

ARTICLES OF INTEREST

The NCN Articles of Interest will be off next week to observe US Thanksgiving, and will return on Friday, December 3.

We are thankful for all who inspire imagination, creativity, and innovation!

November 19, 2021

QUOTE(S) OF THE WEEK

"At times our own light goes out and is rekindled by a spark from another person. Each of us has cause to think with deep gratitude of those who have lighted the flame within us." – Albert Schweitzer

"Don't judge each day by the harvest you reap, but by the seeds you plant." – Robert Louis Stevenson

"An expert is a person who has made all the mistakes that can be made in a very narrow field." – Niels Bohr

"Trouble is only opportunity in work clothes." – Henry J. Kaiser

"The acceptance of certain realities doesn't preclude idealism. It can lead to certain breakthroughs." – Rem Koolhaas

"Stop telling girls they can be anything they want when they grow up. I think it's a mistake. Not because they can't, but because it would have never occurred to them that they couldn't." – Sarah Silverman

"Whatever the scientists may come up with, writers and artists will continue to portray altered mental states, simply because few aspects of our nature fascinate people so much. The so-called mad person will always represent a possible future for every member of the audience — who knows when such a malady may strike?" – Margaret Atwood

VIDEO(S) OF THE WEEK

An Adventurous Drone Films Spectacular Aerial Footage of Iceland's Fagradalsfjall Volcano

Colossal

Watch: Pixar Turns 'Monsters, Inc' Into Exhilarating Silent Black & White Film DesignTAXI.com

Abstract Shapes Respond to a Relaxing Melody in a New Animated Music Video for Janek Murd

Colossal

A Striking Short Film Documents the Otherworldly Organisms Living Just Beneath the Water's Surface

Colossal

How a legendary camera changed our ocean view *National Geographic*

Watch The Mysteries of Havana Syndrome

The Science and Entertainment Exchange

A TED series rethinks the way we work TED Blog

Naturalist | Kathy Zarsky CreativeMornings | Austin

FEATURED EVENTS/OPPORTUNITIES

Registration Is Open!

Stem Success Summit
Through November 20

Also
STEM Success is almost here!
#HipHopMD
Through November 20

UNESCO General Conference: landmark global agreements expected on Artificial Intelligence and Open Science as the agency celebrates its 75th anniversary UNESCO

Through November 24

NEW Your Brain on Anesthesia

The Science & Entertainment Exchange

December 1

TED Women 2021

TED

December 1 – 3 | Palm Springs

Also

5 life-affirming reasons to come to TEDWomen 2021

TED Blog

December 1 – 3 | Palm Springs

Northwestern Mutual Hosting Second Annual Women In Tech Conference

Urban Milwaukee

December 2

NEW Celebration of Innovation 2021

Penn Today

December 2

TEDxStLouis Presents "What Now?" And "What Next?" Talks

RiverBender.com

December 3

NEW 2021 STEMconnector Annual Summit

STEMconnector

December 8

Applications Open for the 2021-2022 NSTA Awards Program

The Valdosta Daily Times, BusinessWire

Deadlines: December 15, 17

2022 National Finals

National Science Bowl

April 28 – May 2

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

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

Will the Supreme Court Finally Declare Copyright Infringement As "Theft"? The Hollywood Reporter

Where Do All the Bad Ideas Go? (Freakonomics, M.D. Ep. 12) Freakonomics, M.D.

Next Big Things in Tech 2021

Fast Company

Change Your Thinking Patterns

Imagineer7's Weblog

The Little-Known Recording of Louis Armstrong Reciting 'The Night Before Christmas'

Arts & Culture | Smithsonian

Engineering the future of mobility

MIT Technology Review

Conference Report Now Available for "Sharing Stories: The Case for Art" Alliance for the Arts in Research Universities

Joint statement to Leaders from Canada's Minister of Innovation, Science and Industry and the United States' Director of the White House Office of Science and Technology Policy

Yahoo!

