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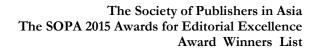
Excellence in Reporting on Women's Issues

Group A

	Award for Excellence	Honorable Mention
Publication:	The Wall Street Journal Asia	Bloomberg LP
Title of Entry:	"No Good Choices:" A Maid's Fight for Justice	India maternal failure
Award Recipients:	Deb Price, Chester Yung & Sara Schonhardt	Jason Gale and Ketaki Gokhale, Gail Roche,
		Stryker Mcguire
Judge Comment:	This inspirational report clearly shows how a	The reporters have a deep, long-term
	female minority that is looked down upon in a	understanding of the region and show how
	so-called sophisticated society can bring about	so-called positive policies from politicians that
	societal change for good.	look good on paper have not produced real
		results due to widespread corruption.

Group B

	Award for Excellence	Honorable Mention
Publication:	MINT	Time Out Hong Kong
Title of Entry:	Human Trafficking Series	The Other Women
Award Recipients:	Ashwaq Masoodi,	Ysabelle Cheung, Natasha Chan, Henry Tsang
Judge Comment:	The stories are impactfully told; the hard-hitting	Intriguing insight into the difficult-to-report
	facts and personal accounts are also well	perspective of mistresses in Hong Kong.
	integrated.	





Publication:	Today 今周刊	Apple Daily 香港蘋果日報
Title of Entry:	conquer three enemies being your own master :	From Erwiana to the bitter lives of domestic
	powerful roses	workers' series
	戰勝三個敵人做自己的主人鏗鏘玫瑰	從 Erwiana 被虐到本港印傭離鄉別井苦況系列報
		道
Award Recipients:	方德琳、孫蓉萍、鄧寧	彭碧珊,麥超億,關震海,洪藹婷
Judge Comment:	A human and informative approach to look at	The interview with Erwiana offers a peek at how
	the gender inequality situation in Taiwan, plus	tragic experiences of foreign maids could be
	life stories showing how women have fought	and helped to wake public awareness of how
	their way up their career ladder.	significant and reprehensible the abuse
	封面報導組群選題具有很強的社會意義,建築於	situation is in Hong Kong.
	社會調查結果上的主題及論點也因爲與聯合國的	報導能從生活故事的角度挖掘受虐待印傭的人權
	排名結果有很大不同,而顯得更具有現實啓示。	應該獲得尊重問題,體現了媒體維持道德正義的
	人物報導的選擇從白領到藍領,覆蓋範圍廣且具	社會責任感。這組報導尊重人權的性質,比女性
	有代表性,共同構成完整精緻的專題報導群。	報導性質更加突出。



Excellence in Digital News

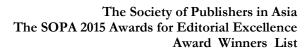
Group A

Award for Excellence	Honorable Mention
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Publication:	The International New York Times	The Wall Street Journal Asia
Title of Entry:	"Searching for Burmese Jade, and Finding	What is Alibaba?
	Misery" with the Video Feature, "Jade's Journey	
	Marked by Drugs and Death"	
Award Recipients:	Text by Dan Levin; Documentary Video by	Marc Lajoie, Thomas Di Fonzo & Eva Tam
	Jonah M. Kessel; Photographs by Adam Dean	
Judge Comment:	Well researched and in-depth investigation	Rich content, vivid graphics and superior
	supported by vivid visual documentation of third	story-telling make this a trendsetting piece of
	world misery in the great chase for economic	business journalism.
	prosperity.	

Group B

Publication:	South China Morning Post	Caixin.com
Title of Entry:	Voices from Tiananmen: Eyewitnesses look	Zhou's Power Base
	back to the spring of 1989	
Award Recipients:	Patrick Boehler/	Editors: Huang Chen, Huang Zhimin, Han Wei,
	South China Morning Post Multimedia Team	Wang Yuqian, James Bradbury, Chen Jiahui;
		Designers: Ren Yuan, Ding Chen; Developers:
		Ren Yuan, Mu Xinzhu; Producers: Gao Yu,
		Huang Zhimin
Judge Comment:	Through mainbar and sidebar stories and video	I can't imagine the amount of work it took to boil
	clips, the SCMP has truly captured a slice of	down a 60,000-word report into a simply elegant
	what happened from April to June 1989.	visualization.





