

# “Dignity by Design”

People at the heart  
of climate action in  
the built environment

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*WHY EXPAND BEYOND  
CARBON TUNNEL-VISION?*

# TRANSITION PATHWAYS...

## HOUSING / HEALTH / WORKERS' RIGHTS INCLUSION / PARTICIPATION

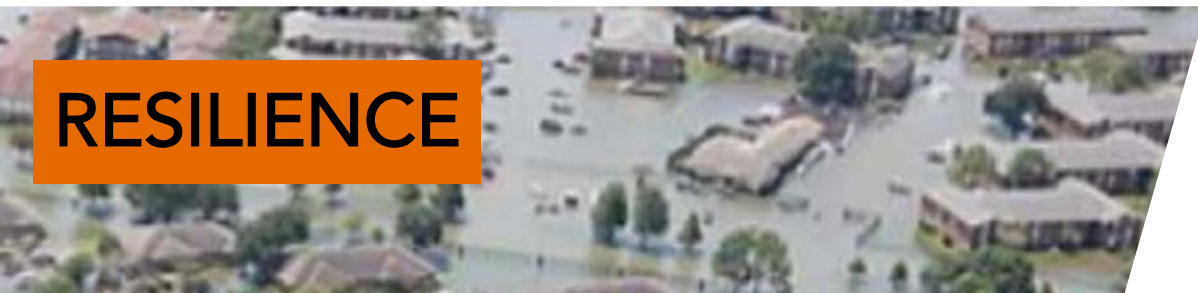
**MATERIALS**



**ENERGY**



**RESILIENCE**



## SOCIAL OUTCOMES GROUNDED IN INTERNATIONAL GUIDELINES

### CLIMATE AGREEMENTS

**2023 stocktake:** Fossil fuel phase-out in a “just, orderly and equitable manner”

### SDGS

**SDG 11:** “Inclusive, safe, resilient and sustainable cities and human settlements”

### ILO

**Just transition guidelines:** “Maximizing the social and economic opportunities of climate action, while minimizing and carefully managing any challenges”

