

ARTICLES OF INTEREST

April 12, 2019

QUOTE(S) OF THE WEEK

"I have never looked for dream in reality or reality in dream. I have allowed my imagination free play, and I have not been led astray by it." – Gustave Moreau

"It doesn't matter how many things you've done, how much stuff you've counted, or how far you've gone. You haven't taken the first step on the road to infinity." – George F. R. Ellis, Cosmologist

"Nothing in this world can take the place of persistence. Talent will not; nothing is more common than unsuccessful people with talent. Genius will not; unrewarded genius is almost a proverb. Education will not; the world is full of educated derelicts. Persistence and determination alone are omnipotent. The slogan 'press on' has solved and always will solve the problems of the human race." – Calvin Coolidge

"I dwell in possibility..." – Emily Dickinson

"Black holes ain't as black as they are painted. They are not the eternal prisons they were once thought. Things can get out of a black hole, both to the outside, and possibly to another universe. So if you feel you are in a black hole, don't give up. There's a way out." – Stephen Hawking

"Man is a creature of hope and invention, both of which belie the idea that things cannot be changed." – Tom Clancy

VIDEO(S) OF THE WEEK

A Group of Powerful Telescopes Captures the First-Ever Image of a Black Hole Colossal

Katie Bouman: How to take a picture of a black hole TED Talk

A Paper Camera Comprised of Complementary Colors Includes Interchangeable Lenses and a Removable Flash

Colossal

The Biggest Questions of Cosmology: Pondering the Imponderables World Science Festival

FEATURED EVENTS/OPPORTUNITIES

Idea Week 2019 includes Bill Nye the Science Guy, Wired co-founder ABC57.com

Through April 13

Orlando Science Center: Aviation exhibit gives imagination wings
Orlando Sentinel
Through May 2

The Top Innovation Conferences of 2019

Forest Giant

Through December 2019

A National Convening on the Integration the Arts, Humanities, and STEMM in Higher Ed

National Academy of Sciences

April 12

NEW Make Omaha 2019: Innovation, technology showcase

KETV

April 13

World Creativity and Innovation Week

World Creativity and Innovation Week

April 15 - 21

NEW One year in, the 7 ideas of The Audacious Project are making ever-bigger waves

TED Blog

April 16

WonderWorks Orlando Celebrates WonderKids with Astronaut Meet and Greet and Ceremony

Diversity In STEAM Magazine

April 25 - 27

STEM and policy leaders: 'What IF we could engineer policy'

Purdue University News

April 28 - 30

Milton Fisher Scholarship for Innovation and Creativity

The Community Foundation for Greater New Haven

Deadline: May 1

Rock band OK Go launches contest for student art that will be sent into space

PRNewswire

Deadline: May 6

3M and Discovery Education Search for America's Next Top Young Scientist in National Middle School Competition with Chance to Win \$25,000 Grand Prize

Discovery Education News

Deadline: May 7

Alcatraz East Crime Museum to Hold 2nd Annual Graffiti Art Contest

Diversity In STEAM Magazine

Deadline: May 8

2019 ENCATC-AAAE International Panel

ENCATC May 30

New England Foundation for the Arts opens registration for Creative Communities Exchange

VTDigger
June 6 -7

2019 Pritzker Forum on Global Cities

Financial Times and The Chicago Council on Global Affairs

June 5 - 7

2019 ENCATC International Study Tour | Casablanca, Tangier, and Marrakesh, Morocco

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June 10 – 14

NSF grant program to pay universities to hire quantum researchers

Edscoop

July 1

Creativity Conference

Southern Oregon University

July 11 – 14

Photo Contest 2019 | Rules

Smithsonian Magazine

Deadline: November 30

TEDWomen 2019: Bold + Brilliant

TEDWomen

December 4 - 6 | Palm Springs, CA

TED2020: Uncharted

TED.com

April 20—24, 2020 | Vancouver, BC, Canada

CreativeMornings | a monthly breakfast lecture series

CreativeMornings

Various

Interactive Map | Festivals

Science Festival Alliance

Various

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Darkness Visible, Finally: Astronomers Capture First Ever Image of a Black Hole The New York Times

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First-ever picture of a black hole unveiled

National Geographic

Her algorithm helped scientists capture that black hole photo Bizwomen

Why Doesn't the Black Hole Image Look Like the One From Interstellar? *Gizmodo*

Black hole image validates imagining the unimaginable Science News

How Much the Public Knows about Science, and Why It Matters

Scientific American Blog Network

Two MIT Economists Share A Bold Plan To Jump-Start The Economy In New Book WGBH

Want to Innovate? Science Says, "Be Diligent!"

