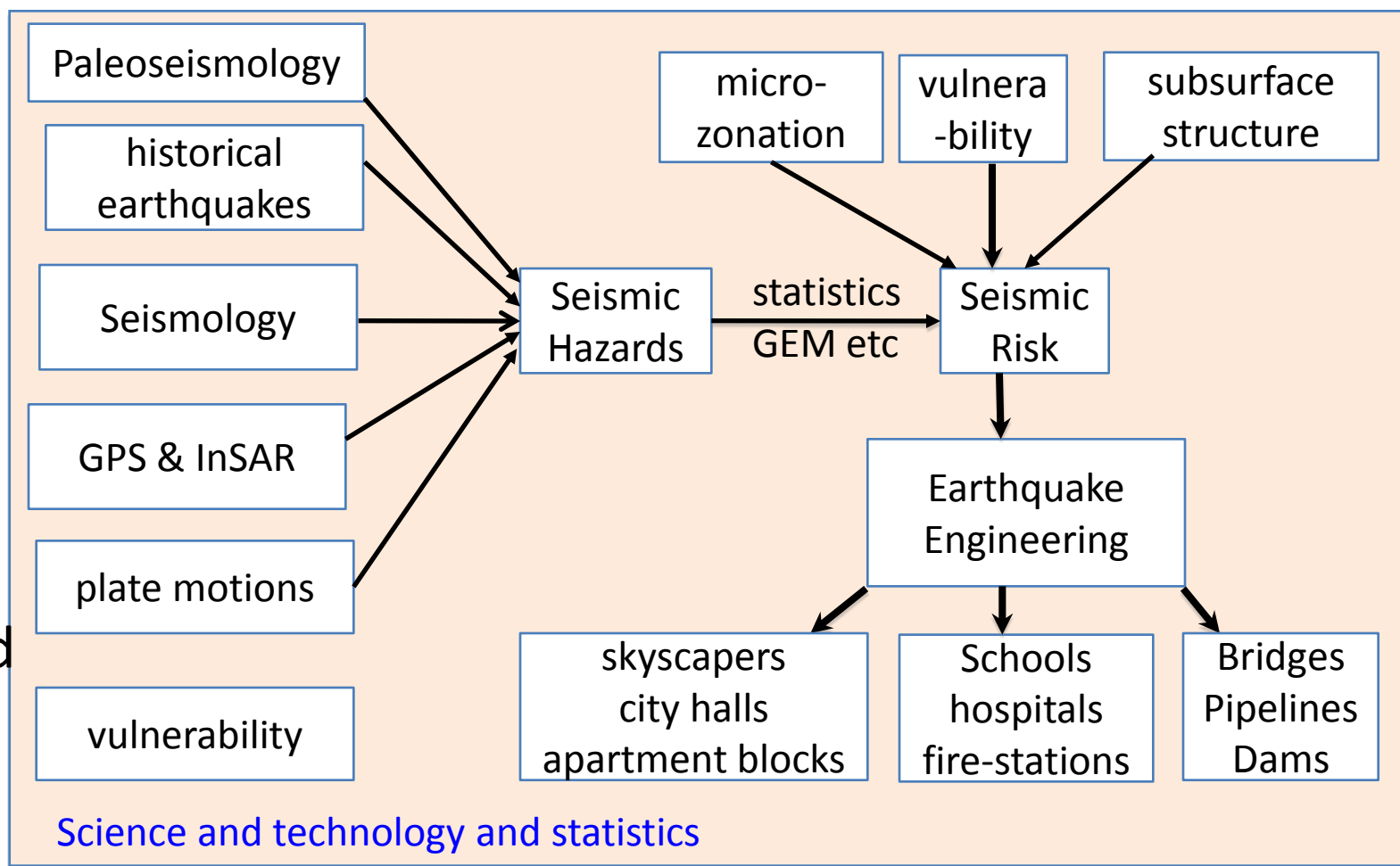


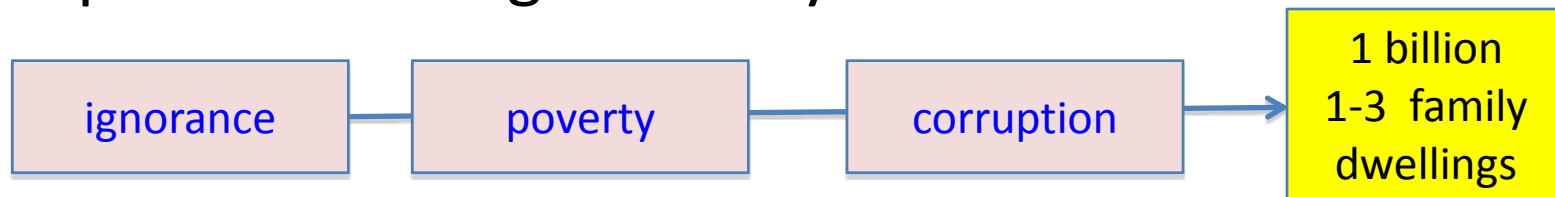
# A case for education

Poverty, education and corruption  
go hand in hand in countries that  
suffer from earthquake disasters

