

# MEDIA TRAINING FOR RESEARCHERS:

From Consumption to Impact

ACU-SUPPORTED TRAINING PROGRAM

### **KEY DETAILS**

- Format: 80% Self-Paced Online | 20% Optional Workshops
- Dates: April 22 June 3, 2025
- For: PhDs, Postdocs & Junior Faculty (All Disciplines)
- Certification: ACU-Recognized Completion Badge

# **SKILLS YOU'LL GAIN**

- Media Engagement: Master interviews, press releases & crisis communication
- Digital Presence: Build accessible online profiles & track engagement analytics
- Storytelling: Transform research into public-friendly narratives & visuals
- Collaboration: Partner across disciplines to co-create media content
- **Strategy Development:** Design personalized 12-month outreach plans





## **Core Modules**

- 1. Introduction to Media in Research
- 2. Communicating Research through Media
- 3. Building an accessible and inclusive online presence
- 4. Collaborative media projects and interdisciplinary engagement
- 5. Capstone project Developing a personal media strategy





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#### **Boost Your Research Impact: Join Our Media Training for Researchers!**

Kibabii University, in partnership with the Association of Commonwealth Universities (ACU), is proud to announce an exciting professional development opportunity: **Media Training for Researchers: From Consumption to Impact**.

#### Why This Program?

In today's digital age, researchers must communicate their work effectively to diverse audiences—peers, policymakers, media, and the public. This **ACU-recognized** training equips early-career researchers with the skills to amplify their research visibility, engage with media confidently, and build a strong online presence.

#### **Program Highlights**

- 1. Flexible Learning: 80% self-paced online, 20% optional workshops
- 2. Certification: Earn an ACU-recognized badge upon completion
- 3. Who Should Apply? PhD candidates, postdocs, and junior faculty across all disciplines
- 4. **Key Dates:** April 22 June 3, 2025 (Apply by April 18!)

#### What You'll Learn

- Media Engagement Master interviews, press releases, and crisis communication
- Digital Presence Build accessible, professional online profiles
- **III** Storytelling Turn complex research into compelling narratives
- Collaboration Partner with media professionals and interdisciplinary teams
- **Strategy** Design a 12-month outreach plan for long-term impact

#### **Core Modules**

- 1. Introduction to Media in Research Navigate the evolving media landscape
- 2. Communicating Research Through Media Craft engaging, ethical content
- 3. Building an Inclusive Online Presence Optimize accessibility and engagement
- 4. Collaborative Media Projects Co-create impactful content
- 5. Capstone Project Develop and present a personal media strategy

#### **How to Apply**

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**Don't miss this chance to elevate your research communication skills!** Limited spots available—apply by **April 18, 2025**.

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