The Creativity Post

Can A Computer Be Creative? Chips With Everything

Imagination Matters

How Kaiser's Bernard Tyson led the Bay Area Council to find a solution for homelessness

San Francisco Business Times

Through hip-hop and dance, this nonprofit teaches girls of color how to code — 'It helped me build who I am'

Philly.com

Equity in Pursuit of Excellence: Why the Social Sector Needs Bold Strokes *BoardSource*

U. of Wisconsin at Stevens Point Pulls Back From Plan to Cut 6 Liberal-Arts Programs

The Chronicle of Higher Education

7 surprising things that could change the job market by 2030 CBC News

National Endowment for the Humanities and the Mellon Foundation Announce Grants to Digitize Essential Humanities Books

National Endowment for the Humanities (NEH)

UW professor is one of world's leading synesthesia researchers *Channel3000.com*

Aphantasia: Ex-Pixar chief Ed Catmull says 'my mind's eye is blind' BBC News

Was Leonardo da Vinci, a Famous Lefty, Actually Ambidextrous? Smart News | Smithsonian

An Oxford mathematician explains how Al could enhance human creativity The Verge

Tools for women entrepreneurs

Macleans.ca

'Bloomberg Technology' Full Show (04/11/2019)

Bloomberg

'The Efficiency Paradox': Why Tech Can't Fix Everything Knowledge @ Wharton

Cultivating collaboration and innovation between MIT and Denmark *MIT News*

NAS Honors 10 U.S. Nobel and Kavli Prize Laureates

National Academies of Sciences Engineering Medicine

Hanover School Board votes to cut funding from MathScience Innovation Center Education | richmond.com

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Students, supporters fight to save MathScience Innovation Center funding Henrico Citizen

Despite outcry, Henrico officials poised to adopt budget without MathScience Innovation Center funding

Henrico Schools | richmond.com

Collision, City of Toronto teaming up to attract international talent to Canada Betakit

Imagination fueled innovation at Youth STEMposium

The Weekly Challenger

This physicist is trying to make sense of the brain's tangled networks $Science \mid AAAS$

Chinese scientists defend implanting human gene into monkeys' brains *CNN*

The violent attack that turned a man into a maths genius BBC - Future

Brain-like model provides hope for millions with Alzheimer's, other neurological disorders

Purdue University News

Our brains sculpt each other. So why do we study them in isolation? *Science News*

Creativity starts with curiosity

BizTimes Media Milwaukee

Kansas City Art Institute introduces Entrepreneurial Studies minor Kansas City Business Journal

Youth With Disabilities

Connected Science Learning

Meet The Indian-American Host Of Netflix's STEM Series 'Brainchild' Forbes

Chan Zuckerberg Initiative launches effort to increase diversity of STEM students Berkeley News

Queer in STEM Symposium seeks to improve path for LGBTQ scientists at Yale YaleNews

Changing the Game in STEM with Family Engagement *STEM Next*

Meet Blue: The Cheap and Manipulative (in a Good Way) Robot *WIRED*

Hospital viruses: Fake cancerous nodes in CT scans, created by malware, trick radiologists

The Washington Post

Mark Zuckerberg, Elizabeth Warren, and the Case for Regulating Big Tech The New Yorker

The Age of Robot Farmers

The New Yorker

NASA Twins Study Shows Changes From Year in Space

Science | Smithsonian

Why These Four Banjo-Playing Women Resurrected the Songs of the Enslaved At the Smithsonian | Smithsonian

How Women Got the Vote Is a Far More Complex Story Than the History Textbooks Reveal

At the Smithsonian | Smithsonian

How Margaret Dayhoff Brought Modern Computing to Biology *Science | Smithsonian*

Drones' Newest Cargo Might Just Be Human Organs *Innovation | Smithsonian*

How the Invisible Hand of William Shakespeare Influenced Adam Smith History | Smithsonian

Tricking rats with augmented reality unlocked a secret about our own brains Popular Science

These genetic 'goggles' could help us engineer wildly resilient crops Popular Science

How an Autodidact Astronomer Became the First Americadn to Discover a Comet Pacific Standard

The New Guantanamo Bay-Themed Play That Serves as a Rejoinder to 'Homeland' Pacific Standard

Colouring outside the lines: design for public good Nesta

The Rise of Purpose Education: A Recipe for Fulfillment or Snowflakes? Fast Forward | OZY

Chinese scientists have put human brain genes in monkeys—and yes, they may be smarter

MIT Technology Review

Will Education Be Pointless 30 Years from Now??—?Part One Medium

How Constraints Can Make You More Creative.

