

# Disable comments and close discussion in KAF

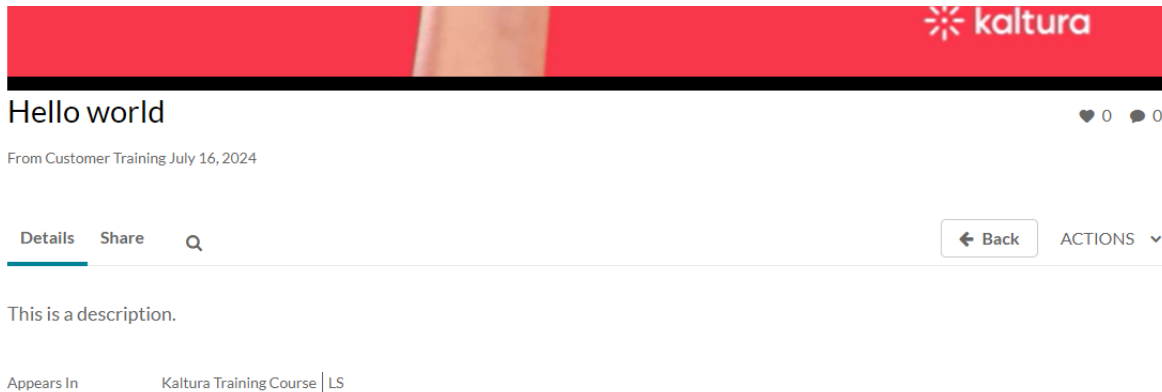
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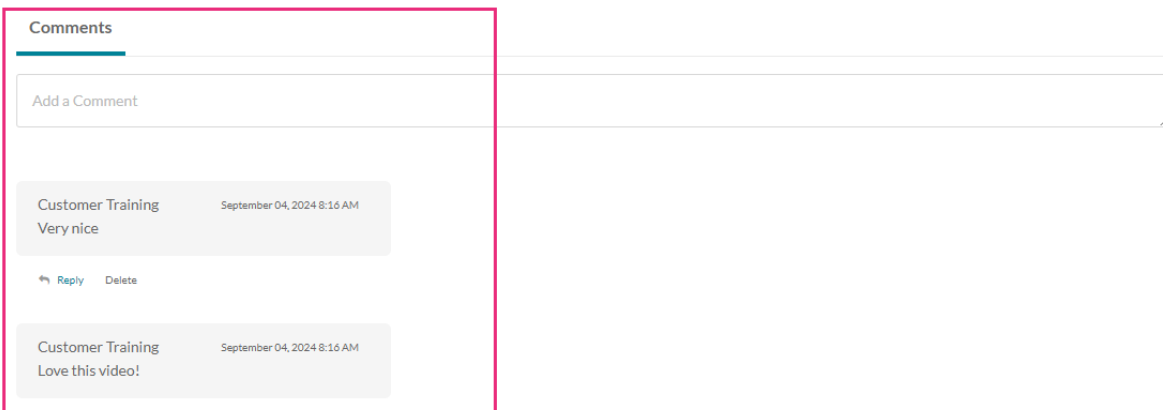
## About

Comments allow viewers to engage with your content by sharing thoughts, asking questions, and fostering discussions, helping to build a sense of community.

They appear under the media item, lower down the page below the video details section.



The screenshot shows a video player with a red header bar containing the Kaltura logo. Below the video, the title "Hello world" is displayed with a heart icon and "0" next to it, and a speech bubble icon with "0" next to it. Below the title, it says "From Customer Training July 16, 2024". There are tabs for "Details" and "Share", and a search icon. A "Back" button and an "ACTIONS" dropdown menu are also visible. Below the video, it says "This is a description." and "Appears In Kaltura Training Course | LS".