	Award for Excellence	Honorable Mention
Publication:	Caixin.com 财新网	CommonWealth Magazine 天下雜誌
Title of Entry:	Zhou's Power Base	Digital special for "The fast development of
	周永康的人与财	Northeast Agreement"
		「北東協火熱崛起」數位專輯
Award Recipients:	Editors: Huang Chen, Huang Zhimin;	賀桂芬、黃亦筠、張翔一、辜樹仁、彭子珊、司
	Designers: Ren Yuan, Ding Chen; Developers:	徒嘉慧、黄明堂、劉國泰、史書華、林世宗、劉
	Ren Yuan, Mu Xinzhu; Producers: Gao Yu,	凡瑄、洪梵軒
	Huang Zhimin	
Judge Comment:	The interrelationship within the whole corruption	An innovative approach to illustrate the
	empire is vividly unveiled through the	interconnection of the data within the
	interactivity infographics.	Association of North East Asian Nations.
	超強的新聞敏感性,對重大新聞準備充分,以創	報告話題具前瞻性,畫面設計精美,具現場感。
	新方式演繹出資料新聞的魅力。	



Excellence in Human Rights Reporting

Group A

Publication:	The International New York Times	The International New York Times
Title of Entry:	The Plight of the Rohingya of Myanmar	The Ballad of Zakia and Mohammad
Award Recipients:	Jane Perlez	Rod Nordland
Judge Comment:	The multi-part examination provides both	This story of one couple, intimately rendered,
	compelling insight and context to all phases of	reflects the contradictions and challenges of a

Group B

Award for Excellence

successful resolution.

the human tragedy, including the fear, ignorance

and political inertia which hampers its

Award for Excellence

Honorable Mention

society in transition.

Honorable Mention

Publication:	MINT	Myanmar Times
Title of Entry:	Why Dutee Chand can Change Sport	Medical gap threatens lives in Rakhine
Award Recipients:	Rudraneil Sengupta,	Fiona MacGregor & Shwe Yee Saw Myint;
Judge Comment:	it took a topic that would generally be treated as	Well written and moving, the piece sheds light
	a sports story and cast it, to impressive effect,	on an important human rights issue that has
	as a human rights issue.	been aggravated by government (in)action.

Group C

Award for Excellence

Honorable Mention

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Publication:	Ming Pao 明報	Apple Daily 香港蘋果日報
Title of Entry:	Coverage of Occupy incident	Umbrella Movement
	佔領事件系列報道	雨傘運動
Award Recipients:	港聞一般組、政情組、突發組、偵査組	採訪部
Judge Comment:	Ming Pao didn't take sides and featured voices	An informed approach to reporting the issue in
	from many perspectives of the Umbrella	which the general public requested for a fairer
	movement.	electoral system
	七十多天的占中運動,震驚全球,也是全球媒體	
	的關注角點。香港中文媒體個不例外,大幅報導。	
	明報是其中佼佼者。不像有些媒體只突出報導一	
	方聲音。 明報報導還是試圖儘量呈現真相,展示	
	不同方面的聲音。	



Excellence in Feature Writing

Group A

	Award for Excellence	Honorable Mention
Publication:	Reuters	Bloomberg LP
Title of Entry:	Exposing Asia's brutal slave trade	Operation Yellowbird
Award Recipients:	Amy Sawitta Lefevre and Andrew R.C. Marshall	Simon Lee, Henry Sanderson, Rosalind
		Mathieson, Neil Western
Judge Comment:	Moving details and revelatory reporting about a	Fascinating story with great reporting about one
	human tragedy that too many people have	of the big secrets of our days.
	ignored for too long.	

Group B

	Award for Excellence	Honorable Mention
Publication:	Post Magazine	COCONUTS MEDIA
Title of Entry:	"Til death do us part?"	Hidden in Plain Sight
Award Recipients:	Jenni Marsh	Dana MacLean, Todd Ruiz
Judge Comment:	Absolutely fascinating story of how China's	An ambitious, vivid and powerful look at the
	emergence as Africa's biggest trading partner is	netherworld of Bangkok's legions of street
	playing out on a very human level.	children.

