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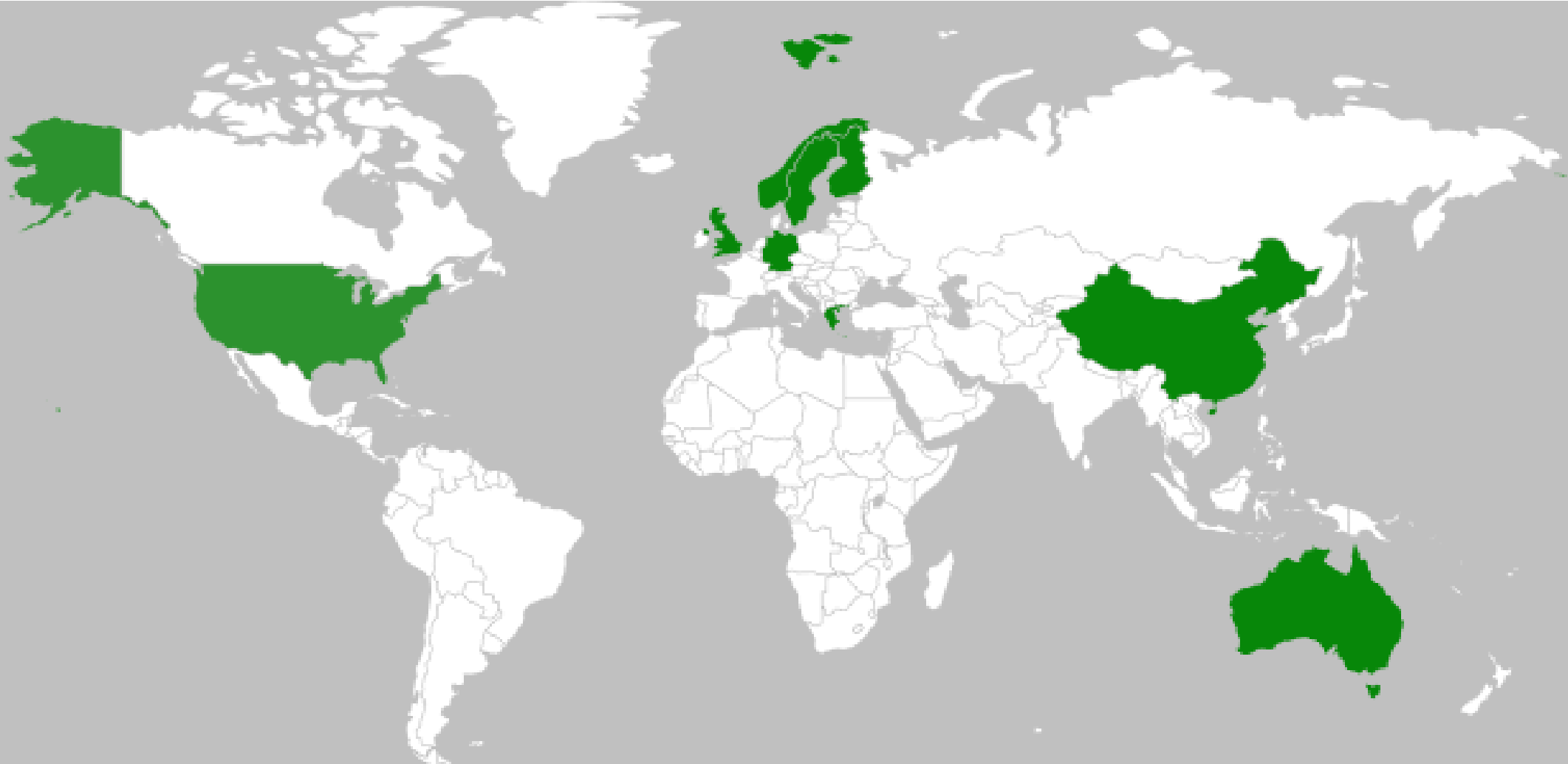
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Key topics

- Making the case for autonomous system Safety, Reliability and Security (SRS)
- Modeling and analysis methods for assessing autonomous system
- Human in the loop – benefits and risks
- Dealing with complexity of integrated systems of Software–Hardware–Human
- Safety standards, oversight, regulations, ethics and liability

