

A low-angle, upward-looking photograph of several modern skyscrapers with glass facades, reaching towards a clear blue sky. The perspective creates a sense of height and scale. Red geometric shapes, including triangles and lines, are overlaid on the corners of the image, adding a modern, architectural feel.

# Project Definition


## SEISMIC RESILIENCE EVALUATION INDEX SYSTEM

Group 3

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# Chapter 01

## Team Introduction

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Tsinghua Group + Doc. + Beijing Earthquake Agency







## Team Introduction

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# Chapter 02

## Concepts & Framework

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Urban resilience & Earthquake resilience & Index system





# Why Earthquake Resilience

**76** earthquakes with magnitude  $> 7.0$  or above occurred in

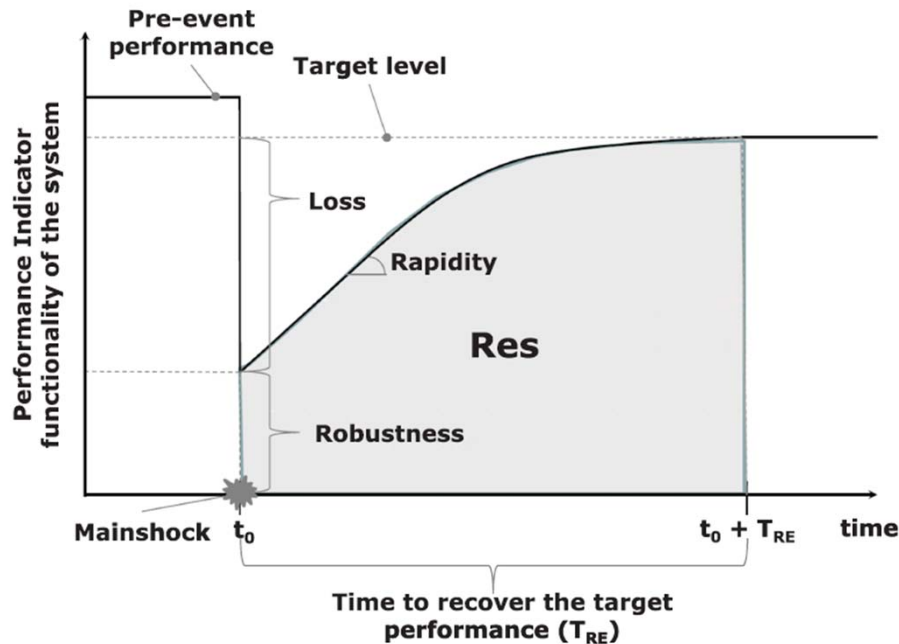
mainland China between 1900 and 2007, among which **6**  
earthquakes with a magnitude of 8.0 or above were recorded.



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# Urban Resilience & Earthquake Resilience



## Urban Resilience

“The ability of a city system and all its components to **maintain** or rapidly **recover** needed functions and adapt to changes. “ —Merrow

## Earthquake Resilience

The ability of social units to mitigate disasters, absorb the impacts of disasters and take measures to recover in time, so as to reduce social disturbances and mitigate the effects of future earthquakes. —Michel Bruneau et al

$$R(\vec{r}) = \int_{t_{OE}}^{t_{OE}+T_{LC}} Q_{TOT}(\vec{r}, t) / T_{LC} dt$$



## SPUR -- Seismic Hazard Mitigation Policy



### “Expected Earthquake”

To clarify the level of damage that is acceptable and require only those improvements in performance needed to assure a quick recovery, or the level of resilience desired. They believe that most of the current criteria for new buildings are adequate, and the need for strengthening existing buildings is perhaps less extensive than generally perceived.