	Award for Excellence	Honorable Mention
Publication:	30 Monthly Magazine 30 雜誌	Business Weekly 商業周刊
Title of Entry:	The Giver - awakened generation: to change	Invisible Home Care >> 2.2 Million People
	Taiwan with 10,000 people's one hour	Resign Storm 隱形照護>>220 萬人離職風暴
	The Giver 覺醒世代:1萬人1小時,改變台灣	
Award Recipients:	成章瑜、徐仁全、王妍文、王維玲、方正儀、劉	Vivien Liu, Lai Ning Ning, Quake Wan, Homao
	子寧、洪嘉蓮、高嘉鎂、吳佩綺、葛翰勳、吳思	Wu
	旻、王冠珉/彭修浚/關立衡、鄭名娟	
Judge Comment:	The piece has an in-depth report with broad	The report is insightful with a clear comparison
	aspects from social chaos to future prospects.	of the aging problem in Japan and that in
	But the content is equally weighted, without	Taiwan. With excellent layout design and a
	emphasis.	perfect marriage of words.
	選題切合時事性,專題內容具創意,採訪面廣闊	主題富前瞻性。 報導結合老人大國日本的現況,
	整全,構思嚴謹,從社會的混沌中,理出前景。	對照台灣在職人士護老的困境,視野立體。



Excellence in Magazine Design

Group A

Category Cancelled

Group B

	Award for Excellence	Honorable Mention
Publication:	Tasting Kitchen	Design 360°- Concept and Design Magazine
Title of Entry:	TK13 Fruits, Flowers & Bugs	Design 360° Magazine: No.50 - Design
		Manifesto
Award Recipients:	Alicia Beebe	Prof. Wang Shaoqiang
Judge Comment:	The layouts are elegant and accessible and	(It) figures that a magazine about design would
	done to best showcase the food items, which,	use magazine design in an innovative way.
	after all, are the stars and characters of each	
	issue	

	Award for Excellence	Honorable Mention
Publication:	The Outlook Magazine 新视线	LEAP LEAP
Title of Entry:	TOKYO, Volume I	FIRST CLASS
	东京(上)	乌龙学院
Award Recipients:	Chief Editor: Peng&Chen	Li Mei
	Designer: Jona Liu, Yumo, Annsey Zhao, Yu	
	Xiao	
	Photographer: Peng Yangjun	
	Editor: Yu Fei, Liu Xi, Zhao Xuefeng, Zhi Yuan	
Judge Comment:	Both the cover image and the design	Lots of creativity has been injected into the
	demonstrated the diversity of Toyko.	layout design of LEAP's feature story.
	封面圖像與內頁設計充分表達東京的多元性,色	可看得出在封面故事整體頁面設計上投注相當多
	彩運用上也很一致,而且採用不同版型與繪圖交	創意心思,特別是必須將中英文與圖像元素和諧
	叉運用,維持閱讀的節奏與樂趣。	地融合在一起之際。



Excellence in Lifestyle Coverage

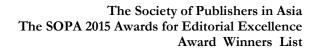
Group A

Award for Excellence	Honorable Mention
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Publication:	Reuters	TIME
Title of Entry:	Everest tragedy exposes big business behind	The Xinjiang Sound
	noble pursuit	
Award Recipients:	John Chalmers and Gopal Sharma	Emily Rauhala
Judge Comment:	This piece brings to life in riveting detail the	A superb piece of journalism explaining one of
	cavalier attitudes toward and treatment of	China's most sensitive and intractable problems
	sherpas, without whom challenges against the	- Xinjiang - in a highly creative way, based
	peak would be impossible.	around an interview with a pop star.

Group B

Publication:	The Phnom Penh Post	South China Morning Post
Title of Entry:	Reign of the quiet king	Roam and board
Award Recipients:	Poppy McPherson	Vanessa Yung
Judge Comment:	It is well written and balanced - a deeply	A nice approach to localising a global trend; the
	reported profile that elucidates the person and	amazing success of AirBnB.
	the issues even without benefit of an interview	
	with the subject.	