5 Women at the Forefront of Next-Gen Innovation

Architectural Digest

Secretary Lonnie Bunch on What Excites Him About the Smithsonian's New Futures Exhibit

Futures | At the Smithsonian

Entrepreneurship classes aren't just for business majors

The Conversation

Arts and Innovation Academic Building would transform the student experience VCU News

Polytechnics are future-proofing our work force with technology and innovation The Globe and Mail

Emory receives transformational grant to establish new Goizueta Institute @Emory Brain Health

Emory | News Center

"Deepfaking the Mind" Could Improve Brain-Computer Interfaces for People with Disabilities

Viterbi School of Engineering | University of Southern California

Neuroscientists are mapping all 100 billion cells in the human brain *Popular Science*

China Box Office Wavers Amid Politics, a Pandemic and a Freeze on Hollywood Movies

Variety

If Marvel Obeyed Physics, Thanos Couldn't Have Snapped While Wearing the Infinity Gauntlet

Smart News | Smithsonian

Four Principles for the Future of Design

Microsoft Design | Medium

The Case for Selective Discrimination

Nonprofit Quarterly

Cement is responsible for 8% of global emissions—but it doesn't have to be Fast Company

This smart tractor is electrified, self-driving, and loaded with sensors Fast Company

Ford teases a new cable capable of charging electric cars in 5 minutes Fast Company

'Bohemian Rhapsody' Spurs Profits Lawsuit From Screenwriter

The Hollywood Reporter

The Simplest of Slumbers

Science

New technologies are promising a shortcut to enlightenment

Vox

Adele 30: the psychology of why sad songs make us feel good

The Conversation

How the Week Organizes and Tyrannizes Our Lives

The New Yorker

'We're Preparing For a Long Battle.' Librarians Grapple With Conservatives' Latest Efforts to Ban Books

TIME

11 Creative Breakthroughs People Had in Their Sleep

Mental Floss

Peter Jackson Sells Weta Digital Toolset, Becomes a Billionaire

Mental Floss

What's Wrong With Shortcuts? (Ep. 483)

Freakonomics

The future of cars is electric: Tesla, Rivian, and now Lucid are all worth more than

Ford and GM
Fast Company

A New Crisis Playbook for an Uncertain World

The Big Idea Series | Preparing for the Era of Uncertainty, Harvard Business Review

This new startup has built a record-breaking 256-qubit quantum computer

MIT Technology Review

Giving middle school students a glimpse into the 'invisible world' of viruses Morgridge Institute for Research

3 Frameworks for Managing Organizational Change

IDEO U

Why Aren't More CEOs Women?

Forbes

Podcast S6E139: Jeff Shannon – Hard work is not enough

Idea to Value

Barnett '24: The ongoing dilemma in justifying art school: the death of the wallet and artistic innovation

Opinions | The Brown Daily Herald

Energy Is Essential To Build (and Destroy) Neural Connections

Technology Networks

Human Brains Are Shrinking, Scientist Warns

Futurism

How technology has inspired neuroscientists to reimagine the brain

Vox

As China Rises, the US Builds Toward a Bigger Role in Al

WIRED

Pressure on STEM from Covid and Inequity

I AM BIO Podcast

The Panasonic Foundation Teams Up With Million Girls Moonshot To Increase Equity In Stem Education And Inspire The Next Generation Of Innovators *PR Newswire*

Shutterstock Unveils Color Predictions For 2022, Measured Down To The Pixel DesignTAXI.com

Cambridge Dictionary's 2021 Word Of The Year Has An Interesting Double Meaning

DesignTAXI.com

FDA-Approved Eye Drop Could Eliminate The Need To Wear Reading Glasses DesignTAXI.com

Arts Education Included In UNESCO's Futures Of Education Report
Creative Generation

Machine Learning Has Already Transformed the Design Profession. How Do We Use It Ethically?

AIGA Eye on Design

What We See in the Shameful Trends on U.S. Maternal Health The New York Times

Quentin Tarantino's Attorney Responds to 'Pulp Fiction' NFT Lawsuit: 'Miramax Is Wrong'

Variety

Also

Miramax Sues Quentin Tarantino Over Planned 'Pulp Fiction' NFTs The New York Times

How Kiswe is reinventing live concerts for the digital age Fast Company

Why the media company Madison Wells is rebranding to center 'badass' women and boundary pushers

Fast Company

What Science Writing Owes to Its Religious Origins
American Scientist

Unlock kids' love of art on these colorful trips *National Geographic*

Stop Asking "Why" and Start Asking "How" Harvard Business Review

Artificial intelligence: Everyone wants it, but not everyone is ready *ZDNet*

Funniest Wildlife Photos Of 2021 Will Get You Chirpy For A New Day

DesignTAXI.com

Tenacity

The Creativity Post

New arts fund banks on pitch model

Arts Hub, Australia

State Library Spotlight: How ARP Act Stimulus Funds are Supporting Hotspots, Teens, and Talking Books in Massachusetts

IMLS Blog | Institute of Museum and Library Services

Talk with the Hand! On the expressive art of chirology.