The screenshot shows a comments section with a "Comments" header. Below the header is a text input field with the placeholder "Add a Comment". There are two comments displayed:

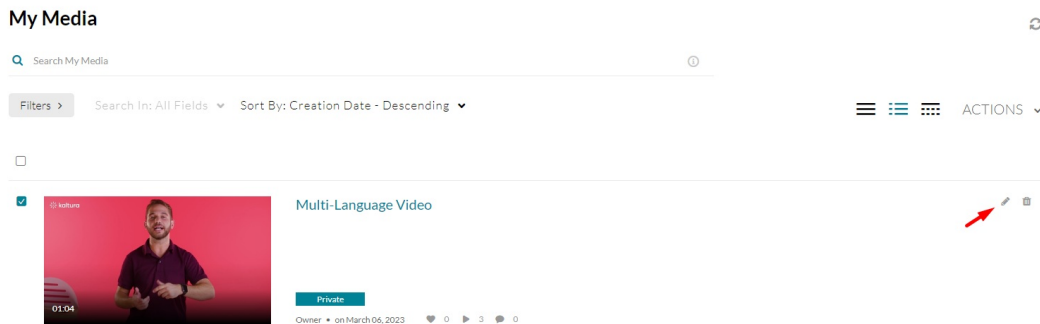
- Customer Training September 04, 2024 8:16 AM  
Very nice  
Reply Delete
- Customer Training September 04, 2024 8:16 AM  
Love this video!

In this article, we'll guide you through disabling or closing discussions to manage engagement effectively.

## Access the Edit media page

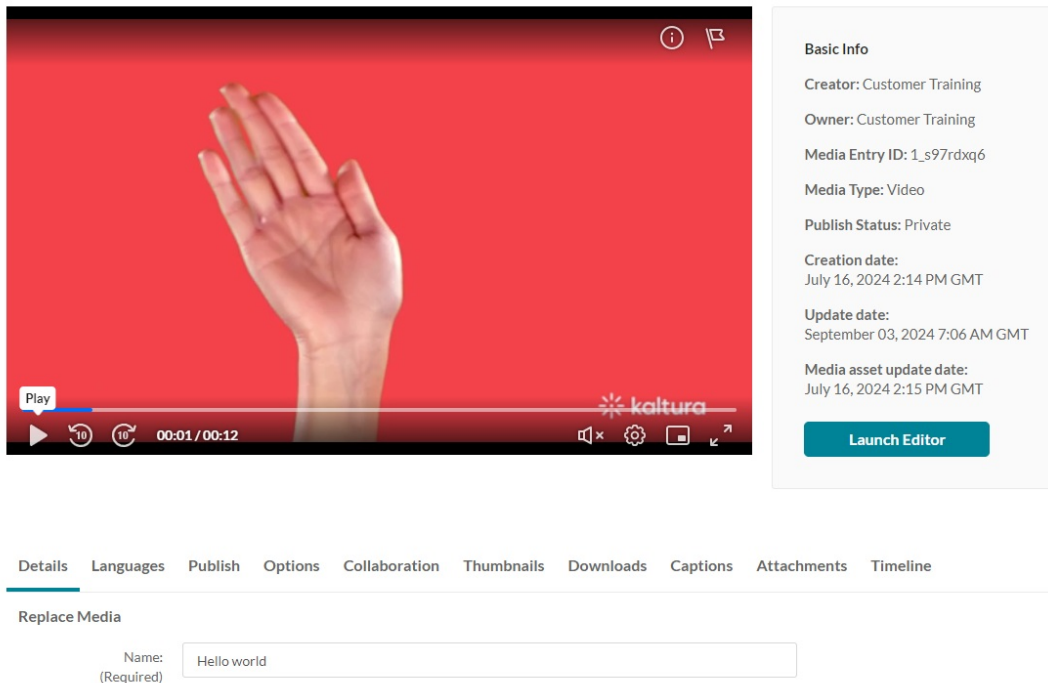
1. Access [My Media](#).

2. Click the **pencil icon** next to the desired media.



The **Edit media page** displays.

