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Topic 1: Creativity

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How to Create Creativity

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The Secret of Effective Motivation

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Topic 3: Robots, Automation & AI (Artificial Intelligence)

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Robots Laws: How to Regulate Driverless Cars and Robo-Surgeons

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Topic 4: Death & Dying

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Death is not the end: Fascinating funeral traditions from around the globe

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Topic 5: Nonverbal Communication

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The Importance of Body Language

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Topic 6: Information in the Digital Age

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In today's warp-speed world, online missteps spread faster than ever

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Topic 7: Problem of People Not Voting

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Japan Needs Action, Not Elections

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Topic 8: Investigative Journalism

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In today's world, journalists face greater dangers

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Topic 9: Happiness

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Does success lead to happiness?

<https://psychcentral.com/blog/archives/2012/12/02/does-success-lead-to-happiness/>

Topic 10: Nuclear Energy

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Fukushima2020: Disaster-stricken area hopes to host Tokyo Olympic events

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Topic 11: Creating Change in Your Life

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Minimalism movement takes hold in consumer-driven US

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Topic 12: Eating Healthy & the Food Economy

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Global Fairtrade sales reach 4 billion pounds following 15 percent growth during 2013

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Why failure is good for success

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Japan's demography: The incredible shrinking country

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Topic 16: Eradication of Diseases

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A turning point in an age-old fight against a killer

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Topic 17: Social Problems

"Off the books" kids in Japan

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Topic 18: Discrimination Against Women

Law on women in the workforce lays bare the task ahead

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