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Exploring the Art and Science of Water

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Sliding into Innovation

British design firm, Splinterworks (Bath, UK) has made a mark in the watershaping world by reimagining waterslides. Taking a truly daring design approach, the company combines form and function into structures that are as much works of sculptural art as they are pieces of poolside play equipment.

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Beholding a Concrete Steam



Appreciating water doesn't *always* require sweeping ocean vistas or cascading streams, explains writer and naturalist, Jamie Nestor. As he points out in this personal essay, the beauty and fascination of aquatic environments sometimes exist in surprising places, but can be no less inspiring.

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Amending the Good Earth

Ensuring a stunning planting environment is all about the ground itself, says landscape designer, Mark David Levine. Beautiful greenery requires forethought and action in the form of soils testing specific and amendments for newly landscaped areas – a crucial practice he believes should be mandatory for *all* projects that include garden spaces of any size, style or location.

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WU Roars into 2023

As the industry hangs a brand-new calendar on the wall, Watershape University is stepping forward with a palette of educational offerings at three major industry events in Atlantic City, Houston and Colorado Springs – a great start to what looks to be WU's most dynamic year yet.

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The Uncertain Road Ahead

For all of the uncertainty in today's economic and social landscape, change remains the only constant. Many of the questions that greeted the watershaping industry at the beginning of last year have remained in place, including whether or not the industry, and the greater economy is headed into deeper water.









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Design 3422: Vanishing Edge Design

There are infinite detail options available for water-in-transit watershapes designs, including the vanishing edge, slot-edge, and gutter pools, spas, and waterfeatures. The best solution must consider everything as a whole -- and this program lays it all out.

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Children in Blue Spaces

A massive new study shows a strong connection between childhood experiences with water and nature and wellbeing as an adult; yet, more and more people are turning away from "blue spaces" despite the profound benefits. Why?

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Aquatic Glazing International Underwater Pool Windows

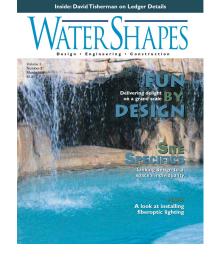
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WaterShapes continued its third year in print with a powerful line up that included, Tom Moneta & Mike Farley on site-specific design; Steven Knight on creating grand-scale fun; Paolo Benedetti on fiberoptics, and Ken Alperstein on golf course water.

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The World's 40 Most Dangerous Places to Swim

Whether it's pollution, boiling water, dangerous currents or carniverous aquatic critters, these natural watershapes are the most dangerous places to go for a swim -- a profound reminder to always respect the power, and hazards, of nature.

40 reasons swimming pools are a good idea.

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Australia's Swimming Pool Boom

The U.S. isn't the only place where pools have experienced red-hot demand. As reported in this podcast from Melbourne, Austrailia, the pandemic has driven homeowners down under to turn to pools as a leading at-home upgrade.

Pool demand spans the lattitudes.

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Archasol Offers Lighted Umbrellas

Archasol (Chevy Chase, MD) makes the Kasa solar-powered umbrella, designed to extend outdoor dining time after sunset without the need for any separate power supply or trailing electrical cords. Flexible PV cells attached to the polyester fabric. The umbrella provides up to 10 hours of continuous nighttime illumination from LED strip lights positioned along the ribs.

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Floating Water Domes from Solus

Solus (New Westminster, BC) offers the Water Dome. These water bowls feature polished metal domes that appear to float inside concrete vessels. Water flows up through the center of each dome to run over the reflective surface of the hand-spun metal and then drops off the edges into the surrounding water creating sound. Each metal dome is handmade and unique.

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