

# **Decolonising Development**

## **Academics, practitioners and collaboration**

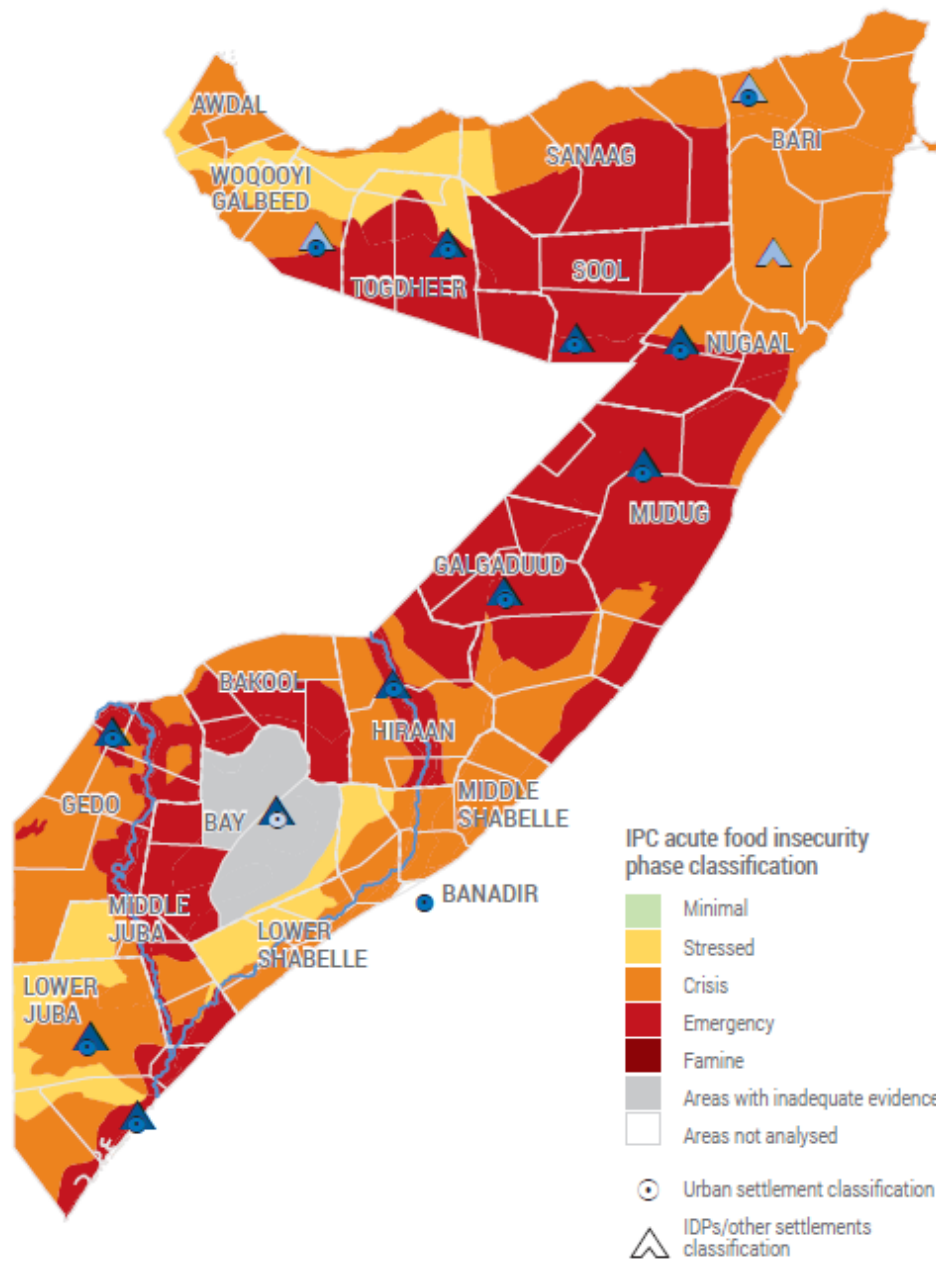
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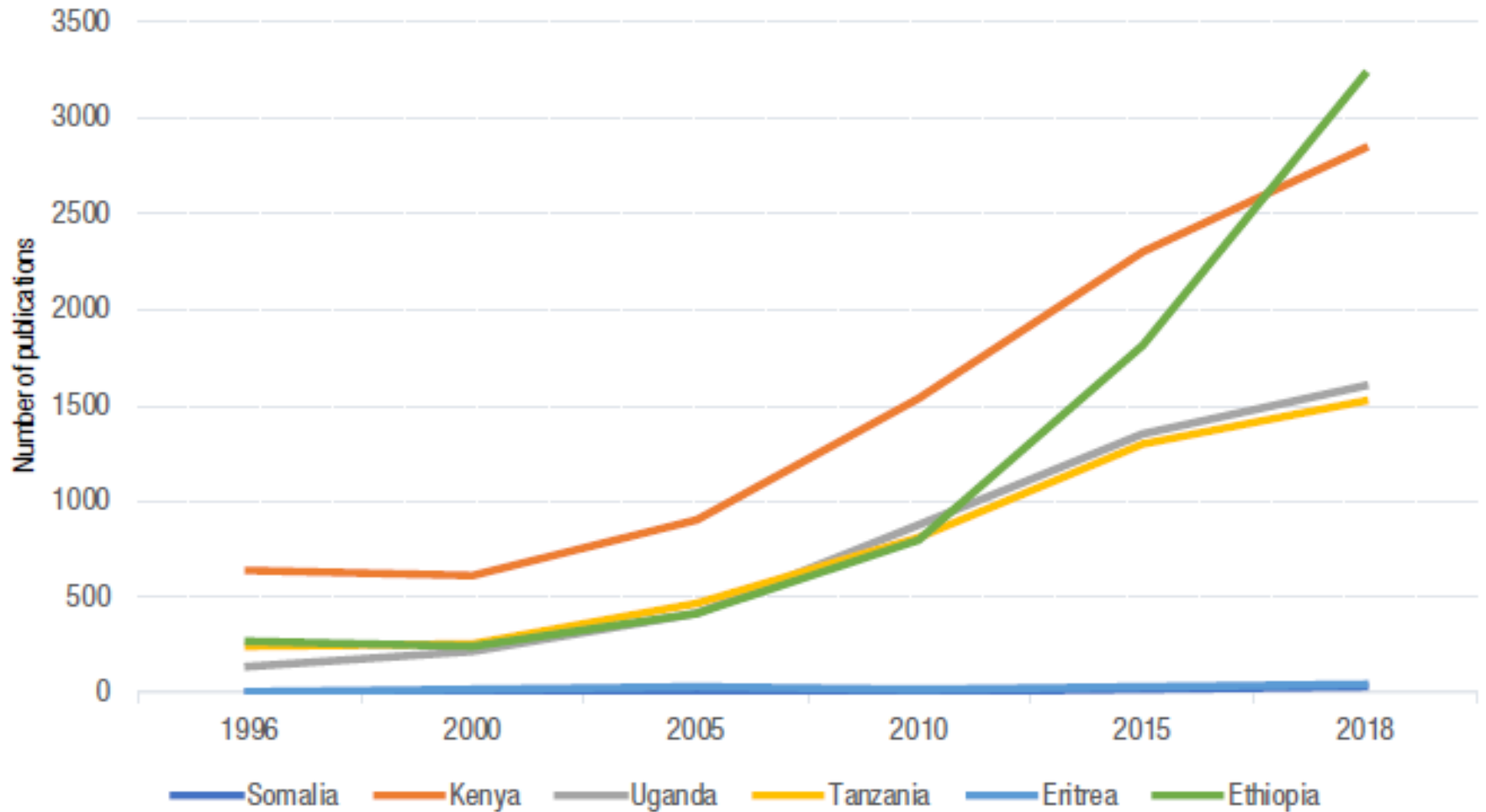
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# **Somali First: promoting Somali-led development**

- Strategic partnership UoB-Transparency Solutions since 2015
- Balanced political relationships Somalia-Somaliland
- Collaboration with top of Somali government, private sector
- All sectors

# Commitments and practices

- Safety, effectiveness, integrity
- Sustainable development: global
- Change: locally led, simple, complicated, complex
- Co-production: with, not for
- Combine Somali knowledges with academic knowledges
- Recognise capacity
- Create opportunities for potential to emerge
- Linguistic diversity
- Funding: maximise amount and control for Somali entities