



National Creativity Network

ARTICLES OF INTEREST

February 28, 2025

QUOTE(S) OF THE WEEK

"Talent hits a target no one else can hit; Genius hits a target no one else can see." – Arthur Schopenhauer

"A capacity, and taste, for reading gives access to whatever has already been discovered by others. It is the key, or one of the keys, to the already solved problems. And not only so. It gives a relish, and facility, for successfully pursuing the unsolved ones." – Abraham Lincoln

"The culture as a whole is losing its individual notes, its diversity. And this is... it's not only sad. It's devastating. It's devastating because routine language means routine thought. And it means unquestioning thought." – John Leonard

"To exist is to change, to change is to mature, to mature is to go on creating oneself endlessly." – Henri Bergson

"Mathematics is a world created by the mind of man, and the mathematicians are people who devote their lives to what seems to me a wonderful kind of play!" – Constance Reid

"Our species is the only creative species, and it has only one creative instrument, the individual mind and spirit of a man. Nothing was ever created by two men. There are no good collaborations, whether in art, in music, in poetry, in mathematics, in philosophy. Once the miracle of creation has taken place, the group can build and extend it, but the group never invents anything. The preciousness lies in the lonely mind of a man." – John Steinbeck

"If you want to have good ideas you must have many ideas. Most of them will be wrong, and what you have to learn is which ones to throw away." – Linus Pauling

"What to do with a mistake: recognize it, admit it, learn from it, forget it." – Dean Smith

VIDEO(S) OF THE WEEK

Chicago's Griffin Museum of Science and Industry hosts Black Creativity Career Showcase

ABC 7 Chicago

A Short Documentary Celebrates the Fruits of Nearly Five Decades of 'Extreme Beachcombing'

Colossal

Playful, wondrous public spaces built for community and possibility

TED Fellows: Shape Your Future

The "Hidden Figures" Making Progress Toward Digital Equity

MacArthur Foundation

Introducing the Performing Arts and Technology Lab

Doris Duke Foundation

AI Has Already Changed our World (Likable Science)

ThinkTech Hawaii

Physicist Dr. S. James Gates on science, imagination, and the current danger to both

WKMG News 6 Orlando

CDK Company Makes Moves Through a Contemporary Art Museum to Billie Eilish's 'Bittersuite'

Colossal

FEATURED EVENTS/OPPORTUNITIES

Now at Harvard Business School, "From Concept to Product: Meroë Morse and Polaroid's Culture of Art and Innovation, 1945–1969"

Harvard Business School Newsroom

Through Spring 2025

Texas Science Festival-Goers to Enjoy Fusion of Curiosity and Discovery

College of Natural Sciences | The University of Texas at Austin

Through March 6

Animationland

National Children's Museum

Through May 11

2025 Best Communities for Music Education Award

NAMM Foundation

Deadline: February 28

50 Books | 50 Covers

AIGA

Final Deadline: March 3

A Summit on NSF's Inaugural Workforce Strategy for Emerging Technologies and the Future of Work

New America

March 4

NEW The power of public health storytelling

Harvard TH Chan School of Public Health

March 4

NEW An Interdisciplinary Collaboration Between Art & Science

Montclair State University Department of Art and Design

March 5 – 19

NEW The silent killer: A paradigm shift in understanding tuberculosis

Harvard T.H. Chan School of Public Health

March 6

365: AIGA Year in Design

AIGA

Regular Deadline: March 10

Final Deadline: March 31

Shaping the Future of Women's Health: Insights and Innovations

Morgridge Institute for Research

March 17

Social Prescribing Day USA

Social Prescribing USA

March 19

Also

2025 Social Prescribing Day USA Toolkit

Social Prescribing Day USA

March 19

NEW Grammy-winning producer Timbaland to headline ASU music industry conference

ASU News | Arizona State University

March 28 – 29

Call for Nominations: National Academy of Engineering Awards

National Academy of Engineering

Deadline: April 1

THE POWER OF COMMUNITY - South and Appalachian Creative Placemaking Conference

Creative Placemaking Communities and The King's Canvas
April 1 – 3 | Montgomery, AL

Humanity Reimagined
TED 2025
April 7 –11, 2025

World Creativity & Innovation Week
World Creativity & Innovation
April 15 - 21

NEH Announces New Funding Opportunity to Support Research on the State and Impact of the Humanities
National Endowment for the Humanities
Deadline: April 16

World Creativity & Innovation Day
World Creativity & Innovation
April 21

Culture and Creative Economy Foresight
International Training Centre of the International Labor Organization (ITCILO)
April 23 – 25

