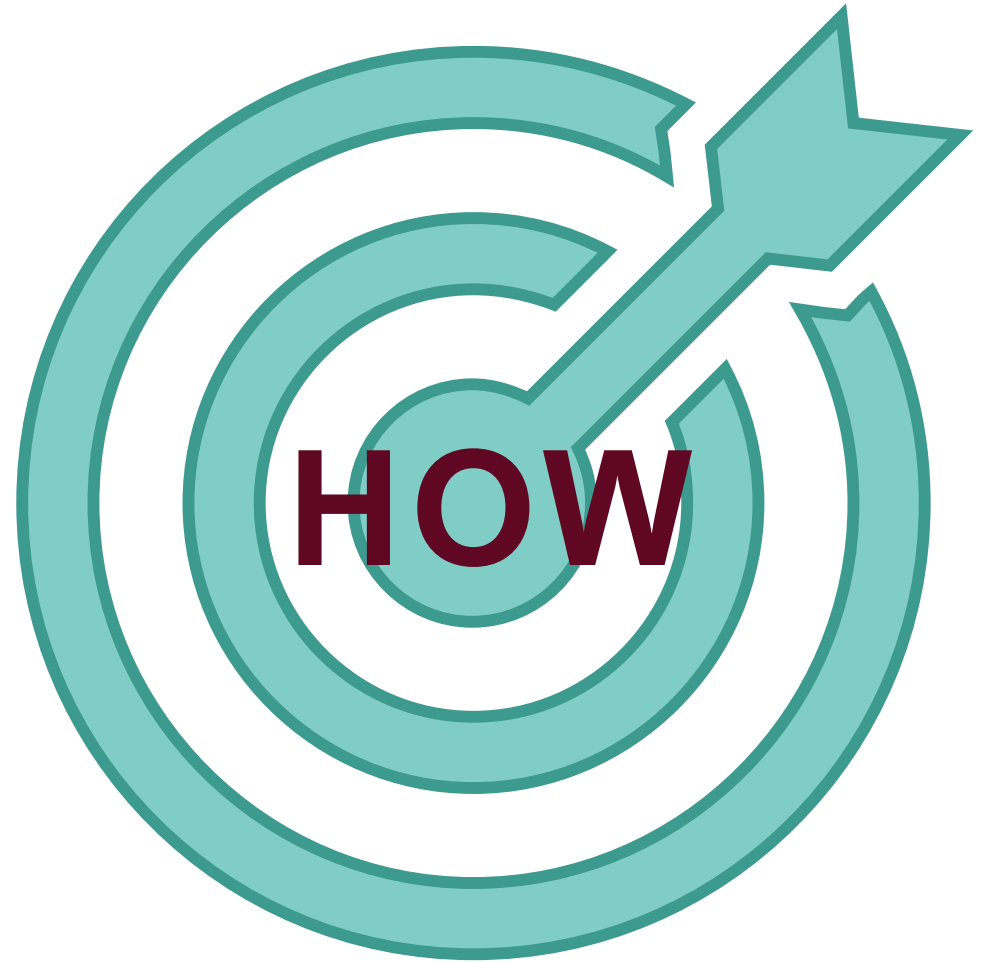
Program Mission

AS D1.0.1, Compliance statement c:

- The program addresses all program options.

Program Mission: Program Context

Accreditation Standard D1.0.2:

The program's mission statement is consistent with the program's context.

Program Mission: Program Context

AS D1.0.2, Compliance statement a:

- The program describes its context, including a description of its program options.

Program Mission: Program Context

1. Describe the program's overall context.

2. List each program option.

3. Describe each program option's context.

Program Mission: Program Context

AS D1.0.2, Compliance statement b:

- The program describes how the program mission statement is consistent with the program's context.

Program Mission: Program Context

- Quote the program's full mission statement.
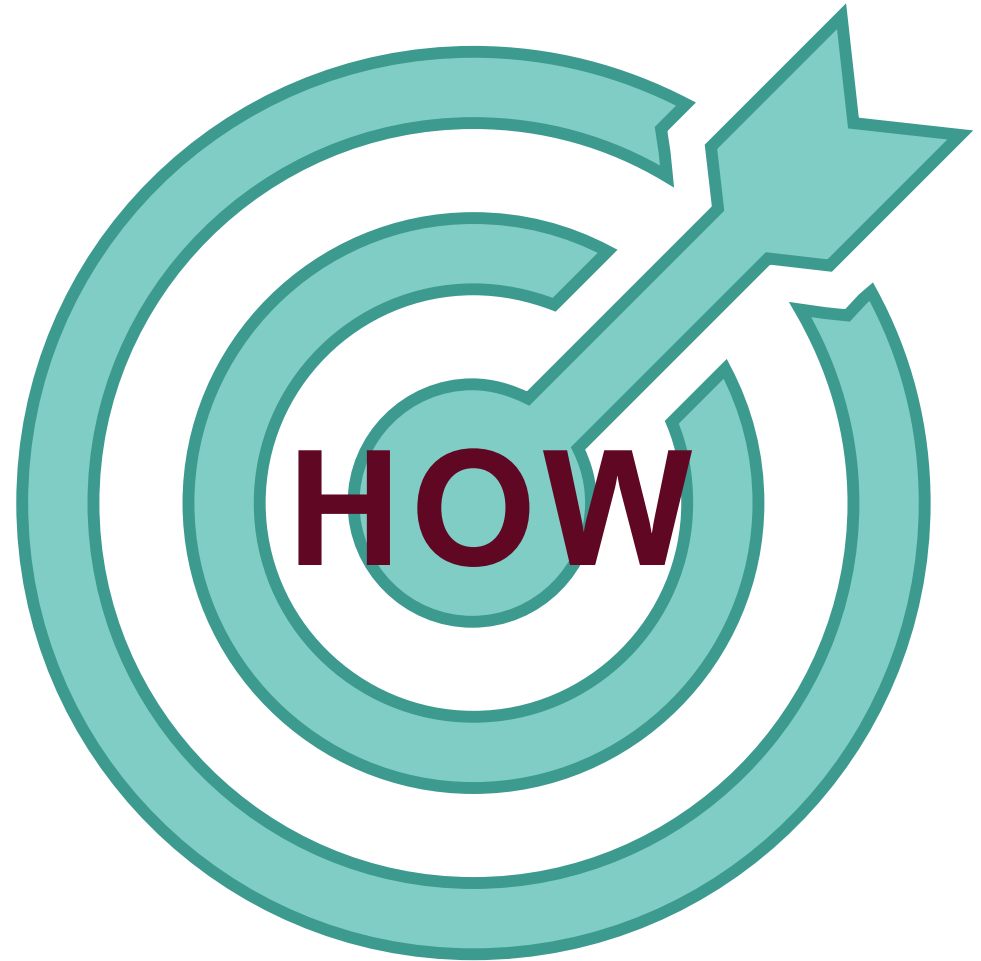
Program Mission: Program Context

1. Identify elements of program's context.
2. Quote excerpt(s) from the program's mission statement
3. Explain *how* the identified excerpt is consistent with each element of the program's context.

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Program Mission

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Questions & Discussion

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