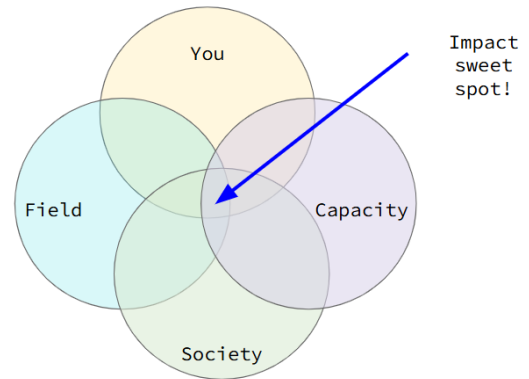


Broader Impacts Identity: Finding your “impact sweet spot”

Follow along using this worksheet as a guide for our discussion.



Motivations:

What motivated you to get into your field of study? In what ways were/are you hoping to change the world and why did you choose this professional pathway? What about it did you find exciting or important?

Connections to society:

Do your motivations overlap with motivations society may have?

What are some natural connections between your research field and societal needs and issues? (*i.e.*, *What changes do you want to see because of your research?*)

Reality check:

What capacity does society have in relation to your field of study? *For example, climate change may be viewed as a long-term issue that is not a priority but the impacts that increased precipitation has had on one's daily life is a short term priority that there is capacity to address.*