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Jordan Weissmann

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France’s Election Actually Is About Economic Anxiety

Apple Pledges to Stop Using Materials From Mines in iPhones

L.A.’s New Ad Campaign Has a Message for Tourists: This Isn’t Trump’s America

Betsy DeVos Is Wasting No Time Screwing Over Students Who Borrow Money for College

Theranos Will Refund 175,000 People in Arizona Who Took Its Blood Tests

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Evan Urquhart

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In *My Cat Yugoslavia*, a Talking Feline Is Only One Kind of Queer

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But revamping the way we look at products created by genetic engineering and CRISPR is more difficult than you might think.

Brooke Borel

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Cancer Has Been With Us Since the Origins of Multicellularity, and It’s Not Going Anywhere

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Future Tense Newsletter: A Path Forward to Protect Consumer Privacy

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How Teachers Are Using Online Games and Other Tech Tools to Bridge the Partisan Divide

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Jeremy Samuel Faust

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Scientists, Stop Thinking Explaining Science Will Fix Things. It Won’t.

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Two Years Later, We Finally Know Why People Saw “The Dress” Differently

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Lawrence Ware

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How to Visit All 30 Major-League Ballparks in 30 Days

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