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# WATER SHAPES

Exploring the Art and Science of Water

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## Featuring



## Riding the Tides (25 years of *WaterShapes*)

Since its debut in February 1999 as an innovative print magazine, *WaterShapes* has spent the past 25 years exploring the art and science of water – and the oceans of possibilities waiting to be discovered along the way. As Eric Herman shares in this special retrospective, the long journey through the world of water has been its own unique reward.

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