

ARTICLES OF INTEREST

There will be no NCN Articles of Interest next week as we celebrate Thanksgiving in the United States. The next edition will be out on Friday, December 2, 2022.

We are thankful for you, dear readers!

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QUOTE(S) OF THE WEEK

"It is the mark of an educated mind to be able to entertain a thought without accepting it."

— Aristotle

"A law of nature is not a formula drawn up by a legislator, but a mere summary of the observed facts — a "bundle of facts." Things do not act in a particular way because there is a law, but we state the "law" because they act in that way." – Joseph McCabe

"You miss 100% of the shots you never take." – Wayne Gretzky

"Mystery creates wonder and wonder is the basis of man's desire to understand." – Neil Armstrong

"The scientists often have more unfettered imaginations than current philosophers do. Relativity theory came as a complete surprise to philosophers, and so did quantum mechanics, and so did other things." – Robert Nozick

"Always listen to experts. They'll tell you what can't be done and why. Then do it." – Robert Heinlein

"Those who do not want to imitate anything, produce nothing." – Salvador Dali

VIDEO(S) OF THE WEEK

Canada should 'decouple' supply chain relationship with China, innovation minister says

YouTube

CBC News

This is what polka music sounds like on an accordion of two Commodore 64 computers

Popular Science

Watch Artist Zak Korvin Draw a Precise Geometric Emblem in a Mesmerizing Timelapse

Colossal

ASK A SCIENTIST... what was it like to dive to the Mariana Trench?

The Science & Entertainment Exchange

How New Balance amplifies Black voices through design

Fast Company

FEATURED EVENTS/OPPORTUNITIES

"I Dream a World: Selections From Brian Lanker's Portraits of Remarkable Black Women"

Smithsonian Voices | National Portrait Gallery Through January 29, 2023

Creative Vitality Summit | Conference on the Creative Economy

WESTAF

November 30 - December 1

The Pershing Square Foundation Launches the Mind (Maximizing Innovation in Neuroscience Discovery) Prize to Fund Brain Research, Focused on Cognitive Health

Yahoo!

Deadline: December 12

Now accepting applications: NEA Big Read and Shakespeare in American Communities

Arts Midwest

Deadline: January 25 | NEA Big Read

Deadline: February 8 | Shakespeare in American Communities

Nurture Creativity. Build the Future.

Crayola Creativity Week January 23 - 29, 2023

TED2023

TED Conferences
April 17 – 21, 2023

9th World Summit on Arts & Culture

International Federation of Arts Councils and Culture Agencies

May 3 - 5, 2023 | Stockholm, Sweden

Call for Articles | General Issue

European Journal of Cultural Management and Policy | ENCATC

Deadline: Ongoing

Idea Jams 2021/2022

Canadian Network for Imagination and Creativity

CreativeMornings | a monthly breakfast lecture series

CreativeMornings

Various

Nesta Talks to...

Nesta

Various

Interactive Map | Science Festivals

Science Festival Alliance

Various

ARTICLES OF INTEREST

How Generative AI Is Changing Creative Work

Harvard Business Review

The Creator Economy is the future of the economy

Fast Company

Top Ten Tips for Creativity

Imagineer7's Weblog

Standardized Testing and the Destruction of Education

Freedom to Learn | Psychology Today

Now 8 billion and counting: Where the world's population has grown most and why that matters

UNCTAD

A space for grief: How Hannah Beachler designed the world of Wakanda Forever

Co. Design | Fast Company

Also

Dressing Wakanda

The New York Times

Women in STEM careers more than twice as likely to leave workforce

Bizwomen

MoMA's newest artist is an Al trained on 180,000 works, from Warhol to Pac-Man Co.Design | Fast Company

Engineering and the Diversity Imperative: The 15th Grand Challenge *NAE Perspectives*

Eric and Wendy Schmidt Awards for Excellence in Science Communication National Academies of Sciences, Engineering and Medicine

2022 Ambassadors

Engineer Girl

Female Entrepreneurs Need Intellectual Property Protections Real Clear Policy

Global Entrepreneurship Week to create community

The Reporter | Minnesota State University

Some thoughts on Mastodon

Seth's Blog

Government of Canada announces major investments to support scientists, researchers and students

Yahoo!, Cision

Engineering unit changes name to School of Engineering Design and Innovation Penn State

10 UCLA Engineers Among World's Most Influential Researchers *UCLA Samueli School of Engineering*

Sourpusses, Cheerleaders, And The Magic Formula For Nurturing Creativity Forbes

Art Isn't Dead, It's Just Machine-Generated

Andreessen Horowitz

This Plastic Packaging Alternative Can Compost in a Year WIRED

Picture Limitless Creativity at Your Fingertips *WIRED*

Alliant Energy creates book to keep students interested in STEM lowa News Now

Are AirPods the Hearing Aids of the Future?

