

Tech Talk on Fridays

2024

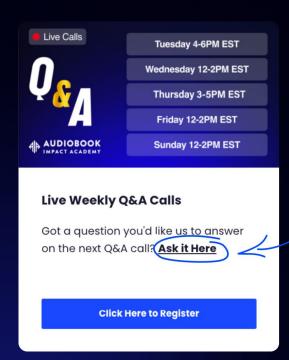
Common Tech Skills

First, we will prioritise the most important skills to be able to smoothly navigate the course

Average length: 15-25 mins.







Second, we will go through all questions submitted prior to today's call through the form in the AIA dashboard (Top 20).

Average length: 30-45 mins.

SPECIAL SEGMENTS

- Password Management
- How to Use Loom
- Using System Preferences
- Quiz
- Something else

Got a good idea for a segment?

Let us know!







Submit your questions live on the call in the Zoom Q&A field. We will pick the best questions to answer!



There are many students on this call, all at different points in their publishing journey. We receive many questions and do our best to choose the ones that are applicable and helpful to the majority of attendees on this call.

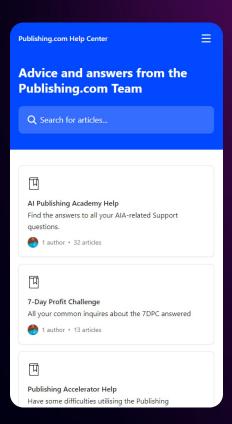
We would rather spend more time going deep into a good question rather than rushing from one question to the next. Therefore, we will pick and choose the best questions.



Visit our Help Center at help.publishing.com

- Account related (resetting password, Facebook group, etc.)
- KDSpy, Incognito, Chrome etc.
- 7 Day Publishing Challenge
- Pen names

In the Help Center, you will find clear answers (with videos) to all of these questions, so we will likely skip all questions related to these topics.



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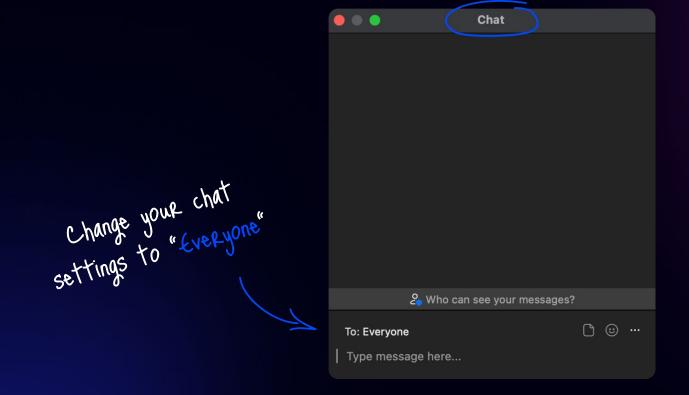
PS MONTHLY DISCOUNT

AIA students on Q&A calls get monthly discount codes from Publishing Services for various packages. New codes shared monthly which are **active all month**.



Students get 10% off Editing & Proofreading Package!





