



# AI Standards Zero Drafts: A NIST Pilot Project

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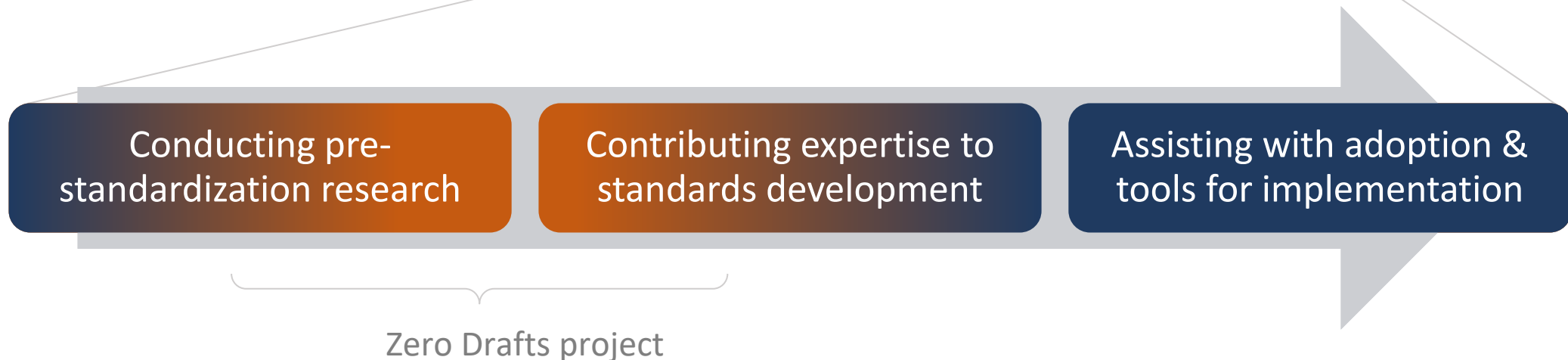
AI standards stakeholders have repeatedly emphasized two challenging needs to NIST.

We need standards on some of these topics **ASAP**.

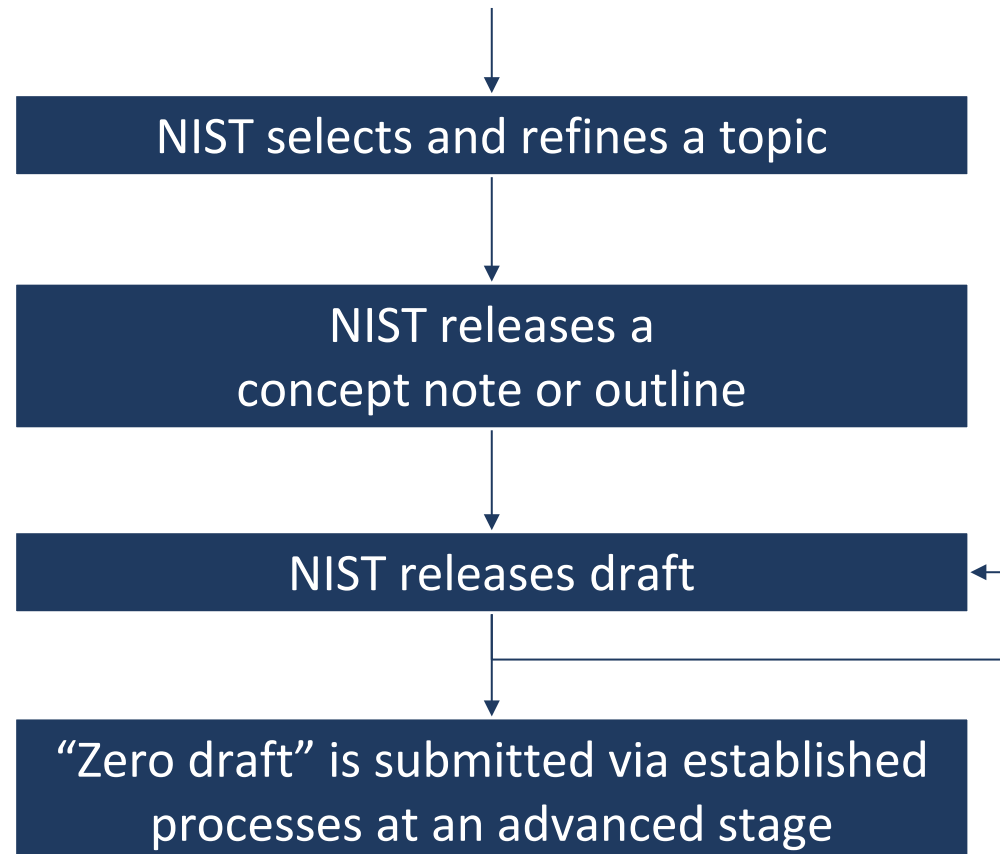
We need expertise from a **very wide range of stakeholders**, including varied types/locations, in AI standards development.