Rhiannon Giddens' announces Biscuits & Banjos, a Black music & culture festival
Hyfin
April 25 – 27

Search Begins for 2025 America's Top Young Scientist
Discovery Education
Deadline: May 1

10th World Summit on Arts & Culture
International Federation of Arts Councils and Culture Agencies (IFACCA)
May 27 - 30 | Seoul, South Korea

2025 Science Events Summit
Science Events
June 8 - 10 | Philadelphia, PA

The 10th International Invention Innovation Competition in Canada, iCAN 2025
Toronto International Society of Innovation & Advanced Skills (TISIAS)
Registration Deadline: June 15

2025 National Arts Integration and STEAM Conference
Creativity Rising
July 8 – 9, 2025 | Baltimore, MD

Social Connection Conference
Foundation for Social Connection
October 28 - 30

Call for Articles | General Issue

European Journal of Cultural Management and Policy | ENCATC

Deadline: Ongoing

Twenty-Four Smithsonian Shows to See in 2024

At the Smithsonian | Smithsonian Magazine

Various

Idea Jams 2024/2025

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

Looking Back at the First African American Winners of an Emmy, Grammy, and Oscar

Copyright: Creativity at Work | Library of Congress Blog

The creator economy is facing an authenticity crisis

Tech | Fast Company

How The Largest Black Youth Orchestra In America, ICYOLA, Is Redefining Who Belongs In Classical Music

Forbes

Gene Hackman, Hollywood's Consummate Everyman, Dies at 95

The New York Times

Also

Gene Hackman's Smile Could Give You Shivers

The New York Times

Good Lessons From Bad Movies

Book of the Day from The Next Big Idea Club

Christie's AI-Themed Art Auction: How Do We Know What Holds Value?

Forbes

In new book “The Narrative Brain”, IU professor explores the power of storytelling in the human mind

News at IU | Indiana University

Entertainment Union Coalition Launches Keep California Rolling Campaign: ‘The Future of Film and TV Production is Not Guaranteed’

Variety

Trump’s Cheat Code for Thinning Out the Health Agencies

The Atlantic

Kathleen Kennedy Sets the Record Straight on the Future of Star Wars, Including Her Retirement

Gizmodo

Orchestrators of Change and the Journey to Transformation (SSIR)

Stanford Social Innovation Review

Professional artists viewed as more creative than AI programs, study finds

Phys.org

And the Oscar Goes To ... Everyone?

Diverse Issues in Higher Education

Jeff Koons wins copyright clash against sculptor who alleged unauthorized use of decades-old work

DesignTAXI

Attention! People with Brains

Learning and Teaching Creativity | Dan Hunter

New Waterloo Records co-owner discusses saving iconic business in fast-growing city

Bizwomen

Are Nonprofit ‘Trusted Messengers’ More Important Than Ever? A Report From Rural America

The Commons | The Chronicle of Philanthropy

3D software company Autodesk announces 9% cuts to workforce

Design | Fast Company

Scientists blast EPA’s push to reverse key greenhouse gas finding

Impact | Fast Company

Art as Experience: How Aesthetic Experience Fuels Creativity, Collaboration, and Wellbeing

Learning Through Experience with Heidi Brooks | Yale Insights | Yale University

Humanities program sparks creativity, curiosity for middle schoolers
Virginia Tech

The 3 biggest arguments against DEI, Debunked
Workplace Evolution | Fast Company

Hollywood's obsession with AI-enabled 'perfection' is making movies less human
POV | Fast Company

Google's AI summaries are changing search. Now it's facing a lawsuit
Tech | Fast Company

Warby Parker to open eyewear shops in Target stores: Here's the full list of locations coming in 2025
Fast Company

How NYC entertainers and creatives are driving fire aid for Los Angeles
Impact | Fast Company

Long ignored, Black modernist architects get recognition
Race | NPR

Katy Perry and Gayle King are heading to space as part of an all-female Blue Origin crew
The Brief | NPR

Internet Access: UNESCO and ICANN join forces to improve linguistic diversity online
UNESCO

It is Okay to Feel Stuck
Human-Centered Change and Innovation

The lonely unicorn
Seth's Blog

The ancient origins of 'manifesting'—and why it's making a comeback
History & Culture | National Geographic

School responded to a parent's book complaint by reading it aloud to the entire student body
Upworthy

The Animal No One Loves, Until They Do
Sympathy for the Rat (Part 3) | Freakonomics

3 Kinds of Hobbies That Can Help Us Thrive
Social Instincts | Psychology Today

Navigating Emotional Agility Through Classical Music
The Flow of Creativity | Psychology Today

Trump's Kennedy Center 'Hostile Takeover' Chills DC Arts Community

MSN | The Wrap

I'm a Scientist Who Has Been Studying "the Dress" for a Decade. There's a Key Takeaway We All Could Stand to Hear.

