Un prix de plus en plus prestigieux
Le prix Peter Mackler a été créé à la mémoire de l’ancien rédacteur en chef de l'AFP pour l'Amérique du nord, brusquement décédé en 2008.
En plus de son infatigable passion pour l’information, Peter Mackler avait fondé le Global Media Forum, une organisation à but non lucratif pour enseigner le journalisme à travers le monde et initier les enfants aux grands principes de la profession.

Syrian woman gets Mackler ‘Courageous Journalism’ award
By AFP | Washington
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A Syria-based journalist who has trained citizen reporters in the war-ravaged country has been named the recipient of the 2015 Peter Mackler Award for Courageous and Ethical Journalism, organizers said Saturday.

La syrienne Zaina Erhaim, lauréate du prix Peter Mackler : à 30 ans, une vétérane de la liberté de la presse
Elle a tout juste 30 ans et n'a pas quitté depuis trois ans sa ville suppliciée d'Alep dont elle raconte les blessures au jour le jour. La journaliste syrienne Zaina Erhaim est couronnée par le prestigieux prix Peter Mackler qui récompense le courage et l’éthique journalistique.

Syrian journalist awarded the Mackler courageous journalism award
A Syrian journalist has been named as the commitment to fairness, accuracy and speaking truth to power, and a matching commitment to asserting the right to publish or air that story in countries where independent media is under threat." Last year the award was received by Asma Shirazi from Islamabad, Pakistan. recipient of the Peter Mackler Award for Courageous and Ethical Journalism. According to the official website, "The Peter Mackler Award honors reporters and editors who have demonstrated a commitment to fairness, accuracy and speaking truth to power, and a
matching commitment to asserting the right to publish or air that story in countries where independent media is under threat.” Last year the award was received by Asma Shirazi from Islamabad, Pakistan.

Twitter feed from UN Women:

Facebook page for A Mighty Girl:

https://iwpr.net/global-voices/iwpr-syria-coordinator-wins-prestigious-award

IWPR Syria Coordinator Wins Prestigious Award
Writer, trainer and mentor honored for her courageous work in heart of conflict zone.


Reporting on the Ground in Syria, and Teaching 1,000 Citizens to Do the Same
As we look at Syria—from the Arab Spring to its long and bloody civil war to the refugee crisis that has left 11 million people displaced—we hear a lot of analysis from the outside. But there are also those working tirelessly to help
people that are still inside to tell their stories.


Syrian woman, 30, wins journalism award for courage
A true shoe-leather reporter living and working in the war-torn city of Aleppo, Syria, has been honored with a prestigious award for courage in the field of journalism. Zaina Erhaim, 30, is the recipient of the 2015 Peter Mackler Award for Courageous and Ethical Journalism, an honor given jointly by Reporters Without Borders, Agence France-Press and the Global Media Forum.

http://zaina-erhaim.com/?p=1813
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Early one morning this summer Zaina Erhaim was woken by the whistling sound of a barrel bomb falling from a regime helicopter. She could tell that the bomb, packed with explosives and steel shrapnel, was going to land close to her apartment in rebel-held eastern Aleppo. Her husband, Mahmoud, told her not to be scared. He put his hands over her ears and tried to shield her body with his own. Seconds later there was a deafening explosion. The whole building shook. The doors and windows blew inwards. Erhaim remembers hearing screams outside and saw a nearby building burning. It was an improvised school and nursery.

Zaina Erhaim - Syrian female journalist wins Peter Mackler Award
Zaina Erhaim, the inspiring female journalist from the war ravaged and much destroyed Syria has won the prestigious Peter Mackler Award for Courageous and Ethical Journalism 2015. The 30-year old Zaina is a one-woman army of journalists, who changed the journalistic scene in Syria by training more than 100 citizen journalists in the print and the electronic media. Zaina has empowered women as about one third of the trained journalists are females. Many of her students have made forays into international media outlets and there is flow of information to the outside world in spite of the Syrian dictator Bashar Al Assad’s ways to scuttle the media.

https://iwpr.net/global-voices/iwprs-syria-coordinator-speaks-women-world
Syria Coordinator Speaks at Women in World Event
Writer and mentor shares stage with Hollywood stars and world’s leading human rights defenders.

Survival in Syria: Children still going to school, people still falling in love
(CNN) Shelled-out apartment blocks, AK-47s and black flags, tanks and Russian jets: the images we have of Syria, of death and destruction, omit any idea of life. But life goes on.
"People are still trying to survive," said journalist Zaina Erhaim. "They are still getting in love, they're still getting their children to schools -- although now the schools are in basements, although the field hospitals are in basements."
Syria Still Learning and Loving Despite War, Syrian Journalist Says
Syria has been left wounded and bleeding by war and violence, but a new surge of hope seems to be rising among the ruins as children strive to obtain proper education and people still "fall in love," despite the crisis that the country is faced with.

Citizen journalists in Syria 'start writing history'
Award-winning journalist Zaina Erhaim decided to return to Syria and give basic journalism training to citizens to help them tell their own stories

Zaina Erhaim, journaliste à Alep : « Je n’ai jamais voulu être reporter de guerre»
Cette Syrienne de 30 ans a reçu jeudi, aux Etats-Unis, le prix Peter-Mackler récompensant le courage journalistique.

Journalist tells of her “race against death” inside war-torn Syria
30-year-old Zaina Erhaim risks her life daily to report and to train journalists — many of them women — on the frontline of Syria’s bloody civil war.
Award recipient aims to show 'human side' of Syria war
Zaina Erhaim, the Syrian recipient of the Peter Mackler Award for Courageous and Ethical Journalism, said Thursday she hopes her work can convey "the human side" of the horrific conflict.

Teaching citizen journalists to survive in Syria
After years of ongoing conflict between President Bashar al-Assad, the Islamic State (ISIS) and numerous other opposition and militant groups, the Committee to Protect Journalists cites Syria as the third-deadliest country for journalists.