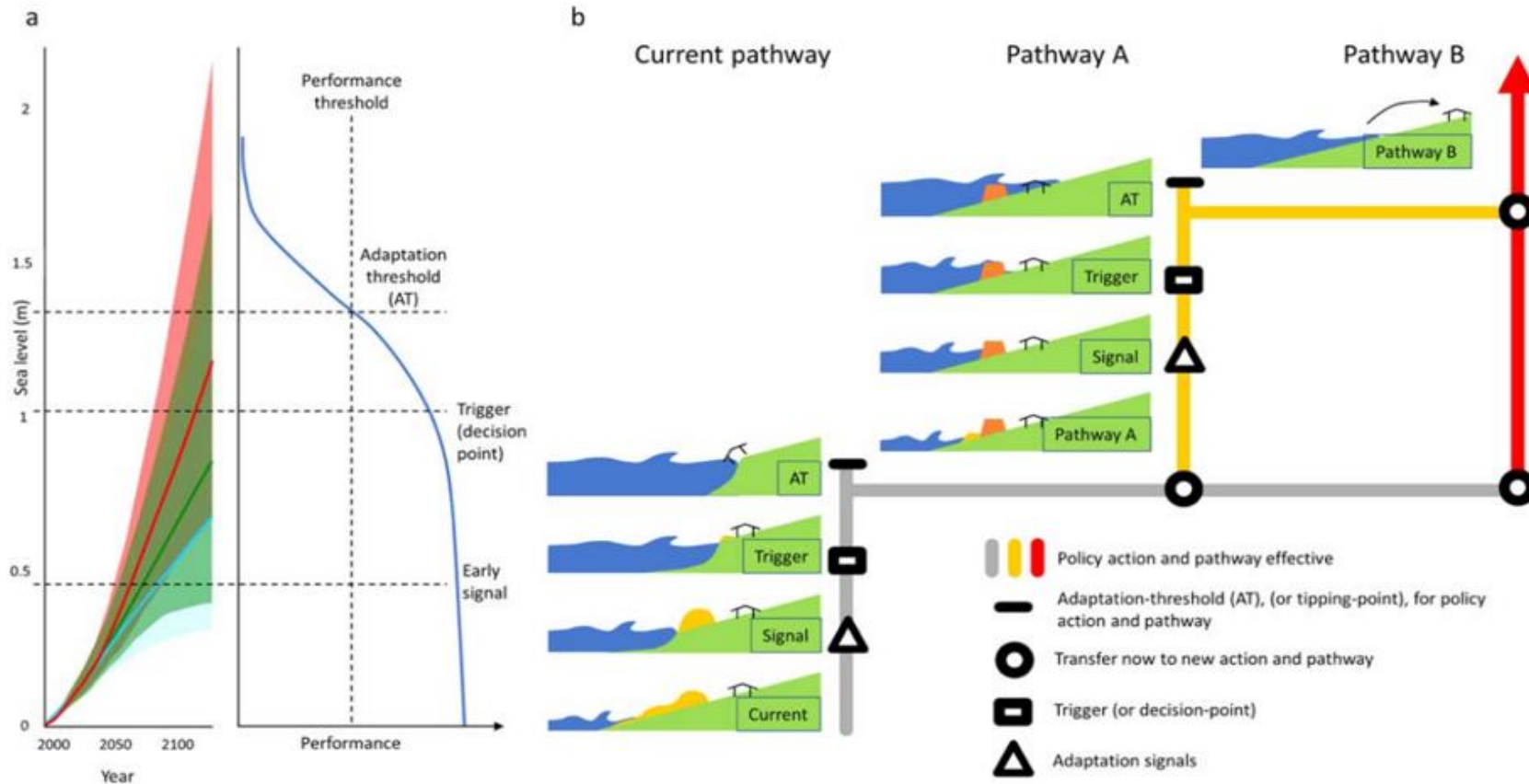# Signals, triggers and adaptation thresholds (STATs)

Adaptation pathway:

Threshold: the point at which a hazard is <u>not tolerable</u>, or the adaptation option / action (on the pathway) fails to meet its objectives. Consider: hazard extent (cm or m), event frequency, insurance retreat, asset end of life etc.

Trigger: decision point – the precursor to a particular 'transfer point' in advance of a threshold.

Signal: an event which indicates that a trigger is or may be about to occur. If/when a signal occurs, stakeholders should prepare for adaptation.