MSN | Slate

Wayne McGregor's new dance performance takes journey into the void with version of controversial 'blackest black' paint

The Art Newspaper

This Art Historian Wants Us to Think About Dance Critically

MSN | The Cut

New York Public Radio Cuts 7% of Staff After September Layoffs

Radio Ink Magazine

WisBusiness: the Podcast with Jeanine Burmania, WARF

WisBusiness

Ruby Sky Stiler Reassesses Women's Role in Art History in Geometric Portraits

Colossal

Social Science Is Broken. Here's How to Fix It.

The Chronicle of Higher Education

Getting precise about tolerance

Seth's Blog

When This Professor Got Cancer, He Didn't Quit. He Taught a Class About It.

The New York Times

ASCAP Posts Record-Breaking \$1.835 Billion in Revenue for 2024

Variety

Harnessing Creativity

UNESCO

Engineers Week 2025 at Marquette celebrates creativity and community

Marquette Today | Marquette University

How Black tech founders are advancing innovation

The TechTank Podcast | Brookings Institution

Human chromosomes evolved at hyperspeed to give us better brains

EurekaAlert! | AAAS

Brain: how do we experience time?

Polytechnique insights | Institut Polytechnique de Paris

How can brain injuries boost creativity?

Techno-Science.net

Let the Drama Games Begin

Edutopia

Helping Kids See the Value in Building Math Skills

Literacy | Edutopia

What are cancer vaccines?

Live Science

Elon Musk Suggests He Alone Decides What Gets Funded in the Government

Gizmodo

Trump Attacks Apple for Maintaining DEI Policies

Gizmodo

A Robotics Pioneer Says His Machines' Learning Is Accelerating

WIRED

Humanity May Achieve the Singularity Within the Next 12 Months, Scientists Suggest

Popular Mechanics

Inside Oscar Gambling: How DraftKings Sets the Lines, Why Bettors Favor Ariana Grande and Which Controversies Impacted the Odds

Variety

Why Are We So Obsessed With Blue?

The New York Times Style Magazine

Nvidia's Profit Jumps 80% as Company Rides Tech's A.I. Boom

The New York Times

Gene Hackman and Wife Betsy Arakawa Found Dead in Santa Fe Home; Oscar-Winning Star of 'French Connection' and 'Unforgiven' Was 95

Variety

Also

Gene Hackman's Career in Photos: From 'The French Connection' to 'Superman' and More

Variety

Francis Ford Coppola Leads Tributes to Gene Hackman After Oscar Winner Found Dead Alongside Wife: 'Inspiring and Magnificent in His Work and Complexity'

Variety

The Library as a Third Place – Why Students Need Reading Spaces More Than Ever

LinkedIn

Race and Ethnicity in Biomedical Research Changing Course and Improving Accountability

JAMA Network

Fiber computer allows apparel to run apps and “understand” the wearer

MIT News

First global study of the extraordinary role of animals as architects of Earth

Anthropocene

How Olipop went from a laundry room lab to a billion dollar soda company

Fast Company

This musician taught Timothée Chalamet, Meryl Streep, and other Hollywood stars to play guitar

Design | Fast Company

CFPB’s signage came down last week, but its logo visualizes transparency

Design | Fast Company

Be Better or Be Different?

Human-Centered Change and Innovation

Travel can be a 'horror story' for disabled people, but are we on the cusp of change?

National Geographic

This is the worst flu season in 15 years. Here's why—and how to protect yourself.

Science | National Geographic

It Was a Work of Staggering Genius—and a Sensation. Then It Went Away. What Happened?

Yahoo! Entertainment | Slate

Trump’s FCC Is Investigating Music Industry Payola Claims

The Hollywood Reporter

Jeff Bezos Exerts More Control Of Washington Post Opinion, Says Focus Will Be On “Personal Liberties And Free Markets”

Deadline

New York Public Stations Collaborate On Growing Audiences and Revenue.

