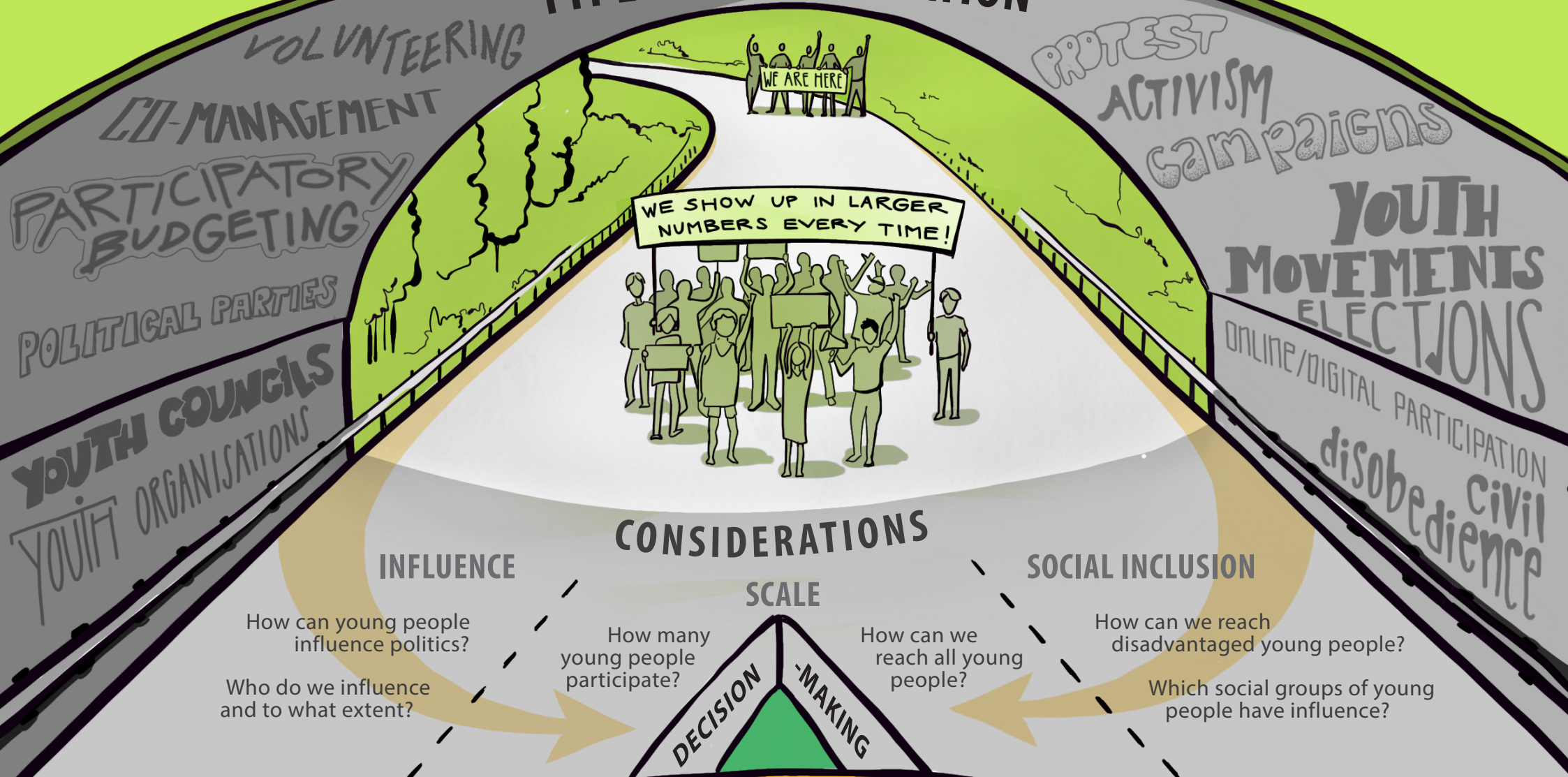


# POLITICAL PARTICIPATION OF YOUNG PEOPLE

## TYPES OF PARTICIPATION



## THE FUTURE OF POLITICAL PARTICIPATION

### INCLUSIVE

Young people advocate for open and pluralistic participation which can make their organisations, movements and societies more inclusive.

### DIVERSE

Young people engage in politics in a diversity of ways: voting, membership in political parties, youth organisations or formal structures, digital tools, activism, protests, campaigns, youth movements and civil disobedience.

### SUBVERSIVE

Young people increasingly critique the status quo using humour and irony with the help of social media and digital technologies, by creating memes and deepfake videos.

### UNCOMPROMISING ON KEY VALUES

Democracy, diversity, respect, and human rights.

### EMPOWERING

Through participation, young people learn how decision-making happens in practice and increase their competences; but stakeholders are also empowered in the process, benefiting from young people's diverse and creative perspectives.

### COLOURFUL

Young people also engage through different art forms – painting banners, graffiti, songs, flashmobs, theatre performances.



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