Ian Mwenda Kirimi

Multimedia Journalist: Health & Politics

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Professional Summary

Multimedia journalist with 5 years covering health, county government and politics for print, TV and digital. Investigations into drug procurement prompted two county audits; stories regularly reach 500,000+ readers online.

Work Experience

Senior Reporter

The Daily Lens (fictional) · Nairobi · Jan 2022 – Present

– Report and produce 4–6 stories a week for print, web and YouTube
– Led a 3-month investigation into hospital drug stock-outs that triggered two county audits
– Trained 5 reporters in mobile journalism and data reporting

Reporter

Mlima FM · Meru · Jun 2019 – Dec 2021

– Covered county assembly and health news in English and Kiswahili

Education

BA Journalism & Mass Communication

Moi University · 2015 – 2019

Skills

News writing – Investigations – MoJo – Video editing – Fact-checking – Data journalism

Certifications

Health Journalism Fellowship, Africa Media Fellowship (fictional) 2023

Languages

English (Fluent) – Kiswahili (Fluent)