Apple Podcast Web Player User Guide

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Chapter 1 Introduction

The Apple Podcasts Web Player allows you to listen to free and premium podcasts in any supported browser. You can browse shows, follow favourites, manage your library, and play episodes without installing the Apple Podcasts app.

This guide explains how to:

- Access and use the Apple Podcasts Web Player
- Search, follow, and organize shows
- Play, episodes and manage queue
- Subscribe to premium content
- Save and share podcasts

The guide applies to modern browsers such as Google Chrome, Microsoft Edge and Mozilla Firefox. Safari opens the Apple Podcasts app automatically.

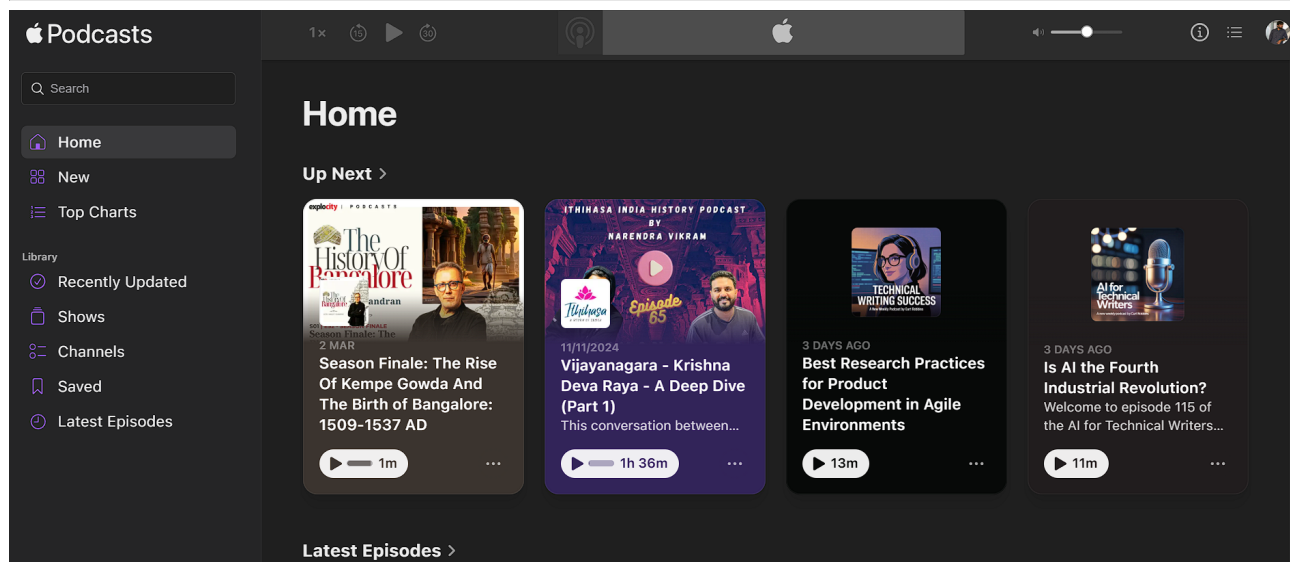Note: You need an Apple ID to access subscriber-only content.

Chapter 2 Get started

Section 2.1 Access the Web Player

1. Open your browser.
2. Go to podcasts.apple.com.
3. Select Sign In, and enter your Apple ID.

Section 2.2 Understand the interface

Area	Description
Sidebar	Access **Search,** Home, New, Top Charts, and your Library sections like Recently Updated, Shows, Channels, Saved, and Latest Episodes.
Media player controls	Controls at the top of the screen that include play/pause, skip, volume, and playback speed.
Content cards	The main viewing area that shows Up Next and other podcast categories.
Profile menu	Access Settings, account details, and subscription options.