Origin of participants





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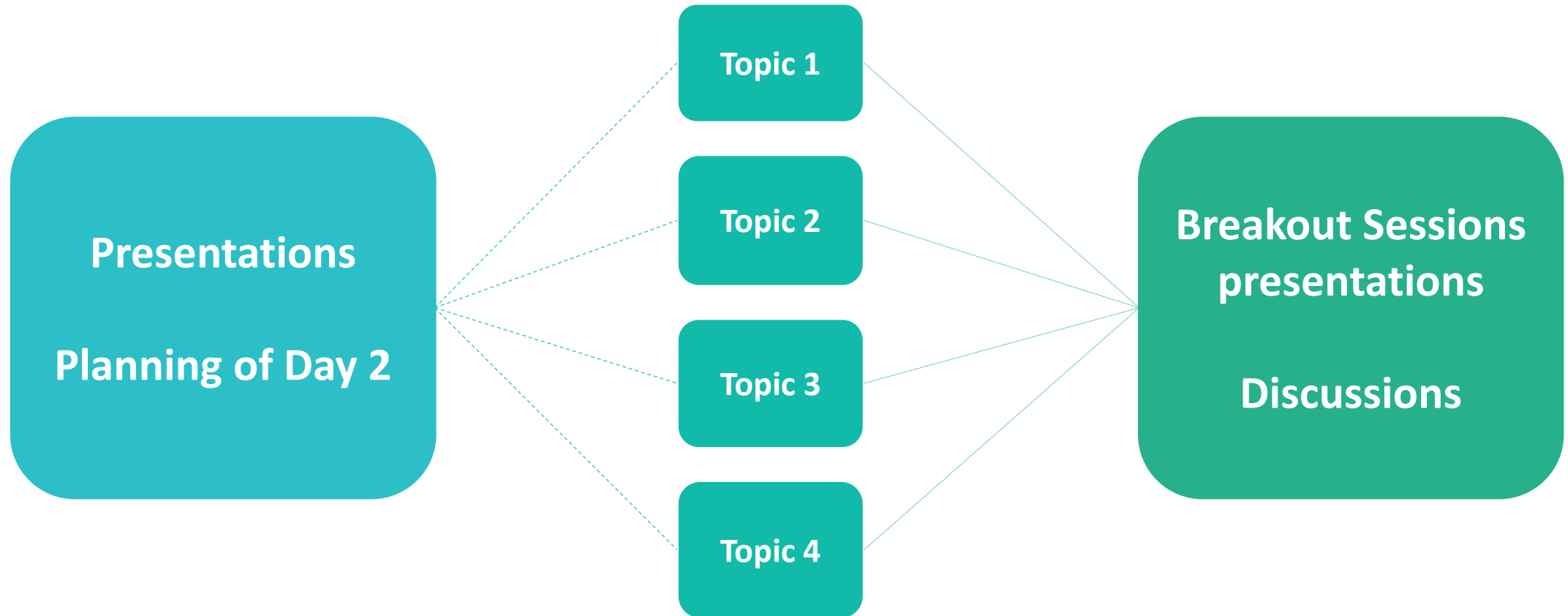
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Day 1

Day 2

Day 3



Expected outcome

Whitepaper

Engaging discussions

Proceedings

- Abstracts of the presentations
- Summary of discussions
- Breakout groups conclusions





