



National Creativity Network

ARTICLES OF INTEREST

October 27, 2023

QUOTE(S) OF THE WEEK

“Genius is one per cent inspiration, ninety-nine per cent perspiration.” – Thomas Alva Edison

“It is of the nature of idea to be communicated: written, spoken, done. The idea is like grass, It craves light, likes crowds, thrives on crossbreeding, grows better for being stepped on.” – Ursula K. Le Guin

“People ask me, 'Don't you ever run out of ideas?' Well, on the first place, I don't use ideas. Every time I have an idea, it's too limiting and usually turns out to be a disappointment. But I haven't run out of curiosity.” – Robert Rauschenberg

“Great scientific discoveries have been made by men seeking to verify quite erroneous theories about the nature of things.” – Aldous Huxley

“The important thing is not to stop questioning. Curiosity has its own reason for existing.” – Albert Einstein

“Cherish your visions and your dreams as they are the children of your soul, the blueprints of your ultimate achievements.” – Napoleon Hill

“Books won't stay banned. They won't burn. Ideas won't go to jail. In the long run of history, the censor and the inquisitor have always lost. The only sure weapon against bad ideas is better ideas. The source of better ideas is wisdom. The surest path to wisdom is a liberal education.” – Alfred Whitney Griswold

“You don't have to be the Dalai Lama to tell people that life's about change.” – John Cleese

VIDEO(S) OF THE WEEK

**Sumito Sakakibara Plumbs Memory and Time in His Animated Film 'Izuna Fair,'
On View for a Limited Time**

Colossal

How Corinne Bailey Rae and Theaster Gates Are Preserving Black Culture

Hyfin

The end of writer's block

Seth's Blog

I Designed the Most Famous Tongue In History

Great Big Story

**2023 Simon Ramo Founders and Arthur M. Bueche Awards Presentation: NAE
Annual Meeting**

National Academy of Engineering

Grit: The power of passion and perseverance

TED Talks Education

Why you should make useless things

TED2018

**'I Knew the Repercussions of Leaving': A Student Gave Up One Life to Pursue
Another**

The Chronicle of Higher Education

NEW Co-designing the Digital Future with Kids, for Kids

Joan Ganz Cooney Center at Sesame Workshop

In Memphis, A New School Graduates Its First Class

Letters from the Future (of Learning) | Sam Chaltain

FEATURED EVENTS/OPPORTUNITIES

**NEW Vanishing book to appear at ASU-hosted literature, science and arts
conference**

ASU News | Arizona State University

Through October 29

**Cranbrook Academy of Art Announces Public Lecture Series With Artists,
Architects, Curators, and Designers**

Colossal

October 19 - April 4

Education Open House

Lincoln Center

October 29

NEW Health care reform for the people: A conversation with former Canadian Health Minister Jane Philpott

The Studio | Harvard T.H. Chan School of Public Health

October 30

NEH Announces Special Funding Opportunity for Tribal Communities for Projects Related to the Federal Indian Boarding School Initiative

National Endowment for the Humanities

Deadline: November 1 (Letter of Intent)

NEW UNCTAD Internship in the Trade and Creative Economy / Division on International Trade and Commodities (DITC), I (Temporary Job Opening)

United Nations Conference on Trade and Development (UNCTAD)

Deadline: November 7

Bridging Research, Architecture and Design for Health and Wellbeing

Intentional Spaces Summit 2023

November 9 – 10

2024 National STEM Challenge

National STEM Challenge

Deadline: November 12, 2023 | 8:59 PT

Nesta talks to... Tamara Carleton and William Cockayne

Nesta

November 16

Ethical Games Conference

ACM Games

January 11 – 12

NEW Penguin Random House launches high schoolers' award to combat book bans

The Guardian

Deadline: January 16

World Creativity & Innovation Week

World Creativity & Innovation Week

April 15 – 21, 2024

World Creativity & Innovation Day

World Creativity & Innovation Week

April 21, 2024

Call for Articles | General Issue

European Journal of Cultural Management and Policy | ENCATC

Deadline: Ongoing

Idea Jams 2023/2024

Canadian Network for Imagination and Creativity

Series

CreativeMornings | a monthly breakfast lecture series

CreativeMornings

Various

Nesta Talks to...

