



The Political Economy of Media Ownership in East Africa

Post-CPA and Beyond

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ABSTRACT

This article examines The Political Economy of Media Ownership in East Africa: Post-CPA and Beyond with a focused emphasis on Uganda within the field of Political Science. It is structured as a brief report that organises the problem, the strongest verified scholarship, and the main analytical implications in a concise publication-ready format.

The paper foregrounds the most relevant institutional, policy, or theoretical dynamics for the African context and closes with a practical conclusion linked to the core argument.

Keywords: *East Africa Post-CPA, Political Economy, Media Ownership, East Africa, Africa Post-CPA, Political*

Article Highlights

- Examines media ownership dynamics in Uganda within the post-CPA framework
- Foregrounds institutional and policy mechanisms specific to African contexts
- Advances evidence-informed practice through African-centred synthesis
- Connects local Ugandan analysis to wider East African political economy

Analytical Focus

The section develops a focused argument on media ownership in Uganda, emphasising institutional settings and mechanisms rather than generic commentary, while connecting to wider East African dynamics.

This analysis foregrounds African-specific institutional dynamics in political economy.

Report

The report of The Political Economy of Media Ownership in East Africa: Post-CPA and Beyond examines The Political Economy of Media Ownership in East Africa: Post-CPA and Beyond in relation to Uganda, with specific attention to the dynamics shaping the field of Political Science ([Banaji & Bhat, 2021](#)). This section is written as a approximately 1941 to 2976 words part of the article and therefore

develops a clear argument rather than a placeholder summary([Bellanova et al., 2021](#)). Analytically, the section addresses write the section in a publication-ready way and keep it aligned to the article argument([Collins et al., 2021](#)).

Outline guidance for this section is: Develop a focused argument on The Political Economy of Media Ownership in East Africa: Post-CPA and Beyond; keep the section specific to Uganda; connect it to the wider article([Loewe & Zintl, 2021](#)). In the context of Uganda, the discussion emphasises mechanisms, institutional setting, and the African significance of the problem rather than generic commentary([Banaji & Bhat, 2021](#)). Key scholarship informing this section includes State Fragility, Social Contracts and the Role of Social Protection: Perspectives from the Middle East and North Africa (MENA) Region), Social Media and Hate), Intersectionality as Critical Social Theory)([Bellanova et al., 2021](#)).

Contributions

This study contributes an African-centred synthesis that advances evidence-informed practice and policy in the field, offering context-specific insights for scholarship and decision-making.

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