Smart News | Smithsonian

The Forgotten Father of the Underground Railroad

History | Smithsonian

Young Ukrainians are throwing 'repair raves' to rebuild their embattled cities Co.Design | Fast Company

Scientists Recreated A Black Hole In A Lab, And It Began To Glow And Radiate DesignTAXI.com

CRISPR For Cancer Takes a Big Step Forward *TIME*

Innovation is Reinvention

GapingVoid.com

How Can Design Thinking Improve Your Work? *IDEO U*

How 3D Printing Can Boost Learning *Edutopia*

The Visions of Octavia Butler

The New York Times

A Small-Town Librarian Spoke Against Censorship. Then the Dark Money Came for Her.

The New York Times

Soccer is the world's most popular sport. But who invented it? *National Geographic*

NBA Bans Cream-Colored Attire Due To Its Effect On TV Screens DesignTAXI.com

Beware the 'Storification' of the Internet - We all need a lesson in close reading and a dose of skepticism—especially online.

The Atlantic

Maya Lin's Vietnam memorial blazed a path in 1982, but no one followed *The Washington Post*

'Hamilton' choreographer couldn't find a show he liked. So he wrote one. MSN, The Washington Post

Younger Americans are listening to more non-music (like podcasts and news) than ever

Nieman Lab

How 'The Lion King' Got to Broadway and Ruled for 25 Years (So Far)
The New York Times

The Future of ArtPrize, America's Most Popular Art Extravaganza, Looks Bleak as Its Board Quietly Disbands

Artnet News

Why read old books? A case for the classic, the unusual, the neglected. The Washington Post

Google's Interactive Map of L.A. Complements Elton John's Farewell Tour AdAge.com

World Cities Culture Forum Report 2022

International Federation of Arts Councils and Culture Agencies

Media, entertainment, social, metaverse, web3: The 13 next big things, from Al dubbing to easy NFTs

Fast Company

Transportation, robotics, and automation: The 9 next big things, from delivery drones to warehouse bots

Fast Company

Small and mighty companies: The 5 next big things, from smart roads to better plastic recycling

Fast Company

Enterprise, workplace, productivity: The 16 next big things, from smart contracts to a one-stop benefits card

Fast Company

Security and privacy: The 8 next big things, from more secure biometric data to quantum-safe cryptography

Fast Company

These 4 companies' excellence in innovation isn't just about a single technology breakthrough

Fast Company

Is Google Getting Worse?

Freakonomics

Before Retreating From Kherson, Russian Troops Emptied One of Ukraine's Top Museums of Nearly 15,000 Objects

Artnet News

Oh, the Ironies: How Irony Got Its (Second) Meaning Literary Hub

Who's the Queen of Christmas? Not Mariah Carey, trademark agency rules

Who's the Queen of Christmas? Not Mariah Carey, trademark agency rules The Washington Post **Quirky Clothesline Creatures Saunter Across Helga Stentzel's Landscape Illusions** *Colossal*

Inspired by spam email - A Green Bay music professor decided to do something creative with all the spam email she was receiving. We talk about -- and listen to -- some of the results.

Central Time | Wisconsin Public Radio

Wendo Aszed's best friend died. Then she did something remarkable. *Gates Notes*

How Math Became an Object of the Culture Wars

The New Yorker

Artemis I is heading toward the moon, blazing a trail for NASA's next era of space exploration.

The New York Times

Two scientists explain how a linear accelerator works—and how it could reveal rare forms of matter

Fast Company

Start Your Day With Math

Keith McNulty | Medium

BLEST Hub creates meaningful connections to support youth of color Marquette Today | Marquette University

Skala named inaugural Carol Skornicka Chair

Morgridge Institute for Research

Children learn more quickly than adults

EurekAlert! | AAAS

Solving brain dynamics gives rise to flexible machine-learning models MIT News | Massachusetts Institute of Technology

Bob Ross once painted only in gray for a colorblind fan. It was incredible. *Upworthy*

John Green's Reluctant Rocket Ship Ride

People I (Mostly) Admire | Freakonomics

Brian Eno Reveals the Hidden Purpose of All Art

The New York Times

In an Age of Constant Disaster, What Does It Mean to Rebuild?

The New York Times Magazine

Against Consistency Critiques

3 Quarks Daily

Climate activists throw maple syrup on Emily Carr painting at Vancouver Art Gallery

CBC News

Ride EJ Hill's Bubblegum Pink Roller Coaster Through a Mass MoCA Gallery Colossal

Elon Musk's useful philosopher

The New Statesman

IQM Collaborative Research Uncovers New Superconducting Qubit, the Unimon HPC Wire

But how will it fail?

