**Annual IT Subscription Cost Breakdown for Media Challenge Initiative (2025-2026)**

1. **AI Subscription**

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| **Item** | **Cost (Annual)** |
| **Claude AI** | $20/month × 12 = **$240** |

1. **Domain Subscriptions**

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| **Domain** | **Cost (Annual)** |
| **mcialumni.com** | $17.16 |
| **mci-admin.org** | $17.16 |
| **mciradio.live** | $32.98 |
| **solutionsnow.africa** | $10.98 |
| **mciug.org** | $14.98 |
| **Contabo VPS Storage ($6 per month)** | $72 |

1. **SSL Certificates**

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| **Domain** | **SSL Cost (Annual)** |
| **mcialumni.com** | $13.89 |
| **mci-admin.org** | $13.89 |
| **mciradio.live** | $13.89 |
| **solutionsnow.africa** | $13.89 |
| **mciug.org** | $13.89 |

1. **MCI Radio App Hosting**

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| **Service** | **Cost (Annual)** |
| **Contabo VPS Hosting** | $144 |
| **App Store Fee** | $99 |
| **Play Store Fee** | $25 (one-time fee, assumed paid in earlier years) |
| **SSL for App Domain** | $13.89 |

1. **Total Annual Costs**

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| **Category** | **Cost (Annual)** |
| **AI Subscription** | $240 |
| **Domain Subscriptions** | $93.26 |
| **SSL Certificates (5 domains)** | $69.45 |
| **MCI Radio App Hosting** | $256.89 |

**Grand Total for 2025-2026: $731.60**

**Office 365 Subscription**: The annual subscription for Office 365 with 31 user accounts at $6 per user per month totals **$2,232**. The subscription is set to expire on **2nd December 2025** and will need to be renewed to maintain uninterrupted access to Microsoft Office applications and services.