Inside Radio

America Now Has a Minister of Culture

MSN | The Atlantic

UK ministers consider changing AI plans to protect creative industries

Artificial Intelligence | The Guardian

Meet Canada's other national ballet company: it's bringing classics like 'Swan Lake' and 'The Nutcracker' to audiences that might otherwise never see them live

Toronto Star

Why Are Brown LEGO Bricks So Brittle?

Mental Floss

Rollback of diversity efforts leaves teachers wondering about effects on Black History Month

Hyfin

Francis Fukuyama Was Right About Liberal Democracy

The New Republic

Rifling Through the Archives With Legendary Historian Robert Caro

History | Smithsonian Magazine

Little Free Library Study Reveals Benefits for Book-Impoverished Communities

Publishers Weekly

1K+ musicians—including Paul McCartney & Kate Bush—launch silent album to protest AI

DesignTAXI

The world's smallest Lego brick is here. It's literally microscopic

Design | Fast Company

How to Break Free from Limiting Beliefs and Evolve Your Leadership Mindset

IDEO Journal Blog

How we can unlock the potential of innovation districts

Urban Transformation | World Economic Forum

Silent, Defiant, Private: Big Philanthropies React to Trump's DEI Order

The Chronicle of Philanthropy

Jeff Bezos' Plan to Revamp Washington Post Opinion Section Leads Editor to Quit

Variety

Teens are spilling dark thoughts to AI chatbots. Who's to blame when something goes wrong?

Los Angeles Times

Learning Math Shouldn't Be a 'Hellish Experience'

Op-Ed | American Enterprise Institute

This suburban Chicago teenager won Best in Show at this year's Black Creativity juried art fair

WBEZ Chicago

Bridging Cultures with Creativity

Pratt News | Pratt Institute

Clemson student ignites collaboration that uses art to teach about water science

Clemson News | Clemson University

YouTube Says It Now Has More Than 1 Billion Monthly Viewers of Podcast Content

Variety

Kids are still behind in reading and math. Here's how these schools bucked the trend.

Chalkbeat

Where did STEM go?

SmartBrief

SpaceX Rocket Stage Burns Up Over Europe and Crashes in Poland, While Blue Origin Debris Washes Ashore in the Bahamas

Smart News | Smithsonian Magazine

Elon Musk's business empire is built on \$38 billion in government funding

The Washington Post

When Did Clothing Originate?

Science & Nature | Smithsonian Magazine

First Person History: Sam Mihara on Internment

Humanities Magazine | National Endowment for the Humanities

The Messy Genius of W. H. Auden

Humanities Magazine | National Endowment for the Humanities

'A Beautiful Noise: The Neil Diamond Musical' National Tour Recoups After Five Months (EXCLUSIVE)

Variety

Why Are We So Lonely?

Boston College Magazine

Microsoft's Majorana 1 widened the quantum field. But are we any closer to a eureka moment?

Tech | Fast Company

At 10, USB-C still hasn't lived up to its full potential

Plugged In | Fast Company

Why innovation needs clarity, collaboration, and confidence
Impact Council | Fast Company

Scientists say Asteroid 2024 YR4 is no longer a threat to Earth
Fast Company

Unlocking Trapped Value with AI
Human-Centered Change and Innovation

At the speed of judgment
Seth's Blog

New Humanities Council Selected for Iowa
National Endowment for the Humanities

Why Ramadan is the most sacred month in Islamic culture
History & Culture | National Geographic

How a new pope is elected
History & Culture | National Geographic

'Golden age' of self-publishing for indie authors 'no longer strictly choosing one route or the other'
The Bookseller

[Social media is dying – what next for arts marketing?](#)
Arts Hub

[The big idea: what do we really mean by free speech?](#)
The Guardian

[Spotify fights back: Think that artists aren't getting enough cash? Spotify says there's a good reason for that](#)
Music Radar

[Why it's possible to be optimistic in a world of bad news](#)
Psyche

[Universal's Theme Parks, Long in Disney's Shadow, Expand at Dizzying Pace](#)
The New York Times

[Dancing in Damascus: Syrians cling to culture under Islamists' rule](#)
Reuters

[Afghan women's radio station will resume broadcasts after Taliban lift suspension](#)
AP News

[Who Will Run 'Star Wars' After Kathleen Kennedy Leaves? One of Hollywood's Hottest — and Hardest — Jobs Opens Up](#)
Variety

[A 40-Year-Old Quilting Community Creates a Patchwork of Stories](#)

Arts Midwest

[FCC Probes iHeartMedia Following Accusations of Payola Law Violations](#)

Variety

100 Years Ago Recording Studios Got a New Tool: Microphones

The New York Times

'I'm a big believer in reading a room': Kate Aronowitz of Google Ventures on balancing business and creativity

Fast Company

'Star Wars' Boss Kathleen Kennedy Planning to Exit LucasFilm at the End of 2025

Variety

Meet Rory Cooper, a Hall of Fame innovator who's been harnessing tech to build better wheelchairs for three decades

Pittwire | University of Pittsburgh

Research: When Does Scientific Decision-Making Benefit Startups?

