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### 100 Days In, Trump's Generals Seen As A Moderating Force

President Trump relies on a group of current and former generals to run national security. Does that increase the chances that he'll order military action?

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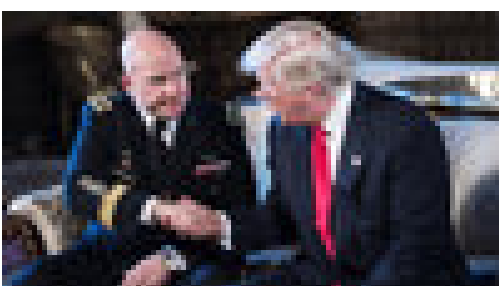


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### Trump Administration Wants North Korea At Negotiating Table On Nuclear Weapons

Secretary of State Tillerson tells NPR that Kim Jong Un has to show up willing to talk about giving up the arms: "We do not seek a collapse of [his] regime. ... We seek a democratized Korean peninsula."

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Trump Warns Of Potential 'Major, Major Conflict' With North Korea

Transcript: NPR Interviews Secretary Of State Rex Tillerson



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The order directs Interior Secretary Ryan Zinke to review a five-year plan in which President Obama banned drilling in parts of the Pacific, Arctic, and Atlantic Oceans.

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### Why American Sikhs Think They Need A Publicity Campaign

American Sikhs faced an onslaught of violence and hate crimes following the Sept. 11 attacks. In the face of renewed racist vitriol, they have devised a positive media plan.



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POLITICS

### Trump To Be First Sitting President Since Reagan To Address NRA

During his campaign, Trump spoke about the recent rash of mass shootings in the U.S. and suggested that restrictive gun laws had left the victims unable to return fire and defend themselves.



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### British Counterterrorism Police Shoot Woman, Arrest 6 Other Suspects

In two separate operations, U.K. authorities arrested a man who was carrying knives near Parliament and carried out a raid that included tear gas and gunfire elsewhere in London.



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THE SALT

### What Did Ancient Romans Eat? New Novel Serves Up Meals And Intrigue

In ancient Rome, food was a bargaining chip for position for slaves and nobles alike. At the center of *Plat* is Roman's real-life noblemen Apollonius, who inspired the oldest surviving cookbook.

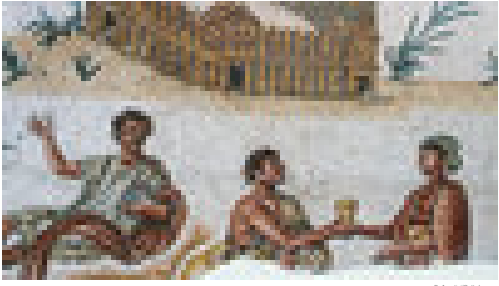


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### A Path Out Of Poverty: Career Training + Quality Pre K

A new study on an innovative program in Tulsa, Okla., that links quality Head Start services with job training and parental support shows it's improving the lives of both mothers and their children.

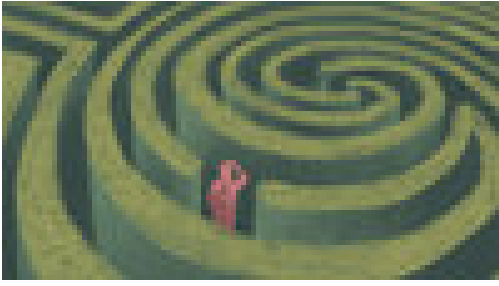


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Boosting Attendance In Preschool Can Start With A Knock On The Door

RELIGION

### Why Religion Is More Durable Than We Thought In Modern Society

It's commonly accepted that as societies become more modern, religion loses its grip. But recent research suggests it's more complicated than that.

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### Museums Consider Ways To Engage Different People In The Same Art

As museum curators continue to search for ways to make art accessible to the viewing public — and to engage individual interests — blogger Alisa Hall says turning to neuroscience is not the answer.

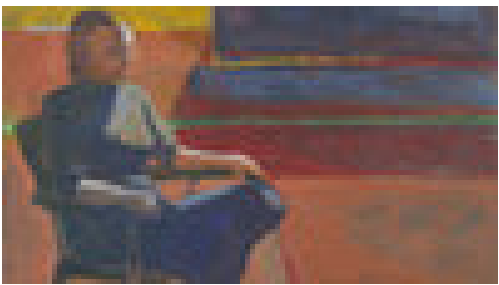


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STORYCORPS

### One Soldier's Lasting Memories Of Exposure To Sarin Gas

In 2004, Michael Finkel was a U.S. Army bomb tech during Operation Iraqi Freedom when he and his partner were exposed to sarin. Almost 12 years later, he talks about the experience with his wife.

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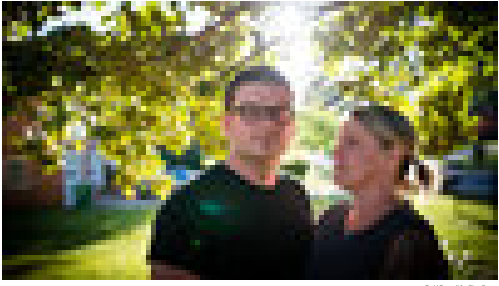


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### For Some, Pre-Hospice Care Can Be A Good Alternative To Hospitals

KANSAS HEALTH NEWS

Through home visits, very ill people get help with pain, stress and symptoms. Medical centers, initially skeptical, now embrace the program because it helps patients and makes financial sense.