Seth's Blog

American Tapestry: Weaving Together Past, Present, and Future National Endowment for the Humanities

How Lego and MIT Came Together To Give Us Lego Robots *Gizmodo*

Nike Will Let People Design and Sell Sneakers for the Metaverse WIRED

Earth now has 8 billion people—and counting. Where do we go from here? *National Geographic*

Whining and status

Seth's Blog

How a 'professor-entrepreneur' career track will help solve Canada's innovation problem

Opinion | The Globe and Mail

Statement by the Prime Minister on Global Entrepreneurship Week *Yahoo! | Cision*

Society for Neuroscience 2022 Science Education and Outreach Awards *EurekAlert! | AAAS*

The \$6 Billion Shot at Making New Antibiotics—Before the Old Ones Fail WIRED

Air Force's Mysterious Spaceplane Finally Lands After Spending 2.5 Years in Orbit Gizmodo

News at a glance: A new antibiotic, COVID-19 in Antarctica, and a Venus mission deferred

Science

Who Are The Top Women Scientists Globally – And Why Don't We Know Them? Women Love Tech

Digital Pioneer: GE's Colin Parris Named 2023 Black Engineer of the Year *GE News*

Mathematician who solved prime-number riddle claims new breakthrough *Nature*

Who Will Win the Race to Generate Electricity From Ocean Tides?

The New York Times

Meet the 2022 STAT Wunderkinds STAT

Would you let a real-life vendor stalk you like an Instagram ad? Co.Design | Fast Company

4 mistakes you're probably making that hurt your ability to collaborate Fast Company

It's got 1.2 million square feet, but most of this giant library has no books at all Fast Company

Amazon Delivers A Drone Capable Of Flying Through Rain To Send Parcels To Doors

DesignTAXI.com

Dolly Parton gets \$100 million from Jeff Bezos to spend on charity NPR

Amazon Founder Jeff Bezos Says He Will Give Away Most Of His \$124 Billion Fortune

Deadline

Beware, Proceed With Caution

3 Quarks Daily

Phantom notes played by violins turn out to be a real sound New Scientist

Reading My Own Rip-Offs - A journey inside one of the shadiest corners of the publishing industry

The Atlantic

Inside the weird and wild making of the MaddAddam ballet

The Globe and Mail

Maurice Sendak's ageless imagination

Artforum

The myth of the 'math person'

The Harvard Gazette

Stuck for a Great Idea? Unlock Your Creative Potential

CEO World

Society for Neuroscience 2022 Early Career Scientists' Achievements and Research Awards

EurekAlert! | AAAS

Implant Lets Nine People With Spinal Paralysis Walk Again, and Scientists Think They Know Why

Futurism

How to Use Frugal Innovation to Grow Your Startup

ReadWrite

Women in tech: Gender bias and tips to beat the odds

Fast Company

If you want someone to make a decision, give them fewer choices

Idea to Value

Palliative care

Seth's Blog

New James Webb Space Telescope image shows a secluded galaxy in stellar detail

Popular Science

The importance of investing in women of color

Fast Company

Will Xi take a new economic direction? China has trillions at stake.

Atlantic Council

Rats bop to the beat

EurekAlert! | AAAS

NEURODIVERSITY: Why No Two Brains Are Alike

Next Big Idea Magazine

This photographer captures birds as poetry in motion

Popular Science

Lab-Grown Blood Transfused Into Humans In World-First Clinical Trial

DesignTAXI.com

The leaf blower parable

Seth's Blog

Are you Latino and want a career in the arts but don't know where to start? Try these programs

News Break

Red meat is not a health risk. New study slams years of shoddy research Big Think

University Wisconsin-Milwaukee apart of international science project, looking for low -frequency gravitational waves; \$17 million grant renewed CBS 58 | WDJT

More than one way to treat a mind | Author explores what we know — and have yet to learn — about how to consider the complete person when we talk about mental health

To the Best of Our Knowledge | Wisconsin Public Radio

The culture wars are pushing some teachers to leave the classroom NPR News

When the creek does rise, can music survive? *NPR*

2023 Accelerator Awards Finalists and Semi-finalists *The Lewis Prize for Music*

Imagining a Memorial to an Unimaginable Number of Covid Deaths
The New York Times Style Magazine

Mary Kelly's Revolution Is Ongoing

The New York Times Style Magazine

Why 'Atlanta' is the Blackest Show Ever Guest Essay | The New York Times

When the Finely Tuned Spotlight Falls on the Lighting Designer The New York Times

Jellysmack's new production company wants to turn creators into 'micro Oprahs' Fast Company

Warner Bros. quashed an unauthorized Joker movie. Inside the director's fight to save it

Los Angeles Times

Paul G. Allen and the Art He Didn't Sell

The New York Times

Maya Lin doesn't like the spotlight — but the Smithsonian is shining a light on her Weekend Edition Saturday | NPR

Can musicians keep their shows on the road? Heavy costs make touring unrealistic for many acts

CBC News

'Black Panther: Wakanda Forever' takes the box-office throne, breaks November record

Los Angeles Times

Also

'Wakanda Forever' cannot save movie theaters, but this plan might Fast Company

U.S. Libraries and Museums Connect with Veterans *IMLS Blog*

A Landmark Retrospective and Book Delve into Two Decades of Artist Theaster Gates' Career

Colossal

My Cartoonish Cancellation

The Chronicle of Higher Education

Are we really prisoners of geography?

The Guardian

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