

Watching recordings

Recordings can be streamed directly from the Codian Open up your web browser and go to: http://129.59.1.226/login_home.html. By default you will be logged on as a guest.



Click on View recordings list.

You will see a list of recordings identified by the alias of the endpoint that initiated the recording.

Codian IP VCR - Recording list - Mozilla Firefox

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http://129.59.1.226/recording_list.html

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Codian VCR 2220
host: **ipvcr** login: **guest**

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Recording list

Top-level folder

Recording ID: 0016153438555
Recording console ID: <not set>
Auto attendant ID: <not set>

Sub folders

Name
CSO
ITS_Recordings

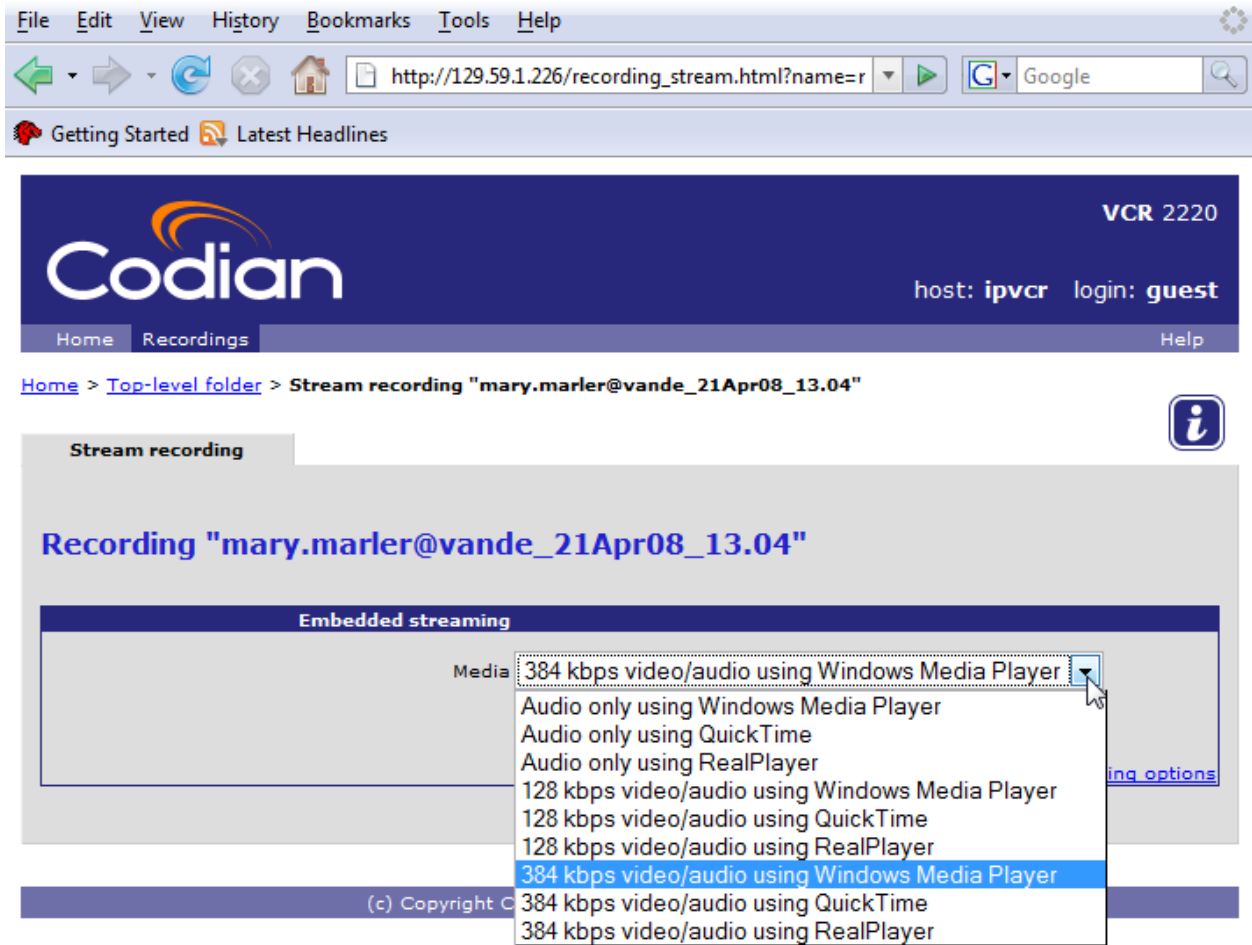
1 stored recording

Name	Status	Numeric ID	Registration	Length	Recorded at
Watch mary.marler@vande_21Apr08_13.04	Idle		n/a	1 minute, 4 seconds	Apr 21 2008, 13:04

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Click *Watch*.

