# Practice Makes Perfect Presentation

## Create a Professional Physical Environment

- See what background shows in your video camera
- Ensure your background is:
  - Clean
  - Uncluttered
  - Neutral
- Avoid:
  - Potentially offensive displays
  - Unmade beds
  - Dirty laundry

## Create a Professional Online Environment

Ensure you turn off slack, email, phone notifications etc.

Your desktop background should be appropriate

Have your files ready to roll

Know your controls in advance

#### Ensure you Look Professional

Is your camera angled correctly?

 Do you have enough light so that your face is showing clearly?

Are you facing your camera?

Are you wearing a professional top?

#### **Body Language is Important!**

Curtail swaying

Don't flap your hands too much

Look straight at the camera

Sit up straight

#### **Ensure you Sound Professional**

Test your microphone beforehand to ensure sound quality

Are you talking into your camera / microphone?

Are there distracting background noises to eliminate?

Stay muted during others' presentations

#### Practice, Practice, Practice!

- If you're comfortable public speaking: at least 2x
- If you're uncomfortable public speaking: at least 5x
- Pay attention to:
  - Ums, Uhs, ands, you knows, so...
  - Pace are you motoring through too quickly?
- The more you practice, the less nervous you will be and the more confident

#### Stack your Audience

• If you're particularly nervous, invite family and friends

Give them questions you can answer comfortably

#### To get a Recording Shared...

You must practice with me

You must complete the media release form

 I have ultimate say because I want your best foot forward

#### Enjoy the Go



### Questions?