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Monterey Bay: Following the DNA trail in the Pacific Ocean

<https://www.montereyherald.com/2019/08/10/monterey-bay-following-the-dna-trail-in-the-pacific-ocean/>

Going Fishing for Ghost Gear

<https://www.hakaimagazine.com/news/going-fishing-for-ghost-gear/>

Editorial: A plastic bottle ban that's so crazy it just might work

<https://www.latimes.com/opinion/story/2019-08-08/sfo-plastic-water-bottle-ban>

Oregon fishermen pull debris from ocean, recycle it to generate electricity

<https://www.kgw.com/article/tech/science/environment/oregon-fishermen-pull-debris-from-ocean-recycle-it-to-generate-electricity/283-2c9fb0de-8f7e-4697-ba5e-bb99829e2244>

While we debate geoengineering the ocean, it seems we're already doing it

<http://www.anthropocenemagazine.org/2019/08/while-we-debate-geoengineering-the-ocean-it-seems-were-already-doing-it/>

An Ocean Plastics Field Trip for Corporate Executives

<https://www.outsideonline.com/2400590/ocean-plastic-pollution-soulbuffalo>

The sustainable surfer: meet the team behind the world's first fully recyclable wetsuit

<https://www.theguardian.com/world/2019/aug/08/the-sustainable-surfer-meet-the-man-behind-the-worlds-first-fully-recyclable-wetsuit>

Why aren't we desalinating more ocean water?

<https://augustafreepress.com/why-arent-we-desalinating-more-ocean-water/>

Designers Propose a Wacky Submarine For Making 'Iceberg Babies' in The Arctic

<https://www.sciencealert.com/a-wacky-submarine-designed-to-make-iceberg-babies-won-t-save-the-arctic>

Ocean rubbish is building up. This artist reveals what's out there.

<https://www.nationalgeographic.co.uk/environment-and-conservation/2019/08/ocean-rubbish-building-artist-reveals-whats-out-there>

More than 100 years of Arctic sea ice volume reconstructed with help from historic ships' logbooks

<https://www.washington.edu/news/2019/08/08/more-than-100-years-of-arctic-sea-ice-volume-reconstructed-with-help-from-historic-ships-logbooks/>

New York set to work with fishermen on offshore wind research

<https://www.nationalfisherman.com/mid-atlantic/new-york-state-to-work-with-fishermen-on-offshore-wind-research/>

Largest-ever study of coral communities unlocks global solution to save reefs

<https://phys.org/news/2019-08-largest-ever-coral-global-solution-reefs.html>

Proposed salmon farm raises environmental concerns in Hebrides

<https://www.theguardian.com/uk-news/2019/aug/12/proposed-salmon-farm-raises-environmental-concerns-in-hebrides>

The demand for luxury shellfish is polluting the ocean with plastic

<https://theconversation.com/the-demand-for-luxury-shellfish-is-polluting-the-ocean-with-plastic-118668>

The Endangered Species Act is incredibly popular and effective. Trump is weakening it anyway.

<https://www.vox.com/science-and-health/2019/8/12/20802132/endangered-species-act-trump-weakening>

New York Times reporter Ian Urbina on illegal fishing, human rights abuses at sea and his new book, 'The Outlaw Ocean'

<https://oceana.org/blog/new-york-times-reporter-ian-urbina-illegal-fishing-human-rights-abuses-sea-and-his-new-book-%E2%80%98>

Beavers on the coast are helping salmon bounce back. Here's how.

<https://www.msn.com/en-us/weather/topstories/beavers-on-the-coast-are-helping-salmon-bounce-back-heres-how/ar-AAFKIZo>

Warm waters across Alaska cause salmon die-offs

<https://www.juneauempire.com/news/warm-waters-across-alaska-cause-salmon-die-offs/>

Alaska's nonprofit hatcheries give us hope for Washington's salmon runs

<https://www.seattletimes.com/opinion/alaskas-nonprofit-hatcheries-give-us-hope-for-washingtons-salmon-runs/>

Have we already passed the time to save Puget Sound orcas, task force member asks?

<https://www.kuow.org/stories/have-we-already-passed-the-time-to-save-puget-sound-orcas>

Both orca babies alive, all 3 southern resident pods spotted

<https://q13fox.com/2019/08/14/both-orca-babies-alive-all-3-southern-resident-pods-spotted/>

Creating productive marine protected areas

<http://www.sanjuanjournal.com/life/creating-productive-marine-protected-areas/>

There's a new culture divide between Trump and corporate America

<https://www.cnn.com/2019/08/14/politics/plastic-trump-recycling/index.html>

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