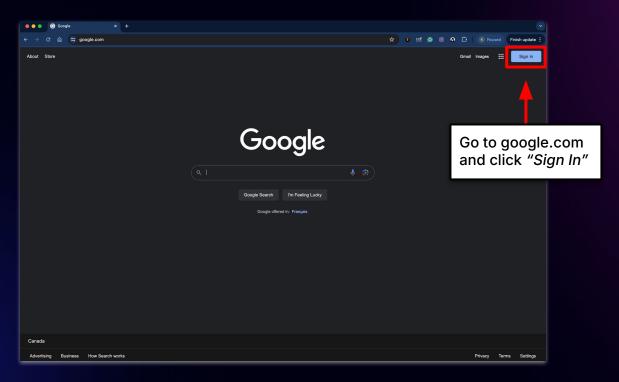
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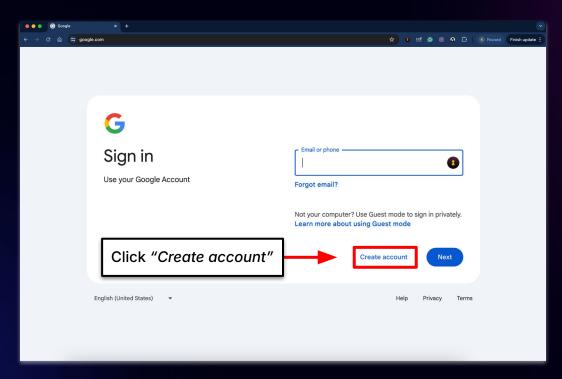
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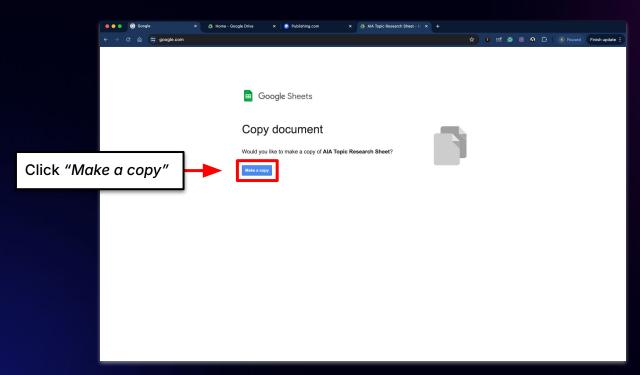
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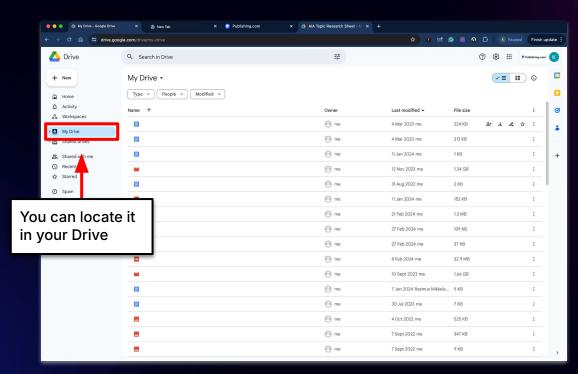
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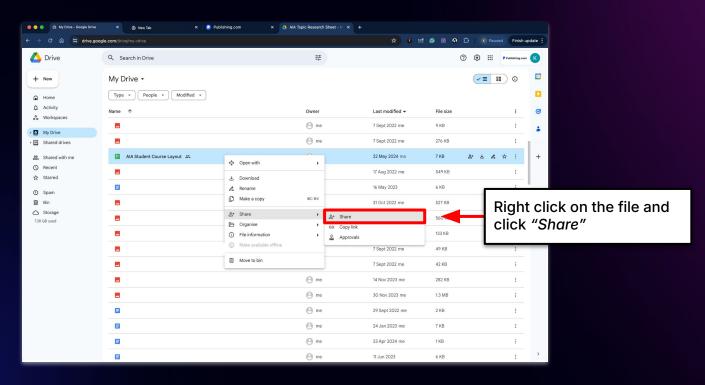
