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Prime Cabinet Secretary, Hon. Musalia Mudavadi at the HOPS Forum 2024

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Transformative Dialogue at HOPS Forum 2024

Various high-level speakers and experts made presentations on various topics at the HOPS Forum 2024...(Pg 5).

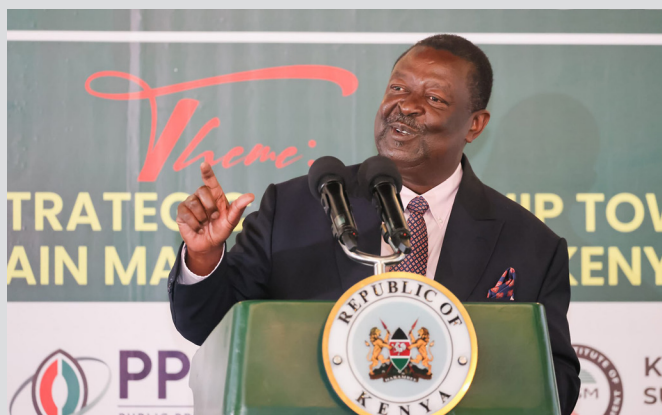
2024 EDITION OF THE HEADS OF SUPPLY CHAIN AND PROCUREMENT FORUM



Group photo of Heads of Procurement and Supply Chain with Hon. Musalia Mudavadi, EGH, Prime Cabinet Secretary and CS Foreign and Diaspora Affairs at Sarova Whitesands Resort

2024 Edition of Heads of Procurement and Supply Chain Management Forum was held in Mombasa, Kenya from 12-16 August, 2024 themed: “Navigating Turbulence: Strategic Leadership for Stabilizing Supply Chains in Kenya,”

The Chief Guest was the Prime Cabinet Secretary and Cabinet Secretary Foreign and Diaspora Affairs, Hon. Dr. Musalia Mudavadi, EGH. The Forum brought together over 340 Heads of P&SCM Functions, and 38 Policy, Executives and Industry Leaders.



The CS Hon. Mudavadi underscored the role of Procurement and supply chain management as the heart of our countries social and economic transformation. “As we navigate economic challenges intensified by global conflicts and climate change, it is imperative that we exercise strategic leadership to stabilize

supply chains and ensure procurement processes deliver value for money at every level.

He urged all procurement and supply chain managers to harness the power of emerging technologies—such as artificial intelligence, blockchain, and cloud computing—to advance ethical practices and drive innovation in our industry.

Read his speech:

<https://kism.or.ke/keynote-address-by-h-e-dr-musalia-mudavadi-e-g-h-prime-cabinet-secretary-and-cabinet-secretary-for-foreign-and-diaspora-affairs-during-the-2nd-edition-of-the-heads-of-supply-chain-and-procurem/>

The other Key speakers included; Principal Secretary of the National Treasury Dr. Chris Kiptoo, CBS, The Auditor-General FCPA Nancy Gathungu, CBS, The Controller of Budget FCPA Dr. Margaret Nyakang’o, CBS, Chairman KISM and the entire Council led by Mr. John Karani, MBS, Chairpersons of the PPRAB, PPARB & KISEB, KISM Council Members, CEO KISM Mr. Kenneth Matiba, MKISM, Director General PPRA Mr. Patrick Wanjuki, Managing Director Kenya Ports Authority Captain William Ruto, CEO Media Council Mr. David Omwoyo, CEO IEA Mr. Kwame Owino, CEO IHRM Queresha, CEO Konza Technopolis Mr. JP Okwiri, CEO NGAAF Mr. Roy Sasaka, CEO ICIFA Diana Murui-ki among others.

OFFICIAL OPENING BY PRINCIPAL SECRETARY OF THE NATIONAL TREASURY DR. CHRIS KIPTOO, CBS



Dr Chris Kiptoo, CBS, Principal Secretary the National Treasury and Economic Planning, making his address to delegates at the Heads of Procurement and Supply Chain Management Forum 2024 in Mombasa.

The Principal Secretary delivered a virtual address to the delegates, emphasizing the National Treasury's crucial role in shaping and overseeing public sector procurement and supply chain management. The Treasury's responsibilities encompass policy formulation, managing the supply chain management professional cadre, implementing Public Financial Management (PFM) reforms, capacity building, and overseeing Public-Private Partnerships (PPPs).

