

HANDOUT

What about constructive journalism?

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Outline of the presentation

- I am happy if you begin to think that it is meaningful to have constructive views and tools when making news.
 - Stop building dramatic fights in your stories (of persons who have never met)
 - Stop thinking the main person of your story as a victim/villain
 - Begin to present solutions and not only reporting conflicts
 - Still keeping in mind that constructive news is just one new tool to take advance
- Check these:

Haagerup, Ulrik. 2014. Constructive News. Innovatio. Publishers teaser-PDF, pages 1-36:
http://www.innovatio.de/pdf/constructive_news_web_teaser.pdf

Pinkerton, Jennifer. 2014. A fraction too much friction: Constructive journalism's subversion of classic news values. University of Technology Sydney/Charles Darwin University. http://www.aawp.org.au/wp-content/uploads/2015/05/Pinkerton_J_A_Fraction_Too_Much_Friction.pdf

Constructive journalism project: <http://constructivejournalism.org/>

Worlds best news: <http://worldsbestnews.dk/>

Positive News: <https://www.positive.news/>

Three lessons from the Constructive Journalism Project:

<https://www.positive.news/2015/society/media/18054/three-lessons-constructive-journalism-project/>

Images & voices of hope (Ivoh): How constructive journalism can improve the way media makers tell stories: <http://ivoh.org/constructive-journalism/>

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