

Transfer media you own to others in Canvas

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 This article is designated for all users.

About

As a media owner, you can transfer ownership to someone else, which is useful if the owner is leaving the organization or switching responsibilities.

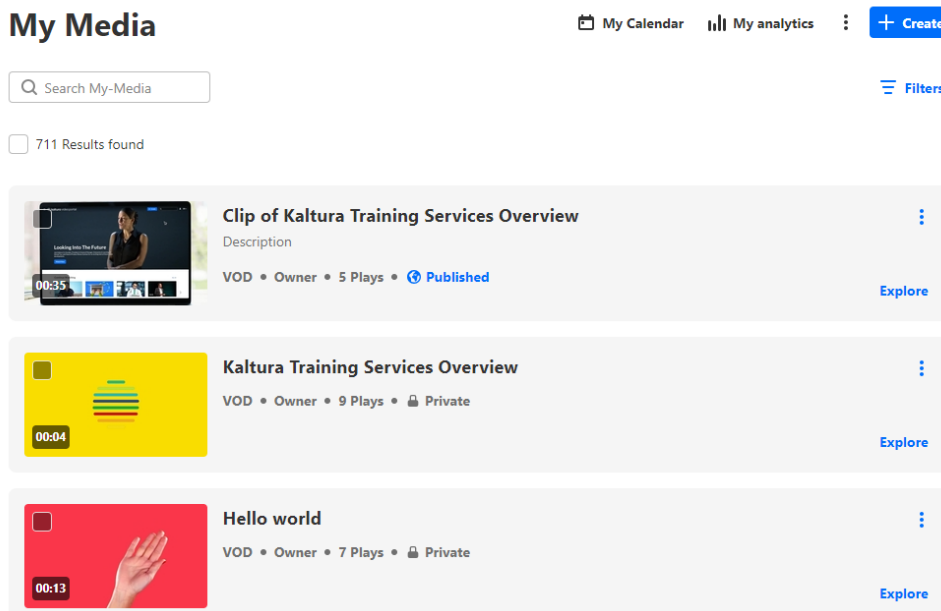
You can also add co-editors, co-publishers, and co-viewers. For more information, see our article *Manage roles and permissions*.



This feature requires the [Mediacollaboration module](#) to be enabled.

Change ownership




1. Access the **My Media** page.



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2. Check the box(es) on the top left of the desired entries.



If you want to search for entries according to ownership, see [Filter entries by ownership](#) below.

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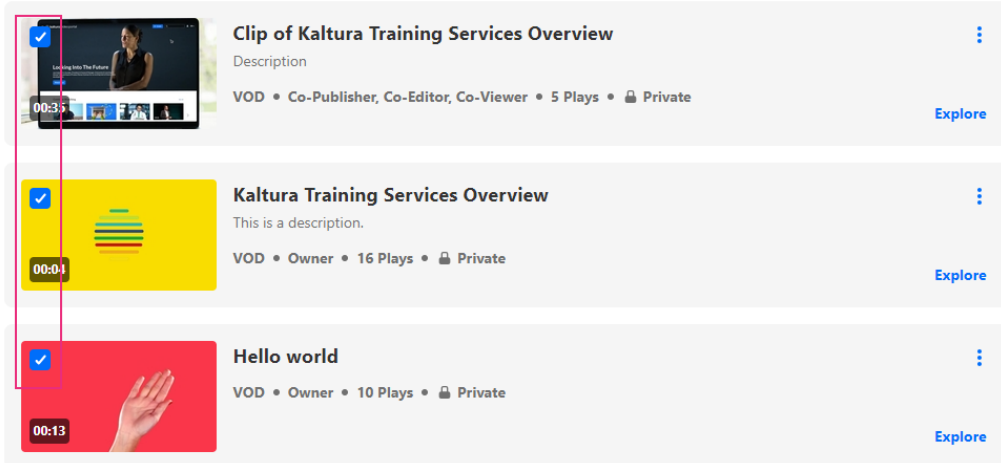
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- At the top of the page, click the **More actions** menu and select **Transfer ownership**.



