EUTOPIA
Quality Assurance (QA) challenges

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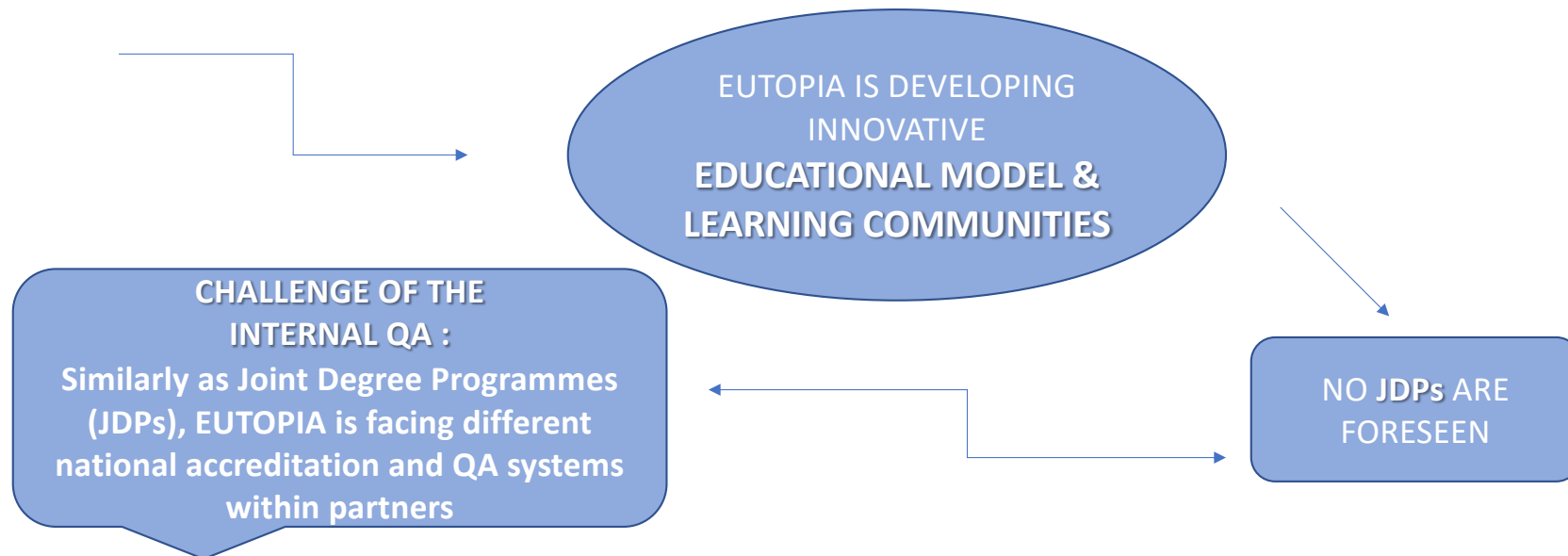# EUTOPIA & Pedagogical Innovation

➢ The European Universities initiative aims at establishing **"European higher education inter-university 'campus'** .

EUTOPIA IS DEVELOPING INNOVATIVE
**EDUCATIONAL MODEL &
LEARNING COMMUNITIES**

**CHALLENGE OF THE
INTERNAL QA :**
Similarly as Joint Degree Programmes (JDPs), EUTOPIA is facing different national accreditation and QA systems within partners

NO **JDPs** ARE FORESEEN

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EUTOPIA & internal QA

FACTS:

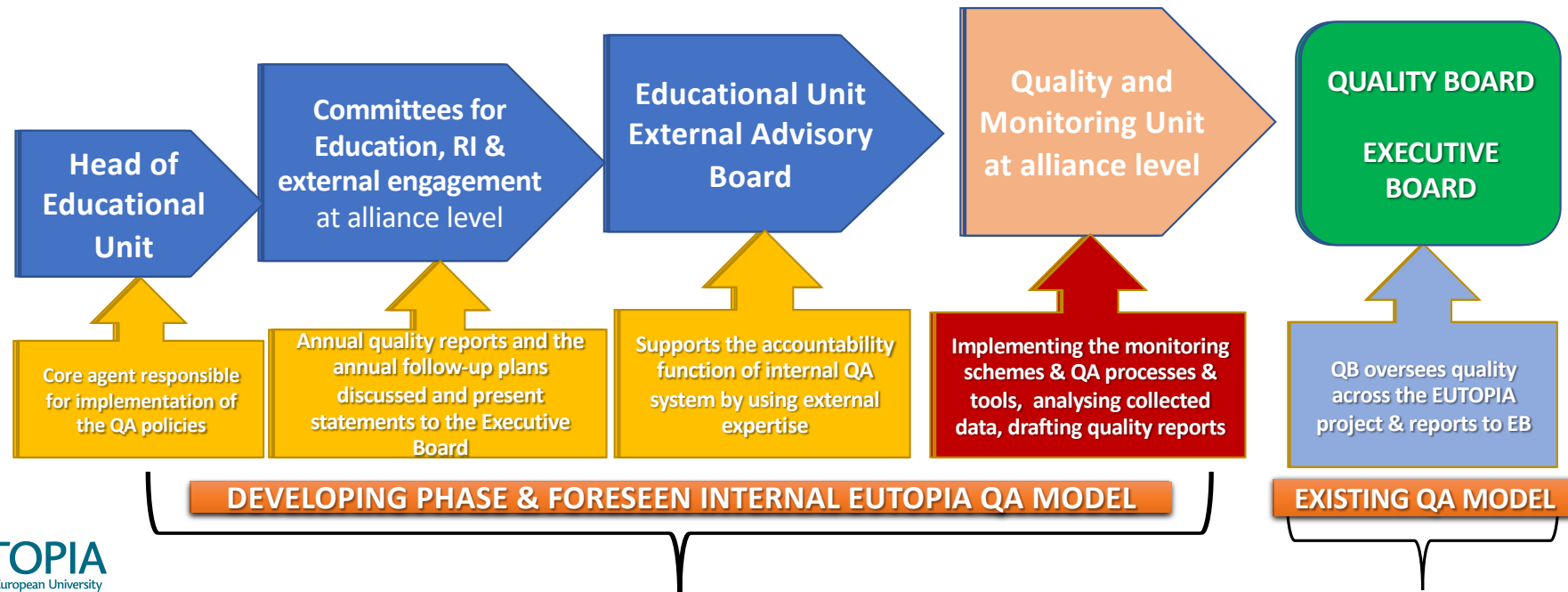- EUTOPIA does not have a regulatory framework.
- Consequently, no need **to respond to requirements similar for JDP & its QA.**