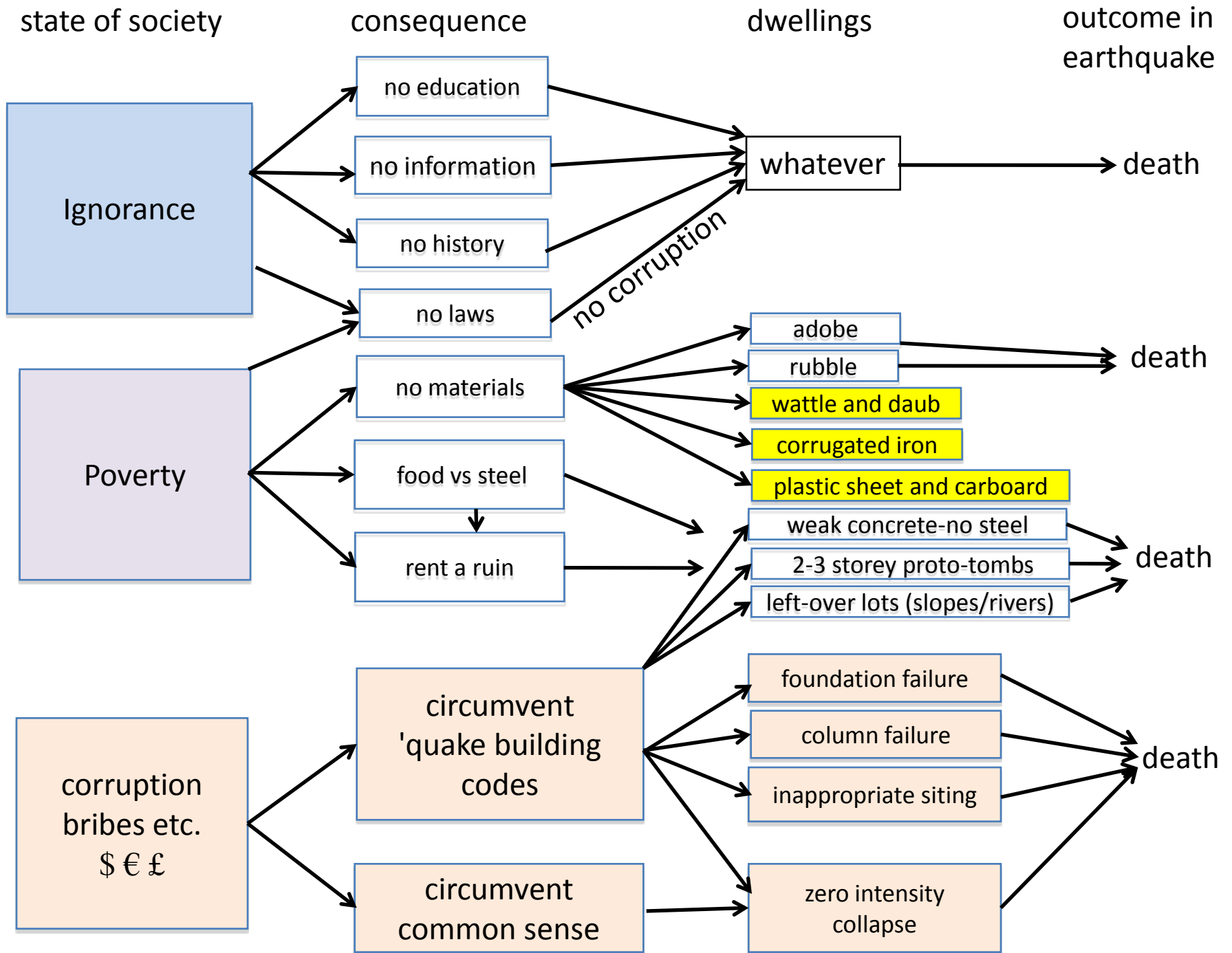
Societal response to future earthquakes is aimed at engineered structures



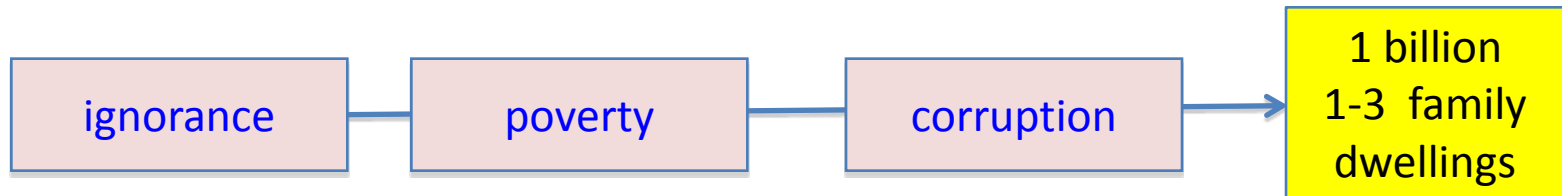
future earthquakes will target society's weaknesses



ie deaths from earthquakes ( $\approx 50,000/\text{year}$ ) will continue to rise



future earthquake will target civilization's weaknesses



The fix.....

for ignorance = education about their history of earthquakes

for poverty = education about ways to build safely with existing materials

for corruption = education about the fatal affects of sloppy construction

EDUCATE THE CHILDREN

START IN THE PRIMARY SCHOOLS

They will educate their parents,

and the future leaders,

and the next generation



83% of all deaths from earthquakes in the past 30 years in low income corrupt nations