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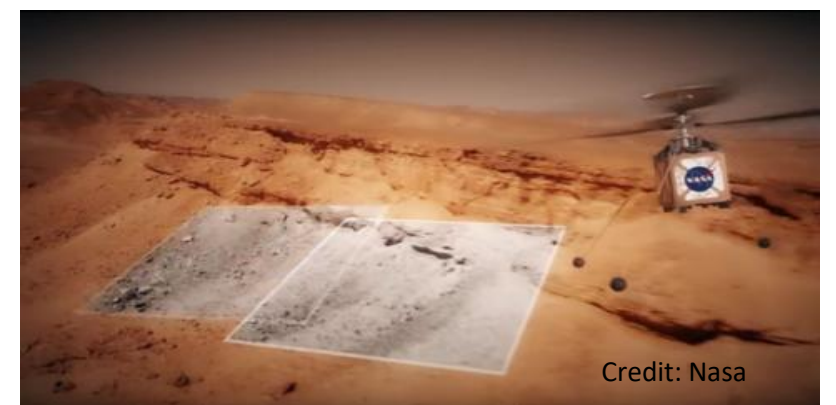
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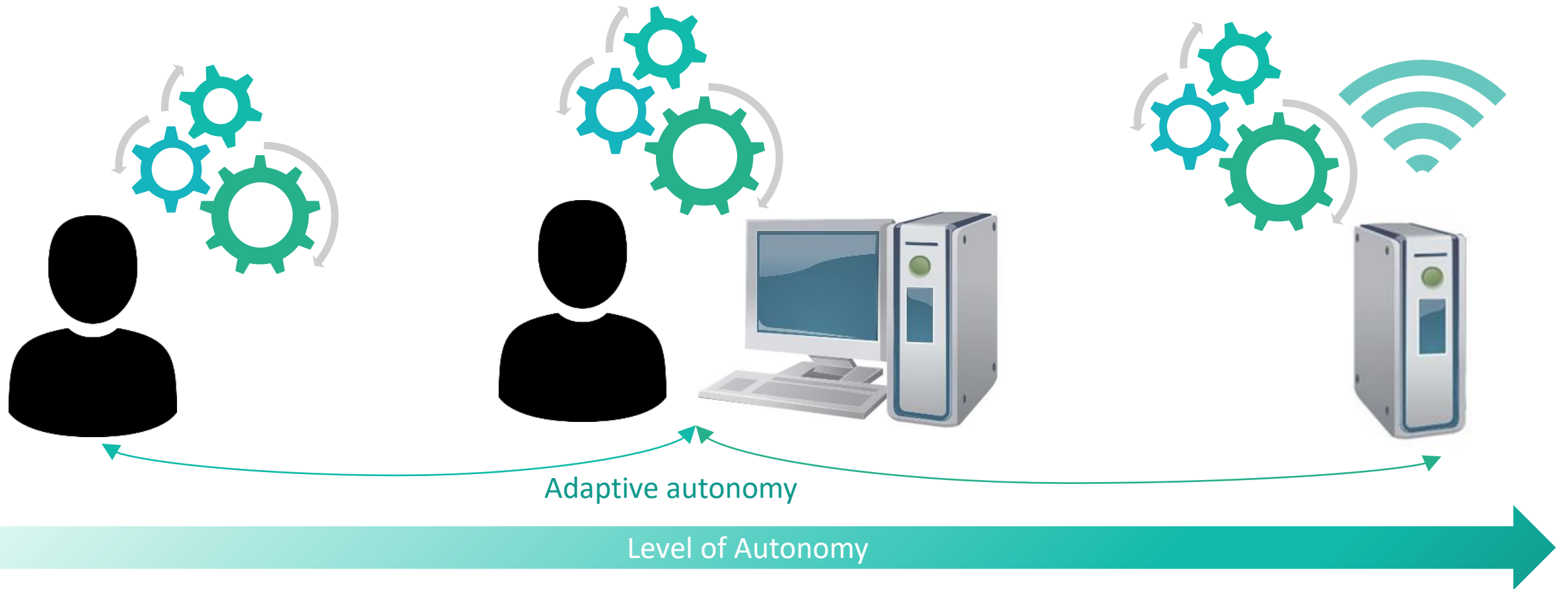
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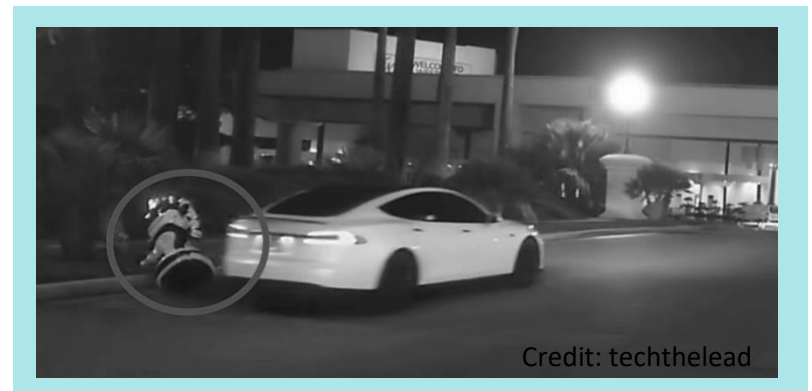