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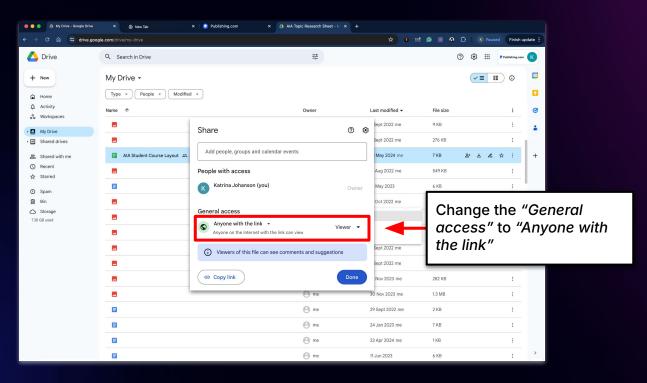
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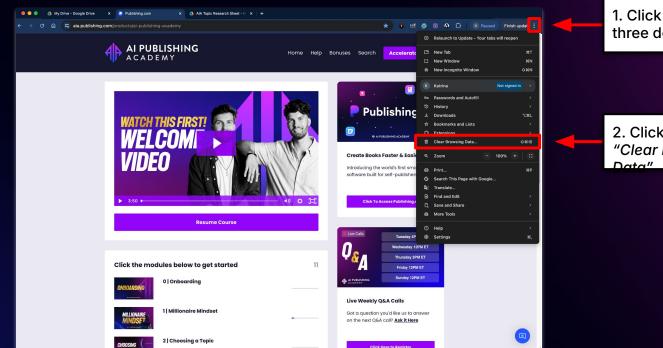
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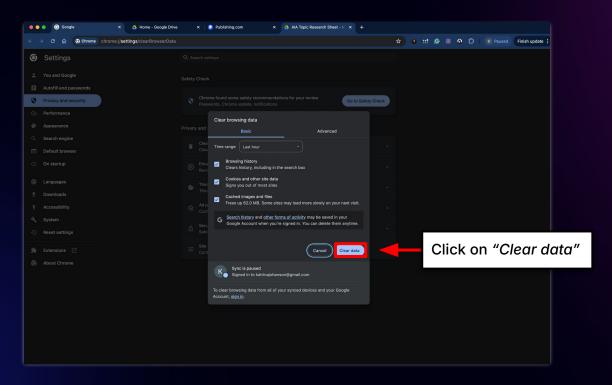
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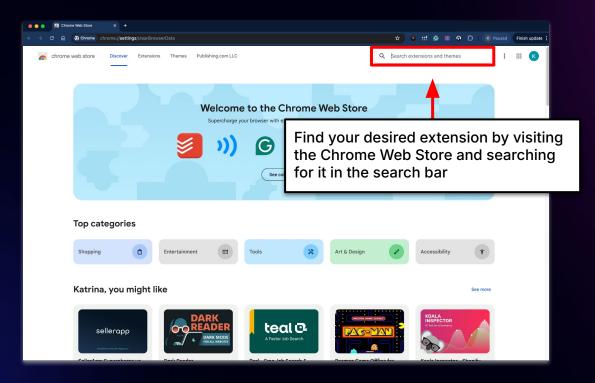


