

# Environmental Friendly Community e-Wastes Entrepreneurship





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## WHO WE ARE



We are an environmental friendly community of activists. We produce, sell and teach people how to make alternative charcoal briquettes to mitigate deforestation.

We provide trainings in local communities using locally available components in order to both protect the environment and stimulate income generation through practical upcycling skills.

We also specialize in sensitizing communities about climate change, deforestation and plastic pollution through courses, workshops and trainings.

## **HOW WE KNOW ITS WORKING**



Malawi is seriously affected by deforestation and climate change which is compounded by a lack of electricity for 90% of the population increasing the pressure on using forest wood for cooking/ as charcoal.

Our solution is manufacturing briquettes of good quality- releasing less smoke and burning longer than forest wood for cooking.

We train the refugee community and surrounding communities how to manufacture the briquettes and market them for a highly affordable price, contributing to both Afforestation and Income generation in communities.

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# **OUR FUTURE & NUMBERS**



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- 1. To date- sold 10.000 kg+ of fire briquettes.
- More than 300 people and 6 different communities reached with events, trainings and demonstrations.
- 50 people graduated and with briquettes training.

### FOUNDER

Dieudonne Mudekuza, chairperson of the organization and founder member. I am coming from DRC and I've been living in Malawi for many years now at Lilongwe and Dzaleka Refugee Camp.

### **OUR PARTNERS**

We work with the Youth Club of DAPP Dowa and two international volunteers from Europe. Also we collaborate with JRS (Jesuit Refugee Service) at Dzaleka Refugee Camp

We have a team of 20 members froth both the refugee and our host community in Dzaleka.

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