



**Lietuva  
2050**



# The Road towards Long Term Vision “Lithuania 2050”

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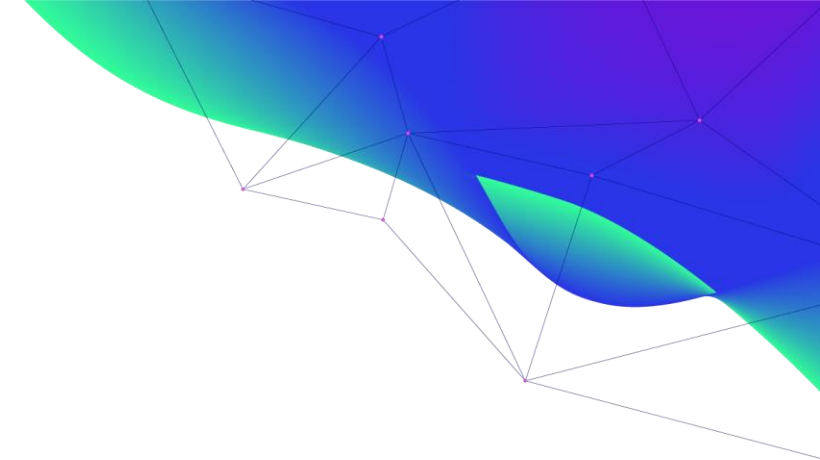
Session on foresight as a tool for anticipatory governance



# Why Lithuania 2050?

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- **Lithuania: born out of dreams about the future** (from letters of the founder of the city of Vilnius (1323) to visions of substitute Lithuania (in Madagascar) (in 1930s) to constitutional manifesto of freedom fighters in occupied Lithuania (1949) to programme of liberation (1988-1990) and return to the map of Western civilisation (2004)
- **Lithuania 2030 (adopted in 2012) vs Lithuania 2050 (under development in 2021-2023)**



# „Lithuania 2050” in numbers

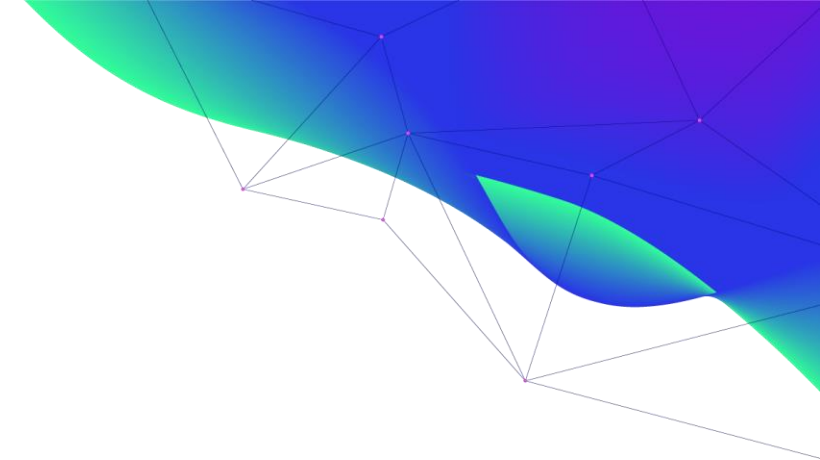
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**1,5**  
years