The PS called upon Procurement and Supply Chain Management heads to actively participate in ongoing reforms, promoting good governance and driving positive change through efficient, fair,

and transparent supply chain processes. He challenged them to uphold legal compliance while fostering innovation to deliver exceptional services to the public.



PS concluded by instructing the Director of Public Procurement to organize a meeting between the accounting officers of KISM, PPRA, KISEB, and PPARB. The purpose of this meeting would be to discuss and propose ways to expedite the implementation of the President's directives on amending the Procurement law and accelerating reform.

Read Full speech on:

<https://kism.or.ke/wp-content/uploads/2024/08/Principal-Secretary-Dr.-Chris-Kiptoo-National-Treasury-HOPS-2024.pdf>



Delegates following proceedings at the Heads of Procurement and Supply Chain Forum 2024 at Sarova Whitesands Resort in Mombasa County

REMARKS BY KISM COUNCIL CHAIRMAN – MR. JOHN KARANI, MBS



KISM Chairman, John Karani, MBS, addressing delegates during the Heads of Procurement and Supply Chain Management Forum 2024 at the Sarova Whitesands Resort in Mombasa.

Chairman John Karani, MBS, MKISM, outlined the Institute's achievements in elevating professional standards within the procurement and supply chain sector over the past year.

Key highlights included the official recognition of the CPD policy, awarding 24 CPD hours to all attendees, a substantial membership increase from 7,325 to over 10,000, streamlined membership processes through automation, and the implementation of a system to accredit prior learning for approximately 4,000 Associate Members. Additionally, the Kenya College of Supply Chain Management became operational, and a Fellowship Policy was introduced to honor distinguished contributors to the SCM field.

Mr. Karani emphasized the Institute's commitment to building upon these accomplishments by expanding training and certification initiatives, actively influencing industry practices through research and advocacy, and fostering innovation.

Read Full speech: <https://kism.or.ke/wp-content/uploads/2024/08/Chairmans-Remarks-HoP-Conference-August-13th-2024.pdf>



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Supply Chain Quote of the Week

The best way to reduce your supply chain inventory is to sell it.

~Dilbert

REMARKS BY KISM CEO – MR. KENNETH MATIBA



Mr Kenneth Matiba, KISM CEO, making his remarks at the Heads of Procurement and Supply Chain Management Forum 2024 in Mombasa.

CEO Kenneth Matiba, MKISM expressed gratitude to members for their attendance despite budgetary challenges faced by the public sector. He emphasized the Institute’s strengthened position to contribute to national priorities and good governance.

A significant milestone was achieved with the full operationalization of the Institute’s disciplinary arm. Through collaboration with the Judiciary and other stakeholders, the Institute has successfully enhanced its capacity to address professional misconduct cases.

Matiba acknowledged the outstanding resolutions from the previous two HOPs, which focused on issues such as career frameworks, negative stereotypes, equitable appointments, and equal opportunities. He committed to prioritizing and addressing these, along with the current year’s resolutions.



Read Full Speech:

<https://kism.or.ke/wp-content/uploads/2024/08/13.8.2024-CEOs-Remarks-CEO-at-HoP-Conference-1-1.pdf>

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TRANSFORMATIVE DIALOGUE

THE ROLE OF THE MEDIA IN PROMOTING PROFESSIONALISM AND GOOD GOVERNANCE IN SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT



Media Council of Kenya CEO, David Omwoyo, making his presentation to delegates during the Heads of Procurement and Supply Chain Management Forum 2024 in Mombasa.

Media Council of Kenya CEO, David Omwoyo, lauded the media as a potent tool for elevating supply chain management professionalism. By championing ethical conduct, building public trust, and fostering collaboration, the media can significantly enhance the sector's accountability and efficiency.

Mr. Omwoyo emphasized the media's power to reframe supply chain management from a back-office function to a strategic business driver. By spotlighting ethical and

sustainable practices, the media contributes to a more responsible and robust supply chain ecosystem.

He urged supply chain professionals to cultivate strong media relationships through training and partnership to counter misinformation and leverage media coverage effectively. Additionally, he advocated for technology-driven transparency through digital platforms.

Omwoyo extended an invitation to collaborate with the media in showcasing the industry's innovative work, while emphasizing the delicate balance between confidentiality and public disclosure for maintaining trust and compliance.