Nesta

Various

Interactive Map | Science Festivals

Science Festival Alliance

Various

ARTICLES OF INTEREST

President Biden Honors Leading American Scientists, Technologists, and Innovators

The White House

Also

National Medals of Science and Technology Awards Ceremony

C-SPAN

TIME Names 'Best Inventions' Of 2023: From Braille LEGO Bricks To DIY Nokias

DesignTAXI

"How A.I. Is Revolutionizing Timeless Tracks: Roberta Flack's Song Reimagined"

Hyfin

Suburban school district reconsiders postponing Hampshire's spring musical about gay teens after student and parent outcry

Microsoft Start, Chicago Tribune

Science on the Square: A festival of learning

UW-Madison News - University of Wisconsin-Madison

This largest-ever map of the human brain could change how we study it

Short Wave | NPR

A state-of-the-art education facility to spark creativity and innovative thinking

The Globe and Mail

How to Write AI Art Prompts Effectively with Examples

TechRepublic

Healing through creativity

WAMC Northeast Public Radio

How adults understand what kids are saying

EurekaAlert! | AAAS

Why you love your favorite song

KERA Think

How robots can learn to follow a moral code

Nature

Researchers identify key genes in the development of the primate brain

YaleNews | Yale University

Engineers Beef with Advertising

GapingVoid.com

The Scientists Watching Their Life's Work Disappear

The Climate Issue | The New York Times

Are roundabouts really safer?

Co.Design | Fast Company

Website footers (yes, footers!) are having a design renaissance

Co.Design | Fast Company

Small groups, well organized

Seth's Blog

The Discomfort Caused by a Diversity of Perspective

Human-Centered Change and Innovation

“Black Partners with Endel: The Fusion Of R&B and AI-Driven Soundscapes for Mental Health”

Hyfin

Ultra-Practical Purses and Homewares by Nikolas Bentel Have Exactly One Ridiculous Job

Colossal

Amy Schumer's memoir, 'The Art of War' and many other books are banned in US prisons. Here's why

Wisconsin State Journal, AP

'Message in a Bottle' finds new meaning in Sting songs

Wisconsin State Journal

'New Yorker' Cartoon About a Dog on the Internet Breaks Auction Records

Smart News | Smithsonian Magazine

Three people were gene-edited in an effort to cure their HIV. The result is unknown.

MIT Technology Review

Life After “Calvin and Hobbes”

The New Yorker

Giving up on identity with Ada Limón

Code Switch | NPR

Can Failure Be and Feel Productive?

IDEO Journal

Why Breathing Life into Creativity Is More Important Than You Think

Creativity At Work

3 Habits for Sustaining Your Creativity in Dark Times

Tracking Wonder | Psychology Today

Studio Museum in Harlem Director Thelma Golden Wins \$250,000 Prize

ARTnews

A Grant Maker Is Betting a TV Show for Teen Girls Can Help Narrow the STEM Gender Gap

Philanthropy Today | The Chronicle of Philanthropy

AI and the Creative Process: Part Three

JSTOR Daily

Also

AI and the Creative Process: Part Two

JSTOR Daily

AI and the Creative Process: Part One

JSTOR Daily

United States-Australia Joint Leaders' Statement Building an Innovation Alliance

The White House

2023 Woman in Innovation Awards

WTNH

Pew funds 6 teams to advance cutting-edge biomedical research

EurekAlert! | AAAS

What an Animated Taco Reveals About Curiosity and Patience

Duke Today | Duke University

Unlocking the Language of Emotion Through Body Movement

Neuroscience News

A new definition of the humanities (opinion)

Inside Higher Ed

Reinventing the teaching of humanities in our fragmented time - Inside Higher Ed

Inside Higher Ed

AI-Created Monoclonal Antibodies Drive Innovation at BigHat Biosciences
Genetic Engineering and Biotechnology News

How Generative AI Can Empower Software Engineering Teams
Forbes

Engineering The Impossible
Forbes

Are you an artistic genius?
Aeon Essays

Creative care: How art therapy helps UK HealthCare patients heal
UKNow | University of Kentucky

Celebrating a genre that envisions better futures
ASU News | Arizona State University

Innovative imaging maps area of brain linked to speech
Harvard Gazette | Harvard University

Human brain's 'temporal scaffolding' inspires new AI approaches
University of Rochester News Center

In a 1st, AI neural network captures 'critical aspect of human intelligence'
Live Science

Art engages more than just minds in Health Sciences
Health Sciences Connect | The University of Arizona

A 'Godfather of AI' Calls for an Organization to Defend Humanity
WIRED

Hipgnosis Songs Investors Vote Overwhelmingly for Reorganization, Reject \$440 Million Catalog Sale
Variety

YouTube Q3 Ad Sales Jump 12.5% to Nearly \$8 Billion, Alphabet Beats Estimates
Variety

Generative AI Models Are Sucking Data Up From All Over the Internet, Yours Included
Scientific American

When birds gorge on cicadas, caterpillars go unchecked and chomp their way through oak forests
Science

China's Age of Malaise

The New Yorker

An AI revolution is brewing in medicine. What will it look like?

