

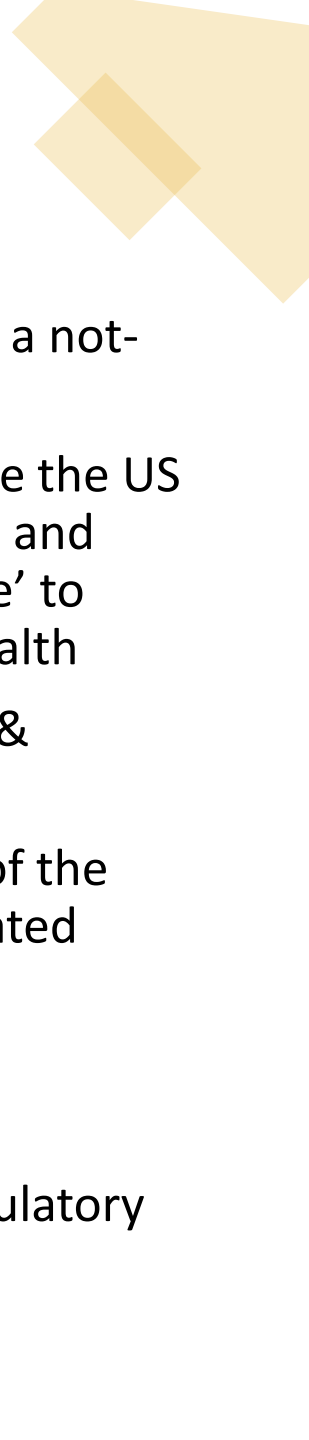
# Facilitating the Translation of Academic Research into Clinical Practice – How to Move Forward

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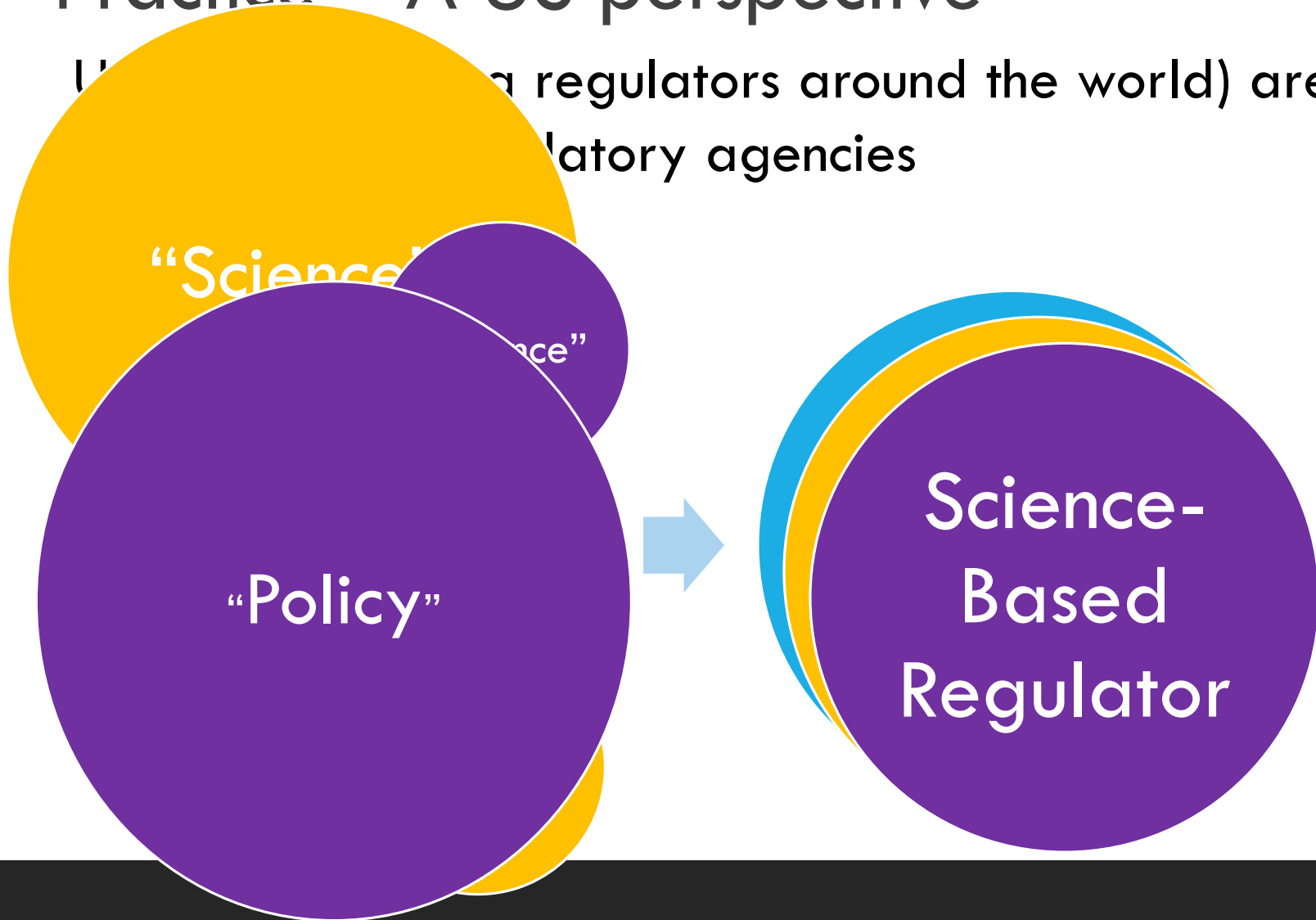


# The FDA Foundation Role & Mission

- Created by US Congress in 2007 as a not-for-profit organization
  - Established to support and advance the US FDA's mission in regulatory science and public health: to help FDA 'do more' to promote and protect the public health
    - Encourage innovative research & analysis
    - Improve public understanding of the risks and benefits of FDA-regulated products
    - Facilitate multi-stakeholder collaboration
  - Do not lobby or advise FDA on regulatory matters
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# Facilitating the Translation of Academic Research into Clinical Practice – A US perspective

What are the challenges (for regulators around the world) are  
regulatory agencies



# Not all research is regulatorily-relevant

Research  
(of  
academic  
interest)

Research  
(of)  
regulatory  
relevance

# How do we improve regulatory relevance?

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- Conversation
  - Routine interaction to keep pace with science: COVID-19 Evidence Accelerator
- Collaboration
  - **Centers of Excellence in Regulatory Science and Innovation (CERSIs)**
    - Collaborations between FDA and academic institutions to advance regulatory science through innovative research, training, and scientific exchanges.
- Training
  - Regulatory Science Internships, Fellowships

# Thank you!

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