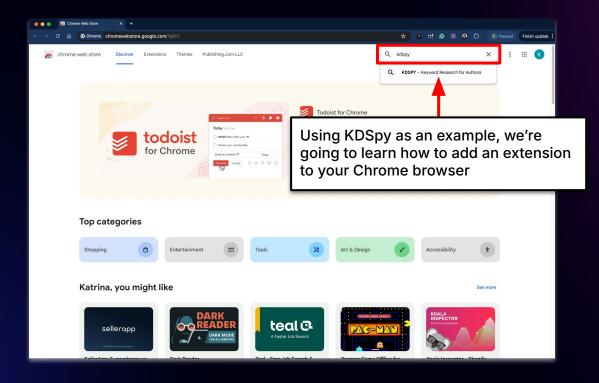
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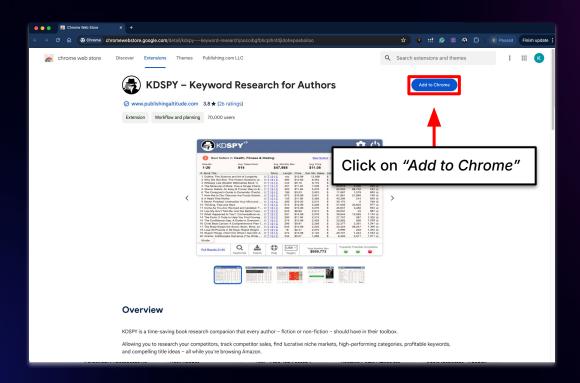
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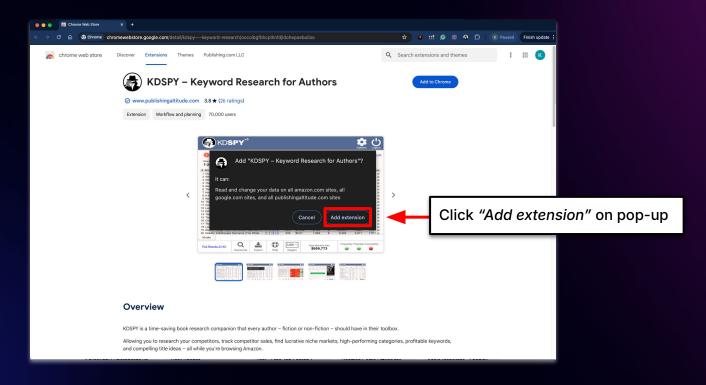
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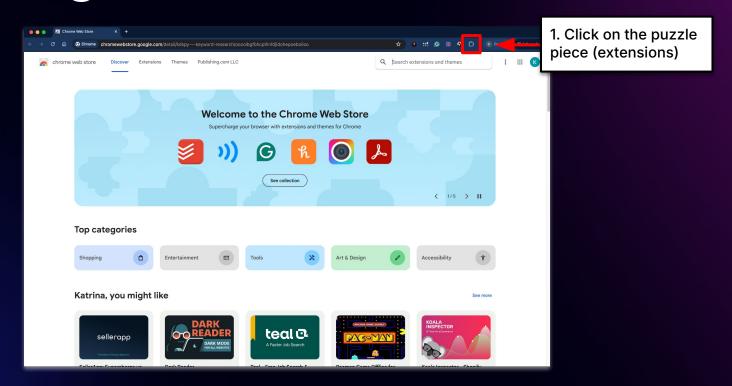


