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Cultural Resilience...

...THE PASTORALIST STYLE

The people of the cow...

- While livestock is central to pastoralist communities, natural resources, the family and sociocultural relations are as important.
- Livestock is kept under mobile modes, to exploit and manage resources within rangelands, across territories.
- Well developed social institutional arrangements mean the system is well oiled, with well developed IK.
- The system of pastoralists is built for flexibility and adaptability – changing circumstances environmental or otherwise.



Additional tenets of cultural resilience:

- **Spiritual beliefs**
- **Cultural identity**
- **Traditional Governance**



But in a context of change...

- Governments, colonial and postcolonial.
- Policies crafted and implemented to sedentarize pastoralists.
- Climate change effects.
- Discovery of land and natural resources in pastoralist communities.





The KCE... one of many responses?

A week for culture, knowledge transfer, on all aspects pastoralist & Karamojong since 2014.



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