## SAFE SPACES: MAPPING THE RED LINES IN PEACEMAKERS' TRADE-OFFS

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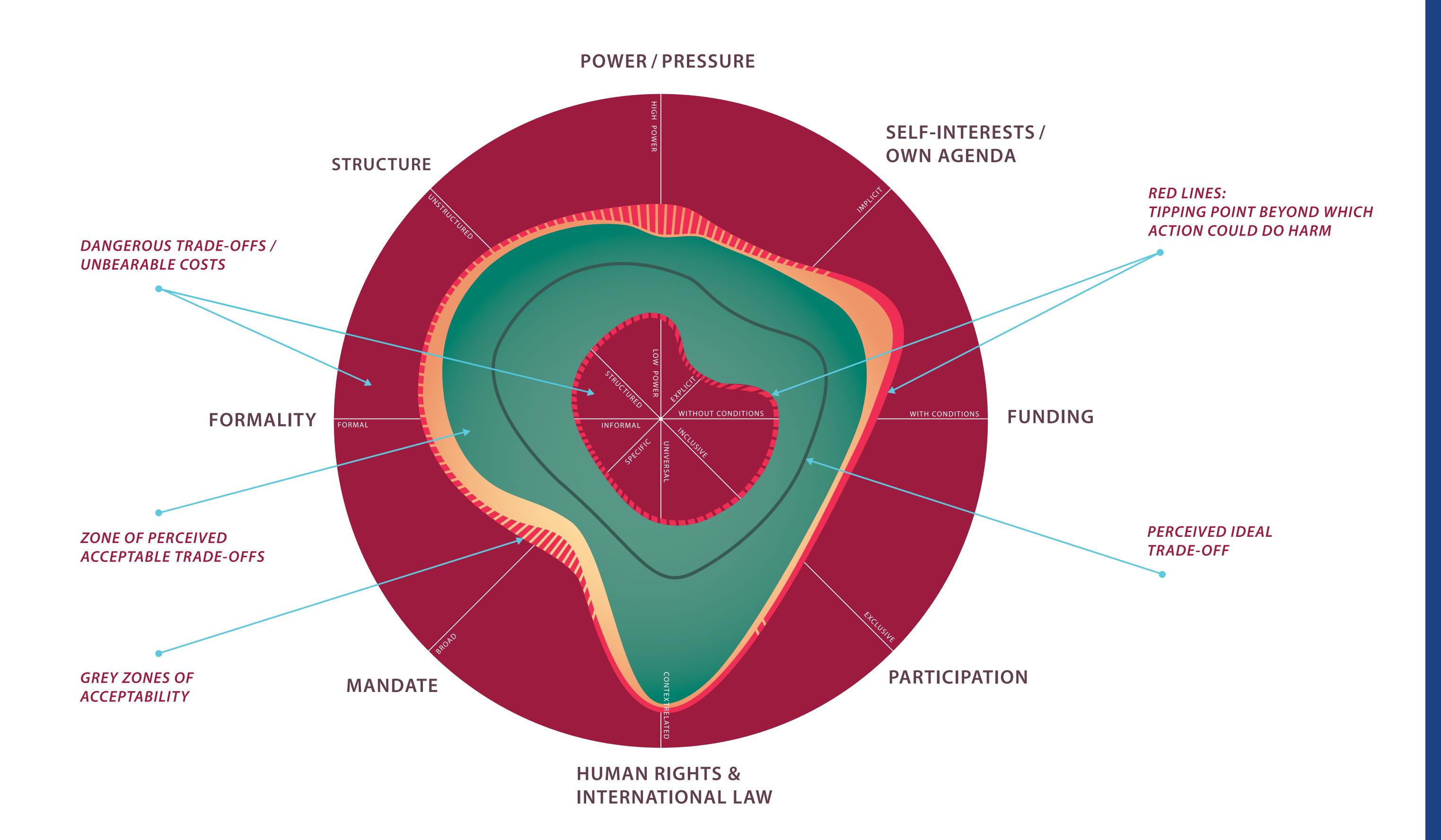
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PROJECT AIM: Clarifying the limits of acceptable trade-offs made or endorsed by peacemakers (facilitators,

mediators, diplomats, peacebuilders) in order to improve the effectiveness and accountability

of third parties' contributions to peace processes.

## PEACEMAKERS' LIFEBELT: ZONES OF PERCEIVED ACCEPTABLE TRADE-OFFS (ZOPAT)



**WORKING HYPOTHESIS:** If the so-called "Zone of Perceived Acceptable Trade-offs (ZOPAT)" of peacemakers is properly

clarified and sufficiently overlapping with the conflict parties' ZOPAT, this safe space within the ocean of difficult choices is a "life-belt" for peacemakers that is likely to lead to more effective

and accountable peace processes.

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