

## KURT SCHORK AWARDS – 2010

### Winners:

**Local reporter category** – Adrian Mogos (Romania)

**Freelance category** – Stephen Gray (UK)

Ceremony held at Thomson Reuters Building, Canary Wharf, London on 24<sup>th</sup> November.

#### Adrian Mogos



was born in the town of Cluj - Napoca on 1974. He graduated from the Faculty of Journalism at the West University of Timisoara, following up with postgraduate studies in European Studies in Slovakia. Since 2004, Adrian has worked for the Bucharest-based daily newspaper Jurnalul National. At the same time, he was accepted as a member of the Romanian Centre for Investigative Journalism. In 2009, Adrian was made a fellow of the Balkan Fellowship for Journalistic Excellence, and this summer he was awarded the CEI - SEEMO award for outstanding merits in investigative journalism. Adrian is often invited to share his experience with young journalists in Romania and Moldova.

#### Winning Stories

**Forged identity – highway to the EU** - Jurnalul National

**Fields of Terror – the New Slave Trade in the Heart of Europe** - Jurnalul National

#### Stephen Grey



is a freelance writer and reporter based in London, covering security issues for both newspapers and television and radio. A former foreign correspondent and Insight Editor of the Sunday Times, he has continued to work for the paper as a freelance, covering most recently the wars in Iraq and Afghanistan, but has also written regularly for publications including the New York Times, Guardian, Prospect magazine and Le Monde Diplomatique. He is best known for his work on reporting the CIA's rendition program, which resulted in his first book, Ghost Plane. Since 2007, he has been reporting on the war in Afghanistan, particularly in Helmand and Kandahar, where he reported in the spring and early summer of this year. His account of the battle for Musa Qala – Operation Snakebite- was published last year by Penguin. He has made several films for Channel 4 Dispatches, BBC Newsnight, Radio 4's File on Four, and is currently working on assignment for the PBS documentary series Frontline. Stephen is married with two children.

#### Winning Stories

**Jonno the brave** - The Sunday Times

**Cracking On In Helmand** - Prospect Magazine

**The Gangs of Kandahar** - Le Monde Diplomatique