Section 2.3 Sign in

1. **Select** Sign In.
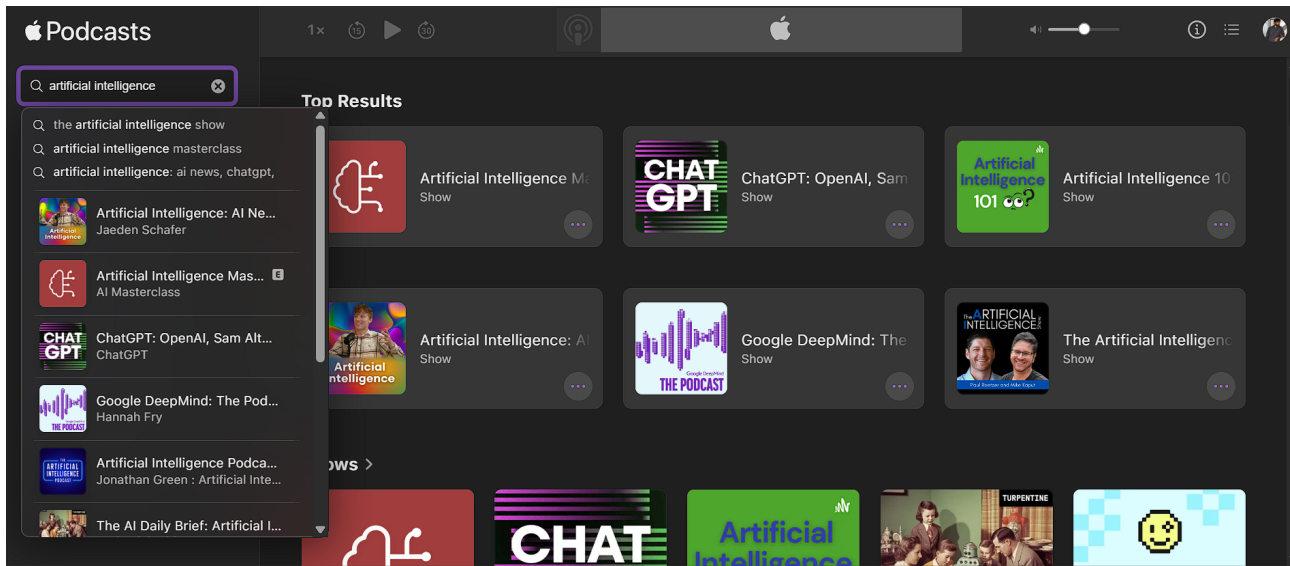2. Enter your Apple ID and password.

Section 2.4 Sign out

1. Select the profile icon.
2. **Select** Sign Out.

Tip: Playback progress and your queue sync across devices signed in with your Apple ID.
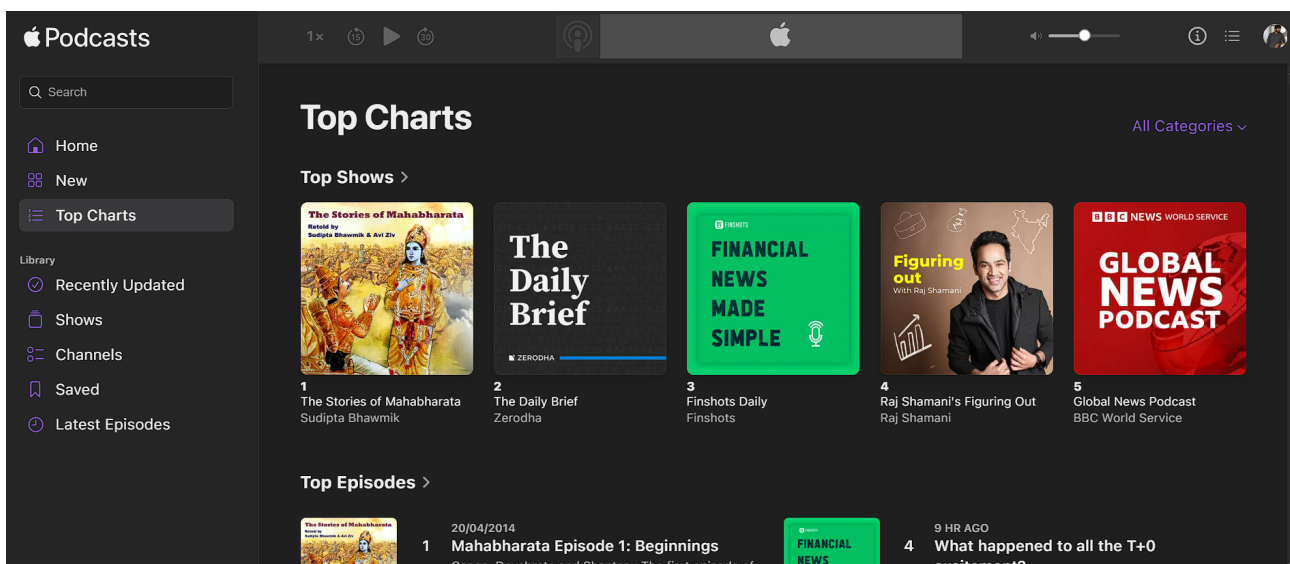
Chapter 3 Find podcasts