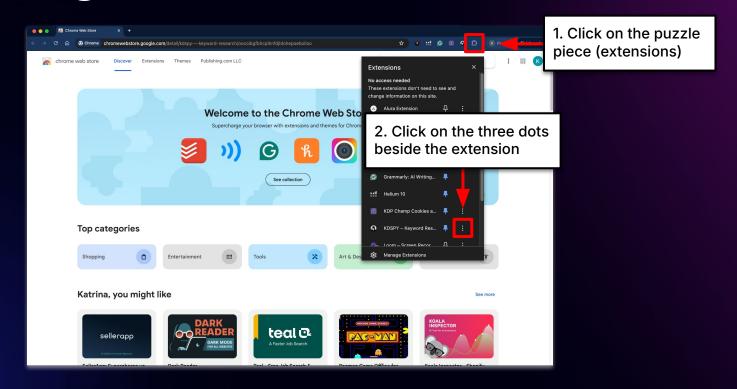


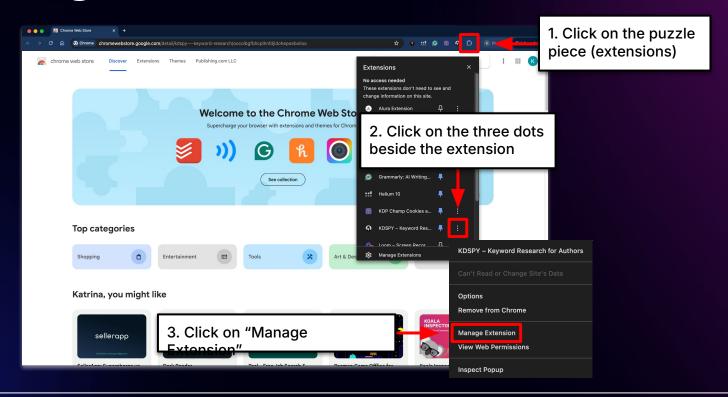


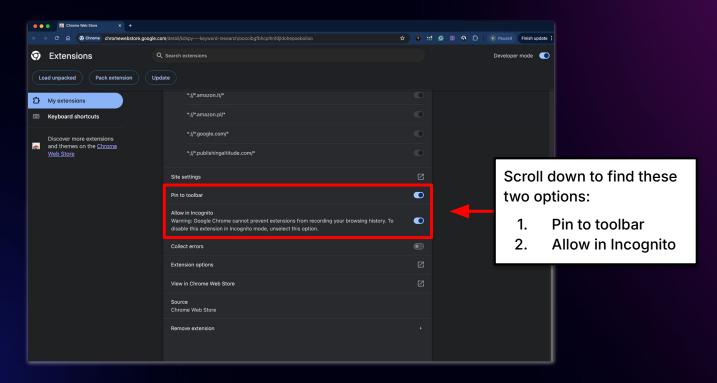




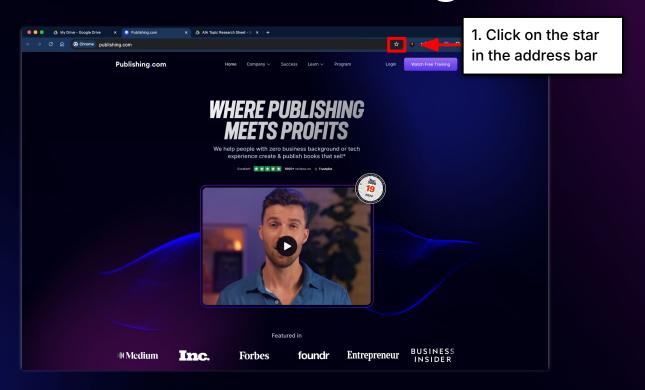




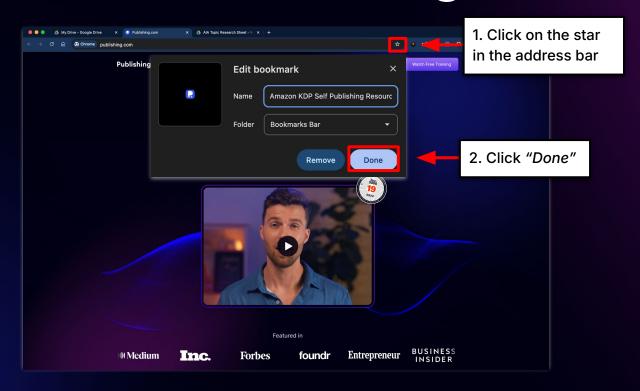




Bookmarking



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Katie

I would love feedback on my title and covers. The title I have (not reflected in all the covers) is:

Start an LLC: A step-by-step guide to form a limited liability company, protect your assets, maximize tax breaks, and avoid legal pitfalls, even if you have zero experience

Covers: https://99designs.com/contests/poll/6b3d5f66b4

Competition covers:

https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1SNP0X-45jEZRShyYAEdhh-yE-fh7tXsQIQ0rhUx7Y9E/e dit?usp=sharing

Nancy

When should I use a ghost writer over ai?

Polly

I've been running Amazon ads for several of my books. These books are written by Publish.Al, and I've tried to edit them using Grammarly. Initially, the covers were designed by Fiverr designers, but later I used 99designs to update all the covers and A+ content. Despite getting some clicks and spending a lot on ads, I haven't made many sales. The ads have been running for a while, and I've only made one sale. I think the lack of reviews or the content quality might be the issue. English is my second language, and I've used Grammarly to improve the relationship anxiety book. Can you give me some advice on how to improve sales? Thank you.