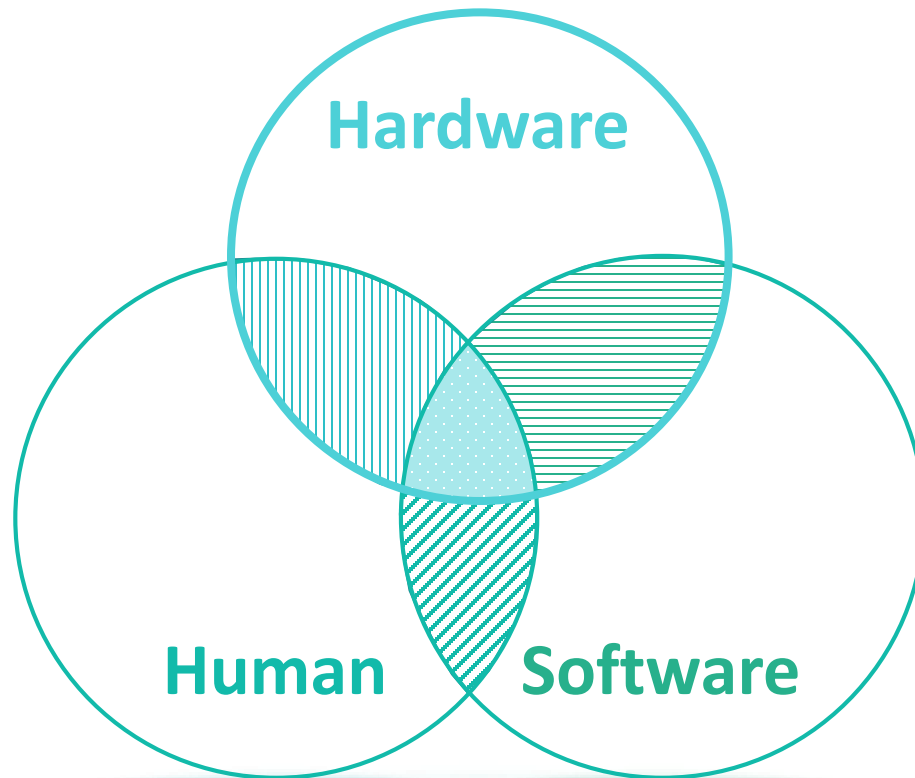
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Safety Challenges



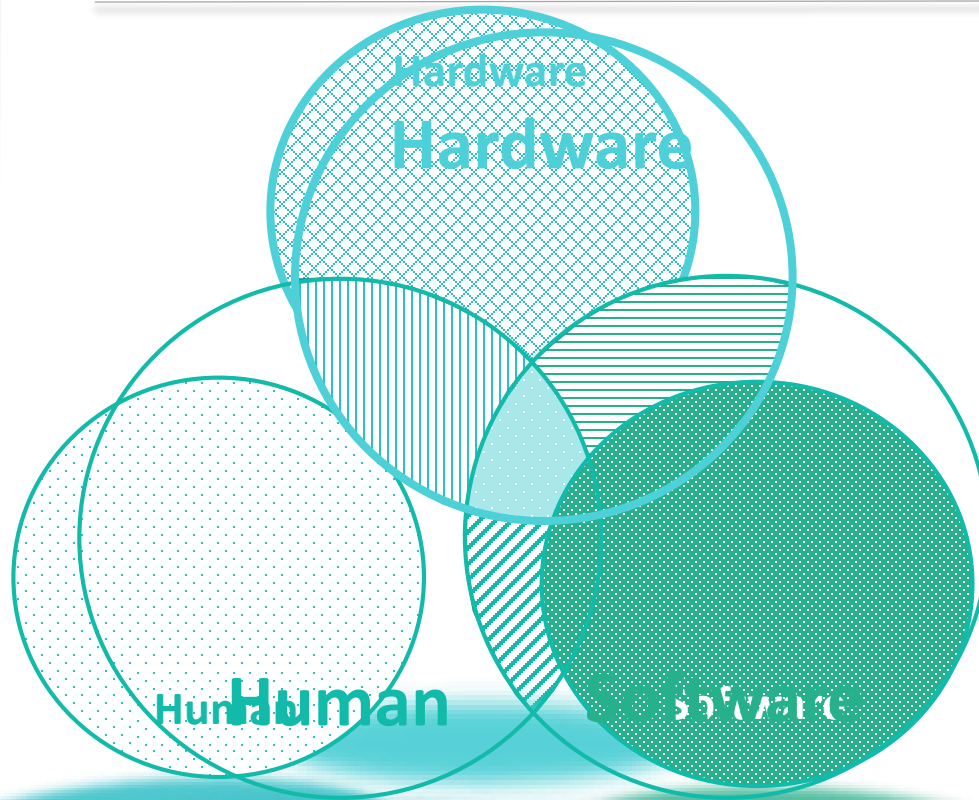
Interaction of software, hardware, and human operator