Section 3.1 Search for Podcasts

1. Select **Search** in the sidebar.
2. Enter a show name, topic, or creator.
3. **Select** Enter.
4. Open a show from the search results.

Section 3.2 Browse podcasts

1. Select Home to view recommended shows.
2. Select New to view new and featured shows.
3. Select Top Charts to view popular shows. Select All Categories to filter by genre.

Chapter 4 Listen to podcasts

Section 4.1 Play an episode

1. Open a show.
2. Go to the episode and select Play.
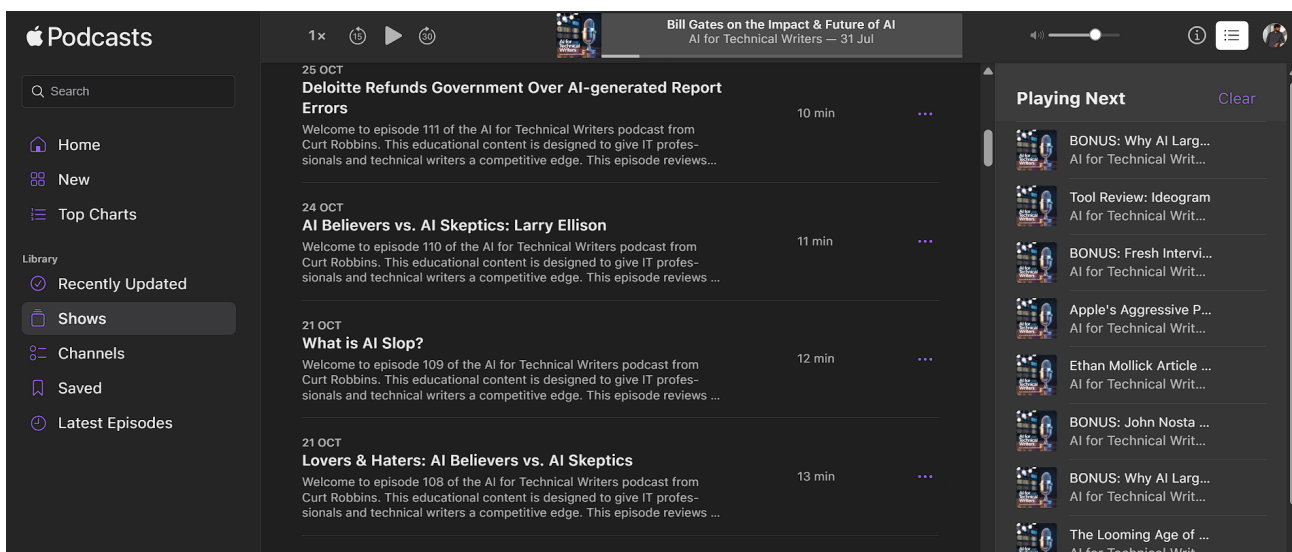
Section 4.2 Use the mini player

You can use the mini player to:

- Pause or resume playback.
- Skip forward or rewind 15 seconds.
- Change playback speed.
- Adjust volume.