Nature

Women leaders at six top research universities urge more diversity in semiconductor workforce

Science

To Get STEM Education to Every Student, Train All New Teachers in Computing

Opinion | The 74

Archaeologists Find the First Red Paint Made From Plants

Science & Nature | Smithsonian Magazine

Heritage, Science, and Culture Take Center Stage with Discovery Theater Performances for Students

Smithsonian Voices | Smithsonian Education

Ten Treasures from the National Air and Space Museum

Smithsonian Voices | Smithsonian Books

Take an hour to empower Dyslexic Thinking at work

Ask Richard (Richard Branson) | LinkedIn

This Florida teen is making a business out of rebuilding old-school auto tech

Popular Science

The New York Times Needs to Do Something About Its Headlines

The Present Age

What impact does time pressure have on creativity?

Idea to Value

Companies team up to supercharge lithium-ion battery recycling — here's what it could mean for the industry

The Cool Down

Culture Got Us Into This Mess

GapingVoid.com

Confidence to create

Felipe Zamana | LinkedIn

Shifting From Linear Learning to a Spiral Approach in Science

Edutopia

Putting Curiosity at the Heart of Scientific Inquiry

Edutopia

Video game company saves Kobe and Gianna Bryant mural in downtown Los Angeles

Los Angeles Times

Should More Time Be Spent Learning Math Facts?

Edutopia

Has Bob Iger Lost the Magic?

Bloomberg Businessweek

Can We Save the Redwoods by Helping Them Move?

The Climate Issue | The New York Times

Experience design is the future of design. But what is it?

Co.Design | Fast Company

How the NBA designed its new In-Season Tournament

Co.Design | Fast Company

Survey: Gen Zers don't want to work in factories; they see industrial jobs as low-paying dead ends

Fast Company

What to know about the new FAA chief, Mike Whitaker

Fast Company

How the democratization of the creator economy can help you

Fast Company

Portland's new airport terminal looks like it's from the future—but it's built out of wood

Fast Company

Looking for 'nomance': Study finds teens want less sex in their TV and movies

Pop Culture | NPR

Scholastic backtracks, saying it will stop separating diverse books for fairs in 2024

NPR

UNESCO Report: Africa, a new global fashion leader

UNESCO

Trouble in the grey zone

Seth's Blog

How to Succeed at Failing, Part 3: Grit vs. Quit

Freakonomics

The ends of knowledge

Aeon Essays

Unleashing Your Sixth Sense: The Power of Neuroception

Brain Reboot | Psychology Today

Florida officials ask US Supreme Court to block rulings limiting anti-drag show law

AP News

Spotify CEO On Audiobook Push & The Future Of Generative AI In Audio Advertising – “A Thousand” Tailored Ads By One Voice Actor

Deadline

Let the community work it out: Throwback to early internet days could fix social media’s crisis of legitimacy

The Conversation

If thinking is rational, what makes overthinking irrational?

Psyche

The task? Finish Stephen Sondheim's last musical. No pressure.

Morning Edition | NPR

What brands and individuals can learn from the ‘Taylor Swift Effect’

Fast Company

Chaucer goes digital as British Library makes works available online

The Guardian

In ‘Atacama,’ Renewable Energy and Mining Converge in a Stunning Bird’s-Eye View of Human Impact

Colossal

David’s Presence

London Review of Books

‘Loki’ Producer Rejects Scorsese’s Marvel Criticism

Screen Crush

Alphabet’s cloud problem is raining on Google’s parade

Fast Company

Take a trip inside the secretive mind of visionary painter Hilma af Klint

Co.Design | Fast Company

This 18-year-old built a better computer monitor that doesn’t strain your eyes

Co.Design | Fast Company

The seduction of “why”

Seth’s Blog

Four Ways to Build Inclusive Teams

Human-Centered Change and Innovation

There's one business like show business

The Indicator from Planet Money | NPR

CBC mainly remains off X, citing low traffic six months after scaling back presence

Yahoo! Finance, The Canadian Press

Why art seems more beautiful when you can see yourself in it

Psyche

How fame has changed for artists since Antiquity

The Conversation

Literature Machines - AI-generated novels are here, but they hardly spell the end of fiction.