**Misleading
Information**

**Failure
Propagation**

Assessment methods for safety, reliability and security



Separation
Principle

Complex systems
may not be
sufficiently
represented

Software Reliability

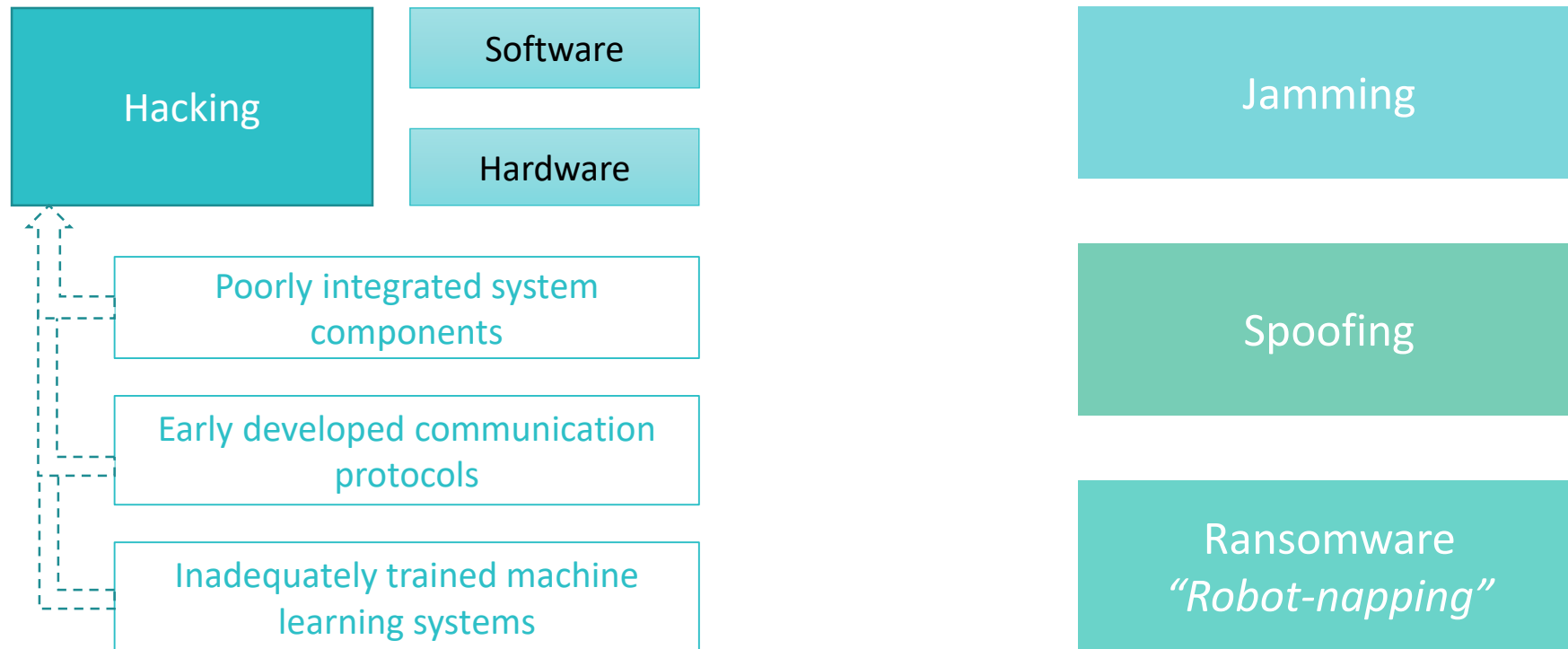
Interaction between
different components