**200**  
co-creating NGOs

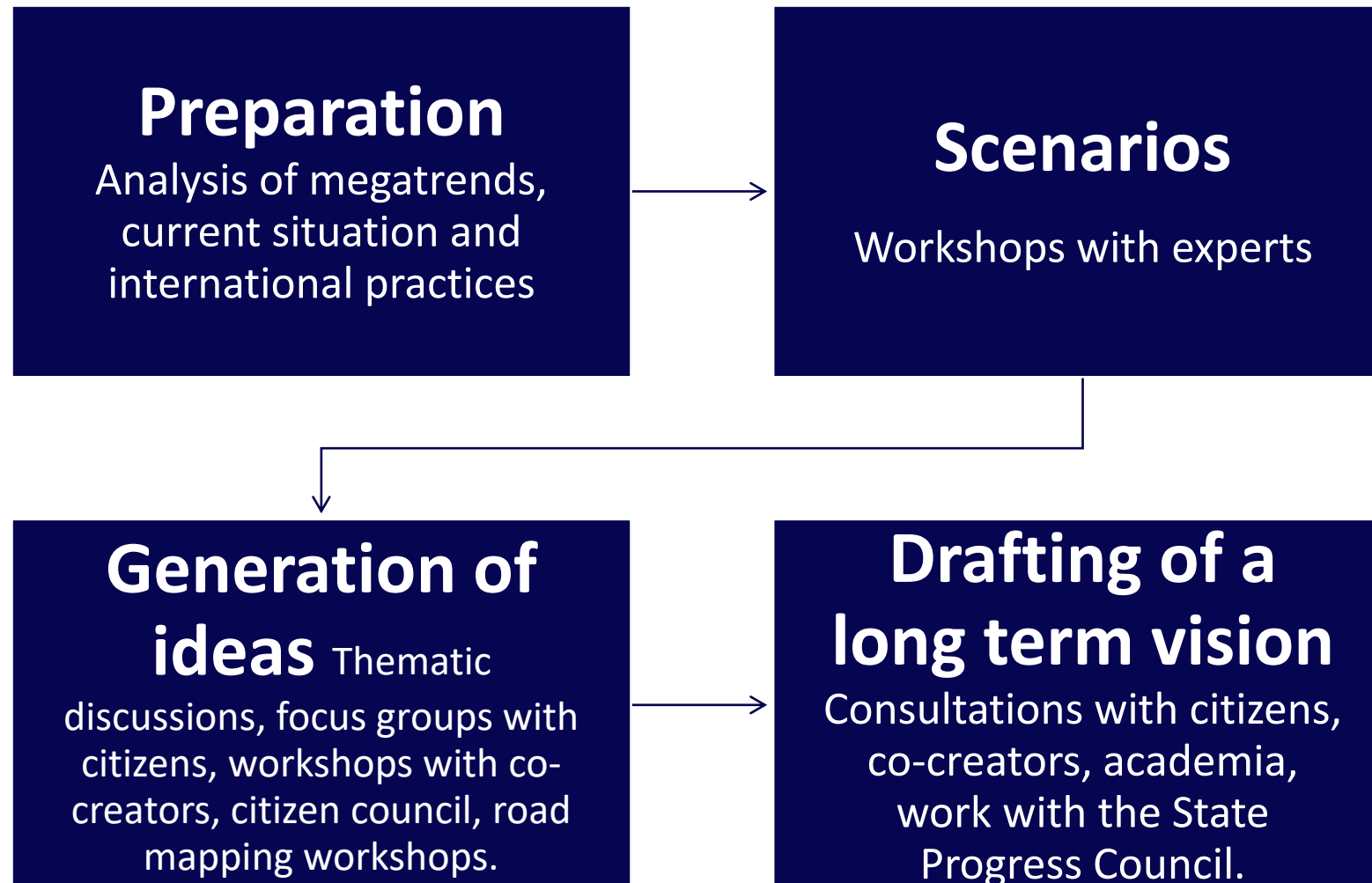
**51**  
„Lithuania 2050”  
events

**2500**  
individuals  
involved



# From megatrends to “Lithuania 2050”

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# Hypothetical scenarios for Lithuania

Horizontal axis is built on tensions between autocracies (left) and democracies (right)

Vertical axis is built around stagnation (bottom) and breakthrough (top) of educational system



# Guiding star Lithuania: a country worth living in and creating for. A country worth protecting

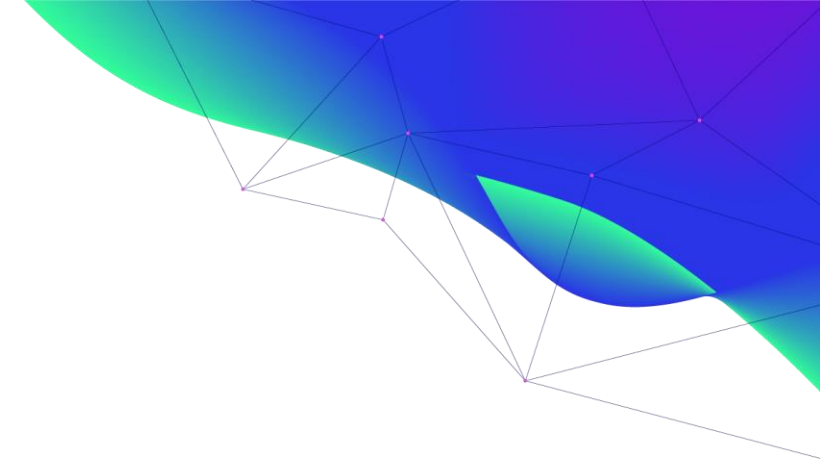
## In 2050 Lithuania is:

- home for resilient, creative, free, educated, socially responsible, nature loving human beings.
- recognized world wide as a mature democracy with a strong democratic political culture.
- world-class knowledge and innovations hub.
- resilient and influential actor in the international politics.
- a country where one can quickly achieve what is necessary for human well-being..

# Lessons learnt (and specifically on application of foresight)

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- Visioning as attribute of developed countries
- Scenario building as means for breaking institutional silos
- Any and every long term visioning is context specific (this time around – a long term combining views from inside out and from outside in)



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(hypothetical scenarios available in English)

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Strata



Vilniaus  
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Kuriame  
Lietuvos ateitį  
2014–2020 metų  
Europos Sąjungos  
fondų investicijų  
veiksmų programa