	Award for Excellence	Honorable Mention
Publication:	LOHAS MAGAZINE LOHAS 乐活	CommonWealth Magazine Group/Cheers
		Magazine
Title of Entry:	Food and Ware	The lifestyle after working
	《食与器》	下班後新幸福學
Award Recipients:	Di Wen Jie	Hung Yih-Yan / Liao Yu-Tsang / Wang
		Chaung-Wei / Chang Shin-Yung / Lee
		Shin-Yueh / Tsai Ju-Han / Yang Chien-Jung
Judge Comment:	An interesting approach to look at Food and	A very innovative approach to identify and
	Ware as an art work. With great use of graphics.	explain a complex social issue and try to come
	該文簡潔中見細膩,把大多數人習以爲常的食用	up with suggested solutions.
	器皿描繪成藝術品的味道, 再配以精美的圖片,	整篇專題討論工作生活平衡的議題,以企業
	令人賞心悅目。 增加讀者品味生活的樂趣。	CEO、中高階主管與工作者的個人經驗,輔以來
		自學術機構的研究調查數據,加上具有創意的圖
		表資訊,是好看且具有知識性的文章。



Excellence in Explanatory Reporting

Group A

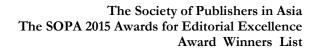
Award for Excellence	Honorable Mention

Publication:	Reuters	The Wall Street Journal Asia
Title of Entry:	Beijing's stealthy advance towards Greater	Deep Threat: China's Submarines Add
	China	Nuclear-Strike Capability, Altering Strategic
		Balance
Award Recipients:	David Lague, Greg Torode, James Pomfret,	Jeremy Page
	Yimou Lee, Faith Hung, Clare Baldwin, Clare	
	Jim and Farah Master	
Judge Comment:	A carefully researched look at how Beijing	Great story on the strategic implications of
	curries favor and support in Hong Kong, Macau	China's growing submarine fleet on balance of
	and Taiwan, while working to stifle dissent and	power in Asia.
	anti-mainland activity there.	

Group B

Award for Excellence	Honorable Mention
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Publication:	International Consortium of Investigative	The Edge Review
	Journalists in partnership with Ming Pao	
Title of Entry:	People's Republic of Offshore or China Leaks	Coup Confusion in Thailand
Award Recipients:	Gerard Ryle	Marwaan Macan-Makar
Judge Comment:	This entry is a wonderfully forensic treatment of	Thoroughly reported, elegantly written and
	a hugely important and difficult topic that	packaged beautifully with graphics to capture
	demonstrates the best of data journalism and	the drama.
	old-style shoe-leather reporting.	





Publication:	Business Weekly 商業周刊	CommonWealth Magazine 天下雜誌
Title of Entry:	Reveal Ko Wen-Je's Limited Corporation	Economic explanation
	揭密 柯文哲股份公司	經濟有解
Award Recipients:	Vivien Liu, His Ju Tien, Joanne Yan, Chun	陳一姍、陳竫詒、司徒嘉慧、史書華、劉凡瑄
	Cheng Tsao, Lai Ning Ning, Siao Jing Chen,	
	Smile Chao	
Judge Comment:	A highly insightful piece with timeliness. Using	I read the "Big Data" part, which showed the
	business angle to analyze a political issue	power of social media data in crisis
	enhances readability.	management and campaign response, with
	有高度洞悉視野能力。有時效性。用商業角度切	great interest.
	入政治議題又能闡述清晰,具可讀性。	



Excellence in News Photography

Group A

Award for Excellence	Honorable Mention

Publication:	Bloomberg	TIME
Title of Entry:	Pro-Democracy Protests in Hong Kong	The Rohingya, Burma's Forgotten Muslims
Award Recipients:	Lam Yik Fei,	James Nachtwey
Judge Comment:	With a keen eye and lasting power, Lam bested almost all the photographers documenting Occupy with a collection of images that will show generations for now one of the most important times in early 21st Century Hong Kong.	Through images of raw emotion, physical hardships, and personal religious reflection, Nachtwey delivers a story that otherwise would probably go unnoticed to much of the world.

Group B

Publication:	Philippine Daily Inquirer	South China Morning Post
Title of Entry:	Home Street Home	Occupy in pictures
Award Recipients:	Edwin Bacasmas	K.Y Cheng, Sam Tsang and Robert Ng
Judge Comment:	The image of children sleeping in a cart	SCMP's collection of photos sums up much of

reinforces the PDI's headline and the plight of

Award for Excellence

millions of poor Filipinos.