This option only appears in the menu if the [mediaCollaboration](#) module is enabled and **changeOwnerEnabled** is set to 'Yes'.

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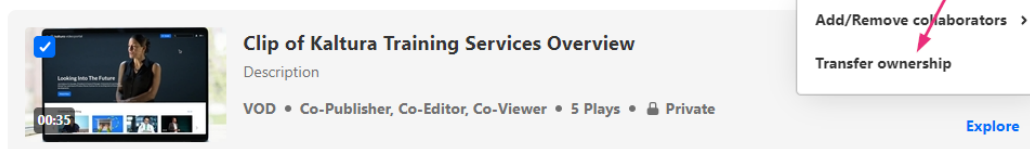
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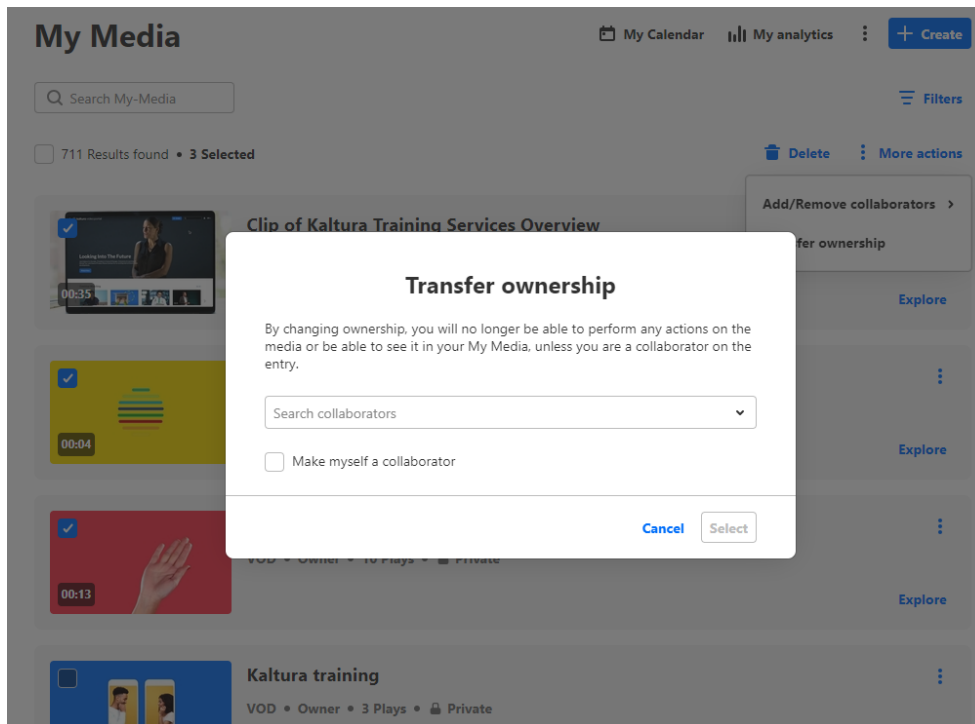
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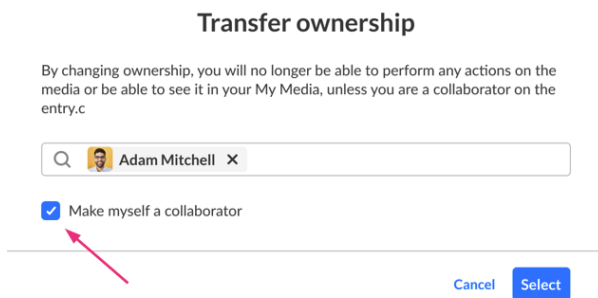
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The **transfer ownership** window opens.



4. Type the name of the person, people or group you want to transfer ownership to.



Below the name field, there's a checkbox that you can check if you want to set yourself as a collaborator on this media.