Book listings:

https://www.amazon.com/dp/B0D6KWMJ1T

https://www.amazon.com/dp/B0D4W41VM5

Jenny Z.

Hello! I am at the Editing stage of my book (about Herbal Remedies). I did not purchase an additional editing package when I bought the writing package on THE URBAN WRITERS.... in your personal experience, do you recommend hiring an editor (beyond the essential editing included in purchase)?

If yes, is there a way to get the discounted price on TUW even though I already bought a writing package from TUW that is completed? Or do I have to start over as a new purchase and pay the full price for editing? Also, is it the line-editing package recommended on the AIA course? I was a little confused, THANK YOU FOR YOUR HELP:)

Jay

I had received my manuscript back from GW. I see that the Table of contents is missing. How to go about to do TOC. And also some sub paragraph has got no numbering.?

Jay

May I know the size of the hard cover book.

pam

i am incredibly frustrated. i am trying to publish my first book and keep getting this error message from KDP about the PDF cover. I have gone back to the person who did the PDF cover 3 times and each time they 'fix' it, I reupload it, but i keep getting the same exact error message from KDP. I don't know what to do and do not understand how to fix it. please help!! Hi!

We checked your files and found issues you need to fix before your book can be published on KDP:

Cover

Resize the background or image on your front cover so that it extends 0.125" (3.2 mm) beyond the trim line. All covers must be sized for bleed, which means you need to add an extra 0.125" (3.2 mm) along the top, bottom, and sides of your cover file. Once you have increased the size of your cover, extend any images or backgrounds that you want to reach all the way to the edge of the page 0.125" (3.2 mm) beyond the trim line. This prevents manufacturing issues when the cover is trimmed to size.

Daniel

When I choose a book to read, it is a subject that interests me (personally), would it be better to write a book on a subject pf my personal interest?

Todd

I've been involved for less than a week, so I might find this answer as I continue my video trainings. I could not find it in the FAQ search. Question: Is there any concerns about sharing your titles and ideas while using the AI platform or by uploading information into the members area? In other words, someone could take your idea and creates a book around the same topic, etc.

Isaiah K

I want to create kid's educational activity books for road trips so that parents can entertain their kids, have family bonding, and schoolwork evidence for their kids at the end of the educational trip. I did the POC and customer research in the AI, and this idea is great.

But I want to know - can I make an Audiobook for this type of book?

I'm thinking that it can be a follow-along style of book, where you listen and read as a family in the car at the same time, with questions and activities to all fill out together in individual books or one family book. Is this a good idea?

Rita

Regarding a low-content extra project I have in mind - a Coloring Book...Must it meet the same 3 criteria for POC to be a viable, sellable product?

Angelo

I have recently used my manuscript credit, is there a way to redo that to make the Al Manuscript write another whole outline but with a different topic? Since the potential in getting success it's quite low on the current book right now.

William

I have been receiving coaching through the accelerated program. Since July 7th I no longer have access to the accelerated page or the 1-on-1 coaching schedule page. What happened??

Edward PW

tech question

https://docs.google.com/document/d/1bBkDhYunP4KHCT6CpadfgDsxjogUxMJ77FnNVnEZWal/edit?usp=sharing

link has questions and pictures (and an unrelevant example of how i use folders in bookmarks bar)

Aubree Eck

I started my amazon ads...when I look up some of the keywords in the Amazon search bar that I used in the keyword ad on Amazon, my book does not come up.. but I see other sponsored ones do.. Any advice? Thanks!

Elena

During last week's Tech Q&A Session [8-2-24], Dall-E prompts were shared in the chat for book cover creation by one of the coaches. Unfortunately, the Chat part of the Q&A is not recorded and I did not think to take a screenshot. Could those Dall-E prompts be put on one of the presentation slides? or whatever option you might be able to use so I/we can copy?

Thank you for all you do. I am learning so much in each session as I make my way towards my 30k book.