Global health threats are among the most disruptive forces in the world. The Emory Global Health Institute understands this better than anyone. EGHI is proactive rather than reactive.”

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In a single year, Zika virus has become a global health emergency. Growing in the United States and spreading in tropical regions of the Americas, Zika is threatening both health and economies.

To combat such emerging threats, EGH helped recruit Gonzalo Vazquez-Prokopec, an innovative young researcher who has developed a world-class skillset in mapping and predicting mosquito-borne diseases.

As a direct result of his EGH-sponsored work, he is implementing targeted new technologies and advising the World Health Organization, the Department of Homeland Security, the US Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, and the Pan American Health Organization.