Boston Review

The next one

Seth's Blog

From Memorization to Imagination: Unleashing Creativity in Chemistry Education with Dr. Colleen Kelley

Fueling Creativity in Education Podcast

Patagonia just designed its warmest coat ever, and it's made from trash

Co.Design | Fast Company

UNCTAD Internship in the Trade and Creative Economy / Division on International Trade and Commodities (DITC), I (Temporary Job Opening)

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Making the Creative Majority: An APPG for Creative Diversity report on 'What Works' to support diversity and inclusion in creative education and the talent pipeline, with a focus on the 16+ age category.

King's College London

Biden administration picks 31 regional tech hubs to spur US innovation

Reuters

Also

Federation Of American Scientists (FAS) Applauds Biden-Harris Administration's Tech Hub Designations In 31 Communities Across The Country, Spurring Regional Science And Technology Entrepreneurship

Federation Of American Scientists

What the new Tech Hubs designations mean for boosting innovation across the US

Brookings

Why 'Blue-Skying' Can Unleash Creativity You Didn't Know You Had

Forbes

Scientists argue all the time but still work together

KERA Think

UT researchers in process of creating new drug delivery methods to help treat brain diseases

The Daily Texan

Is AI more creative than the human brain? I doubt it – and I definitely want humans to stay in charge | Stefan Stern

The Guardian

Researchers studying electrical signals in human brains are getting a little closer to reading our minds

The World

AI might disrupt math and computer science classes - in a good way

The Hechinger Report

VFX Pros Debate AI's Impact On Jobs, Contracts and Creativity in 'Behind the Screen' Podcast

The Hollywood Reporter

Meet Coextensive, the art collective looking to reshape Houston's creative scene

Chron.com

Beyond the Myth of Rural America

American Chronicles | The New Yorker

Estimating the Contribution of Arts, Humanities and Social Sciences (AHSS) R&D to Creative Industries R&D

Creative Industries Policy and Evidence Centre

U.S. urges DNA synthesis firms to ramp up screening for biosecurity threats

Science

Meet Nightshade, the new tool allowing artists to 'poison' AI models with corrupted training data

Venture Beat

14-year-old who invented soap to treat skin cancer named America's Top Young Scientist

AOL

The moon is 40 million years older than we thought, according to crystals collected by Apollo astronauts

Popular Science

Ex-PlayStation Boss Has A Warning For The Game Industry

Kotaku

A Helium Shortage! What If We Ran Out of Helium?

HowStuffWorks

Inside the Legal Tussle Between Authors and AI: “We’ve Got to Attack This From All Directions”

Vanity Fair

MIT receives major National Science Foundation grant for quantum science

MIT News

Wisconsin Tech Month aims to increase diversity and equity in STEM

WUWM

Martin Goetz, Who Received the First Software Patent, Dies at 93

The New York Times

Roland Pattillo Dies at 89; Doctor Championed Henrietta Lacks

The New York Times

UW effort to map Down syndrome brain raises prospect of treatment for disorder

Wisconsin State Journal

Artificial Intelligence and Arts Ed: A Recap From AEP’s Quarterly Partnership Meeting

Arts Ed Amplified | Arts Education Partnership

Senator Mark Warner says Congress is already losing the plot on AI regulation

Fast Company

This basketball shoe brand is becoming the Air Jordan for women and girls

Co.Design | Fast Company

Where are the cities of tomorrow? New report shows which cities will win and lose in the global economy

Fast Company

Teachers and educators from all over the world discuss hate speech prevention with guests from UNESCO and civil society

UNESCO

The Future's Going to Break Your Heart

Virginia’s Newsletter | Virginia Postrel

The Comforter Cold War of 2006 (or How Assumptions Stifle Innovation)
Human-Centered Change and Innovation

Perrier's Bottle Gets A Historic Makeover From Renowned Designer Philippe Starck
DesignTAXI

Grandma's Rules on Cool Parenting
The Creativity Post

Make the Room Dance
Resilient Leadership | Psychology Today

The Allure of "Ugly" Art
The Mind of a Collector | Psychology Today

My six-month dive into podcasting's very chaotic year
The Verge

This Contest Put Theories of Consciousness to the Test. Here's What It Really Proved
WIRED

