

# 2003: August

August 28 posted American Media & Iraq in War Reporting/Resources

August 27 added several items to the ARTICLES website

August 27 Read ["The Age of Murdoch"](#) from the Sept. issue of The Atlantic magazine

August 25 added page on Symbolism to the "To Kill A Mockingbird" teacher guide

August 20 unveiled new homepage redesign

August 15 Berkeley Media studies group releases: "Reporting on Violence: New Ideas for Television, Print and the Web."

Download report [here](#)

August 14 added Kobe Bryant endorsement story to Celebrity Ads page; added additional images as well; smoking lesson plan updated throughout


August 14 [Making the Grades, and Films Too](#) (New York Times article reviewing how some schools are integrating film studies into the curriculum)

August 9 The New Internationalist magazine: Sounds of Dissent: The Politics of Music

August 8 posted NMEC handouts webpage

August 5 Harvard University's Shorenstein Center on the Press, Politics and Public Policy has released a new [study](#) by Michael Tomasky that systematically reviews the country's 4 leading conservative and liberal editorial pages. Tomasky finds that conservative editorial pages are far less willing to criticize a Republican administration than liberal pages are willing to take issue with a Democratic administration.

August 3 [If You Pitch It, They Will Eat It](#) New York Times story

	<a href="#">Aug.2 issue of TV Guide</a> reviews history of sex & violence on TVas well as current state of standards & practices
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