Media Hopper Replay – Feature Updates June 2025

Please see below a list of some new features / UI changes in Media Hopper Replay that will be going love on 30 June 2025.

- New Media Player The new media player should consolidate all the different media player UI that was previously in the platform into one consistent interface across the platform. This interface will allows users easy access to auto-generated transcripts that accompanies videos as a sidebar in the player, more options to change the layout of video sources as well as easy access to Q&A functionality & confusion flags.
- New Media Details Page The new media details page change how the menus for viewing and making changes to media details will appear in Replay. All functionality in terms of changing titles & descriptions, sharing/publishing content, editing content & transcripts and adding polls to videos will remain but the UI has changed to make accessing these features simpler and more intuitive in the platform.
- Live Player A new Live player has been enabled that will change the UI for both instructors and students participating in Live Streamed sessions in Replay. Users joining the platform will now have the option to join a live stream *In person* which is designed for students attending & engaging a live session in person but who still want to view the live feed. The alternative is to join a session *Remotely* which is designed for users attending & engaging with live sessions off-campus

As always, if you have any questions, please get in touch.

Publishing videos to a Media Hopper Create channel.

How to publish a video

To upload a video, e.g. from another university source such as Blackboard Collaborate, click Add New on media.ed.ac.uk, then click Media Upload to begin.

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Launch Desktop Recorder	
Upload Modia	
Drag & Drop a file here	
or	
Choose a file to upload	
All common video, audio and image formats in all resolutions are accepted.	

When uploading a piece of media to Media Hopper Create, certain fields must be filled in order for the video to be published to a course channel. The required fields to publish can be filled in while uploading the content, or after uploading the content by finding the video and clicking Actions>Edit>Details and filling in the fields below. In order to publish the media fill out:

-Name (The title of the video that will be displayed)

-Description (Will be displayed underneath the video)

-**Tags** (at least one tag word is required for the video to be published and help people find it easier)

-License Type (This is the copyright license to be applied to the content. I normally select All Rights Reserved The University of Edinburgh from the dropdown menu but this is at the content creator's discretion.)

Course code, Publisher, Language and Date Created do **not** need to be filled in order to publish the video but can be useful to fill in to make the video easier to retrieve later on. A publishing schedule can also be set so the media can only be viewed for a certain period of time (useful for perhaps making a video only available during one semester).

 You now need to agree to request automatic subtitles before you can publish your content.

NOTE: Selecting this box does NOT enable auto-captioning, this is done in the next step.

Date Created:	Image: Please select the creation date of this media.	
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	I understand that if I'm publishing this media to share with other people that I should request automated subtitles. To request automated subtitles, you must click Actions under the player for your video, choose Caption & Enrich from the dropdown, and ensure the information shown is correct before clicking Submit. For detailed guidance please see the video here: https://media.ed.ac.uk/media/0_e5w9ufj2	
	□ I agree to the above statement about automated subtitles. * Required To Publish	
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After the details are filled in, on the video uploading page (or on the video editing page under Publish instead of Details), set the Publishing Status to Published (if Published is not selectable, there are missing video details that still need to be filled in). A drop down menu will appear giving the option to Publish in Category or Publish in Channel. Select Publish in Channel and select a channel you manage to publish to the channel.

