

The subject of this thesis is blogging about handicapped children and the way in which the child is published through them. The subject is illustrated by the examples of three blogs and interviews with their authors. The thesis also discusses the phenomenon of parental social networking sites. The work is divided into two parts – the first is devoted to the theoretical base, especially the definition of blogs and social networking sites, as well as ethics and privacy in the context of blogs and social networking sites. The second part discusses blogs and their authors, blogging style and the perks and the potential disadvantages that blogging can bring to the family or to the children.