

Create a DIY live broadcast

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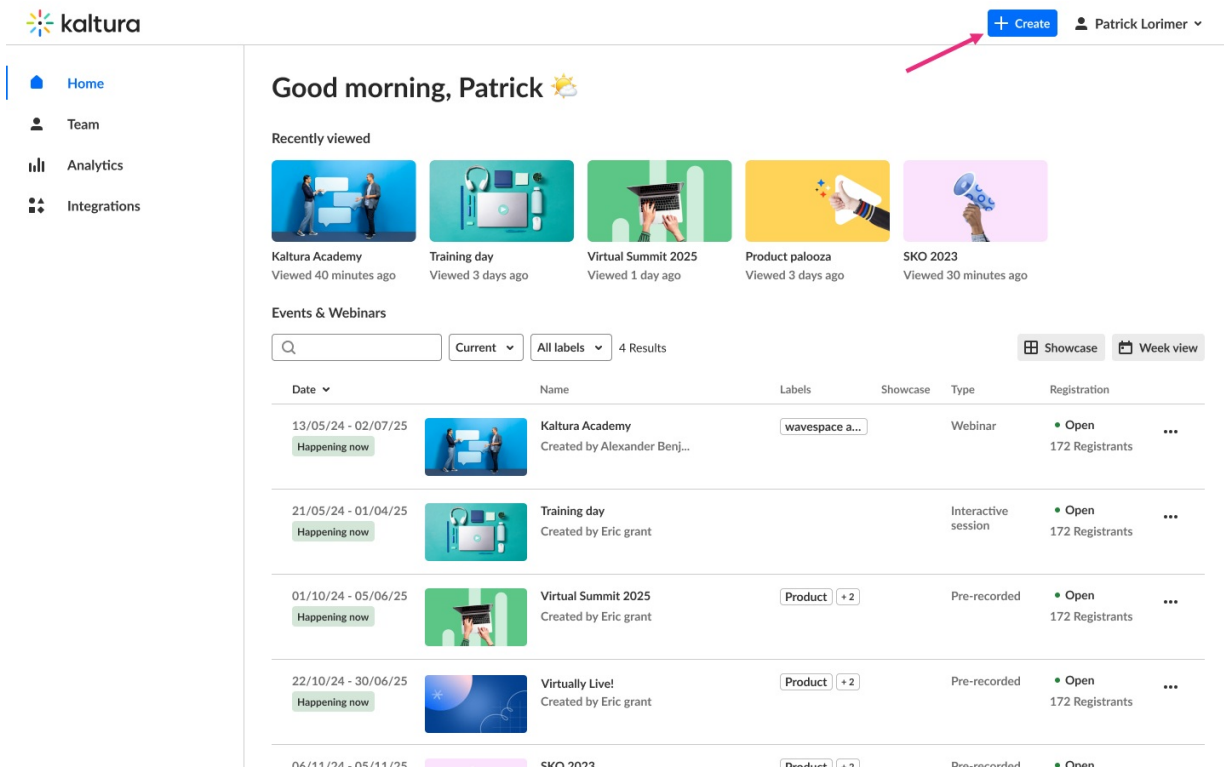
About

DIY live broadcasts let you stream a live event directly from a Kaltura Studio room. After creating the event, you launch the studio and start broadcasting.

DIY live broadcasts automatically transition from live to VOD, so the recording is published when the broadcast ends.

Create a DIY live broadcast

1. Log into your Kaltura Virtual Events account.
The homepage displays.
2. Click the blue **+ Create** button in the upper right corner of the screen.




The screenshot shows the Kaltura Virtual Events dashboard. In the top right corner, there is a blue button labeled '+ Create' with a red arrow pointing to it. The dashboard includes a sidebar with navigation options (Home, Team, Analytics, Integrations), a greeting 'Good morning, Patrick', and a table of 'Events & Webinars'.

Date	Name	Labels	Showcase	Type	Registration
13/05/24 - 02/07/25 Happening now	Kaltura Academy Created by Alexander Benj...	wavespace a...		Webinar	Open 172 Registrants
21/05/24 - 01/04/25 Happening now	Training day Created by Eric grant			Interactive session	Open 172 Registrants
01/10/24 - 05/06/25 Happening now	Virtual Summit 2025 Created by Eric grant	Product +2		Pre-recorded	Open 172 Registrants
22/10/24 - 30/06/25 Happening now	Virtually Live! Created by Eric grant	Product +2		Pre-recorded	Open 172 Registrants

The 'Get started with a template' page displays.


Get started with a template

Presets Custom



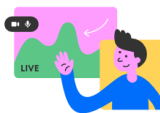
Blank template
Start from scratch and create your own event.

Select




Interactive session
Present, speak with your attendees, and use engagement tools. Perfect for a small-medium audience.

Select




Live webcast
Broadcast live to an unlimited-sized audience, at the highest production quality.

Select



Pre-recorded live
Record and edit your session in advance, then broadcast it live.

Select



DIY live broadcast
Broadcast live from a virtual studio room with no production needed. Solo or with multiple speakers.

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Looking for something else?
No worries, we have tailor-made solutions just for you.


[Let's talk](#)



If your Kaltura Virtual Events account includes Custom templates, the Get started with a template page shows two tabs: **Presets** and **Custom**. If Custom templates aren't configured, only Preset templates appear.

3. Choose the **DIY live broadcast** template.


Get started with a template



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The 'Let's get started' window displays.