THE WITHDRAWAL OF THE FINANCE BILL 2024: THE EFFECTS, LESSONS LEARNED & POSSIBLE MITIGATION MEASURES



Institute of Economic Affairs, Mr. Kwame Owino making his presentation on the Finance Bill 2024 during the Heads of Procurement and Supply Chain Management Forum 2024 in Mombasa

Mr. Kwame Owino highlighted the government's critical role as a major purchaser of goods and services. Acknowledging the challenges and opportunities presented by the withdrawal of the Finance Bill 2024, he emphasized the need for a strategic response to ensure continued economic growth.

Owino advocated for enhanced transparency in procurement by mandating the publication of all procurement activities on the Public Procurement Information Portal (PPIP). Underscoring the importance of accountability for every public fund, he stressed that transparency is essential for preventing public scrutiny and building trust in the public sector.

He concluded by emphasizing the need for procurement and supply chain strategies to be aligned with the dynamic fiscal and regulatory landscape. By anticipating changes in taxes, duties, and tariffs, procurement professionals can mitigate cost impacts and leverage available fiscal incentives to optimize spending.



TRANSFORMATIVE DIALOGUE

DIGITAL LEADERSHIP AND GOVERNANCE IN THE WAKE OF SUPPLY CHAIN DISRUPTION



Mr. John Paul Okwiri, CEO of Konza Technopolis making his presentation on digital leadership and governance during the Heads of Procurement and Supply Chain Management Forum 2024 in Mombasa

Mr. John Paul Okwiri, CEO of Konza Technopolis emphasized the pivotal role of digital leadership and governance in cultivating resilient and adaptable organizations. He underscored the necessity of effective digital leadership and governance for driving organizational transformation in response to supply chain disruptions, as well as for managing digital risks and optimizing technology utilization.

Okwiri challenged the audience to develop a vision for an agile, resilient, and customer-centric supply chain, leveraging technologies like blockchain, AI, and IoT to enhance supply chain efficien-



cy. He stressed the importance of risk assessment, data-driven decision making, and robust collaboration for building resilient ecosystems.

By prioritizing digital leadership and governance, organizations can fortify their supply chains, mitigate risks, and emerge as more competitive entities, ultimately contributing to broader technological development.

LEVERAGING TECHNOLOGY AND INNOVATION FOR EFFICIENT SERVICE DELIVERY: E-GP ROADMAP & PUBLIC PROCUREMENT REFORM PROPOSALS.



(L-R) Lawrence Kanyinyi, Project Manager e-GP, National Treasury, Eric Korir, Director Procurement, the National Treasury, James Okwiri, CEO Konza, and Lucas Omollo, ICT Manager Konza, at the Heads of Procurement and Supply Chain Management Forum 2024 in Mombasa

A panel of industry experts convened to delve into the potential of technology and innovation in enhancing service delivery. The discussion focused on identifying strategies to optimize operations, improve customer experiences, and drive overall organizational efficiency through technological advancements.

@ Mr. Eric Korir, Director, Public Procurement, The National Treasury. An e-GP (Electronic Government Procurement) system is a digital platform that streamlines the procurement process. The integration of technology into public procurement processes has the potential to revolutionize service delivery by increasing efficiency, transparency, and accountability. Implementing an



Mr Eric Korir, Director, Public Procurement, the National Treasury, making his presentation at the Heads of Procurement and Supply Chain Forum 2024 at Sarova Whitesands Resort in Mombasa County

e-GP system and reforming public procurement processes present challenges such as resistance to change, technical issues, and cybersecurity risks.

By implementing a well-structured e-GP roadmap and complementary public procurement reforms, governments can significantly enhance the efficiency, transparency, and accountability of public procurement. This, in turn, will lead to improved service delivery and better value for taxpayers.

@Mr. Lawrence Kanyinyi, Project Manager, E-GP, The National Treasury. The integration of technology has revolutionized Supply Chain Management (SCM), transforming it from a reactive, manual process to a proactive, data-driven function. By embracing these trends, organizations can create more agile, responsive, and sustainable supply chains that deliver exceptional value to customers while mitigating risks.

