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The Arleigh Burke-class guided missile destroyer USS Farragut (DDG 99) passes by the smoke from a suspected pirate skiff it had just disabled. USS Farragut is part of Combined Task Force 151, a multinational task force established to conduct anti-piracy operations in the Gulf of Aden.

U.S. Navy photo by Mass Communication Specialist
1st Class Cassandra Thompson

Members of the U.S. Coast Guard Law Enforcement Detachment and Combined Task Force 151's visit board search and seizure team, on board the Arleigh Burke-class guided missile destroyer USS Farragut (DDG 99) board a suspicious dhow. USS Farragut is part of Combined Task Force 151, a multinational task force established to conduct anti-piracy operations in the Gulf of Aden.

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U.S. Army Pfc. Casey Scalese, assigned to Alpha Company, 1st Battalion, 30th Infantry Regiment, 2nd Brigade Combat Team, 3rd Infantry Division, looks through a thermal telescope at a small village from his team's observation post during a Combined Security Force (CSF) mission March 29, 2010, in Kirkuk province, Iraq. CSF members maintain their observation posts for more than seven hours, monitoring the area for any signs of insurgent activity.

U.S. Navy photo by Mass Communication Specialist
2nd Class Matthew D. Leistikow

U.S. Army Capt. Derek Noel, commander of Bravo Company, 4th Battalion, 9th Infantry Regiment, waves to an Iraqi child in Nasir Wa Salam, Iraq, March 31, 2010. Noel's unit is taking part in a coalition humanitarian aid mission led by the Iraqi Army. The goal of the aid mission is to improve the relationship between residents and Iraqi soldiers.

U.S. Navy photo by Mass Communication Specialist
2nd Class Manhea Kim





Military and relief agency personnel use their body-weight to prevent relief supplies from being swept away by the downdraft created by a CH-53E Super Stallion helicopter from Marine Medium Helicopter Squadron (HMM) 265 (Reinforced). The helicopter is transporting relief supplies to regions of West Sumatra affected by a powerful earthquake.

**U.S. Navy photo by Mass Communication Specialist
2nd Class Aaron Burden**

U.S. Army Capt. Charles Roush speaks with a village mukhtar in Yurimjah, Iraq, March 31, 2010, about the possibility of establishing a gravel road for the village. Roush is the commander of Bravo Battery, 2nd Battalion, 3rd Field Artillery Regiment, 1st Brigade Combat Team, 1st Armor Division.

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2nd Class Matthew D. Leistikow**





Mass Communication Specialist 1st Class Cassandra Thompson leads her team during a tactical movement as part of Fleet Combat Camera Group Pacific's Quick Shot exercise. Quick Shot is a semi-annual field exercise designed to train combat camera personnel to operate in a combat environment.

**U.S. Navy photo by Mass Communication Specialist
2nd Class Michael D. Blackwell**

Mass Communication Specialist 2nd Class Ted Green shouts the all clear command during a close quarters battle exercise for Quick Shot 2010. Quick Shot is a semi-annual field exercise designed to train combat camera personnel to operate in a combat environment.

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Mass Communication Specialist 1st Class Manhea Kim provides security during a hasty ambush drill as part of a Quick Shot exercise. Quick Shot is a semi-annual field exercise designed to train combat camera personnel to operate in a combat environment.

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Mass Communication Specialist 1st Class Anthony R. Hayes conducts an aerial photography exercise on the ramp of an MH-53 Sea Stallion helicopter over Naval Station Guantanamo Bay, Cuba, March 10, 2010.

U.S. Navy photo by Mass Communication Specialist 1st Class Michael B. W. Watkins





Members of Fleet Logistics Support Squadron 30 (VRC-30), perform maintenance on a C-2A Greyhound. The Greyhound is a twin-engine cargo aircraft designed to land on and provide critical logistics support to aircraft carriers. It has a carrying a capacity of 10,000 pounds of cargo and passengers.

U.S. Navy photo by Mass Communication Specialist
1st Class Michael O'Day

U.S. Army Spc. Ian Murray, with Mortar Platoon, Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 1st Brigade, 37th Armor Battalion, 1st Brigade Combat Team, 1st Armored Division, pulls security while other Soldiers search a building in Hawijah, Iraq. U.S. Soldiers and Iraqi police joined forces to execute an arrest warrant on a person of interest.

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Congratulations to Mass Communication Specialist 2nd Class Terrence Siren on the following CHINFO Merit Awards:

**1st Place in Photojournalism: “The Long Journey Home”
Naval Special Warfare Group Three**

**3rd Place in Feature Article: “Navy SEAL Chris Cassidy has the Best One-Up”
Naval Special Warfare Group**