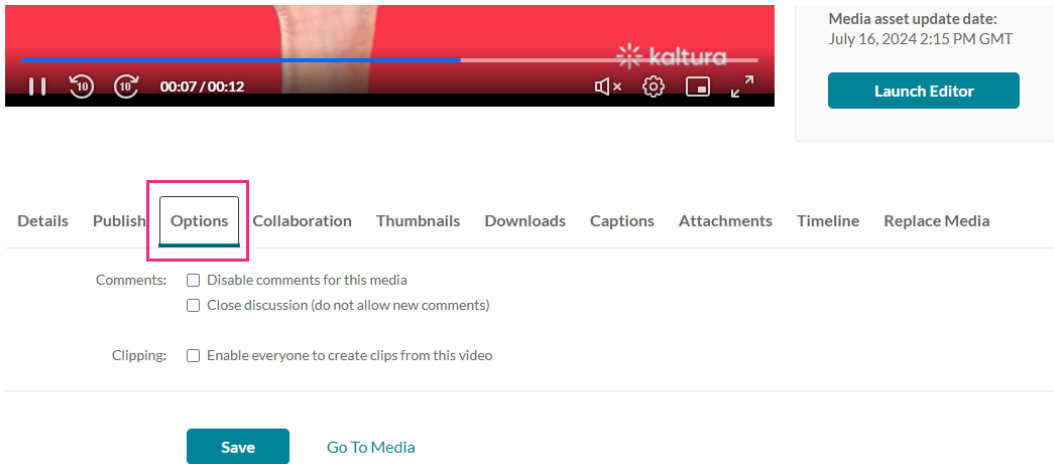
## Hello world

The screenshot shows the 'Hello world' edit media page. On the left is a video player with a red background and a hand gesture. On the right is a 'Basic Info' sidebar with the following details:

- Creator: Customer Training
- Owner: Customer Training
- Media Entry ID: 1\_s97rdxq6
- Media Type: Video
- Publish Status: Private
- Creation date: July 16, 2024 2:14 PM GMT
- Update date: September 03, 2024 7:06 AM GMT
- Media asset update date: July 16, 2024 2:15 PM GMT

A 'Launch Editor' button is located at the bottom of the sidebar. Below the video player, there are tabs for 'Details', 'Languages', 'Publish', 'Options', 'Collaboration', 'Thumbnails', 'Downloads', 'Captions', 'Attachments', and 'Timeline'. The 'Options' tab is currently selected. Under the 'Replace Media' section, there is a text input field with the name 'Hello world' and a '(Required)' label.

3. Click the **Options** tab.



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Launch Editor


Details Publish **Options** Collaboration Thumbnails Downloads Captions Attachments Timeline Replace Media

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 Close discussion (do not allow new comments)


Clipping:  Enable everyone to create clips from this video

Save Go To Media

## Disable comments

 Comments cannot be disabled / enabled for multiple channels at once.

1. Next to **Comments**, check **Disable comments for this media**.

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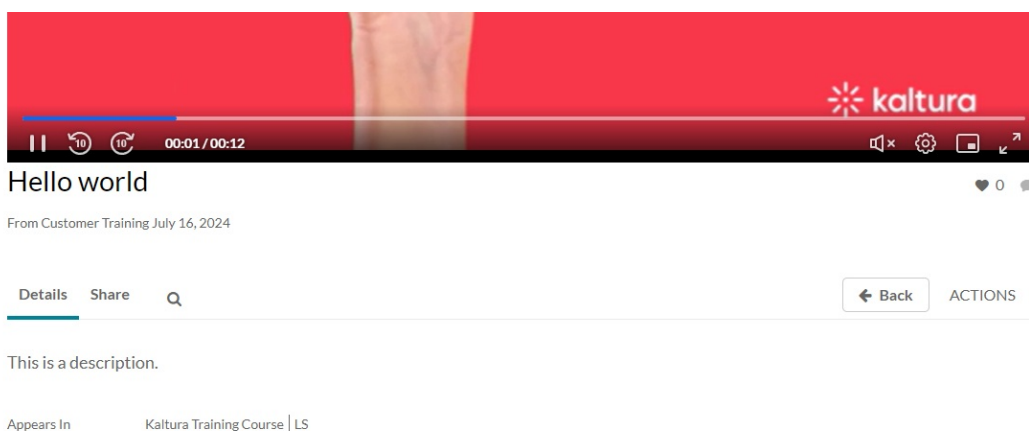
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Save