Mr. Lucas Omollo, HSC, ICT Manager and Smart Cities, Konza City. To bridge the gap between the required skills and the current workforce, organizations must invest in training and development programs that focus on these areas. Additionally, fostering a culture of innovation and experimentation will encourage employees to develop new skills and explore emerging opportunities.

TRANSFORMATIVE DIALOGUE

PITFALLS IN SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT: AUDIT PERSPECTIVES, GAPS AND MITIGATION PROPOSALS



Auditor-General FCPA Nancy Gathungu, CBS making her remarks during the Heads of Procurement and Supply Chain Management Forum 2024 in Mombasa

Auditor-General FCPA Nancy Gathungu, CBS revealed that her office consistently identifies critical flaws in public sector supply chain management. Nonetheless, Supply Chain practitioners and the Auditor-General are partners in ensuring delivery of sustainable and quality services to the citizens

She outlined some of the common supply chain management audit issues as inflated costs, fictitious suppliers, and disregard for procurement rules, irregular procurement methods, contract terms that favor contractors, irregular contract variations and ter-



minations among others. These issues lead to substantial financial losses and hinder service delivery.

Ms. Gathungu called for unity among procurement professionals and advocated for robust internal controls, transparency, and technology adoption to improve efficiency and accountability. She emphasized that effective supply chain management is crucial for safeguarding public funds.

She encouraged collaboration, information sharing, communication and capacity building between the practitioners, KISM and the Examination Board She also highlighted that OAG is planning to Audit PPPs and soon will be calling for supply chain experts in this area.

ENTRENCHING ETHICS AND INTEGRITY IN SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT



Quresha Ahmed, Executive Director at the Institute of Human Resources Management, making her presentation during the Heads of Procurement and Supply Chain Management Forum 2024 in Mombasa

A panel of experts convened to discuss strategies for integrating ethics and integrity into supply chain management. The panel explored challenges and best practices for fostering ethical conduct across the supply chain.

@Eddie Odhiambo, Deputy Director Supply Chain @EACC highlighted the critical role of ethics and integrity in building sustainable and successful supply chains. He emphasized that by overcoming challenges and implementing effective strategies, organizations can create value for all stakeholders while contributing to societal well-being.

@CPA Joshua Muilo, Group Head of Finance - @CPF Financial Services discussed matters on Financial Independence: Post service. He stressed the importance of financial literacy for a successful transition from service to civilian life. He emphasized that sound financial knowledge empowers individuals to make informed decisions, manage risks effectively, and achieve long-term financial security.

@CHRP (K) Quresha Ahmed, Executive Director @IHRM expounded that managing Human Capital the strategic approach to managing an organization's most valuable asset: its people. It encompasses all activities related to attracting, developing, retaining, and optimizing employee contributions to achieve business goals.



TRANSFORMATIVE DIALOGUE

CPSP(K) AS A PATHWAY TO SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT PROFESSIONALIZATION



Dr Fred Ongisa PhD, CEO of KISEB making his presentation during the Heads of Procurement and Supply Chain Management Forum 2024 in Mombasa

The Certified Public Supply Professional of Kenya (CPSP(K)) certification, administered by the Kenya Institute of Supply Examination Board (KISEB), is driving the evolution of supply chain management in the country. By setting rigorous standards for knowledge, skills, and ethical conduct, CPSP(K) empowers professionals to excel in their roles and contribute significantly to organizational success.

Dr. Fred Ongisa PhD, CEO KISEB underscored that the certification serves as a clear pathway for career advancement, offering



opportunities for growth and recognition within the supply chain industry. As CPSP(K) continues to gain traction, it is poised to become a cornerstone of a highly skilled and professional supply chain workforce.

Read more: <https://kism.or.ke/wp-content/uploads/2024/08/Statement-of-the-CPSP-K-Requirement.pdf>



Kenya Ports Authority Managing Director, Captain William Ruto, making his remarks during the Heads of Procurement and Supply Chain Management Forum 2024 in Mombasa

Present to grace the Heads of Supply Chain & Procurement Forum was Kenya Ports Authority Managing Director Captain William Ruto.

He challenged heads of procurement to uphold high levels of integrity while executing their duties and reflect on how to position the profession to support our country's development agenda. He underscored that all members had an opportunity to change

the negative perception about the profession by ensuring that they operate within the laid down legal and regulatory frameworks.