Honorable Mention



Publication:	Ming Pao 明報	Ming Pao 明報
Title of Entry:	Police fire tear gas	Attacks under control
	警施催淚彈	施襲遭制服
Award Recipients:	李澤彤	盧翊銘
Judge Comment:	The photojournalist has demonstrated his quick	The photojournalist captured a minor conflict
	reflex, cool head and courage under such a	among all the clashes during the Occupy. But it
	chaotic and dangerous situation. The teargas	well demonstrated the chaotic of the Occupy
	canister with a tail of fire showed how teargas	and the disunity of society.
	had changed the atmosphere of the street.	攝記能拍下佔領期間眾多衝突中的一個小衝突瞬
	佔領期間最重要的一節:警方施放催淚彈。照片	間,卻反映佔領運動的混雜性和社會的撕裂。
	反映混亂中「電光火石」的一刹,讓平時的街道	
	變得詭異。	



Excellence in Business Reporting

Award for Excellence

Honorable Mention

Publication:	The International New York Times	Reuters
Title of Entry:	Alibaba and "The Jack Ma Way"	Takata's deadly air bags
Award Recipients:	David Barboza, with Michael Forsythe, Andrew	Ben Klayman, Yoko Kubota, Mari Saito, Emi
	Jacobs, Neil Gough, Michael de la Merced and	Emoto, Joanna Zuckerman Bernstein and
	James Stewart	Norihiko Shirouzu
Judge Comment:	This package of stories by the International New	By following the story to its roots from Mexico to
	York Times stands out as among the best to	the US and Asia it shows how lax controls and
	capture the opportunities and perils that face	pressure for production in one poor country -
	potential investors in Alibaba.	Mexico - can lead to deaths other countries
		while responsibility for the company and the
		whole car production process is fractured.

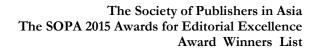
Group B

Group A

Award for Excellence

Honorable Mention

Publication:	International Consortium of Investigative	Lloyd's List
	Journalists in partnership with Ming Pao	
Title of Entry:	People's Republic of Offshore or China Leaks	The hidden loans that sank Nanjing Tanker
Award Recipients:	Gerard Ryle, ICIJ Director,	Jing Yang
Judge Comment:	The degree of difficulty and the amount of	The story illustrates vividly the lack of
	attention to detail and accuracy makes it a	compliance with basic financial regulatory
	top-notch piece of work.	requirements and the potential consequences of
		that behavior.





Publication:	CommonWealth Magazine 天下雜誌	CommonWealth Magazine 天下雜誌
Title of Entry:	The fast development of Northeast Agreement	Free trade with real explanation
	北東協火熱崛起	自由貿易 真相解密
Award Recipients:	賀桂芬、黃亦筠、張翔一、辜樹仁、 彭子珊、司	陳一姍、辜樹仁、程晏鈴、張翔一、陳良榕
	徒嘉慧	
Judge Comment:	This is a piece of brilliant journalism by	Commonwealth takes a deep dive, brave look
	Commonwealth focusing on the rise of Asean	into the success of South Korea and why its
	Economic Community and the force it will	success in the past decade has outpaced
	become on the world stage.	Taiwan



Excellence in Information Graphics

Group A

Category Cancelled

Group B

	Award for Excellence	Honorable Mention
Publication:	South China Morning Post	South China Morning Post
Title of Entry:	Dead in life, alive in death	The height of social values
Award Recipients:	Alberto Lucas López	Alberto Lucas López,
Judge Comment:	This stands out completely from the rest of the	Overall effect and composition is strong and
	entries and is a clear-cut winner.	attractive. Excellent hand drawings of the tallest
		buildings

	Award for Excellence	Honorable Mention
Publication:	Sing Tao Daily 星島日報	CommonWealth Magazine 天下雜誌
Title of Entry:	Flood Relief System	Economic explanation
	世紀排洪	經濟有解
Award Recipients:	Danny Wong,	賀桂芬、陳一姍、陳竫詒、司徒嘉慧、史書華、
		劉凡瑄、陳紹謙、洪梵軒
Judge Comment:	The realistic 3D rendering is very well done to	Different aspects of the economic problems in
	depict the interrelationship between different	Taiwan are faithfully manifested through the
	components of the system.	engaging motion graphics videos.

color at times made the reader feel they were in

Honorable Mention

amongst the protests.



Award for Excellence

deadline pressure.

