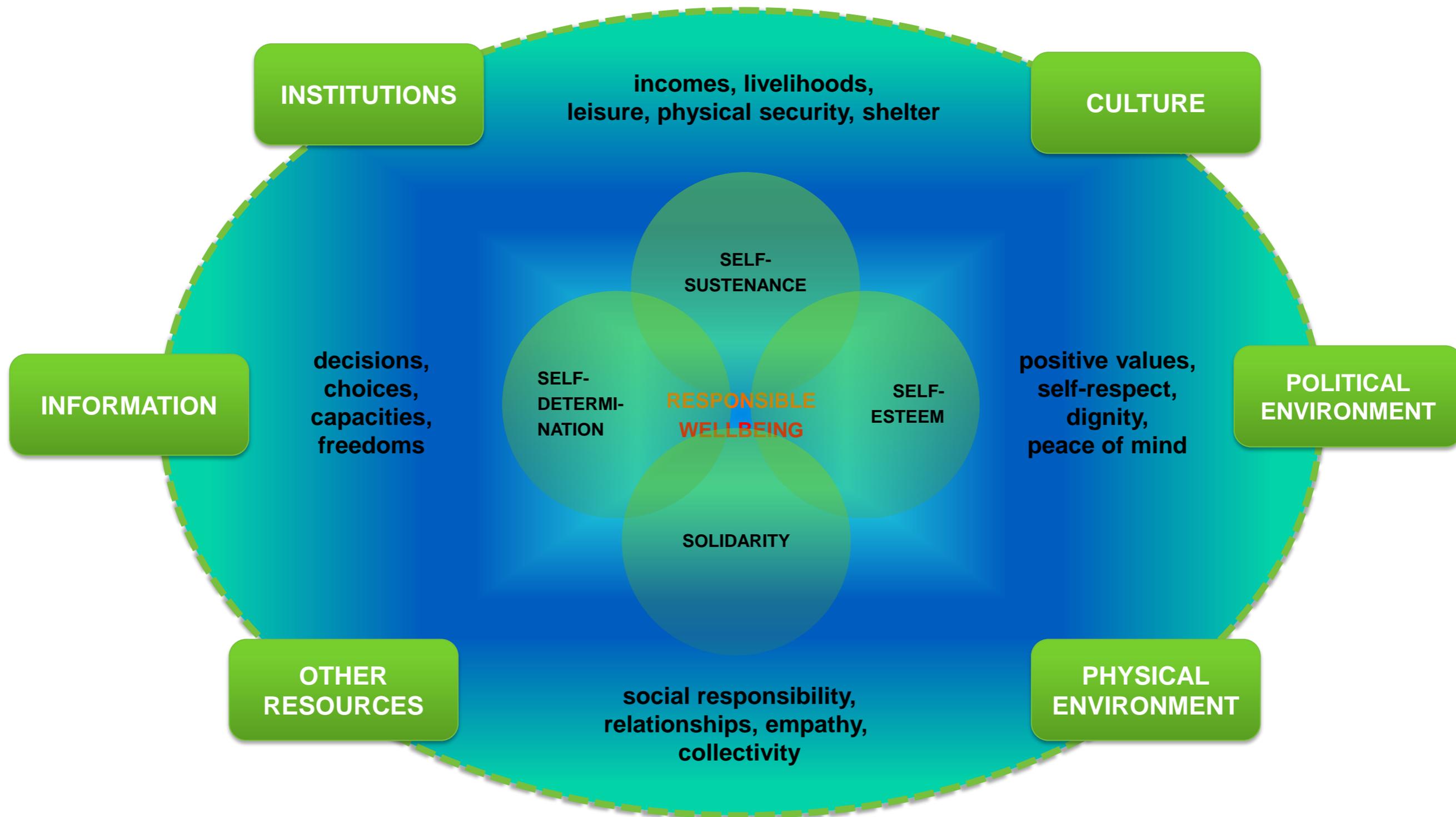


RESPONSIBLE WELLBEING



CONVERGENCE



Wellbeing helps focus on **what matters**

Wellbeing reflects the **multi-dimensionality** of poverty and development

Wellbeing is context-specific but there is convergence around a number of **common dimensions**

CONVERGENCE



Fully multi-dimensional approaches to human wellbeing and progress share a great deal of similarity at the level of general categories of discussion even though the particular local articulations are very distinct.

Stiglitz-Sen-Fitoussi	Bhutan GNH	Voices of the Poor	Xiaokang Indicators	Local organisations
health, education economic security balance of time political voice social connections environmental conditions personal security subjective measures of quality of life	health education material standard of living time use governance community environment culture and spirituality emotional wellbeing	bodily wellbeing material wellbeing social wellbeing security psychological wellbeing	economic development democracy and law culture and education resources and environment quality of life social harmony	access to resources family and social connections participation and solidarity alternatives, choices and decision-making Self-esteem, peace and happiness

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CONVERGENCE



Multi-dimensional approaches to wellbeing in development share a lot of similarity in the broad dimensions or categories.

Domains	Oxfam Hong Kong	PADHI Sri Lanka	University of Bath, UK
Economic	Self-sustenance	Accessing resources	material
Psycho-logical	Self-esteem	Experiencing competence and self-worth	subjective
Political	Self-determination	Exercising participation	relational
Social	Responsibility	Building social connections	relational

RELEVANT LESSONS



THE IMPORTANCE OF STARTING WITH AND UNDERSTANDING LOCAL NOTIONS OF WELLBEING

RELEVANT LESSONS



**PROMOTING PEOPLE'S
PARTICIPATION AND
EMPOWERMENT; SOCIAL
RESPONSIBILITY AS AN IMPORTANT
ELEMENT OF PEOPLE'S NOTION OF
WELLBEING**