

Rehearsing the future: an approach for actually using foresight studies



Under use of foresight studies

- There are long foresight traditions
- Policymakers are familiar with foresight studies
- But they don't always use them
- Or they use them in unintended ways
- Since it is often difficult and frustrating to use them

Principles

- Organise a series of informal dialogues
- Prior to or in parallel with formal procedures
- Help to develop strategic visions
- Participants act as ambassadors
- By taking time you save time

Work ⁱⁿ
Progress



Question

How could we further improve our approach?