Harvard Business Review

2025 Chicken & Egg Award Recipients Announced

Chicken & Egg Films

These teens can do incredible math in their heads but fail in a classroom

The Hechinger Report

FYI: Science Policy News

American Institute for Physics

Engines of Innovation: How Universities Propel America Forward

IPWatchdog Unleashed

An Interdisciplinary Collaboration Between Art & Science

Montclair State University Department of Art and Design

March 5 – 19

Community-based art programs promote youth well-being, report finds

Philanthropy News Digest

From an \$84,000 investment to a national powerhouse: Clemson industrial engineering celebrates 40 years

Clemson News | Clemson University

Adapt or die: Safeguarding the future of diversity and inclusion funding in neuroscience

The Transmitter

Dementia breakthrough: Science can now measure your brain's true 'biological age'

BBC Science Focus

Experience art across space and time

Virginia Tech News

The Story Behind the World-Famous Photograph of U.S. Marines Raising the American Flag During the Battle of Iwo Jima

Smart News | Smithsonian Magazine

From the Antebellum South to the Civil Rights Movement, Black American Women Have Long Told Their Stories Through Quilts

At the Smithsonian | Smithsonian Magazine

Gracie Abrams to Be Honored by Songwriters Hall of Fame With Hal David Starlight Award for New Artists (EXCLUSIVE)

Variety

Boost Your Creativity and Career with These Silicon Valley Secrets

Book of the Day from The Next Big Idea Club

Human Therapists Prepare for Battle Against A.I. Pretenders

The New York Times

Audio | How RZA Got Wu-Tang Clan Back Together for One Final Tour

The New York Times

Fabric and craft retailer Joann to go out of business and close all of its stores

AP News

A practical guide to doing DEI work in a hostile era

Equity at Work | Fast Company

Why today's youth need more math, logic, and grammar skills

Impact Council | Fast Company

This music publisher wants to help 'middle-class' songwriters get the money they're owed

Tech | Fast Company

Greenland's coveted resources could be more dangerous and expensive to extract with climate change. Here's why

Impact | Fast Company

Pantone just named a color after Drew Barrymore

Design | Fast Company

Organic farmers spent 12 years developing this new rice. It's better for you and the planet

Impact | Fast Company

The power of corporate philanthropy to engage employees

Impact Council | Fast Company

Underwater drones to help artificial reefs off Cyprus bring back sea life

Impact | Fast Company

Debrief 9.4: Wicked Wisdom: Shifting Perspectives and Cultivating Creativity

Fueling Creativity in Education Podcast

Your Innovation Team Doesn't Have to be Dead

Human-Centered Change and Innovation

AI agents will outmaneuver salespeople by optimizing persuasion

Big Think

To Save the Arts, Blow Up the Old Ways

The Tyee

What the US' first major AI copyright ruling might mean for IP law

TechCrunch

After losing his home, this Altadena musician is helping others replace their instruments

LAist

Needle drop! The world's first sewing machine orchestra takes Munich

The Guardian

Judith Butler: To Imagine a World After This, Democracy Needs the Humanities

Literary Hub

Lessons from Rural Communities: How Two Districts Are Reinventing Summer Learning

Wallace Foundation

10 Fascinating Facts About Katherine Johnson

Mental Floss

Roberta Flack, singer of 'Killing Me Softly,' has died at age 88

Hyfin, NPR

Also

Roberta Flack, Virtuoso Singer-Pianist Who Ruled the Charts, Dies at 88

The New York Times

Roberta Flack, '70s R&B Vocalist Known for 'Killing Me Softly,' Dies at 88

Variety

Roberta Flack's 10 Greatest Musical Moments

Variety

**Questlove, Tyler, the Creator, Jennifer Hudson and More Remember
Roberta Flack: 'Rest in Melody'**
Variety

**Vibrant Brushstrokes Float in Resin Cubes in Fabian Oefner's Sculptural Ode to
Painting**
Colossal

All the Distant Mirrors - Can we please kick the habit of relevance-mongering?
The Hedgehog Review