5. When you've finished entering the information, click **Select**.

A confirmation message displays: *Are you sure you want to transfer ownership for [x] items? Note: You will no longer be able to perform any actions on the media or be able to see it in your My Media, unless you are a collaborator on the entry.*


6. Click **Transfer ownership** to complete the process.

Filter entries by ownership

1. At the top right of the **My Media** page, click on the **Filters** to display the options.

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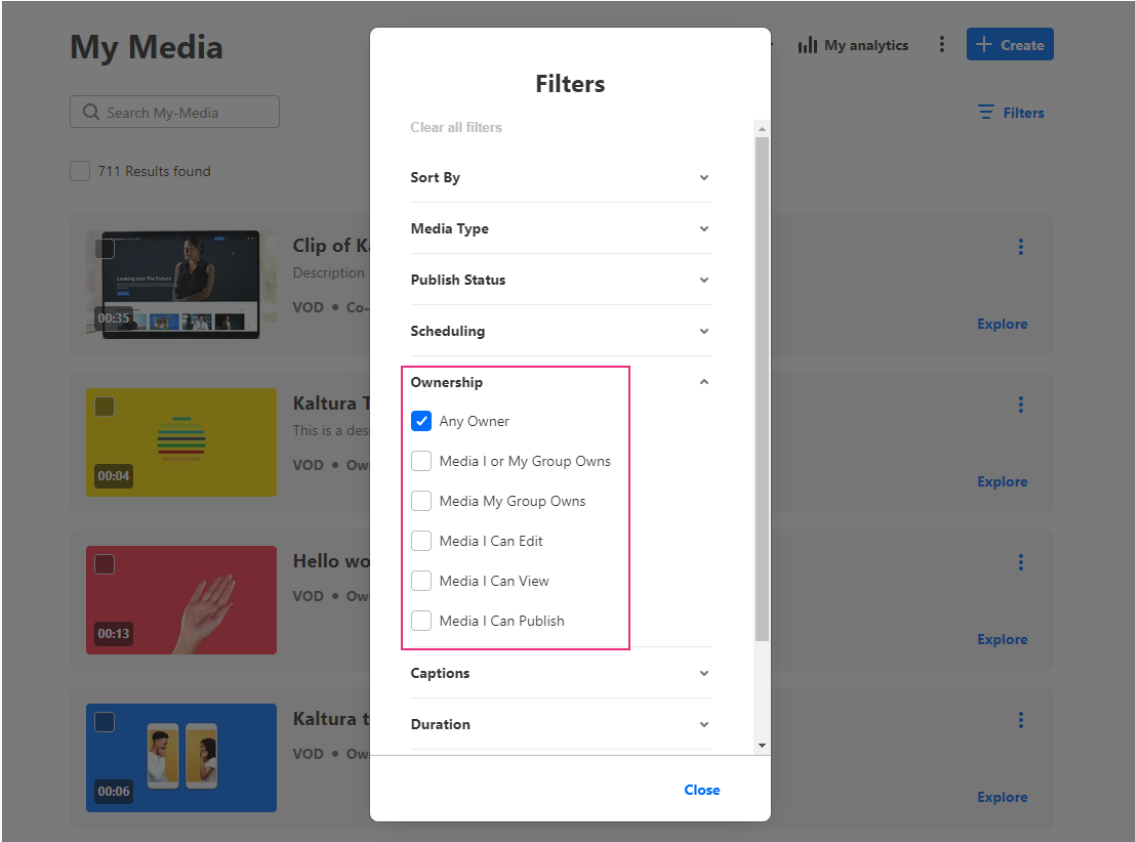
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2. Select one or more of the filters.



The screenshot shows the 'My Media' page with a 'Filters' modal open. The modal has a 'Clear all filters' link at the top. Below it are several filter categories: 'Sort By', 'Media Type', 'Publish Status', 'Scheduling', 'Ownership', 'Captions', and 'Duration'. The 'Ownership' section is expanded and highlighted with a red border. It contains six options: 'Any Owner' (checked), 'Media I or My Group Owns', 'Media My Group Owns', 'Media I Can Edit', 'Media I Can View', and 'Media I Can Publish'. A 'Close' button is at the bottom right of the modal.

The results display immediately.