Excellence in Reporting Breaking News

Group A

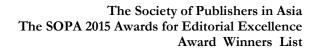
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Publication:	Bloomberg LP	Reuters
Title of Entry:	Sewol Disaster	Hong Kong's 'Umbrella Revolution'
Award Recipients:	Heesu Lee, Cynthia Kim, Sam Kim, Seyoon	Greg Torode, James Pomfret, Benjamin Kang
	Kim, Shinhye Kang, Eunkyu Seo, Jungah Lee,	Lim, Yimou Lee, Kinling Lo and David Lague
	Sharon Cho, Seonjin Cha, Rose Kim, Anne	
	Swardson, Peter Hirschberg, Chian-Wei Teo,	
	Andrew Davis, Brian Fowler, Stuart Biggs,	
	Rosalind Mathieson	
Judge Comment:	As the story unfolded, Bloomberg reporters filed	The context, background and strong degree of

Group B

Award for Excellence	Honorable Mention
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timely, accurate and poignant stories under

Publication:	The Phnom Penh Post	The Phnom Penh Post
Title of Entry:	HIV outbreak	Deadly crackdown
Award Recipients:	Chhay Channyda, May Titthara, Joe Freeman,	Cheang Sokha, Sean Teehan, Shane Worrell,
	Mom Kunthear, Shane Worrell, Sarah Taguiam;	May Titthara, Kevin Ponniah, Daniel Quinlan,
	Photographer: Heng Chivoan	Phak Seangly, Mom Kunthear, Bennett Murray
Judge Comment:	It takes a terrible topic and presents it in an	Every story was timely, vivid, fair, well-written
	even-handed way, void of sensationalism and is	and rings with authority.
	very transparent in its sourcing.	





Award for Excellence	Honorable Mention

Publication:	Apple Daily 香港蘋果日報	Yazhou Zhoukan 亞洲週刊
Title of Entry:	Malaysian Airline tragedy	Labour strike at the largest shoe-making factory
	馬航空難	in the world and the problems of immigrant
		worker welfare
		世界最大鞋廠罷工 中國民工社保困局
Award Recipients:	國際、突發、中國及靜態組	Liu Xiang, Zhu Yong Xiao, Ma Qian
Judge Comment:	This breaking news package covered the	Reporting on the organizational aspect of the
	disappearance of the Malaysian flight MH370 in	strike was particularly praiseworthy, as it
	multiple perspectives, providing details on the	touched on the use of social media platforms by
	development of events on several locations as	the workers and control by the authorities of the
	well as in the background.	organizers.
	傑出的團隊合作讓新聞呈現更加完整全面	



Excellence in Opinion Writing

Group A

Award for Excellence	Honorable Mention
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Publication:	Financial Times	Financial Times
Title of Entry:	Life in China	India's 2014 election
Award Recipients:	Patti Waldmeir,	Amy Kazmin and David Pilling,
Judge Comment:	Waldmeir is a breath of fresh air - even when	These pieces combine a masterly overview of
	she is writing about toilets - in a field where	the scene with strong and well-argued opinions
	people tend to take themselves much too	about it.
	seriously.	

Group B

Award for Excellence Honorable Mention

Publication:	The Jakarta Globe	Nikkei Asian Review
Title of Entry:	Outstanding editorial coverage by the Jakarta	Thitinan Pongsudhirak
	Globe	
Award Recipients:	The Editors at the Jakarta Globe	Thitinan Pongsudhirak
Judge Comment:	Another example of fearless editorial	There are few tougher journalistic challenges
	commentary in a country in which it can still be	than writing critical opinion columns on the Thai
	dangerous to take on vested interests.	junta for an international publication when you're
		a Thai academic living in post-coup Thailand.

Group C

Publication:	Financial Times FT 中文网	Financial Times FT 中文网
Title of Entry:	The Third Road Xi's Taking	Deng: The Doors He Opened and the Windows
	習近平的第三條道路	He Closed
		鄧小平打開的門和關上的窗
Award Recipients:	Xiao Shu	Wu Wei
Judge Comment:	Very thorough and solid analysis	It nicely relates Deng Xiaoping role in
		development to Chinese government's recent
		policies, such as anti-corruption, constitutional
		and political reform.



Excellence in Editorial Cartooning

Group A

Category Cancelled

Group B

	Award for Excellence	Honorable Mention
Publication:	South China Morning Post	The Straits Times
Title of Entry:	Occupy (according to Harry)	Lessons for small states from Ukraine
Award Recipients:	Harry Harrison	Manny Francisco
Judge Comment:	The cartoons take on a subject of great	It needs you to think and is executed with some
	sensitivity and controversy with wit and	degree of sophistication.
	intelligence	

	Award for Excellence	Honorable Mention
Publication:	Headline Daily 頭條日報	Ming Pao 明報
Title of Entry:	Go Go Go	Press freedom threatened series
	衝呀!!	威脅新聞自由系列
Award Recipients:	Danny Wong	尊子
Judge Comment:	A unique perspective to look at the occupy	A creative and powerful illustration of freedom of
	movement.	press under pressure in Hong Kong.

warming in Indonesia.



