

# High-level seminar on the use of evidence in policy making

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**What policy relevant research is all about?**

**vs.**

**Is research used as a basis or a tool for policy-making?**



## **The objectives for a policy/decision maker:**

- To find the best measure available
- To improve the current situation/better outcome
- To be able to compare different options/  
effective risk management



## **Tools for the scientist (from the policy-makers point of view):**

- Basic science
- Applied science
- Data collection and evaluation
- Risk assessment
- (Impact assessment)



## Tools for the policy maker:

- The results