Go To Media

2. Click **Save**.

The **Comments** tab is now hidden on the media page.



Hello world

From Customer Training July 16, 2024

Details Share Q

← Back ACTIONS ▾


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✓ Previously submitted comments will reappear if you re-enable the comment feature.

## Close discussion

### 1. Check **Close discussion (do not allow new comments)**.

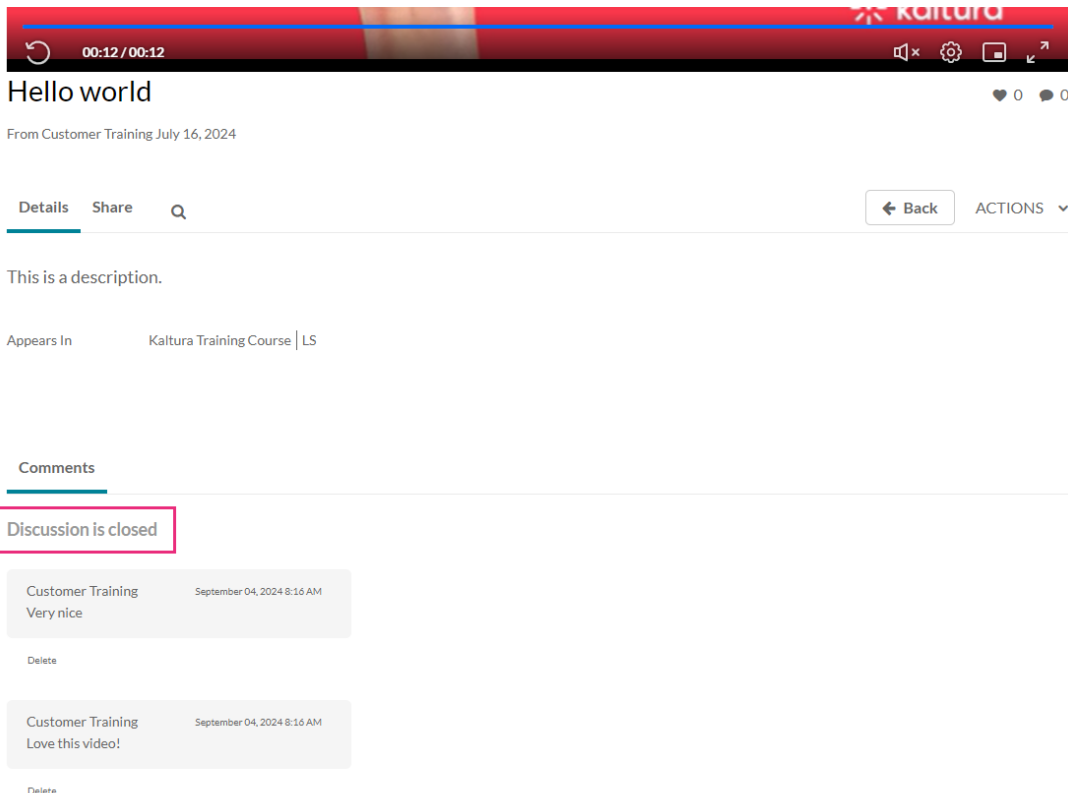
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### 2. Click **Save**.

On the **Comments** tab of the media page, 'Discussion is closed' appears and the 'Add a Comment' field is hidden.



00:12 / 00:12

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