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Subject: CONNECTING: Photog of year; Malian site; Zagier honored; Time criticized; USA Today; David Carr; Buffett-newspapers; Kurtz-Stetler; Craigslist ad; Detroit writer; Murdoch evil?; It was joke; Patch VP out; Post mongooses; Newtown-Obama; Truth-beating

Colleagues,

The remarkable photos that accompanied The New York Times five-part series, "Invisible Child," as well as some of the reporting, were by **Ruth Fremson**, formerly with the AP's Washington bureau. **Bob Daugherty** notes that AP hired her from the Washington Times. Bob says, "A real class act. Ruth has done a lot of international assignments for the Times. Her pictures are the other half of the fine series. Ruth also shared a Pulitzer with AP staff for feature photography for a series of pictures of the events surrounding President Clinton's impeachment."

The link to the series: <http://goo.gl/lcdi1j>

Welcome to our newest Connecting member – **Tom Lacey**, 38-year AP veteran who retired from the Helena bureau in 2004.

Paul

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AP's Muhammed Muheisen: TIME Picks the Best Wire Photographer of 2013

<http://lightbox.time.com/2013/12/10/muhammed-muheisen-time-picks-the-best-wire-photographer-of-2013/#1>

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Malian site says it got threats over AP story

http://www.washingtonpost.com/world/africa/malian-site-says-it-got-threats-over-ap-story/2013/12/10/d766d0d0-61bb-11e3-a7b4-4a75ebc432ab_story.html

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AP reporter Alan Zagier wins Missouri-Kansas staff honor

<http://www.koamtv.com/story/24176031/ap-reporter-alan-zagier-wins-staff-honor#.UqdjlhPPkII.facebook>

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Time Criticized For Choosing Pope Francis Over Edward Snowden As Person Of The Year

http://www.huffingtonpost.com/2013/12/11/time-edward-snowden-person-of-the-year-pope-francis_n_4424890.html

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Gannett to Add USA Today to Local Papers

http://www.nytimes.com/2013/12/11/business/media/gannett-to-add-usa-today-to-local-papers.html?pagewanted=all&_r=0

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The New York Times' Media Columnist Sits in a Bloomberg Chair

<http://gawker.com/the-new-york-times-media-columnist-sits-in-a-bloomberg-1480455106>

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Buffett Explains Why He Paid \$344 Million For 28 Newspapers, And Thinks The Industry Still Has A Future

<http://www.businessinsider.com/warren-buffett-buying-newspapers-2013-3>

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Howard Kurtz tops Brian Stetler in Sunday media criticism showdown

<http://jimromenesko.com/2013/12/10/howard-kurtz-tops-brian-stetler-in-the-sunday-media-criticism-showdown/>

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Craigslist ad: Wanted -- great writer who can produce 7,000 words a day

<http://denver.craigslist.org/wri/4238076851.html>

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Laid off Detroit writer: 'Journalism cheated on me'

<http://jimromenesko.com/2013/12/10/journalism-cheated-on-me-says-author-of-getting-laid-off/>

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Murdoch is evil: the message hidden in a children's puzzle in one of his papers (Bob Daugherty)

<http://www.theguardian.com/media/2013/dec/10/murdoch-is-evil-the-message-hidden-in-a-sunday-telegraph-childrens-puzzle>

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'Things journalists do that annoy PR people' done as a joke, author says (Mark Mittelstadt)

<http://jimromenesko.com/2013/12/09/list-of-things-that-annoy-pr-people-was-published-as-a-joke/>

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Editorial VP of AOL hyper-local sites Patch is out

<http://jimromenesko.com/2013/12/09/patch-editorial-vice-president-anthony-duignan-cabrera-resigns/>

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Washington Post corrects: there are "NO" mongooses near Roland Martin's home

<http://jimromenesko.com/2013/12/09/correction-there-are-no-mongooses-near-rolands-martins-home-in-virginia/>

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Journalist Seitz-Wald: Newtown school shooter reason for Obama's decline in polls

<http://dailycaller.com/2013/12/10/lefty-journalist-blames-adam-lanza-for-obamas-second-term-implosion/>

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If a story is "viral," truth may be taking a beating

http://www.nytimes.com/2013/12/10/business/media/if-a-story-is-viral-truth-may-be-taking-a-beating.html?_r=0