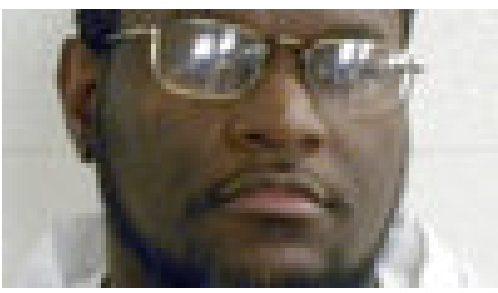


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### Arkansas Executes 4th Inmate In 8 Days

Kenneth Williams was the final inmate executed as the state sped up its schedule to beat the expiration date of its lethal-injection drugs.



Arkansas Department of Corrections/AP

ALL SONGS CONSIDERED

Sylvan Esso Just Wants You To Be Free

Sylvan Esso singer and lyricist Amelia Meath shares the stories, joy and dreams behind each track of the band's new album*What Not to Do*.



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Sylvan Esso On The Pressure To Make Magic — Again

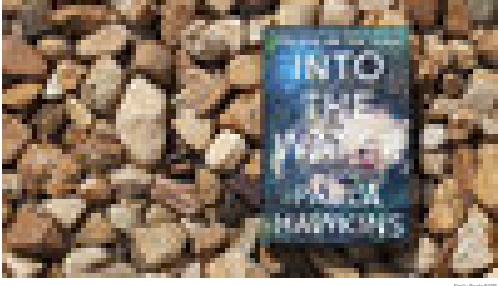
AUTHOR INTERVIEWS

Paula Hawkins Prepares To Dive 'Into The Water'

Author Paula Hawkins was blown on her back when her 2015 book*The Girl on the Train*became a smash hit. Now she's grappling with success and preparing to launch her followup, *Into the Water*.

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Acosta Confirmed As Labor Secretary, First Latino Member Of Trump Cabinet

In a bipartisan vote of 60-38, the Senate confirmed President Trump's second choice for labor secretary. Trump's first nominee, Andrew Puzos, withdrew when it became clear he would not be confirmed.



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CODE SWITCH

This Week In Race: Fox Sued, Schools Resegregate, Shea Moisture Gets Thirsty

A racial discrimination suit is filed against Fox. Is an Alabama school district getting around integration? Shea Moisture apologizes for a commercial. And, there's a new philanthropist in town.



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United Airlines Settles With Passenger Dragged From Plane

Terms of the settlement have not been released. United promises changes in the way it deals with passengers.



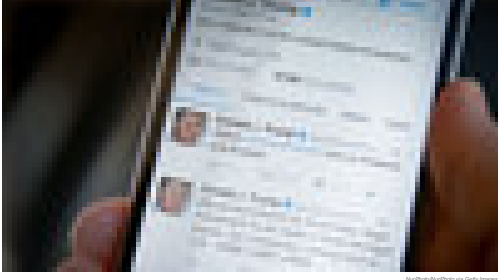
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Flight Overbooked? Perfect: These Frequent Flyers Want To Get Bumped

POLITICS

Trump's Tweet-And-Switch On Shutdown And Flynn

The president went on a two-pronged Thursday: blaming Democrats for a possible shutdown, even though one's unlikely. Why? Democrats happened to be plastered on cable news talking about Michael Flynn.



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Congress Likely To Avoid Government Shutdown (At Least For Another Week)

Michael Flynn Is The Subject Of A Pentagon Investigation

FIRST LISTEN

First Listen: Adele, Pearl Jam, The Avett Brothers And More Cover Brandi Carlile's Greatest Album

The musicians on *Cover Stories*joined the project, in part, because they believe in the cause it benefits — all proceeds go to War Child UK. But they inhabit it because Carlile's music feels right in their hands.

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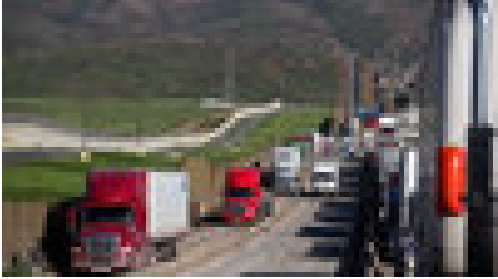


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POLITICS

With Billions At Stake, Trump Agrees To Mend NAFTA — Not End It

Despite his long-standing criticism of the North American Free Trade Agreement, President Trump has opted to reopen negotiations on the deal rather than run the risk of scrapping it altogether.



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CODE SWITCH

As Los Angeles Burned, The Border Patrol Swooped In

People often remember the LA riots in terms of tensions between African-Americans, white police officers and Korean business owners. That story gets more complicated when you step into a predominantly Latino neighborhood.

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When LA Exploded In Anger: A Look Back At The Rodney King Riots

"It's Not Your Grandfather's LAPD" — And That's A Good Thing

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