Section 4.3 Manage the queue

1. On an episode card, select More (•••).
2. Select Play Next or Add to Queue.
3. Select ▤ to view, reorder, or remove episodes.
4. Click Clear to remove all queued items.

Chapter 5 Follow shows

Section 5.1 Follow a podcast

1. Search for a show.
2. Open the show's page.
3. Select + Follow

Tip: Followed shows appear across devices signed in with your Apple ID.

Section 5.2 Unfollow a podcast

- In the Library section, select Shows.
- Open a show you want to unfollow.
- Select ✓ to unfollow the show.

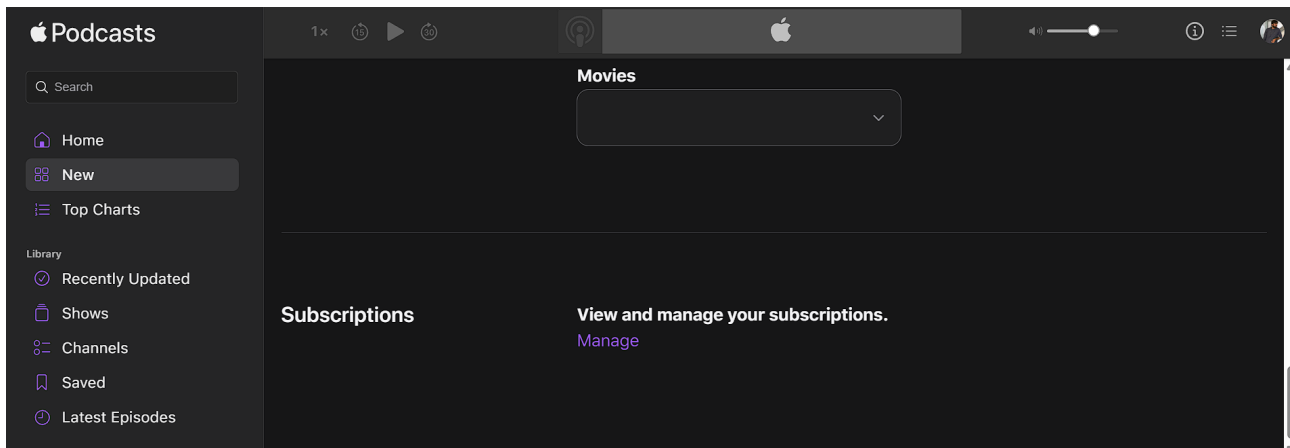# Chapter 6 Manage subscriptions

Section 6.1 Subscribe to a show or channel

- Open the show or channel you want to subscribe.
- Select Subscribe (if available).

Note: Subscriptions may include ad-free listening or early episode access.
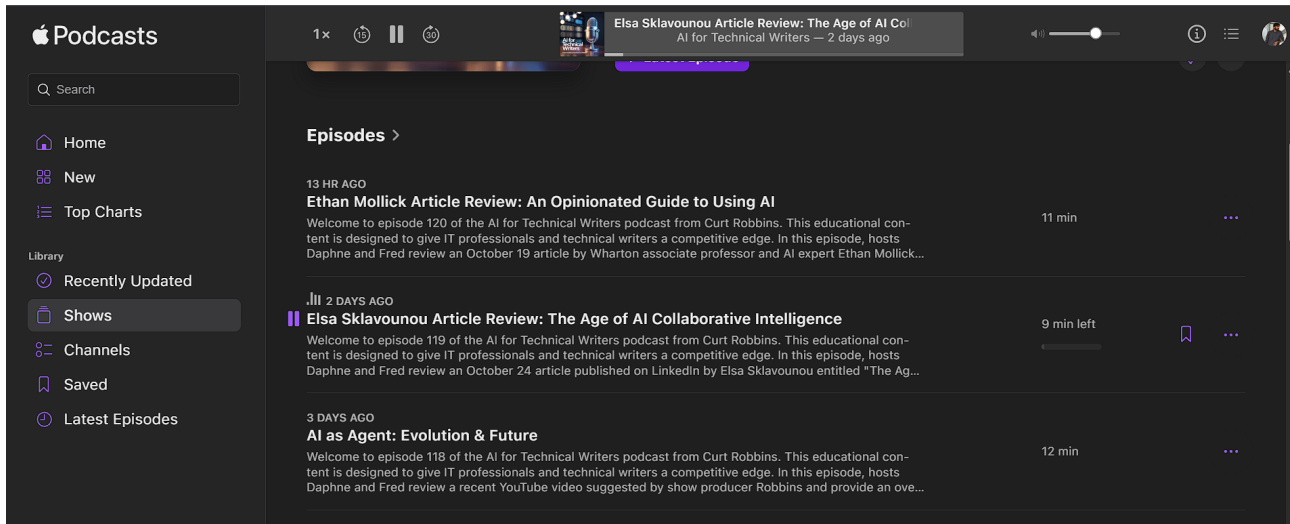
Section 6.2 Cancel a subscription