The Hedgehog Review

The Myth of the Classically Educated Elite

Los Angeles Review of Books

The Long-Lasting Benefits of Childhood Creativity

Working Your Mind | Psychology Today

Innovative Plastic Asphalt Shows Promise for Paving Roads *GOOD*

Human Frontiers: The Future of Big Ideas in an Age of Small Thinking Next Big Idea Club

Why women's participation is essential to achieve global climate targets World Economic Forum

Michael Wolf Appointed School of Mathematics Chair

Georgia Tech College of Sciences

Columbia Launches Startup Fellows Program to Extend Research Assets to Entrepreneurs

Columbia News | Columbia University

Thirteen UCLA Engineers among World's Most Influential Researchers UCLA Samueli School of Engineering

Allen Institute Appoints Mount Sinai Neuroscientist as a Next Generation Leader Mount Sinai

Infants as Young as Two Months May Be Able to Detect Faces and Scenes Scientific American

Let Your Hair Down: The pressure to succeed pollutes our creativity

The Daily Free Press | Boston University

Artists in Palm Beach County aim to make local impact as Cultural Council's 'Innovation Fellows'

WLRN

Shitty first drafts

Idea to Value

The Billionaire Chairman Of Vaccine Maker Moderna Wants To Reinvent Scientific Entrepreneurship

Forbes

3D printed space rockets [Innovation highlight]

Idea to Value

How to Incorporate Visual Literacy in Your Instruction

Arts Integration | Edutopia

How NFTs Will Kill Netflix

One Zero | Medium

When Jackie Cochran Flew This Jet, She Broke All Kind of Barriers

At the Smithsonian | Smithsonian

The Papers of Painter Nela Arias-Misson Come to the Archives of American Art

Smithsonian Voices | Archives of American Art

Crayons Aren't Just For Kids

Arts and Culture | Smithsonian

China Eyes 100,000 Movie Screens and Closer Ties to Cannes: Six Takeaways From Country's Five-Year Film Plan

Variety

How the Black Girl Gamers Community Became a Lifeline

WIRED

No, Your Company Doesn't Need a "Disruptor." Try This Instead

Next Big Idea Club

70 best science books you need to read in 2021

Science Focus | BBC

2021 Guide to Diversity and Inclusion in STEM

ComputerScience.org

Dubbing 'A Fistful of Dollars' to spread the Navajo language

Wisconsin Public Radio, NPR News

NFT + Entertainment: An exploration of how the content business is looking to cash in on the latest crypto craze

VIP+ Variety Intelligence Platform

Twenty Puerto Rican Writers Receive the Inaugural Letras Boricuas Fellowship

The Andrew W. Mellon Foundation

November is Native American Heritage Month: Change-Making Projects in the Arts and Humanities

The Andrew W. Mellon Foundation

What It Means to Design a Space for 'Care'

Bloomberg CityLab

Theatre Counts

Arts Education Partnership

Also

Music Matters

Education Commission of the States

Visual Arts Matter

Education Commission of the States

Dance Counts

Arts Education Partnership

This quantum computing startup says it's ready to take on IBM and Google Fast Company

Spike Lee's career is unparalleled. Dive deep in his stunning new book Fast Company

Did the pandemic change conspicuous consumption?

Fast Company

Pfizer signs licensing deal that could give half of the world access to its COVID-19 pill

Fast Company

Entanglement and Choice

American Scientist

Russia just blew up a satellite—here's why that spells trouble for spaceflight *National Geographic*

4 Ground Rules for Effective Brainstorming and Ideation

Creativity at Work

Writing Hit Songs—As If by Design!

The Mind Menagerie | Psychology Today

You know it feels good to dance. These scientists reveal why.