# The Zero Drafts project is a pre-standardization effort explicitly meant to feed into formal standards development.

**NIST Mission:** “...advancing measurement science, **standards**, and technology...”



# NIST has been piloting a new process to accelerate & broaden AI standards development.



→ = Community input  
(e.g., listening sessions  
and written feedback)

# The pilot is producing documents on two of the four topics initially offered by NIST.



Public documentation  
of AI datasets & models



Technical measures for  
synthetic content risks



Testing, evaluation,  
verification, & validation  
(TEVV)



Concepts and terms for AI  
system structures and actors

# We are leveraging many sources of input.



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AI Standards  
Coordination  
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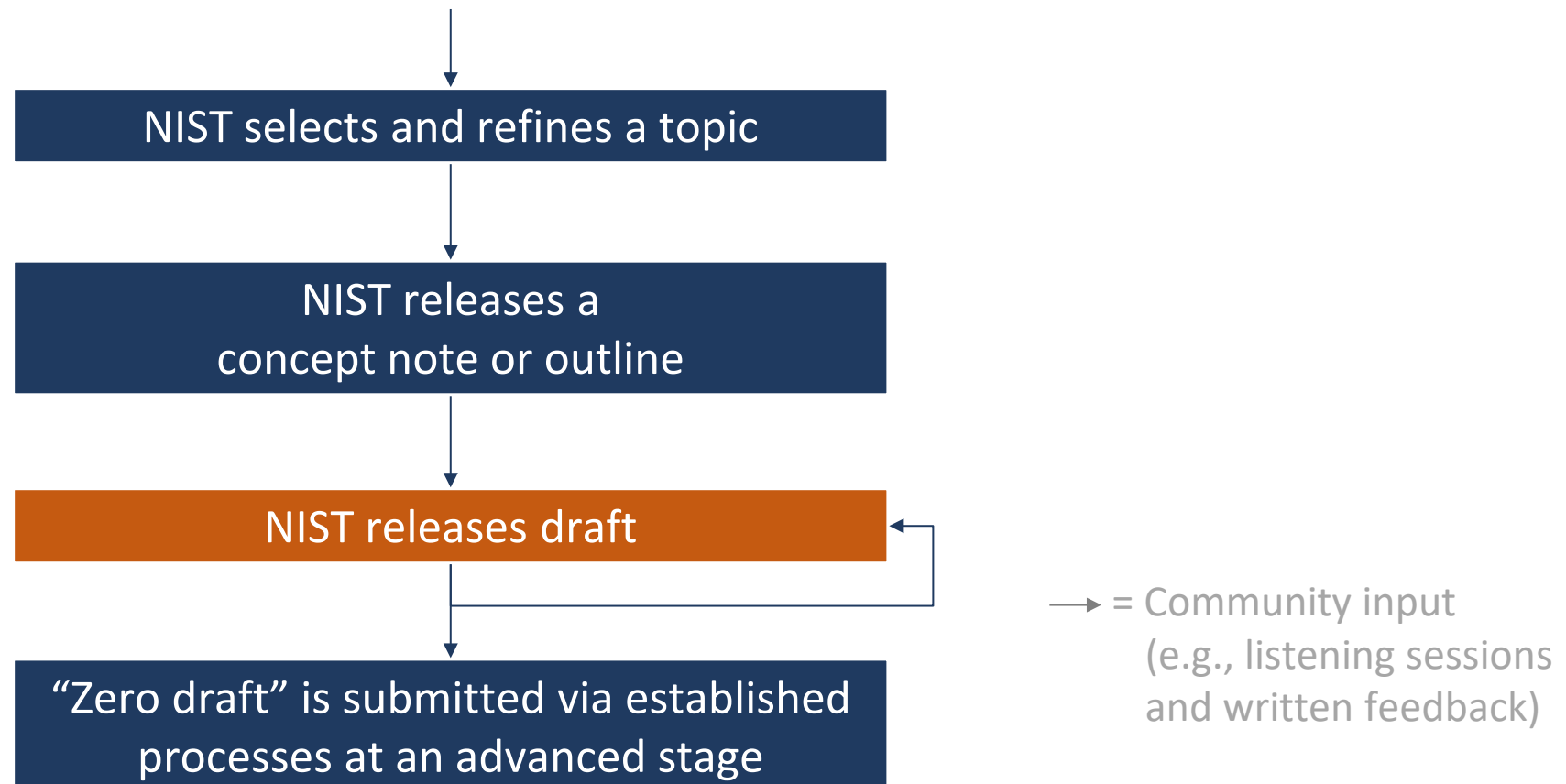


