



## HUMAN RIGHTS NEWS COMMENTARY CONTEST

Entering its 13<sup>th</sup> year, the annual Human Rights Press Awards which is jointly organised by Amnesty International Hong Kong, the Hong Kong Journalist Association and the Foreign Correspondents' Club, is the only awards in Hong Kong and in Asia that recognise outstanding journalists, among others, who contribute to heighten awareness of human rights issues and increase respect for the basic rights of all people. We invite participants of the news commentary contest to comment on the selected winning entries with the hope of enhancing participants' knowledge and understanding of international affairs and human rights issues, develop their objectivity, and raise social consciousness.

### CATEGORIES (SIX IN TOTAL)

Junior Secondary (Secondary 1-3, Grade 7-9)  
Senior Secondary (Secondary 4, Grade 10 and above)  
Public (Anyone who does not fall into the above categories)  
Each category will be subdivided into Chinese and English stream.

### PRIZES

Winners of each category will receive  
Outstanding prize x1 a certificate and prize worth HKD3,000  
Merit x2 a certificate  
Winning entries may be used for Amnesty International promotional purposes.

### PANEL OF JUDGES

*Simon Shen*  
Founding Chancellor of the Roundtable Network  
*Serenade Woo*  
Executive Committee member of Amnesty International Hong Kong, International Federation of Journalists (China and Hong Kong) project coordinator  
*Mio Debnam*  
Writer and editor, Regional Advisor of the Society of Children's Book Writers and Illustrators (SCBWI), Hong Kong Chapter  
*Armin Kalyanram*  
Executive Committee member of Amnesty International Hong Kong

### ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

1. Please download news to be commented at <http://amnesty.org.hk/html/node/10188>
2. The language used in the commentary should be the same as that of the piece of news being commented.
3. Commentaries can be handwritten or typewritten.
4. Word limit (Contestants please state the word count)  
Junior Secondary 200-500 words  
Senior Secondary and Public 500-800 words
5. Contestants should complete the entry form and return it with your commentary to our office:  
Amnesty International Hong Kong  
32-36 Ferry Street #3D, Jordan  
(Human Rights News Commentary Contest)  
If sent by mail, all entries should be postmarked by **June 12, 2009** to be eligible;  
OR send them by email to [admin-hk@amnesty.org.hk](mailto:admin-hk@amnesty.org.hk), stating "Human Rights News Commentary Contest" in the title.

### NOTICE TO CONTESTANTS

1. Contestants can submit an unlimited number of entries. However, if more than one entry is selected, only one prize will be given to the entry winning the highest honor.
2. Amnesty International Hong Kong reserves the right to edit, publish, copy, and use the entries without royalties or any monetary rewards/compensation to the contestants.
3. The commentary must be an original work by the contestant and must not violate or infringe on the rights of any third party.
4. Entries will not be returned to contestants, regardless of the results.
5. Amnesty International Hong Kong shall not be responsible for any loss, delay, or damage to the commentaries during delivery.
6. Amnesty International Hong Kong reserves the final rights to interpretation of the rules.
7. The decisions of the judges with respect to the selection of the winner and with regard to all matters relating to this Contest shall be final.
8. The winner will be informed by e-mail and phone. The winning entries will also be published on our website after July 10, 2009.

### ENQUIRY

Telephone: 2300-1250  
Website: [www.amnesty.org.hk](http://www.amnesty.org.hk)

## 人權新聞評述比賽

由國際特赦組織(香港)、香港記者協會及香港外國記者會主辦的人權新聞獎踏入第十三屆。這是本港及亞洲唯一特意為表揚新聞工作者就有關人權範疇的專業及傑出報導而設的獎項。我們邀請新聞評述比賽參加者評論指定的得獎作品，以增加參加者認知、鼓勵他們關心人權新聞及國際事務，培養客觀分析能力，及提高他們的社會意識。

