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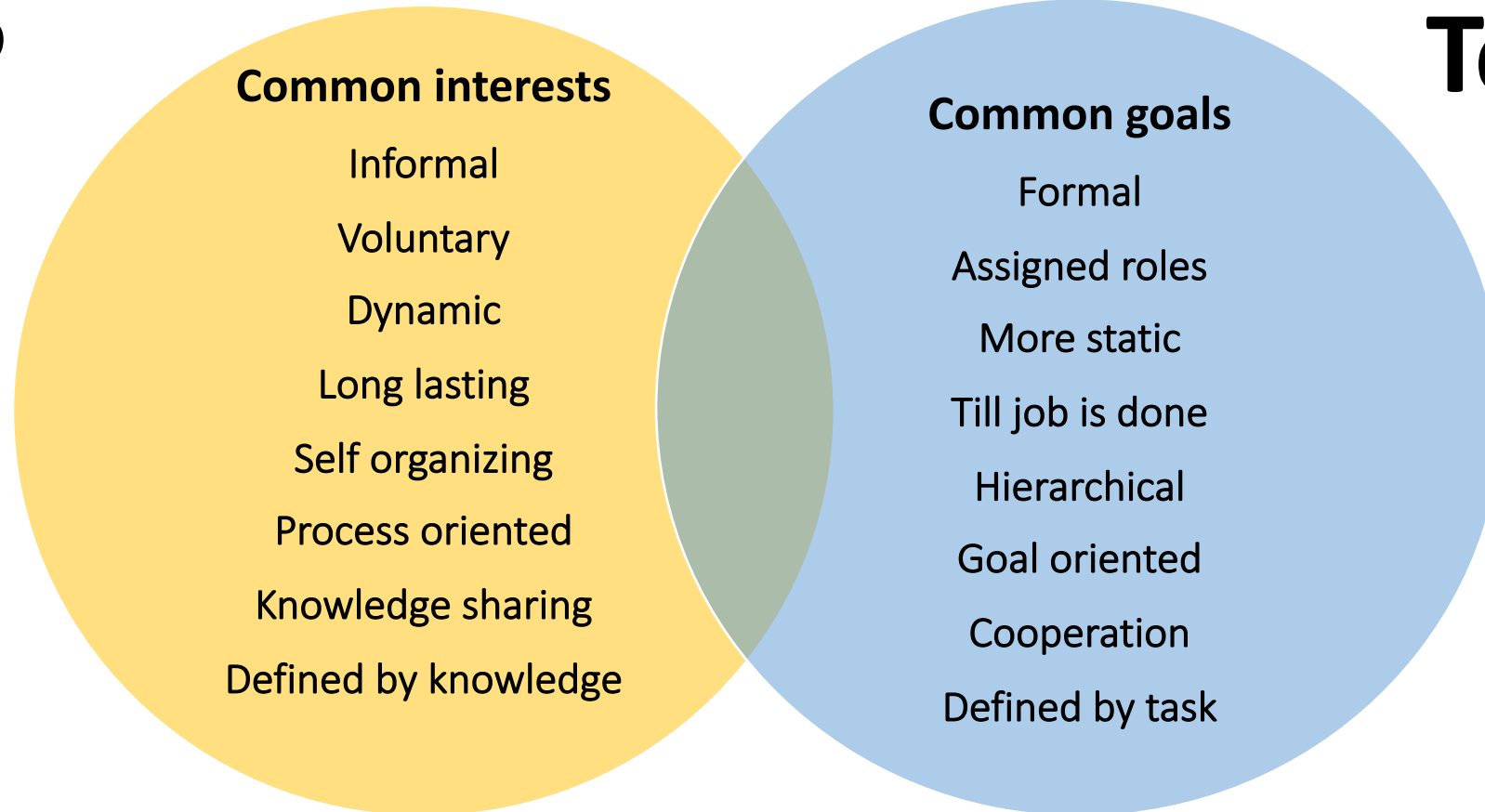
CoP

Teams

Common interests

Informal

Voluntary

Dynamic

Long lasting

Self organizing

Process oriented

Knowledge sharing

Defined by knowledge

Common goals

Formal

Assigned roles

More static

Till job is done

Hierarchical

Goal oriented

Cooperation

Defined by task

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