Listening sessions  
organized by  
external entities

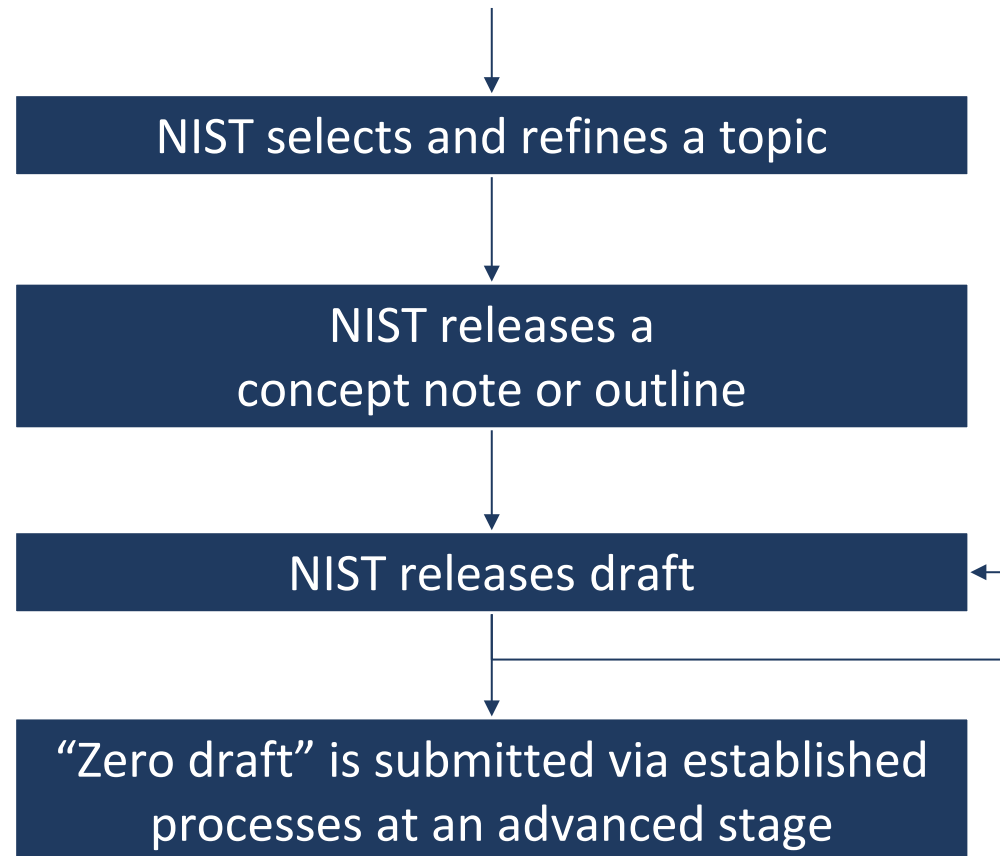


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# We are working to draft concrete text based on our outlines and the feedback received.



# We're excited to see whether this process can speed up and broaden standards development!



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