AKADEMIYA2063 UKRAINE CRISIS WEBINAR SERIES
Policy Conversations on the Impacts of the Ukraine Crisis on African Economies

Session X Concept Note

📅 February 21, 2023
⏰ 1.00-2.00 PM (GMT)
📍 Virtual Event
The Ukraine Crisis and African Economies
Impacts on Commodity Markets in Kenya

In response to the Russia-Ukraine conflict and its impact on African countries, AKADEMIYA2063 developed the Ukraine Crisis Brief Series, a comprehensive research series to provide evidence-based simulations of the ramifications of the crisis.

Hinged upon data, analytics, and past crisis patterns, the AKADEMIYA2063 Ukraine Crisis Brief Series analyzes the economic and socio-economic impacts of global market disruptions induced by the Russia-Ukraine conflict. These research findings are published on AKADEMIYA2063's Ukraine Crisis and African Economies portal.

Session X of the AKADEMIYA2063 Ukraine Crisis Webinar Series will discuss the impacts of the Ukraine Russia Crisis on commodity prices in local markets in Kenya.

Based on AKADEMIYA2063's Ukraine Brief 18, "The Russia-Ukraine Conflict: Impacts on Commodity Markets in Kenya," the session will examine the short-run effects of the Russia-Ukraine war on commodity prices in Kenyan local markets, as well as the varying effects on urban and rural populations. The speaker will also discuss how these trends pose a serious concern to policymakers because of the negative impacts on the welfare of poor households, with rice, sugar, cooking oil, and wheat flour being basic food commodities.