A streaming options screen will appear. Click the drop-down arrow and select your desired player.



Your selected player will launch and the recording will be streamed.

Downloading recordings to your PC

You can transfer recordings from the Codian to a PC. This is often an intermediate step to transferring to a streaming or archiving server. (There is no direct way to do this.)

Recordings are made in a proprietary Codian file format and can be downloaded in this format or as an MPEG file. When you select to download a recording from the Codian as an MPEG file, it will not include the H.239 content (slides or documents that you shared during the conference). To include the H.239 content channel in an MPEG file, you must download the Codian file to your PC and use the MPEG Converter to convert it to a different format. Video recordings can be very large; so be sure you have enough disk space and bandwidth to download the recording.

Go to the *Recording List*, just as you did to watch it. Click on the **name** of the recording instead of *watch*.

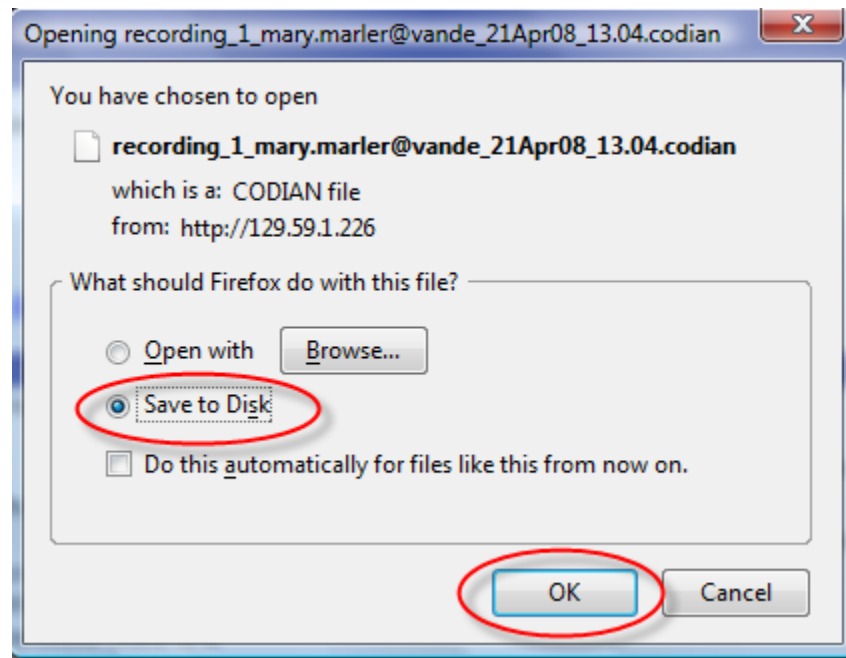
The screenshot shows the Codian VCR 2220 interface. The top navigation bar includes 'Home', 'Recordings', and 'Help'. The recording title is 'Recording "mary.marler@vande_21Apr08_13.04"'. Below the title is a 'Recording' tab. The main content area displays the following details:

Status	
Time of recording	Apr 21 2008, 13:04
Duration	1 minute, 4 seconds
Recorded media	Streaming H.263 video (352 x 288 pixels, 128k / 384k) with G.711mu audio
	H.264 content channel (1024 x 768 pixels, 336k)
	DJPEG content channel (1024 x 768 pixels, 384k)
	H.264 video (352 x 288 pixels, 336k) with Polycom(R) Siren14(TM) audio
Complete recording file size	10.2Mb (10186558 bytes) download recording
Projected MPEG1 file size	8.51Mb download MPEG file
Gatekeeper state	n/a
SIP registrar state	n/a
Active streaming playbacks	0 (2)
Active H.323/SIP playbacks	0 (0)
Active downloads	0 (1)
Completed playbacks	4
Completed downloads	5

At the bottom of the recording details box is a button labeled 'Reset maximum values'.

Click *download MPEG file* to download an MPEG file, or *download recording* to download the file in the Codian format file.

Check *Save to Disk* and then click *OK*.



The recording is saved as a file on your PC's hard disk.