Excellence in Reporting on the Environment

Group A

	Award for Excellence	Honorable Mention
Publication:	Bloomberg LP	Reuters
Title of Entry:	The bleakest side of India's modernization	In Jakarta, that sinking feeling is all too real
Award Recipients:	Rakteem Katakey, Rajesh Kumar Singh, Tom	Bill Tarrant
	Lasseter, Ken Wells, Jason Rogers, Andrew	
	Hobbs, Indranil Ghosh, Peter Langan, Robert	
	Blau, John Voskuhl, Will Wade	
Judge Comment:	A heartbreaking tale of the price the common	To the best of my knowledge, this is the first
	people pay when money and politics conspire to	thorough article about the effects of global

silence them all in the name of "progress."

Group B

	Award for Excellence	Honorable Mention
Publication:	Nikkei Asian Review	Thomson Reuters Foundation
Title of Entry:	A future in drought	Water Shortages in India
Award Recipients:	Gwen Robinson,	Thomson Reuters Foundation
Judge Comment:	A remarkably comprehensive and illuminating	This is best-of-class in terms of article
	package of articles on the problem of water	packages, taking a significant topic, splitting it
	shortages across Asia, well-written and	into meaningful areas and creating through the
	well-presented.	series a full sense of - in this case - the urgency
		of the water problem in India.

	Award for Excellence	Honorable Mention
Publication:	Ming Pao Weekly 明報周刊	CommonWealth Magazine 天下雜誌
Title of Entry:	Where to find the inner peace?	Taiwan's outlying island SOS: Who stole my
	《靜土何處尋》	homeland? 台灣離島 SOS 誰偷了我的國土?
Award Recipients:	陳伊敏	何榮幸、劉光瑩、陳寧、李郁欣
Judge Comment:	The topic is fresh. The angle to cover the story	A powerful illustration of the way in which the
	is diversified.	quality of Taiwan's nature environment is
	選題有新鮮感,採訪角度多元化。	compromised by China's illegal dredging and
		generation of rubbish.



Excellence in Feature Photography

Group A

	Award for Excellence	Honorable Mention
Publication:	The International New York Times	TIME
Title of Entry:	The Plight of the Rohingya	The World's Most Dangerous Room
Award Recipients:	Amy Sawitta Lefevre and Andrew R.C. Marshall	Simon Lee, Henry Sanderson, Rosalind
		Mathieson, Neil Western
Judge Comment:	Tomas Munita's "Plight of the Rohingya" aren't	Dominic Nahr's photographs are a chilling look
	just a series of photographs. They are proof,	at the impact of the Fukushima Daiichi Nuclear
	evidence, a voice of a people on the run, looking	Power Plant meltdown and how far Fukushima
	for a home.	is from recovery.

Group B

	Award for Excellence	Honorable Mention
Publication:	Time Out Hong Kong	Tasting Kitchen
Title of Entry:	The Forgotten Cost of Domestic Help	Refined by Time
Award Recipients:	Calvin Sit, Anna Cummins, Mark Tjhung	David Hartung,
Judge Comment:	These photographs are a revelatory picture of	This was a superb example of thoroughly
	domestic workers' lives and the sacrifices they	integrating beautiful photography with a thought
	make.	provoking feature story.

	Award for Excellence	Honorable Mention
Publication:	The Outlook Magazine 新视线	Today 今周刊
Title of Entry:	Special Issue of Tokyo, Volume I	Manor of Human
	东京(上)别册	人的莊園
Award Recipients:	Peng Yangjun	Ching-Hui Chou
Judge Comment:	The series of B/W pictures of Tokyo is very well	The artist showed imagination and skillful
	done, creating an in-depth visual report.	execution of photographing a difficult exhibit.
	攝影師以日本常見的黑白攝影語言拍攝東京,帶	
	點模擬之餘卻又充滿個人深入觀察,見樹又見林。	

