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Vice-President of the Republic of Malawi, Honourable Dr. Saulos Klaus Chilima,

It demonstrated that the greening of economies is a new engine for growing wealth, increasing decent employment, and reducing persistent poverty.²

At present, UNDP is helping to insert the "DNA" of a green economy into all COVID-19 recovery and

4. The Digital Transformation

UNDP is also helping countries across the world to take advantage of the power of the ongoing digital transformation. $^{\rm 5}$

Through initiatives like our UNDP Accelerator Labs, UNDP is working with communities in 116 countries to surface