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New Bridge Being Constructed on Outer Banks in N.C.

Workers have placed concrete on a section of the Bonner Bridge deck replacement in the Outer Banks of North Carolina, and they're now forming concrete barriers.

In the waters of the inlet, with the first column completed and clearly visible, crews have begun installing the first pre-cast segments of what is called the "pier table." Each segment, which weighs 95 tons and stands over 19 ft. in height, will be linked together with steel cable forming the decking for the bridge's roadway in the highest spans of the bridge.

Meanwhile on the south side of the Bonner Bridge project, land-based pile driving resumes at the water's edge, working towards the previously installed six southernmost girder spans.

Watch more from Island Free Press below.



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New CEOs: Look at Your Company Like an Outsider



Research of new CEOs at Standard & Poor's 500 companies showed that the most successful were not necessarily external hires, but sought to view the company through an outsider's lens.

New CEOs face enormous challenges as they start assembling a management team and setting a strategic direction in today's volatile environment.

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How Slow Internet Speeds Affect Finance Departments



Businesses increasingly depend on a fast Internet connection to complete tasks and collaborate with others. But some companies have come up with solutions to keep them on track when connectivity is spotty or slow.

Many countries have come a long way since the dial-up days of the internet, when connections were spotty and accessing a page could take several minutes. But in many parts of the world, unreliable or slow connections are still a problem, even as our dependence on being online to do everything from processing payroll to creating forecasts has grown.

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7 Things Great Bosses Tell Their Employees Every Single Day



Ever wondered what the best bosses whisper to their employees to get them motivated and glad to be working every single day? Here's your chance to find out.

1. "I trust you."

These three words tell your employees that you believe in them, you believe in the work they're doing, and you know that they're going to get it right. This simple vote of confidence can do wonders in any organization.

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5 Considerations for Stoking Innovation



Not all innovation efforts are successful, but there are certain strategies that can help products or ideas become successful.

Innovation is often touted as a cure-all for businesses, public policy, and one's own career path. But some innovations are more successful than others. Here, Kellogg faculty provide research and insights into what makes an innovation—from a new product to a great idea—take off.

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U.S. Small Firms Anticipate Revenue Growth, Hiring

Many small businesses in the U.S. expect revenue to increase this year, and some say they will add to payrolls, the Federal Reserve Bank of New York said in a report.

U.S. small businesses expect stronger revenue this year and many anticipate adding employees, a generally optimistic read that could support job growth in coming months.

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