### Not universal

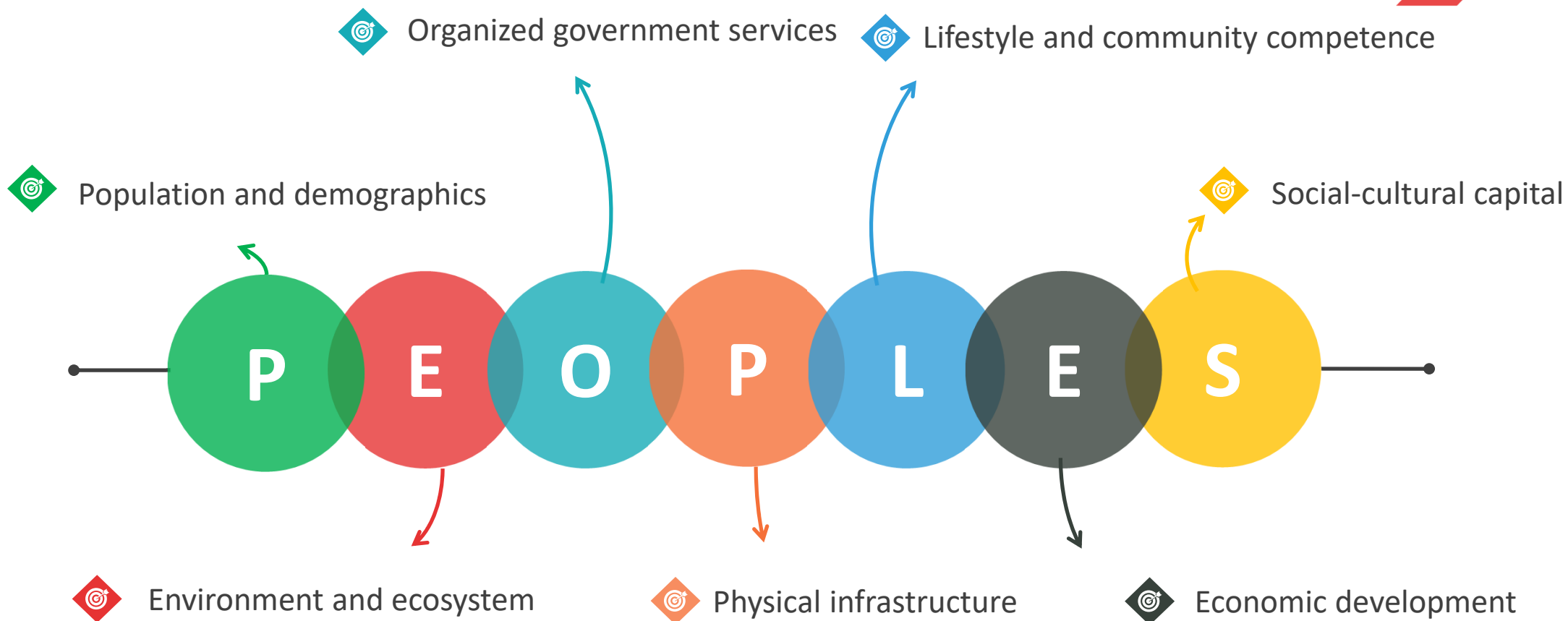


But the plan is tailored to San Francisco bay area cities and cannot be used directly in other cities.





# “PEOPLES” index system





# Chapter 03

## Our Selected Topic

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What? Where? Why?





# WHAT



## community

set up a pilot community



## index system



establish a comprehensive  
evaluation index system

## promotion



explore the way of  
national promotion





## WHERE



### **Fabric**

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all kinds of buildings



### **Function**

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everything that a mature community has.



### **Future**

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world first class university





## WHY




Assessment of various cities



Ensuring urban functions  
when earthquakes come



real-world urban sustainability



# Chapter 04

## Prospective Output

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A **3-dimension multilevel evaluation index system** together with **derivatives** that fit different functional communities



# Seismic resilience index system

Dimensions	Level 1 index	Level 2 index	Level 3 index
Engineering	Building structure	Robustness	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• age of the buildings</li> <li>• earthquake loads</li> <li>• .....</li> </ul>
		Recovery rapidity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• .....</li> <li>• .....</li> </ul>
		.....	
	Water	Robustness	
		Recovery rapidity	
		.....	
	Power		
	Transportation		
	Communication		
Society	Population	.....	.....
	Health condition	.....	.....
	.....		
Administration	Emergency response plan	.....	.....
	Rescue worker capability	.....	.....
	.....	.....	.....

