Figure 2.8 **Refugee flows spike after a crisis and then slow over time**

Source: WDR 2023 team calculations, based on October 2022 data from Forced Displacement Flow Dataset (dashboard), Refugee Data Finder, Statistics and Demographics Section, Global Data Service, United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees (UNHCR), Copenhagen, https://www.unhcr.org/refugee-statistics/insights/explainers/forcibly-displaced-flow-data.html.

Note: The figure plots the average flow for refugee "situations" commencing between 1991 and 2017. A "situation" begins when the refugee flow exceeds 25,000. The shaded area indicates the 95 percent confidence interval. The category "refugees" includes refugees, asylum-seekers, and other people in need of international protection as determined by UNHCR.

Endnotes