- Select your profile, then select Settings.
- Under Subscriptions, select Manage.
- Select the subscription you want to change or cancel.

Chapter 7 Save podcasts

Section 7.1 Save an episode

- Open a show.
- Go to the episode you want to save.
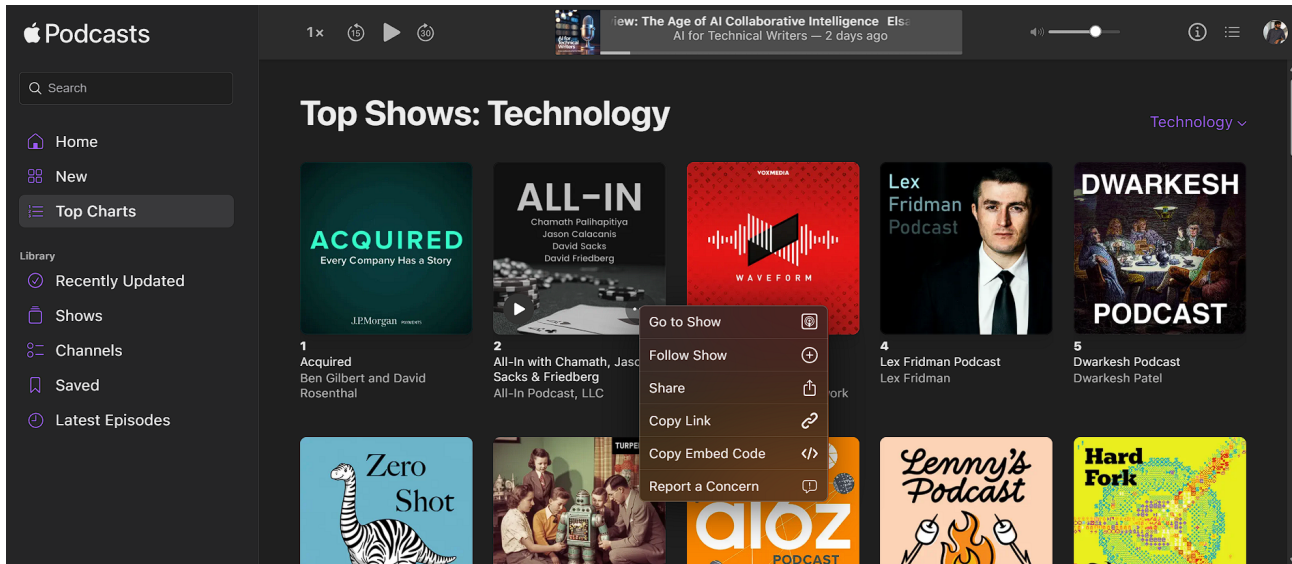- Select 🔖 to save the episode.

Section 7.2 Remove a saved episode

- In the Library section, select Saved.
- Go to the episode you want to remove, select 🔖

Chapter 8 Share podcasts

Section 8.1 Share a show

- Open a show.
- Select three dots (•••).
- **Select** Share.

Section 8.2 Share an episode

- Open a show.
- Go to the episode you want to share.
- Select three dots (•••).
- **Select** Share.