The Tyranny of Now
The New Atlantis

**Wu-Tang Clan Announces 'Final Tour' Dates: 'Wu-Tang Forever: The Final
Chamber'**
Variety

All for the Want of a Nail
Gapingvoid

**Technicolor Begins to Shut Down Operations 'Due to Inability to Find New
Investors'**
Variety

A farewell to HPH readers
Harvard Public Health Magazine

14 outstanding images from the 2025 World Nature Photographer Awards
Popular Science

The City of Houston Awards Over \$14 Million in Grants to Nonprofits and Artists
Glasstire

Unconventional Creative Thinking
Creative Hackers

Improv in the Classroom
Arts Integration | Edutopia

**The (Hidden) Advantages of Creativity - How creativity benefits psychological and
social well-being.**
The Art and Science Creativity | Psychology Today

Op-ed: why technical innovation needs human diversity
The Manufacturer

Education Innovation in Focus at National Governors Association Winter Meeting
National Governors Association

Will AI end or enhance a career in engineering?

The Engineer, UK

Fermenting Creativity: Letting Ideas Develop Over Time

Finding Creative Ground | Kate Kern Mundie

Are 'Gripping,' 'Brilliant' Book Blurbs on Their Way Out?

Smart News | Smithsonian Magazine

Breaking the barrier between theorists and experimentalists

The Transmitter

OpenAI bans Chinese accounts using ChatGPT to edit code for social media surveillance

AI | Engadget

EV range doubled: Toyota's solid-state battery cathode beats lithium in energy density

Interesting Engineering

Earth's 1st Asteroid Mining Prospector Heads to the Launchpad

The New York Times

Green Book exhibit showcases history, struggles and triumphs of Black travel in the U.S.

PBS NewsHour

Meet Concert, the robot that wants to revolutionize construction

Design | Fast Company

An upcoming Supreme Court case could make PrEP less affordable—does it have to?

Impact | Fast Company

The best apps to find new books

Tech | Fast Company

The next wave of AI is here: Autonomous AI agents are amazing—and scary

Tech | Fast Company

Artists vs. the White House

It's Been a Minute | NPR

From the history of the banjo to the Texas oil industry, check out these new podcasts

Podcast Recommendations from the NPR Network | NPR

How many fourth-graders does it take to make a podcast? Here's what we learned

Student Podcast Challenge | NPR

UNESCO celebrates Multilingualism with a new book published in Hawaiian - This International Mother Language Day marks an extraordinary moment for the Hawaiian language.

UNESCO

Stop Doubling Down On Bad Ideas

Human-Centered Change and Innovation

Your project is important

Seth's Blog

Can New York City Win Its War on Rats?

Sympathy for the Rat | Freakonomics Radio

Used Golf Balls (Replay)

The Economics of Everyday Things | Freakonomics

Amid Changes at the National Archives, the Carter Library Cancels a Civil Rights Book Event

The New York Times

'It allowed us to survive, to not go mad': the CIA book smuggling operation that helped bring down communism

The Guardian

How Do You Write an Opera Based on Moby-Dick?

The Paris Review

The bookends of time - Nothing lasts forever: not humanity, not Earth, not the Universe. But finitude confers an indelible meaning to our lives

Aeon Essays

The secret world of hobbyists – Putterers chase joy as Britain crumbles

UnHerd

The Artists Finding New Ways to Depict the Human Body

The New York Times

New Kennedy Center President Says Trump Wants to “Make Art Great Again”

The Hollywood Reporter

Also

Kennedy Center reeling from 'stunning' ticket sales collapse after Trump takeover: report

Raw Story

As sales drop, artists weigh canceling Kennedy Center shows in protest

MSN, The Washington Post

**Culture wars: Trump's takeover of arts is straight from the dictator
playbook**
The Guardian

Did a Rock Hit Your Windshield, or Did Your Windshield Hit a Rock?
WIRED

**This New Drug Could Help End the HIV Epidemic—but US Funding Cuts Are
Killing Its Rollout**
WIRED

Roll Over Shakespeare: ChatGPT Is Here
WIRED

How Tetris Might Help Prevent PTSD
What Mentally Strong People Don't Do | Psychology Today

I'm a neuroscientist. Here's the surprising truth about TikTok 'brain rot'
BBC Science Focus

Optimism and Pessimism Shape Resilience and Risk
Neuroscience News

The Mona Lisa problem
Seth's Blog

These Physicists Want to Ditch Dark Energy
Nautilus

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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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