### HUMAN RIGHTS

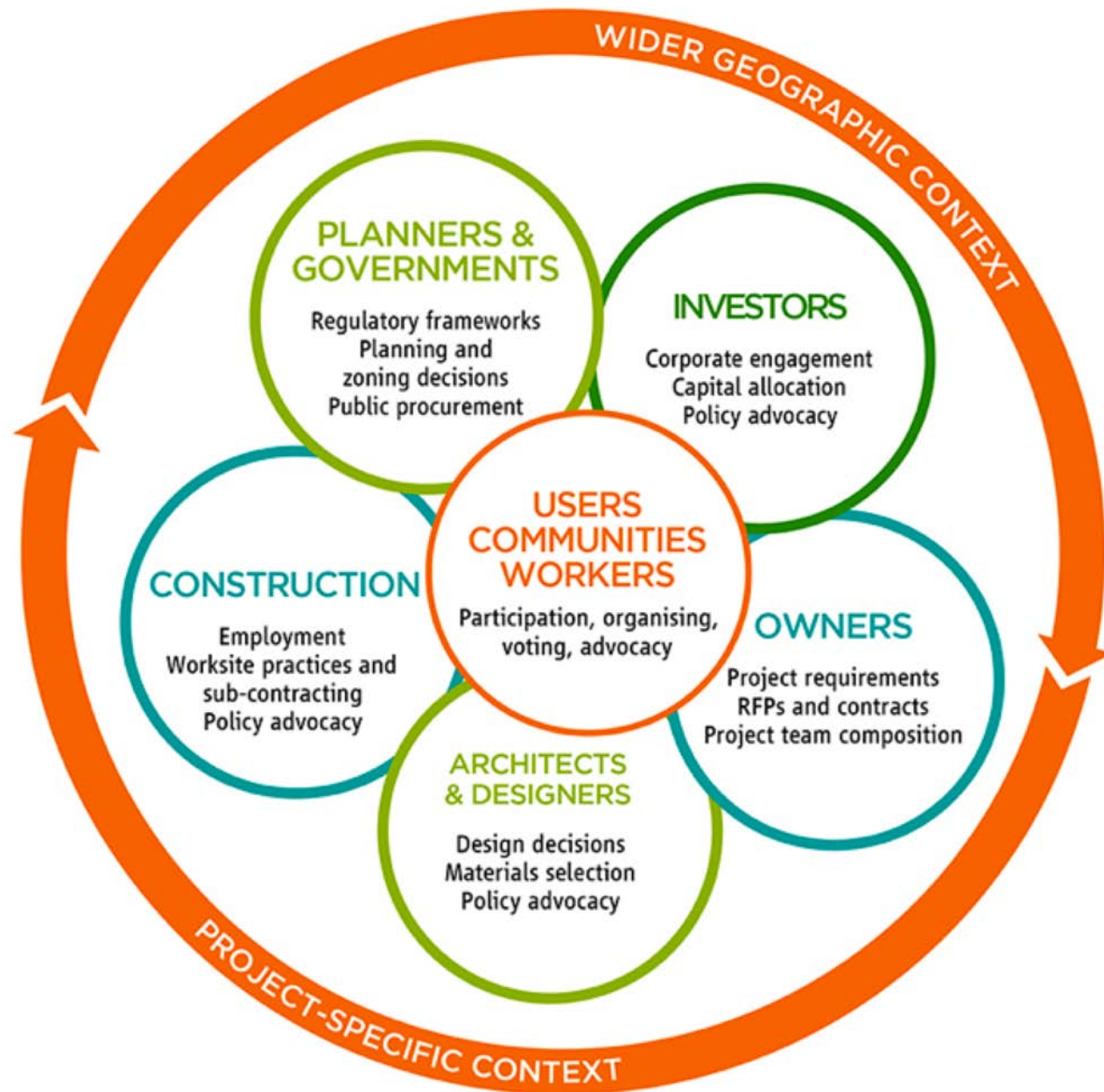
**Full spectrum of rights:** including housing, health, labour, participation, non-discrimination - with regional frameworks