## Three dimensions

**Engineering:** seismic risk, building structure, lifelines

**Society:** population density, health condition.....

**Administration:** emergency response plan, rescue worker capability.....

## Multilevel index system

Primary level for quantification

Upper levels for classification

Index: comprehensive and independent

Specify the ranges and borders of the indexes



## Derivatives



## Functional Communities

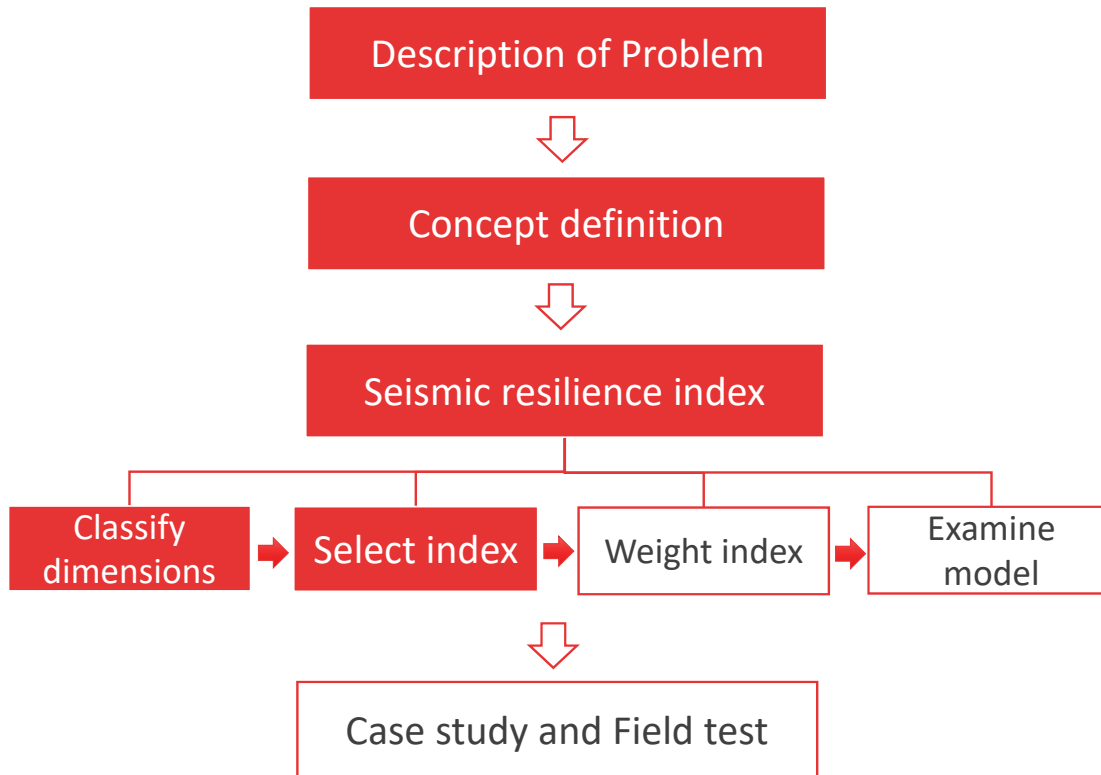
As emphasized by our Beijing earthquake agency partner, different functional communities have different priorities in terms of earthquake defense and recovery. For example, the control center should have better robustness to maintain necessary control function; hospitals should have more effective emergency response to save casualties; schools should be better at protecting the vulnerable than general residential communities. It is one of our goals to alter the prototype into suitable evaluation systems for these functional communities, probably through index and weight revisions.





# Working Process

- ◆ To design an evaluation framework for urban seismic resilience, we have to complete the following steps.





## Schedule

Time	Task	Description
Week 3	The 1st meeting	Meet Dr. Wang and make a plan
Week 4	The 1st presentation	
Week 5-6	Literature review	Review previous work on resilience index over 3 dimensions: engineering, society and system
Week 6-7	Finish the first draft of the index list	
Week 8	The 2nd meeting	Discuss and complete the index list.
Week 9	Expert review	Over 50 experts will help us to further select indices and complete our model.
Week 10	Finish reports	
Week 11	Prepare for the final presentation	





## Resources



### Tsinghua ,Dep. of Construction Management

We have doctoral fellow students to consult, literature to refer, a campus to do fieldwork, some previous research experience on this topic, and brilliant minds to explore.



### Beijing Earthquake Agency

On the other hand, Beijing Earthquake Agency is working on the same project and is willing to support us. They can provide us documents on urban planning and give us instructions. They can also contact more experts and arrange the expert review.







# Thank You!

Question & Answer