MSN News, The Washington Post

Davóne Tines Is Changing What It Means to Be a Classical Singer

The New Yorker

The Very Real Correlation Between Bilingualism and Advanced Executive Function

Literary Hub

Learn from machine learning

Aeon

How do you fix an "information disorder"? The Aspen Institute has some ideas Nieman Lab

The Changing Same of U.S. History

Boston Review

Pandemic led to new research applications, collaborations in Wisconsin WisBusiness.com

End the Generation Wars

The New Republic

Livestreaming and Live Theatre: A Promising New Industry

Arts Management and Technology Laboratory

USC Viterbi Students Develop Al-based Alzheimer's Diagnosis Tool

USC Viterbi School of Engineering | University of Southern California

How can creativity and technology be harnessed for good?

FE News

Brain-Computer Interface Turns Mental Writing into Text

Nerdist

Listening to music with meaning may help ease Alzheimer's disease

BBC Science Focus Magazine

World leaders and renowned artists celebrate UNESCO at 75

UNESCO

Max Tegmark on Why Treating Humanity Like a Child Will Save Us All (People I (Mostly) Admire, Ep. 51)

Freakonomics

Richard Rusczyk's Worldwide Math Camp

The New Yorker

Bell named to national panel that will examine how to make STEM learning more equitable

School of Education | UW-Madison News

Electric cars could power your house. Here's what needs to happen first Fast Company

Inside Pinterest's skunk works that's trying to create the future of video shopping Fast Company

The dye that makes this tracksuit pink was grown in a lab Fast Company

Lee Maracle, Combative Indigenous Author, Dies at 71 The New York Times

Nikole Hannah-Jones became a political target. What she's learned from the 'hurtful' attacks

Los Angeles Times

The experience of colour

Prospect Magazine, UK

Five Books That Will Change The Way You Think About Climate Change The Conversation

Discovering the Oldest Figural Paintings on Earth The New Yorker

The Natural Landscape Photography Awards Spotlight Phenomena and Stunning Topographies Around the World

Colossal

Before Oxford's Library Was the Finest Institutional Library in Europe, It Was... Kind of a Dump

Literary Hub

Zen and the Art of Entrepreneurship

Entrepreneur

MIT Technology Review And Clubhouse Debut Tech And Innovation Series WERSM

Why Unity Is the Top Dog in Creativity Right Now The Motley Fool

Experiencing The Emergence, Life And Death of A NeuronShort Wave | NPR

5 books that inspired Microsoft CEO Satya Nadella this year Fast Company

Snap Strikes Licensing Deal With Sony Music (EXCLUSIVE) *Variety*

Beanie Babies airlifted from Chinese factories to O'Hare to circumvent shipping backlogs in time for the holidays

Crain's Chicago Tribune

We Just Found The Missing Matter In The Universe, And Still Need Dark Matter Start with a Ban | Medium

A General Theory of Possibility: The Abstract Art of Otherwise and the Physics of Resilience

The Marginalian

The 1619 Project and the Long Battle Over U.S. History

The New York Times

'Chicago' Pops the Cork on 25 Years of Razzle Dazzle

The New York Times

This stunning high-rise would absorb more carbon dioxide than it produces Fast Company

This remarkable cooling system runs on sunlight and saltwater—no electricity required

Fast Company

Does the world's first vaccine robot even make sense? We ask a nurse Fast Company

Negative emotions clouding your creative process? Here's how to clear the fog Fast Company

A scientist explores: What if we could inoculate people against depression and trauma?

ideas.TED.com

Snowflakes and fingerprints

Seth's Blog

In search of poka-yokes

Seth's Blog

'Be Nice to Tourists': New York's Arts Scene Needs International Visitors
The New York Times

More Republican leaders try to ban books on race, LGBTQ issues NPR

Google Doodle marks German composer Fanny Hensel's 216th birthday C|NET

Clichés may grate like nails on a chalkboard, but one person's cliché is another's sliced bread

Salon

11 Facts About Hayao Miyazaki

Mental Floss

Six Native Artists and Their Works Receive Major Recognition

At the Smithsonian | Smithsonian

How Pearls Obtain Their Remarkable Symmetry

Smart News | Smithsonian

Mars died billions of years ago, and its guts are still spilling into space

Popular Science

This Intrepid Robot Is the WALL-E of the Deep Sea

WIRED

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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.

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