

At the University of Technology Sydney, I worked on a project aimed at creating a low-cost medical device for use in developing countries. Our team had students from different backgrounds like Biomedical Engineering, Medical Science, and Mechatronics, and we were supposed to design something that could be used in places with limited healthcare. We had to think about things like power sources, since some places didn't have reliable electricity, and make sure the device was simple enough for people who weren't trained in medicine.

It was hard to work with people from different fields and cultures because everyone had their own opinions on what was important. Sometimes, it was tough to get everyone to agree on the design. We had disagreements over what to prioritize, and it slowed down our progress. I tried to help by organizing meetings where we could talk about our differences, but it didn't always solve the problems right away.

In the end, we managed to finish the project and present a prototype. It wasn't perfect, but it addressed some of the issues we were aiming to solve. This project made me realize that working in global and intercultural contexts can be difficult, especially when everyone has different ideas on how to approach the problem. But it also taught me that collaboration, even when it's hard, is still important in projects like this.