How the software can fail

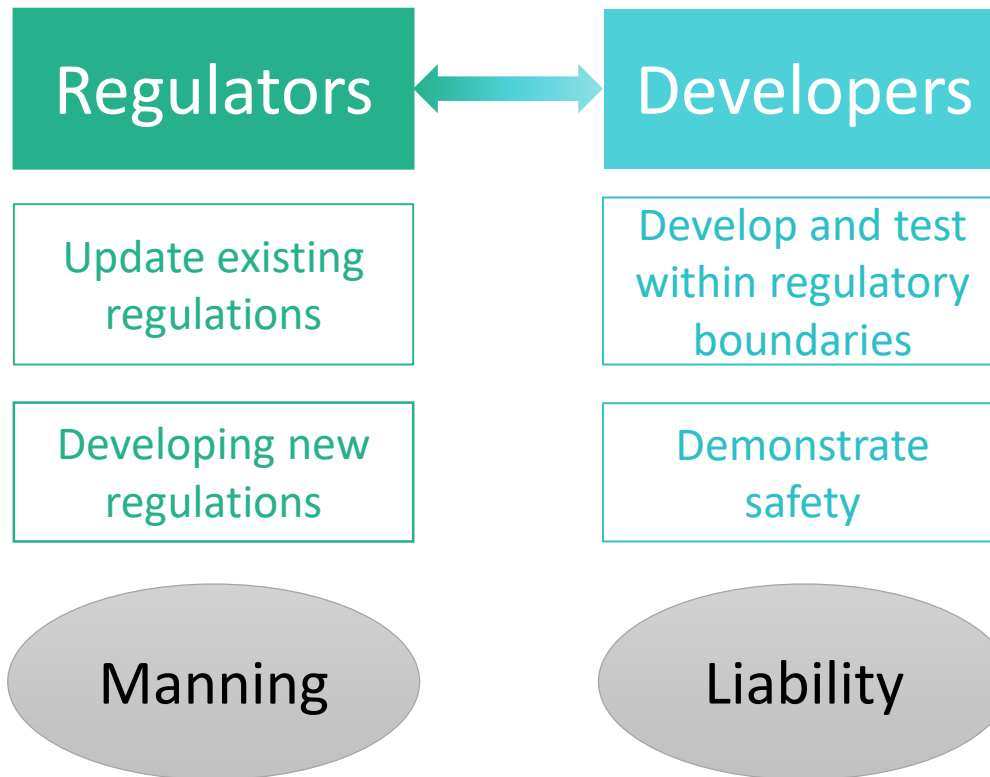
Security

New threats

Cyber security



Legal and regulatory aspects



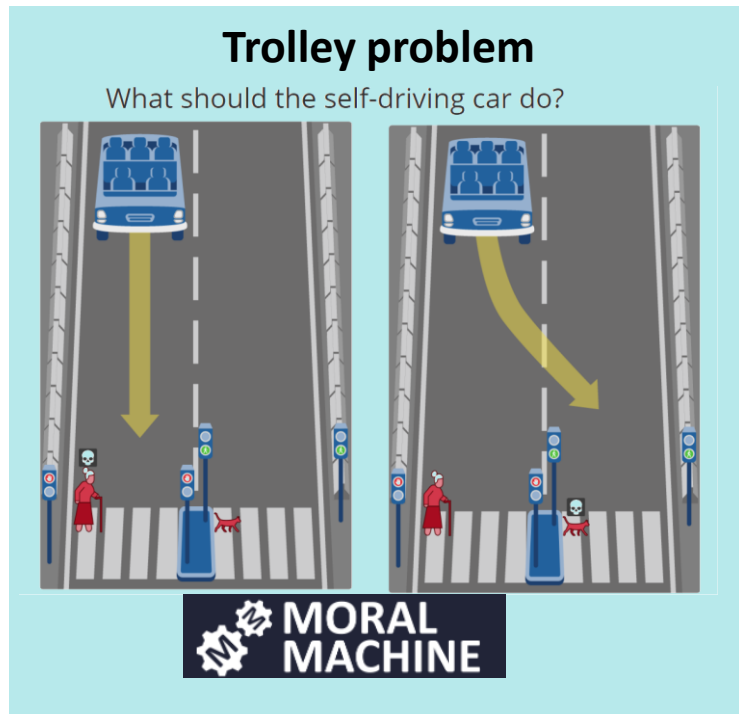
Catch-22:

need to test and use
AVs to assess their safety



we do not want them until
we know that they are safe

Ethical and social aspects



<http://moralmachine.mit.edu>

Fixed and embedded
in the algorithms?

“Replicate” human-
alike decisions?

Mundane traffic situations

- approaching a crosswalk with limited visibility
- turn taking
- traffic-heavy intersections
- liability factors