

Order alignment services via KMC

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This article is designated for administrators.

About

Alignment service, also known as ordering captions based on a transcript file (.txt), synchronizes a provided script with the audio or video content. This is ideal for scripted videos, like training content, where the speaker reads from a prepared text.

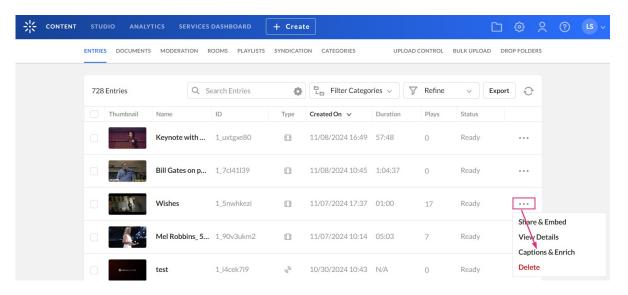
Simply upload the transcript as a .txt file, and the alignment process will match the script to the timing of spoken words in the video. The system will align the txt with the video and provide a caption file (SRT/DFXP). If the speaker closely follows the script, this results in nearly 100% accurate captions.



For a list of common terms related to creating caption and enrichment requests in Kaltura, see our article REACH terminology.

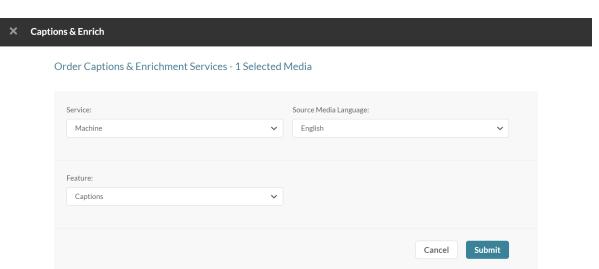
Access the Captions & Enrich page

- 1. Log into your KMC. The **Entries** page displays.
- 2. Locate the desired media and click the the **three dots menu** to the right, then select Captions & Enrich.



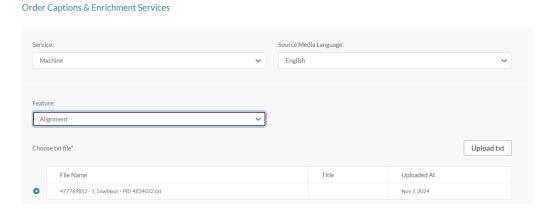
The Captions & Enrich page displays.





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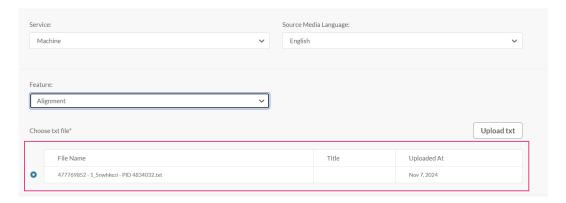
- 1. Complete the fields as follows:
 - Service Select 'Machine'.
 - Source Media Language Select the language from the drop-down menu.
 - **Feature** Select 'Alignment'.



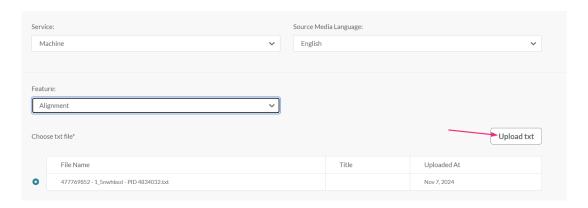
A list of txt files displays. The first file is automatically chosen. If there are no txt files, a message displays: *No files were found.*



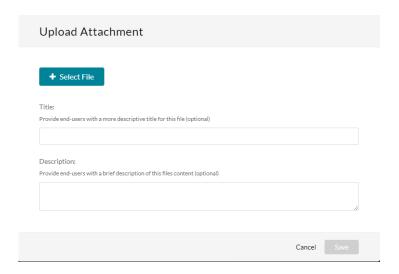
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2. Click **Upload txt** to upload a new file.

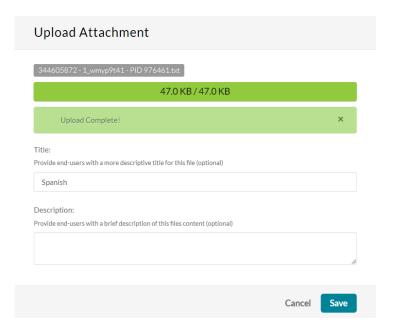


The **Upload Attachment** window displays.



- 3. Complete the **Title** and **Description** fields.
- 4. Click +Select File.
- 5. Select a file from your computer and click 'Open' to begin the upload process. Your request is generated, and a success message displays: *Upload complete!*



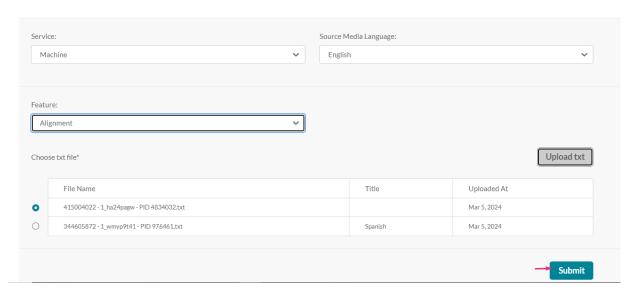


6. Click Save.

The main screen displays.

7. Click Submit.

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Learn more

- You can easily manage and monitor your caption requests and budget via the REACH dashboard. Read about it in our article Moderating Services Requests and General Statistics - REACH v2
- REACH features a handy transcript widget which you can read about in our article Transcript.



