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FINTECH & BLOCKCHAIN

Application, Risks, Regulatory Focus for Stablecoins

Navigating Digital Finance's Fastest-Growing Asset Class Across Africa and Beyond

SECTOR	FORMATS	FEE FROM	2027 SESSIONS
Fintech & Blockchain	5 days & 2 weeks	US$ 2,100	3

OVERVIEW

About this course

Stablecoins have gone from a niche crypto workaround to a live rail for payments, trade finance, and treasury management — and most financial institutions are still catching up. Every stablecoin held, issued, or settled without a clear view of its risk profile is a liability sitting on someone's balance sheet or compliance register.

That gap is exactly what this Seya Capital Stablecoins Masterclass closes. Stablecoins pair the speed and programmability of crypto with the price stability of fiat, and regulators worldwide — from the FATF's global standards to Africa's own central banks and securities regulators — are racing to keep pace with how fast that combination is being adopted for cross-border payments, decentralised finance, and financial inclusion.

Nowhere is that race more consequential than in Africa. In Nigeria, stablecoins have become a practical hedge against naira volatility and a genuine remittance rail, prompting the Central Bank of Nigeria to launch the eNaira and the SEC to introduce rules for digital assets. In Kenya, the Central Bank of Kenya has explored the case for a digital currency while its highly developed mobile money market makes financial inclusion a live use case. In South Africa, the Reserve Bank's Project Khokha and the Financial Sector Conduct Authority's move to regulate crypto assets show a market maturing quickly. This training course gives bankers, regulators, and fintech innovators the practical grounding to use that momentum with confidence, not exposure.

This Seya Capital training course will highlight:

- An introduction to the stablecoin ecosystem and key use cases across both TradFi (payments and remittance) and DeFi applications
- The latest innovations in stablecoins and the tokenisation of real-world assets
- How stablecoins are being used to drive financial inclusion, micropayments, and microlending across Africa
- Risks across the stablecoin ecosystem, including technical, operational, liquidity, market, and regulatory risk
- The importance of robust governance frameworks
- Global and African regulatory developments and emerging compliance best practice
- Integration with CBDCs and expansion into payments, trade finance, and treasury management

2027 SCHEDULE

Dates, venues & fees

DATES	VENUE	FORMAT	FEE PER DELEGATE
4 – 8 Jan 2027	Port Elizabeth, South Africa	5 days	**US$ 2,650**
11 – 22 Jan 2027	Arusha, Tanzania	2 weeks	**US$ 3,780**
18 – 22 Jan 2027	Arusha, Tanzania	5 days	**US$ 2,100**

Fees exclude travel and accommodation. This course is also available in-house, on dates and at a venue of your choice.

OBJECTIVES

By the end of the course

By the end of this Seya Capital Stablecoins Masterclass, you will learn to:

- Understand stablecoins and their utility in modern finance
- Explore real-world use cases of stablecoins in banking, trade finance, DeFi ecosystems, and cross-border payments
- Identify key risks associated with stablecoins, including regulatory uncertainty and cybersecurity threats, and strategies to mitigate them
- Analyse the regulatory landscape in Kenya, Nigeria, South Africa, and globally to ensure compliance while fostering innovation
- Build the tools to anticipate future trends such as programmable money and cross-border collaborations, including Africa's Pan-African Payment and Settlement System (PAPSS)

WHO SHOULD ATTEND

Designed for

This Seya Capital Stablecoins Masterclass is suitable for a wide range of professionals, and will greatly benefit:

Banking professionals, particularly those in risk, compliance, and digital transformation

Regulators and central bankers overseeing digital assets

Fintech professionals exploring stablecoin applications

Project teams working on DeFi or CBDC initiatives

Anyone in financial institutions interested in emerging technology and the digital transformation of finance

Participants will gain a robust understanding of, and hands-on practice with, current innovation in the stablecoin sector.

PROGRAMME

Course outline

Day 1: Introduction to Stablecoins

- Introduction to the stablecoin ecosystem
- Types of stablecoins (fiat-backed, commodity, algorithmic, crypto) and their role in digital finance
- CBDC versus stablecoin: issuance, control, and use case comparison
- Key global and African use cases, including cross-border payments, asset tokenisation, and financial inclusion
- Comparing key stablecoins, such as Tether and Circle, and their footprint across African markets

Day 2: Use Cases of Stablecoins

- TradFi applications: trade finance, reducing costs, and improving efficiency
- Treasury management: real-time liquidity solutions, such as JPM Coin
- Micropayments: enabling small-value cross-border transactions, including remittances into and across Africa
- The role of stablecoins in DeFi ecosystems
- Real-world examples from African fintechs using stablecoins for cross-border settlement and remittances

Day 3: Risks Associated with Stablecoins

- Regulatory uncertainty across jurisdictions
- Cybersecurity threats and data privacy
- Liquidity management challenges
- Market risk: analysing recent stablecoin collapses, such as TerraUSD
- Interoperability challenges between public and private stablecoin ecosystems
- Risk mitigation strategies for banks adopting stablecoin technology

Day 4: Regulatory Landscapes

- Global regulatory frameworks, including MiCA and FATF standards
- Nigeria: the Central Bank of Nigeria's eNaira and the SEC's digital asset rules
- Kenya: the Central Bank of Kenya's digital currency discussion paper and the Capital Markets Authority's regulatory sandbox
- South Africa: the Reserve Bank's Project Khokha and the Financial Sector Conduct Authority's crypto asset framework
- Comparing regulatory approaches across African markets and globally
- Balancing innovation with compliance in digital finance

Day 5: Future Trends and Regional Focus

- Emerging trends, including programmable money and smart contracts
- Multi-currency solutions for cross-border trade facilitation, including the Pan-African Payment and Settlement System (PAPSS)
- Stablecoins and the African Continental Free Trade Area (AfCFTA) agenda
- Integrating stablecoins into financial ecosystems
- Opportunities for collaboration between banks, regulators, and fintech across Kenya, Nigeria, South Africa, and the wider continent

CERTIFICATION

Seya Capital certificate

Upon successful completion of this classroom-based training course, delegates will be awarded a Seya Capital Certificate.

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