*Approach:*

*1. RISKS AND OPPORTUNITIES*

*2. PROCEDURAL DIMENSIONS - WHO'S INVOLVED?*

*3. SHIFTING BUSINESS MODELS AND INVESTMENT*



## WHAT STEPS CAN INDUSTRY TAKE?

### INTERNAL

- BOARD-LEVEL LEADERSHIP
- EMBEDDING SOCIAL DIMENSIONS IN BUSINESS STRATEGY

### PROJECT

- CLIENT SELECTION AND ENGAGEMENT
- FULL LIFECYCLE APPROACH TO MINIMIZING RISKS TO PEOPLE & HARNESSING OPPORTUNITY

### SUPPLY CHAINS

- SPECIFICATION & SOURCING PRACTICES TO MINIMISE RISK, SUPPORT DEVELOPMENT OF NEW MATERIALS

### POLICY

- RESPONSIBLE PUBLIC POLICY
- ENGAGING IN LEADERSHIP GROUPS

## WHAT STEPS CAN INVESTORS TAKE?

### PORTFOLIO

- SYSTEMS-LEVEL INVESTING AND LONG-TERM VIEW
- GEO-MAPPING OF RISKS - FINANCIAL, ENV., SOCIAL

### ENGAGEMENT

- OF INVESTEE COMPANIES ON SOCIAL, ENVIRONMENTAL RISK AND STRATEGY

### PARTNERSHIPS

- PUBLIC-PRIVATE PARTNERSHIPS AND MISSION-LED INVESTING

### POLICY

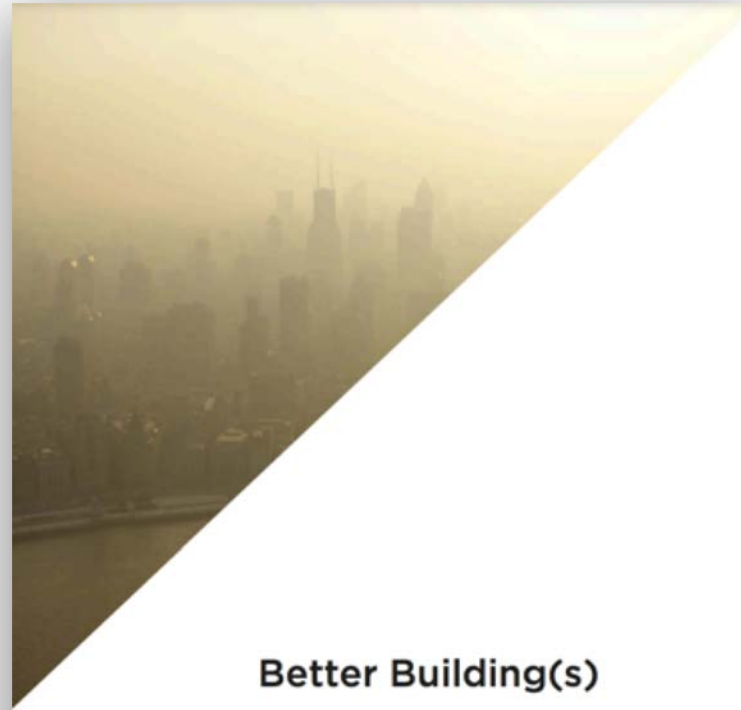
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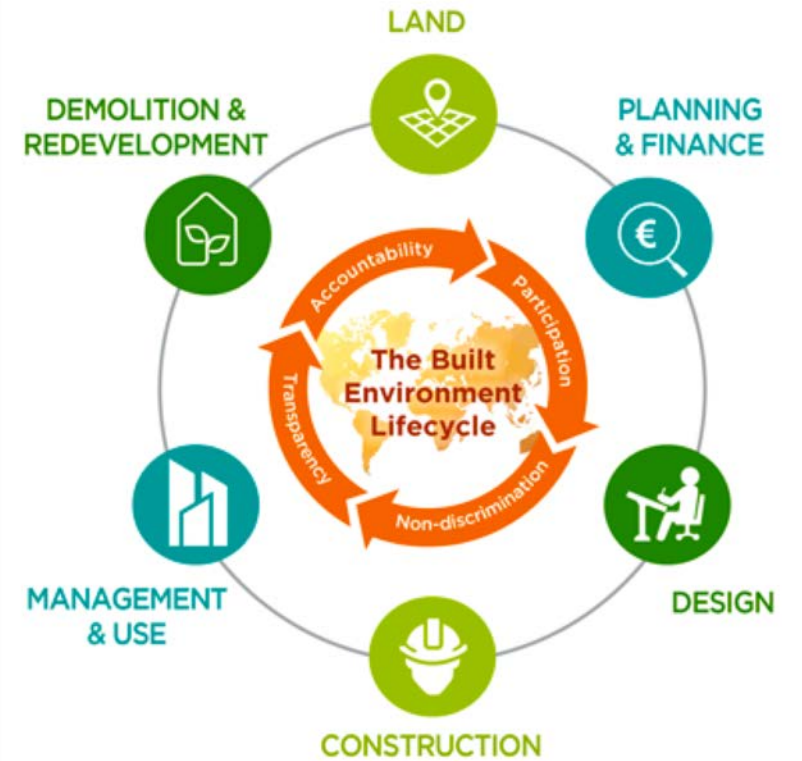
Human Rights and the  
Built Environment Lifecycle



## Better Building(s)

Financing Human Rights-Based  
Decarbonisation in Europe's  
Built Environment

Recommendations to Governments and Investors



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**Thank you!!**

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backstage...**