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**Knowledge management is an organizational innovation. We must know how to effectively use knowledge in order to create more value and to have an innovative culture.**

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# Learning through **Change**



The climate crisis is accelerating



Governments are realigning



COVID-19 has changed the way we live and work

**Knowledge management** will play a critical role in ensuring the pandemic recovery will be resilient, green, inclusive and sustainable

# GREATER COLLABORATION



## POLICY ACTIONS FOR COVID-19 ECONOMIC RECOVERY

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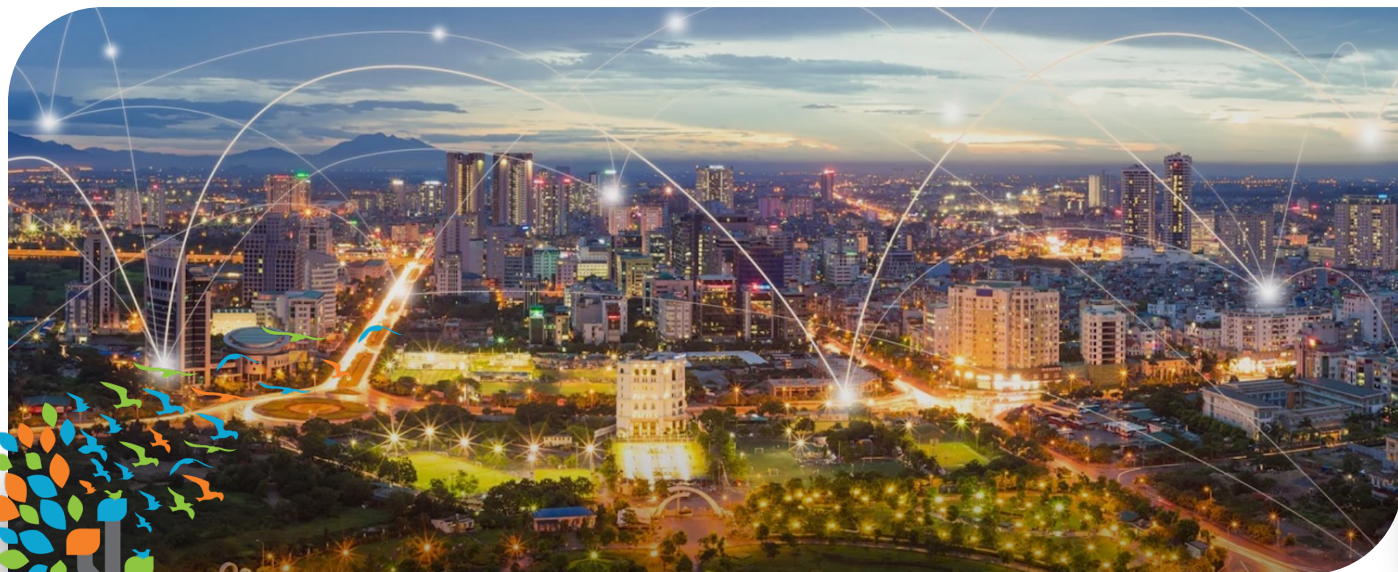
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# INVESTMENTS IN INFRASTRUCTURE

# ANTICIPATING FUTURE UNCERTAINTIES





# FOCUS ON GOVERNANCE



## COVID-19 AND LIVABLE CITIES IN ASIA AND THE PACIFIC GUIDANCE NOTE

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**ECONOMIC COMPETITIVENESS**

- Reliable and quality service delivery
- Data-driven infrastructure asset management
- Public-private partnerships and financial innovation
- Entrepreneurship and support to small and medium enterprises
- Targeted skills development
- Decentralized, disruption-resistant infrastructure systems

**ENVIRONMENTAL SUSTAINABILITY AND RESILIENCE**

- Climate change mitigation and adaptation
- Circular economy practices
- Risk-sensitive land-use management
- Resource efficiency and low-carbon technologies
- Mainstreaming resilience principles into investments
- Pollution mitigation and remediation

**EQUITY AND INCLUSIVENESS**

- Water, energy, and land security
- Accessible and affordable infrastructure and services
- Age, gender, and ability-appropriate social services
- Nondiscriminatory policies and universal design solutions
- Safe and healthy public spaces and amenities
- Resilience measures against disruptive events

**ENABLERS**

- Integrated multisector action plans and strategies
- Incentivizing regulations and policies
- Improved fiscal management and decentralization
- Green finance instruments and funds
- Transparent governance and effective institutions
- Geographic information and decision support systems

**ENGAGEMENT**

- Stakeholder groups informed, engaged, and empowered
- Collaboration of governments, citizens, and corporations
- Championing local skills and expertise
- Inter- and intragovernmental coordination
- Urban management partnerships
- Incremental capacity development



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