The Captain committed to partner with Kenya Institute of Supplies Management (KISM) and Public Procurement Regulatory Authority (PPRA) in enhancing professionalism of supply chain management practices.

Summary of Outcomes From Heads of Supply Chain and Procurement 2024 Edition

The HoPS 2024 Edition aimed to improve procurement practices, reinforce KISM's role, and foster ethical behavior in the procurement and supply chain management field. Key outcomes include:

1. KISM to work with the National Treasury with the support of the Office of the Prime Cabinet Secretary, on the review of the scheme of service for the Supply Chain Management (SCM) cadre of professionals.
2. KISM to follow up with the Government on opportunities for its members to be engaged in diplomatic installations, embassies and foreign attaches.
3. KISM will continue its advocacy efforts and provide a safe space for its members to lodge complaints and share frustrations from their superiors.
4. The National Treasury to convene a meeting of accounting officers from KISM, PPRA, KISEB, and PPARB to discuss reform proposal in supply chain management as directed by the President.
5. KISM members to be involved in the e-GP Rollout which has been proposed to be integrated with KISM ERP System as an avenue to enhancing compliance through registration and licensing.
6. Schools Procurement Enforcement: KISM to work with PPRA to build the capacity of schools' procurement departments and to provide necessary technical support.
7. KISM to strengthen its disciplinary procedures in accordance with the relevant Act to handle matters of professional misconduct.
8. KISM will advocate for the fast-tracking of the Conflict-of-Interest Bill.
9. KISM will expedite the signing of an MOU with the law enforcement agencies and stakeholders to enhance collaboration and partnership for greater relevance and credibility.
10. KISM to follow up on the engagement of supply chain practitioners by the Office of the Auditor General on assignments admissible under the Public Audit Act, 2015 especially in specialized and performance audits.
11. KISM will undertake continuous education on Continuing Professional Development (CPD), RPL, Fellowship Policy among other reform interventions

IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENTS

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CPSP-K is designed to equip trainees with knowledge, practical skills and attitudes that will enable him/her perform duties as a buyer, Supply Chain manager, supervisor and/or director in an organization.

Eligibility Criteria

Degree with at least 480 credits in relevant subject areas or equivalent prior learning experience and/or a qualification in the relevant subject area or 600 credits after KNQA Level 2, APS-K with 3 years' relevant work experience.

Duration of the CPSP – K Programme: 1,800 hours.

Examination Schedule: April, August and December

LOAN OPPORTUNITIES FOR (CPSP-K) CANDIDATES

The HELB is inviting applications for the 2024-2025 Salaried loans from employed Kenyan students pursuing the Certified Procurement and Supply Professional of Kenya (CPSP-K).

We encourage our entire membership to take advantage of this opportunity, as we strive to explore more opportunities in bridging the financial gaps for members pursuing our programmes.

For more information, visit www.kism.or.ke; and www.helb.co.ke

KISM PUBLIC Notice 1/7/2024:

<https://kism.or.ke/wp-content/uploads/2024/08/KISM-CPSP-K-1-AUGUST-2024.pdf>

CPD-GUIDELINES



Exciting news for all KISM members! The long-awaited CPD policy has been published. This marks a new chapter in our journey towards continuous improvement.

For more information please visit

<https://kism.or.ke/wp-content/uploads/2024/08/CPD-GUIDE-LINES-2024-REQUIREMENT-.pdf>

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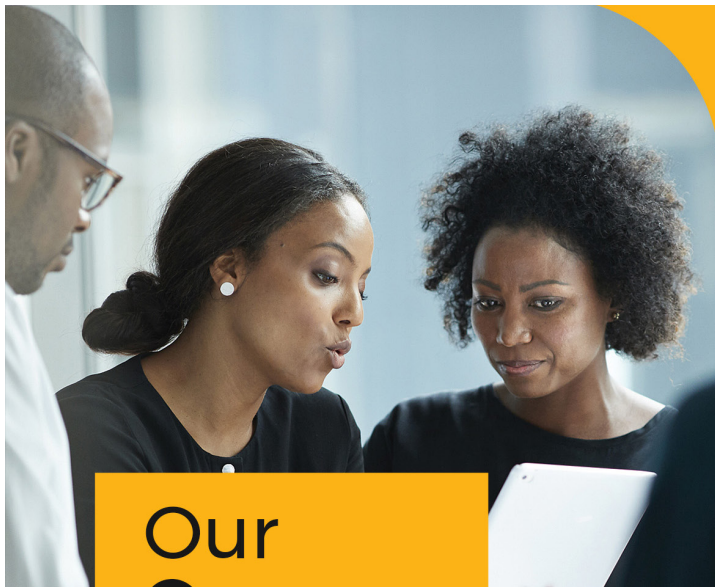
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Founded by the Kenya Institute of Supplies Management (KISM) and registered under TVET Authority, the school, now invites applications from persons interested in pursuing Supply Chain Management courses offered, which include;