The Post-Grad Survival Guide | Medium

Johnson & Johnson Innovation and Children's National Health System* to Launch JLABS @ Washington, DC at the new Children's National Research and Innovation Campus in 2020

PRNewswire

Bauhaus: The School of Modernism

Google Arts & Culture

How Technology From the Space Race Changed the World

Northrop Grumman

Ray Dalio says the economy poses 'an existential threat for the US'

Business Insider

Queen, Elton, Bruce: Is Classic Rock the Next Great Hollywood I.P. Well? Vanity Fair

Chicago nonprofits developing their own affordable housing

Crain's Chicago Business

Johnson Publishing, former publisher of Ebony and Jet magazines, files for bankruptcy

Bizwomen

Artists take a stand against gender gap in country music

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Apple is losing the 5G race

AdAge

Wisconsin Robotics Team Takes Top Prize in 'Bot Shot' Competition

Wisconsin INNO

A radio station becomes a lifeline for endangered Mexican, Central American indigenous languages

NBC News

Writing Women's History: starting with your mother

Creativity at Work

Radically Re-Thinking Work

Innovation Excellence

Why the Biggest Breakthroughs Often Come From the Quiet Geniuses

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WonderWorks Branson Providing Local Schools with In-Service STEM Educational Program

Diversity In STEAM Magazine

Multiple lines of mysterious Denisovans interbred with us *National Geographic*

Astronaut Scott Kelly's year in space affected his body. Here's how. *National Geographic*

SpacelL's Beresheet, first privately funded moon lander, crash-lands *National Geographic*

Time Travel and Strong Memories—Tinted by Unusual Colors! The Fallible Mind | Psychology Today

How Do the Best Innovators Collaborate?

Quantum Leaps | Psychology Today

Thoughtless Acts: Lovers' Quarrel IDEO Blog

Millennials and Gen Z Need Training in This One...
The Creativity Post

The problem with unicorns... Seth's Blog

Melinda has a terrific new book coming out Gates Notes

Greta Thunberg nominated for Nobel Peace Prize and other TED news *TED Blog*

5 rituals that spark creativity at Pinterest, Flipboard, and Amazon Fast Company

From Bad Robot receptionist to Sundance darling: What rising-star writer-director J.D. Dillard learned from J.J. Abrams about storytelling Fast Company

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Episode 10: Beth Comstock -Author, Imagine It Forward and Former Vice Chair GE *Agile Giants | Medium*

Change the Point of Attack - Insights from Nelson Destination Innovation

The Key to Designing for Social Impact? Empathy Fortune

Meet Oust Labs First Accelerator Graduate, Music Tech Startup MXD UrbanGeekz

Reorganization Viewed from the Inside, with Fly The Nest Innovation Excellence

And the Oscar Goes to...

Innovation Excellence

Simple Formula That Explains Why Anyone Would Buy Your Invention Innovation Excellence

Fail it. Nail it. Scale it. Sale it Innovation Excellence

New species of ancient human discovered in the Philippines: Homo luzonensis *National Geographic*

Ebola virus facts and information

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How Copernicus developed heliocentrism to reorganize the cosmos National Geographic

Last year's 11 most challenged books in schools and libraries *MobyLives*

How Spotify Saved the Music Industry (But Not Necessarily Musicians) *Freakonomics*

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Artists Call Out Spotify in Open Letter: 'You Have Used Us' Vulture

Designing Philadelphia's \$50 Million Esports Arena *CityLab*

Australia's new social media law shows why we can't rush to legislate the internet.

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Teaching the Arts in a State Prison Classroom

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How much can we afford to forget, if we train machines to remember? *Aeon Ideas*

Are the Humanities History?

NYR Daily | The New York Review of Books

Erisology: The Science of Arguing About Everything

The Atlantic

A 3D-Printed Press Brings Printmaking to the People

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Intricate Tessellations Expand and Contract in New Folded Paper Works by Ekaterina Lukasheva

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Writers Guild, Agents Talk Packaging, Ownership as Deadline Looms *Variety*

Trump Says the U.S. Is 'Full.' Much of the Nation Has the Opposite Problem.

The New York Times

Investing in Socially-Engaged Artists Can Drive Community Change Grantmakers in the Arts

New Three Dimensional Narratives Composed from Discarded Books *Colossal*

Build Your Own Robotic Cat with An Open Source Kit by Petoi *Colossal*

But What Does Arts Entrepreneurship Even Mean?

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Busy Doing Nothing | Megan Marz

The Baffler

In Bubbles, She Sees a Mathematical Universe

The New York Times

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Confirmed: New phase of matter is solid and liquid at same time

National Geographic

Coding Is for Everyone—as Long as You Speak English

WIRED

Iowa Artist Makes Music from Brain Waves

Iowa Public Radio

Rising To Meet the Need for Pediatric Device Innovation

Stanford Children's Health

How to integrate creative coding and robotics into your classroom EdScoop

50 Game-Changing Innovations in Robotics, Home Technology and Medicine *Entrepreneur*

Report: China's Closing the Innovation Gap *Nextgov*

Inspiring creativity and innovation in the nation's capital *University of Miami News*

To Improve Memory, Tune It Like an Orchestra *The New York Times*

Why University-Industry Partnerships Matter QS WOW News

Developing a Diverse Scientific Workforce To End the Alzheimer's Epidemic *University of Arizona News*

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Reclaiming spaces: Camp ELSO inspires children of color to explore the outdoors, science careers

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Elite Chinese Music School Now Offers PhDs in Music + Al Synced

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Minnesota student group seeks to expand makerspace access StarTribune.com

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The Art Law Blog

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