Honorable Mention



The Scoop Award

Group A

	Award for Excellence	Honorable Mention
Publication:	Bloomberg LP	Reuters
Title of Entry:	Deleting Drug Tests	Closing in on Zhou's circle
Award Recipients:	Anna Edney , Ketaki Gokhale, Adi Narayan,	Benjamin Kang Lim and Ben Blanchard
	Drew Armstrong, Crayton Harrison, Anjali	
	Cordeiro, Andrew Pollack, Reg Gale, Jeffrey D	
	Grocott	
Judge Comment:	These journalists tackled a story that was	Kudos to the team for digging deeper,
	difficult to source and difficult to report, yet with	confirming details and information, and weaving
	persistence and over time they managed to	together a well-written story that skillfully
	uncover an important global story that had	explains the context, the history, and the political
	eluded all other news media organizations.	and legal implications in China.

Group B

Publication:	South China Morning Post	Nikkei Asian Review
Title of Entry:	Crackdown in Macau	San Miguel proposes \$10B airport for Manila
Award Recipients:	Niall Fraser	Kenji Kawase,
Judge Comment:	It's a textbook example of what good beat reporting should be: Developing the sources	This was a genuine business scoop, with other major media citing Nikkei's story in their own followup reporting

Award for Excellence

the competition on key developments.



Award for Excellence

Honorable Mention

Publication:	Apple Daily 香港蘋果日報	Business Weekly 商業周刊
Title of Entry:	PLA's secret military radar over Tai Mo Shan	Hard Choices: Reliance on China makes Taiwan
	解放軍大帽山秘密建軍事雷達	Vulnerable
		抉擇 越倚賴中國,台灣越脆弱
Award Recipients:	梁御和、林偉聰	His Ju Tien, Yi-Ling Kuo, Kiri Tseng, Chiu Piling
Judge Comment:	Apple Daily provided a pretty good scoop	This in-depth interview with Hillary Clinton
	revealing a secretive PLA military facility in	reveals her thoughts on cross-straits relations
	Hong Kong.	with significant impact.
		訪問深入,影響深遠。



Excellence in Investigative Reporting

Group A

Award for Excellence	Honorable Mention
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Publication:	Financial Times	Bloomberg LP
Title of Entry:	China in Africa: How Sam Pa became the	The bleakest side of India's modernization
	middleman	
Award Recipients:	Tom Burgis and Demetri Sevastopulo	Rakteem Katakey, Rajesh Kumar Singh, Tom
		Lasseter, Ken Wells, Jason Rogers, Andrew
		Hobbs, Indranil Ghosh, Peter Langan, Robert
		Blau, John Voskuhl, Will Wade
Judge Comment:	For those who wonder how China swings its	A stunning indictment of India cutting corners
	many deals not just in Africa but in Asia and	and covering up hazards from breakneck
	Latin America, this piece provides a detailed	growth.
	explanation of opaque deal making and	
	questionable ethics.	

Group B

Publication:	Malaysiakini	The Phnom Penh Post
Title of Entry:	The rise of the Johor royal family's business	The calculus of logging
	empire	
Award Recipients:	Nigel Aw	May Titthara and Daniel Pye; Photographer:
		Heng Chivoan
Judge Comment:	A rare and successful attempt to pull open the	Gutsy, detailed reporting despite sometimes
	veil that hides the activities of Malaysia's royal	harrowing conditions, such as when the reporter
	families.	was chased by men on motorcycles who were
		carrying assault rifles.



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Group C

Publication:	Ming Pao 明報	Apple Daily 香港蘋果日報
Title of Entry:	Investigative series on BVI offshore companies	Delayed and overspending high-speed rail
	權貴 BVI 離岸公司與利益衝突調查系列	series
		高鐵延誤及超支系列報導
Award Recipients:	偵査組	盧勁業、伍雅謙、鄭啓源、林偉聰
Judge Comment:	Good investigative pieces which unveil	High quality investigative articles which showed
	secretive facts and links among the rich and the	solid research and real digging.
	powerful.	



Journalist of the Year

Award for Excellence

Publication:	Philippine Daily Inquirer
Award Recipients:	Nancy Carvajal
Judge Comment:	Courageous and excellent work in exposing
	official corruption in a country where journalists
	face death and physical attack. Ms Carvajal
	shows that power of good journalism in
	promoting transparency and accountability in
	high places. Nancy Carvajal deserves the top
	honor due to the especially challenging
	circumstances in which she works in the
	Philippines.