Problems facing young journalists

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Well, being a young person has its own challenges, being a journalist has its challenges too. Then, how does being young journalist sound to you? That's two problems.

The problems facing youth in the media is quite a lot, here are few-

Even though many young journalist join the media sector out passion, dedication or just the love of being in front of the camera. But at the end of the day everybody got to make a living, this is where the biggest problem of getting a job comes in. It's very hard for youth to get a job.

In the current economic situation most of the media houses were effected hence were forced to work in harsh economic environment. Journalist mostly young ones are forced to do more work due to layoffs or due to less staff.



Competition is very high in the field of media. Most often the report compiled by famous outspoken journalist are considered leaving out the young upcoming ones. It's not the qualification that matters so much as many would say "it's who is who in the media". A young journalist once said "In media, you either make it or never make it".

Gone are the days when people used to enjoy reading a newspaper with a cup of coffee: These days People are so much into social media. These mean that journalist have the double task of passing information on different media. For instance a journalist writing an article on the local newspaper will need to write on the print paper, e-paper, blog, social networking sites like Facebook etc.