Kenya Institute of Supplies Examination Board (KISEB) Courses

1. Associate in Procurement and Supply of Kenya (APS-K)
2. Certified Procurement and Supply Professional of Kenya (CPSP-K)

Chartered Institute of Procurement and Supply (CIPS) Courses

- CIPS Level 2 Certificate in Procurement and Supply Operations
- CIPS Level 3 Advanced Certificate in Procurement and Supply Operations
- CIPS Level 4 Diploma in Procurement and Supply
- CIPS Level 5 Advanced Diploma in Procurement and Supply
- CIPS Level 6 Professional Diploma in Procurement and Supply

Fee Structure

CIPS	Tuition fee per unit	Virtual fees per unit	Tuition fee (All units)	Virtual fees (All units)
Dip (Day/Eve/Sat)	Ksh. 7,000	Ksh. 7,000	Ksh. 56,000	Ksh. 56,000
Adv. Dip (Eve/Sat)	Ksh. 7,000	Ksh. 7,000	Ksh. 56,000	Ksh. 56,000
Prof. Dip (Eve/Sat)	Ksh. 8,400	Ksh. 8,400	Ksh. 58,800	Ksh. 58,800

KISEB	In-person fees per unit	Virtual fees per unit	Tuition fee (All units)	Virtual fees (All units)
APS I	Ksh. 5,000	Ksh. 5,000	Ksh. 35,000	Ksh. 35,000
APS II & III	Ksh. 7,000	Ksh. 7,000	Ksh. 49,000	Ksh. 49,000
CPSP I & II	Ksh. 8,000	Ksh. 8,000	Ksh. 48,000	Ksh. 48,000
CPSP III	Ksh. 8,500	Ksh. 8,500	Ksh. 51,000	Ksh. 51,000

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TOPICS OF INTEREST

Procurement Best Practices: Innovative strategies, case studies, and success stories.

Supply Chain Management: Trends, challenges, and solutions in the evolving supply chain landscape.

Sustainability in Procurement: Green procurement practices and sustainability initiatives.

Technology in Procurement: The impact of digital transformation, AI, and other technologies.

Regulatory Compliance: Navigating the complexities of procurement regulations.

ANNOUNCEMENT!

We are excited to announce the upcoming edition of the Wanunuzi Newsletter, and we invite you to **share your insights, expertise, and experiences** with our vibrant community. Your contributions are vital to creating a rich and diverse publication that reflects the knowledge and passion of our members.

Please email your article to communications@kism.or.ke with the subject line "Newsletter Article Submission." Our editorial team will review all submissions, and selected articles will be featured in the next edition of our Newsletter.

IN-HOUSE CAPACITY BUILDING INITIATIVES



SCM Professionals during an in-house training by the Kenya Institute of Supplies Management

The customized in-house training programmes are designed to equip practitioners and stakeholders with practical skills and knowledge to carry out procurement within the confines of prevailing procurement law and guidelines, while promoting professionalism and best practice in SCM practice. This helps to increase overall organizational effectiveness through the application of tested procurement and supply chain management concepts.

We continue to conduct customized procurement and SCM trainings on In-House basis geared towards achieving efficiency and value for money in supply chains management.

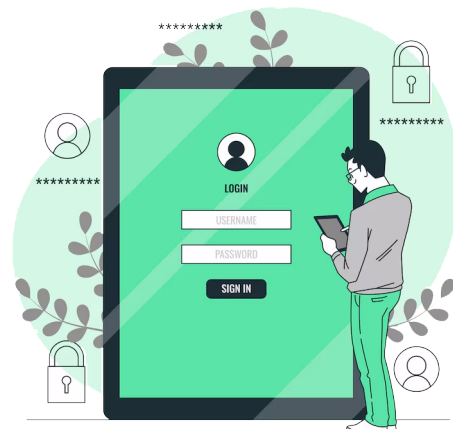
Upcoming In-House Training in the month of July.

