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1) Key barriers/gaps:

- The need for a unified framework
- Precise, working definition of resiliency for all sectors (e.g., transport) and for both donors & recipients
- The issue of climate risk information and scientific data needed for strategic planning
- Translating the data available, “what does it mean for me?” Localizing/personalizing information
- The issue of implementation (many plans exist but no implementation)
- Convincing the politicians and decision makers of the need for climate-resilient infrastructure; competing national priorities
- The mindset of local communities (refusing to move despite warnings)
- Integrating the concerns of local communities into the planning process
- How to integrate resiliency into existing infrastructure needs to be tackled as well

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2) Recent examples:

- The Netherlands, national standards for roads and embankments
- Nepal, the example of successfully integrating local knowledge into building infrastructure in the mountains
- UK, “*BREEAM*” (Building Research Establishment Environmental Assessment Method) – a sustainability assessment method for master-planning projects, infrastructure and buildings

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