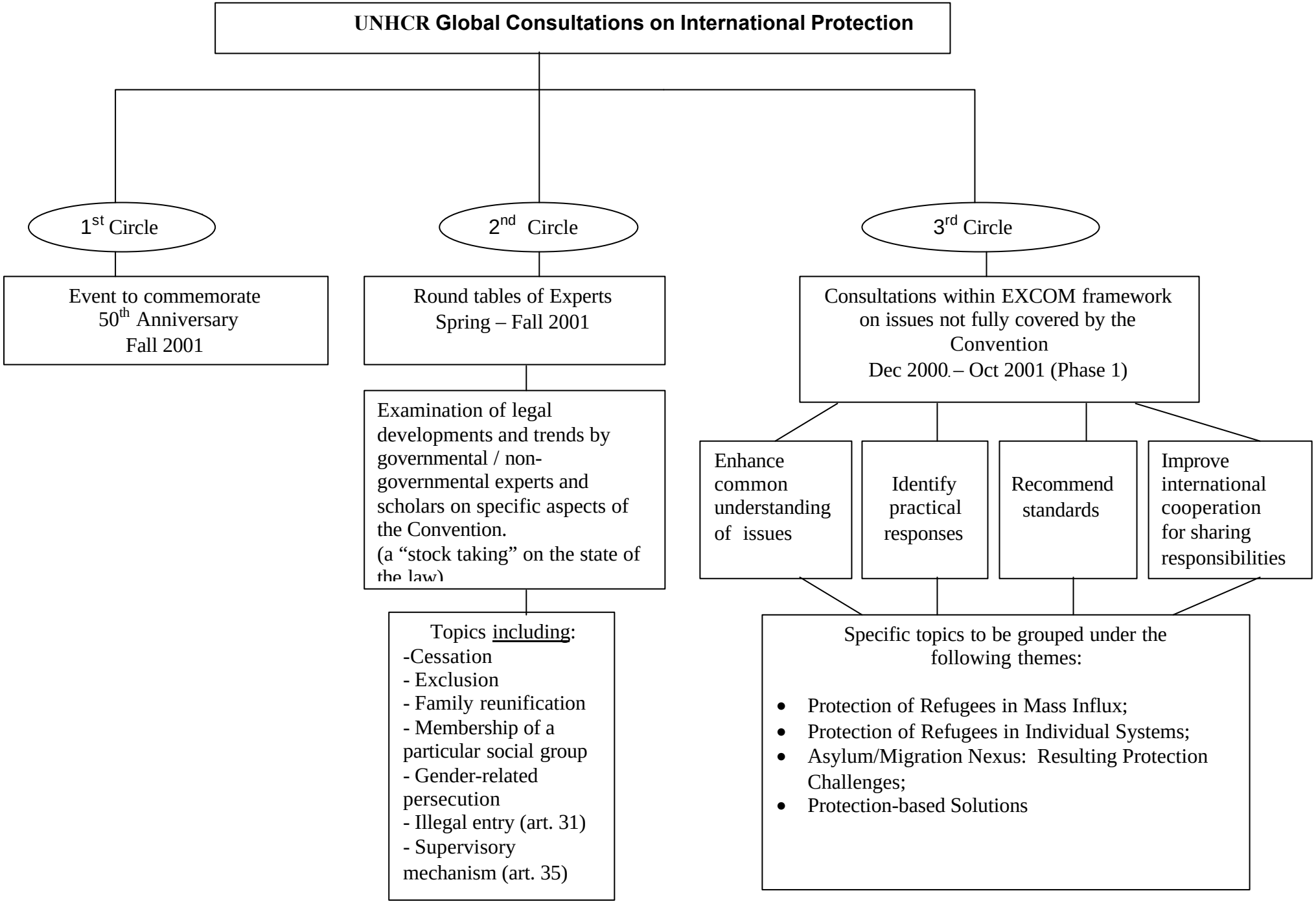
UNHCR Global Consultations on International Protection
1st Circle
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Event to commemorate 50th Anniversary Fall 2001
Round tables of Experts Spring – Fall 2001
Consultations within EXCOM framework on issues not fully covered by the Convention Dec 2000 – Oct 2001 (Phase 1)
Examination of legal developments and trends by governmental / non-governmental experts and scholars on specific aspects of the Convention. (a "stock taking" on the state of the law)
Enhance common understanding of issues
Identify practical responses
Recommend standards
Improve international cooperation for sharing responsibilities
Topics including:
-Cessation
- Exclusion
- Family reunification
- Membership of a particular social group
- Gender-related persecution
- Illegal entry (art. 31)
- Supervisory mechanism (art. 35)
Specific topics to be grouped under the following themes:
• Protection of Refugees in Mass Influx;
• Protection of Refugees in Individual Systems;
• Asylum/Migration Nexus: Resulting Protection Challenges;
• Protection-based Solutions