1. KenGen on PPAD Act 2015 & PPADR 2020
2. The Judiciary on Supply Chain Management Staff sensitization
3. Kenya Roads Board (KRB) on Staff & Supplier sensitization
4. Kenya Civil Aviation Association (KCAA) on PPAD Act 2015 & PPADR 2020

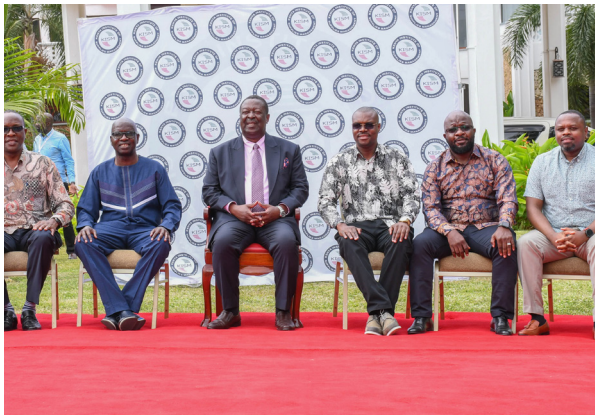
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WEEKLY MOMENTS



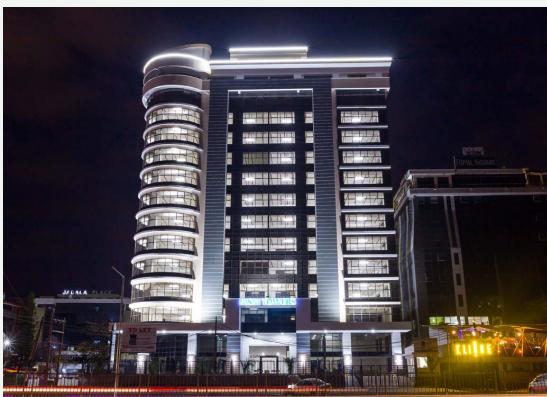






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Lined Up Activities

Workshop: Trainer of Trainers

Date: 21st to 23rd August 2024

3 Days at KISM Towers

Cost: Members, Ksh. 20,000 +VAT

Non-Members, Ksh. 20,000 +VAT

Workshop: Diversity, Equity and Inclusivity

Date: 29th August 2024

Virtual

Cost: Free

Workshop: AISCR-KISM ANNUAL SCM Research Conference

Date: 23rd – 25th October 2024

3 Days – University of Nairobi

Cost: **Member:** Full time students: \$70 Academics from Africa: \$150 SCM Practitioners from Africa: \$250 International participants \$350

Non-Member: Full time students: \$77 Academics from Africa: \$165 Practitioners from Africa: \$275 International participants \$375

Workshop: Resilient and Sustainable Logistics Supply Chain

Date: 26th – 30th August 2024

5 Days in Mombasa

Cost: Members- Ksh. 60,000 +VAT

Non-Members- Ksh. 65,000 +VAT

Workshop: 3rd National Dialogue

Date: 14th – 18th October 2024

5 Days Mombasa

Cost: Members-60,000 +VAT

Non-Members- 65,000 +VAT

Workshop: Application of Modern Technology in Supply Chain Management: Leveraging Artificial Intelligence and Block Chain Techniques

Date: 2nd - 6th September 2024

5 Days in Naivasha

Cost: Members-60,000 +VAT

Non-Members- 65,000 +VAT

Workshop: Managing Talent in Supply Chain Management

Date: 10th September 2024

Virtual

Cost: Free

Workshop: Professionalizing Health Supply Chain

Date: 16th – 20th September 2024

5 Days - Mombasa

Cost: Members-60,000 +VAT

Non-Members- 65,000 +VAT

Workshop: Procurement training for committees, CECs and user departments

Date: 23rd – 27th September 2024

5 Days – Naivasha

Cost: Members-60,000 +VAT

Non-Members- 65,000 +VAT

Workshop: Procurement for World Bank Financed Projects: Advanced Class

Date: 23rd Sep – 4th Oct 2024

10 Days - Kisumu

Cost: Members- 160,000 +VAT

Non-Members- 180,000 +VAT

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