The big idea: are our short attention spans really getting shorter?
The Guardian

Universal Music sues AI start-up Anthropic for scraping song lyrics
Ars Technica

Cory Doctorow's Vision for a Just Tech Revolution
Jacobin

Plan to 'retain and explain' controversial statues is flawed – why we should always question our monuments
The Conversation

92NY Halts Literary Series After Pulling Author Critical of Israel
The New York Times

How to Exclaim!
The Millions

Did You Know the ZIP File Was Invented in Milwaukee?
Milwaukee Magazine

An Arresting Optic Nerve Tops the 2023 Nikon Small World Photomicrography Competition
Colossal

Nurturing Creativity Among Children Who Are "Gifted and Distractible"
The Creativity Post

White House marks the U.S. return to UNESCO

UNESCO

'Mind-blowing' IBM chip speeds up AI

Nature

The Greats : Queen Latifah, Annette Bening, Henry Taylor, Miuccia Prada

T | The New York Times Magazine

Opinion | What Most American Schools Do Wrong

Guest Essay | The New York Times

UW–Madison project combines art, policy, and science to create plant-based plastics and benefit marginalized communities

School of Education | UW-Madison

How Unconferences Change the Way You Work

Natalie Nixon

How Cities Use the Arts to Promote Youth and Community Development

National League of Cities

World Health Organization hosts meeting on music and motherhood, focusing on health care innovation through the arts

World Health Organization

Creativity and the Arts: A Not-So-New Way to Address Loneliness

Milken Institute: Power of Ideas

Did A Computer Write This? Book Industry Grapples With AI

Barron's

"Within about 20 minutes I came up with Show Me The Way. Then that afternoon, as the sun was setting, I sat under a palm tree and wrote Baby, I Love Your Way." Peter Frampton remembers his greatest day"

Louder

San Francisco Searches For 'I ♥ NY'-Style Salvation With New Brand Identity

DesignTAXI

A Liberal Education in Name Only

Inside Higher Ed

The Federal Deficit Is Growing. This Is Why.

The New York Times

The Race to Save Our Secrets From the Computers of the Future

The New York Times

What Happens When an Artist's Technology Becomes Obsolete?

T | The New York Times Magazine

Lacrosse Is Coming to the Olympics. Will Its Inventors Be There?

The New York Times

Danny Meyer wants to make getting—and paying—the check less annoying

Fast Company

Scientists explain the design flaw that keeps plastic from being recyclable

Co.Design | Fast Company

These young designers are reviving Rhode Island's 300-year-old jewelry factories

Co.Design | Fast Company

Women artisans boost the textile art economy in Mexico through cultural revaluation

UNESCO

Storytelling and the Science of True and False Memories

The Science and Entertainment Exchange

Emotional labor and its consequences

Seth's Blog

Complex or complicated?

Seth's Blog

How A Networked Culture Drives Experian's Innovation

Human-Centered Change and Innovation

How scientists bring ancient faces back to life

National Geographic

How to Succeed at Failing, Part 2: Life and Death

Freakonomics

Cadavers – Part 1

The Economics of Everyday Things | Freakonomics

Would You Be Happier if You Were More Creative?

No Stupid Questions | Freakonomics

The Creativity Pill for Feeling Stuck

The Naked Creative | Psychology Today

The I-Test for Every Innovator

The Digital Self | Psychology Today

Embracing Change and Conquering Fear

Brain Reboot | Psychology Today

Opinion | The True Story Behind ‘Killers of the Flower Moon’ Is Being Erased From Oklahoma Classrooms

Guest Essay | The New York Times

Microsoft’s Activision Blizzard Takeover

What’s Next: TBD | Slate

AI is causing panic for authors. Now the courts are involved

Los Angeles Times

A New Book Celebrates the Groundbreaking Women Who Changed Land Art

Colossal

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The opportunities that emerge to transform our nation are largely dependent upon the degree to which we are connected to each other. Our connection will become a catalyst:

- to enhance the flow of relevant information,
- and to improve the ease with which key nodes of creativity, be they in the domains of Education, Commerce, Culture or across disciplines, can gain access to the best thinking, best questions, and most successful practices as well as other resources their ventures may require.

Our strategy is to engage thought leaders across North America to create a powerful network for transformation.

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