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# ADDRESSING ENERGY POVERTY WITH MESCH

Energy poverty impacts millions in Malawi, leaving rural communities without reliable power.

Devine Matare, Programmes Manager from RENAMA, a key partner in the MESCH project, explains in our new interview series how their efforts are creating opportunities for cleaner and more sustainable energy solutions.





"We are excited to start the **MESCH project** and work with our partners in the UK, Bulgaria, and Malawi.

The technologies central to MESCH are potential game changers. It will be incredible to learn about the energy and cooking needs of community hospitals in Malawi and how our solution can change lives. "

Project Lead Dr. Carl Telford // R&I Director at CBI



## **MESCH WEBSITE**

The **new MESCH website** is officially live! Our website provides all the information about the project, our partners, and our efforts to address Malawi's energy challenges.

**VISIT WEBSITE** 



## **MESCH AT ECAP WORKSHOPS**

The MESCH team has attended several **Energy Catalyst Workshops** (ECAP) hosted by the Carbon Trust, exploring topics like stakeholder mapping, funding, and pitch development.

These workshops have offered new ideas for advancing the MESCH project and connecting with other Innovate UK projects.

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# **PARTNER NEWS**







## **ENERGY PERSONALITY**

Soustain Chigalu from INFLO LTD was awarded Energy Personality of the Year at the 2024 Malawi National Energy Conference.

#### **MESCH AT ELBC**

The MESCH project was presented at the major lead battery innovation conference, ELBC 2024, held in Milan.

## **COMMUNITY SURVEY**

Our Malawi-based partner, RENAMA, has completed a Community Engagement Survey to discuss MESCH.