Depending on your browser settings, mpeg files may automatically launch in your browser window. If so, right-click on *download MPEG file*, then click *Save Link As...*

Converting a Codian file to MPEG

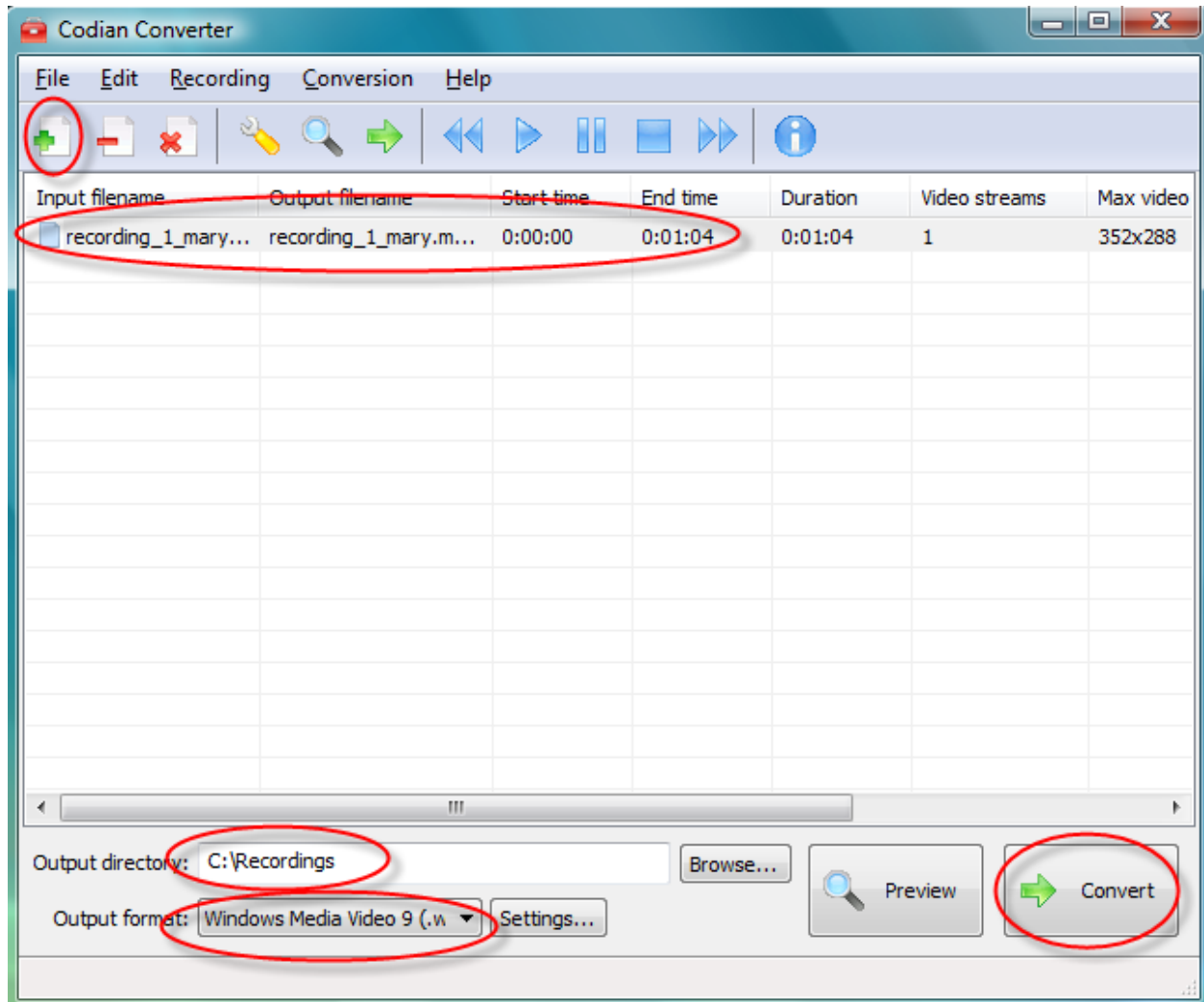
You can easily convert a '.codian' file into an encoded MPEG by using the default settings of the MPEG Converter. The MPEG Converter is available for download from:

<http://www.codian.com/downloads/software.htm>

The installation program is called *Codian MPEG and WM Converter Tool*. Download the zip file, and double-click to open. Double-click the Codian Converter installer package to activate the *Setup Wizard* and follow the instructions.

To access the converter program, click on the Start menu>>All Programs>>Codian Converter.

Once the Converter screen pops up, you can add files to be converted by simply dragging and dropping, or clicking the plus symbol.



Select the file to be converted, the *Output directory*, the *Output format*, and click **Convert**.

Once the file has been converted, you can play it on your PC, or upload it to the streaming server. See <http://its.vanderbilt.edu/streaming/index.php> for details on streaming services.