Let's get started

Start with a few details about your event

Title 0/120

Short description

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Event format

Single session Multi-session

Start time (required) **End time**

→

Time zone

Asia/Jerusalem (GMT+02:00) ▼

Attendees will log into the event with:

Login link via email Email and password

[Create](#) [Cancel](#)

4. Complete the following details:

- **Title** - A title for your event (char limit is 120).
- **Short description** - A description for your event.

- **Event format** - Choose single session or multi-session. For information on these formats, see [Single-session vs multi-session events](#).



Looking for more information about the Single session event experience? Feel free to contact your Kaltura representative.

5. Set the **event schedule**:

- If you chose **Single session**, enter a start date and time, duration, and time zone.

Event format
 Single session Multi-session

Date **Time** **Duration (Minutes)**

Time zone

- If you chose **Multi-session**, enter the event start and end times and time zone.

Event format
 Single session Multi-session

Start time (required) → **End time**

Time zone

- Choose whether attendees will log into the event with a **login link via email** (AKA Magic Link), or with an **email and password**.



This option is only available for Preset event templates and, after creation of event, can only be changed by Kaltura. On Custom event templates, this will be preconfigured by the template.

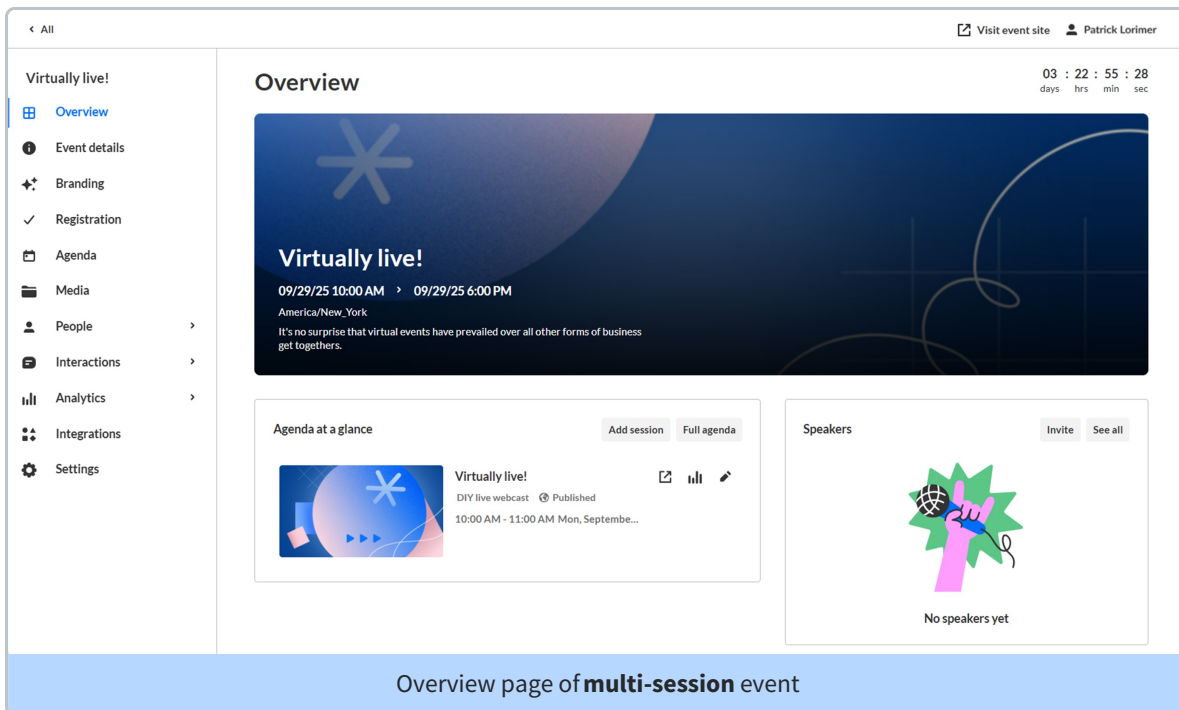
- Click **Create**.

The building process begins, which may take a few minutes.

View your new event

Once the event is created, it appears on the [Overview page](#), which opens by default.

At this stage, the event site and registration aren't published yet.



The Overview page shows key details, including:

- **Event status** - a countdown to when the event will start, "Happening now", or "Ended [time period] ago"
- **Event details** - name, scheduled date/time duration, time zone, and description (if provided).
- **Agenda at a glance** -A list of event sessions with access to each session's page, analytics, and editing options
 - Click **Add session** to add a new session*
 - Click **Full agenda** to open the Agenda page
- **Speakers** - A list of invited speakers, including headshots, bios (if provided), registration status, and editing options
 - Click **Invite** to add a speaker
 - Click **See all** to open the Speakers page

The Overview page also includes a link to the event site. Click **Visit event site** at the top right corner to preview it.

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Virtually live!

- Overview
- Event details
- Branding
- Registration
- Agenda
- Media
- People
- Interactions
- Analytics
- Integrations
- Settings

Overview


03 : 22 : 55 : 28
days hrs min sec

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09/29/25 10:00 AM > 09/29/25 6:00 PM
America/New_York
It's no surprise that virtual events have prevailed over all other forms of business get together.

Agenda at a glance


Add session Full agenda



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10:00 AM - 11:00 AM Mon, Septembe...

Speakers

Invite See all



No speakers yet

To learn more, see [Getting to know your event site, session page, lobby page, and main stage.](#)

*For more information on adding sessions, see:

- [Add an Interactive Room session to your event](#)
- [Add a Live Webcast session to your event](#)
- [Add a Pre-recorded session to your event](#)
- [Add a DIY Live Webcast session to your event](#)