### 參賽組別 (共六組)

初中 (中一至中三學生)  
高中 (中四至中七學生)  
公開 (任何以上組別不適用人士)  
每個組別再分中文及英文組

### 獎項

每個組別設以下各獎項  
傑出評論獎 一名 - 獎狀及獎品總值港幣三千元  
優異獎 共兩名 - 各得獎狀一張  
得獎作品將作國際特赦組織宣傳之用

### 評審團

*沈旭輝*  
Roundtable Network 創會主席  
*胡麗雲*  
國際特赦組織(香港)執行委員、國際記者聯會(中國及香港)統籌幹事  
*Mio Debnam*  
作家及編輯，童書作家與插畫家協會香港顧問  
*Armin Kalyanram*  
國際特赦組織(香港)執行委員

### 參加辦法

1. 請於 <http://www.amnesty.org.hk/chi/node/20078> 下載被評論新聞
2. 評論使用之語言必須與被評論的作品相同
3. 參賽作品可以手寫或打字
4. 字數限制 (參賽者請列明字數)  
初中組 200-500 字  
高中及公開組 500-800 字
5. 參賽者須填妥參賽表格，連同作品交到  
國際特赦組織(香港)  
九龍佐敦渡船街 32-36 號富利來商業大廈 3D 室  
「人權新聞評述比賽」  
如以郵寄投交，郵戳日期最後為 **2009 年 6 月 12 日**；  
或 以電郵方式傳送到 [admin-hk@amnesty.org.hk](mailto:admin-hk@amnesty.org.hk)，  
主旨註明「Human Rights News Commentary Contest」

### 參賽須知

1. 每人可提交的作品數目不限。如果多於一份作品合資格獲獎，參賽者只能選擇其中一份作品獲獎。
2. 國際特赦組織香港有權對參賽作品進行編輯、出版、複製和其他使用的權利。在使用作品前亦不會向參賽者支付版權費用。
3. 參賽作品必須全部為參賽者本人的原創作品，並無侵犯他人版權。
4. 參賽作品不論獲獎與否，一律不會發還。
5. 主辦單位不會為參賽作品的遺失、延誤、轉遞錯誤及損壞而負責。
6. 主辦單位保留解釋比賽規則的權利。
7. 評審團對勝出者，以至所有有關此比賽的決定為最終決定。
8. 主辦單位將透過電郵和電話通知得獎者。比賽結果亦會於 2009 年 7 月 10 日後在國際特赦組織(香港)網站公佈。

### 查詢

電話：2300-1250  
網址：[www.amnesty.org.hk](http://www.amnesty.org.hk)

**ENTRY FORM**  
HUMAN RIGHTS NEWS COMMENTARY CONTEST

參賽表格  
人權新聞評述比賽

國際特赦組織  
**AMNESTY**  
INTERNATIONAL  
香港 HONG KONG



EACH ENTRY SHOULD COMPLETE ONE FORM  
PHOTOCOPY OF THIS FORM IS ACCEPTED (EXCEPT SIGNATURE)

每份參賽作品填寫一份表格  
表格可影印 (簽名必須為正本)

<b>1. LAST NAME</b>		<b>2. FIRST NAME</b>		<b>3. 中文姓名</b>	
<b>4. TELEPHONE</b> 聯絡電話		<b>5. E-MAIL</b>		電郵地址	
<b>6. ADDRESS</b> 聯絡地址					
<b>7. CATEGORY</b> 參賽組別 <input type="checkbox"/> Junior Secondary 初中組 <input type="checkbox"/> Senior Secondary 高中組 <input type="checkbox"/> Public 公開組					
<b>8. NAME OF YOUR SCHOOL/ORGANIZATION</b> 所屬學校/機構					
<b>9. TEACHER-IN-CHARGE</b> 負責老師			<b>10. TEACHER'S TELEPHONE AND EMAIL</b> 老師電話及電郵地址		
<b>11. NEWS STORY YOU ARE WORKING ON</b> 你評述的新聞故事			<b>12. COMMENTARY TITLE</b> 評述標題		
<b>13. REMARKS</b> 備註					
<b>DEADLINE OF ENTRY IS ON JUNE 12, 2009</b> ■ 最後截止報名日期為 12-6-2009					

12. SIGNATURE 簽署

13. DATE 日期

Mail back along with your entries to:  
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