ESG are valid reference points
BUT
EUTOPIA calls for additional principles to design internal QA

OPPORTUNITY:
To establish predominantly enhancement-oriented approaches as a 'new' concept of accountability in EUTOPIA internal QA system

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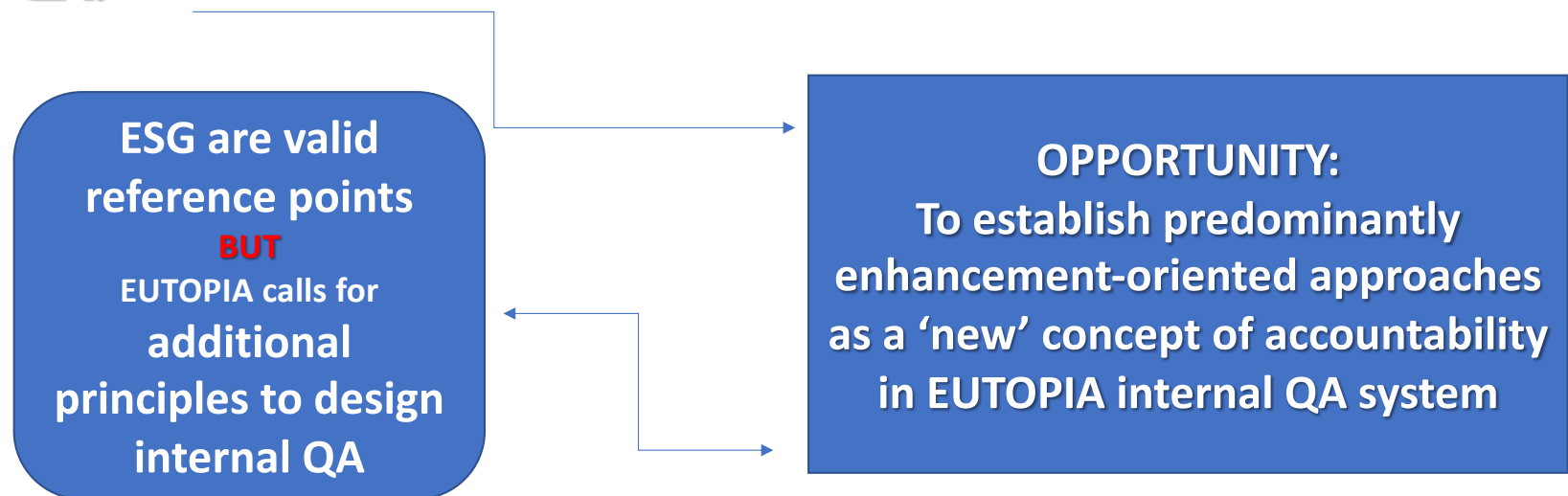
EUTOPIA internal QA is/foreseen to be:

➢ **Collaborative and featuring co-learning** = QA part of strategic **alliance management**

➢ **Flexible and adaptable** = easy to adapt and evolve

QA of EUTOPIA European University & Learning Communities

Head of Educational Unit	Core agent responsible for implementation of the QA policies
Committees for Education, RI & external engagement at alliance level	Annual quality reports and the annual follow-up plans discussed and present statements to the Executive Board
Educational Unit External Advisory Board	Supports the accountability function of internal QA system by using external expertise
Quality and Monitoring Unit at alliance level	Implementing the monitoring schemes & QA processes & tools, analysing collected data, drafting quality reports
QUALITY BOARD / EXECUTIVE BOARD	QB oversees quality across the EUTOPIA project & reports to EB

DEVELOPING PHASE & FORESEEN INTERNAL EUTOPIA QA MODEL

EXISTING QA MODEL

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Thank you!

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