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- **TEAM Malawi** [**T**echnology-**E**ducation-**A**dvocacy-**M**edicine] is a transdisciplinary collaboration, based upon a community wellness model of health, designed to meet the challenges of resource-limited environments through community based participatory research/design/pedagogy.
- **Vision:** Utilize a community wellness model as the framework to integrate the activities of a diverse group of young investigators and mentors.
- Goals: Student Engagement, and Global Research:
  - Foster global perspectives of students.
  - -Stimulate ideas for improving conditions in a developing country.
  - -Create sustainable relationships that promote transdisciplinary models for development.
  - -Encourage evidence-based applied scholarly research.

## **Partnership Interests:**

- Interest in Global Health Issues that Map to the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals
- Maternal-Child Health in collaboration with Malawi University of Science and Technology
- Team Science/Transdisciplinary Research
- The Intersection of Rural Health in the USA and similar challenges in low- and middle-income countries



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