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Top Stories

In the largest study of its kind, cancer researchers analyzed and classified more than 10,000 tumors from 33 cancer types to trace connections between different cancers. [Read this article.]

Launchpad awards $40K to three UCSC technology projects. Find out who the Winter/Spring 2018 Launchpad Proof-of-Concept Grant award winners are. [Read this article.]

David Buys Goliath! Here's a deeper dive into the $2B value Plantronics/Polycom deal announced in late March. [Read this article.]
Residents are invited to take the broadband survey that MBEP has created to identify which Central Coast areas have insufficient high-speed internet access. Read this article.

Students from around the Bay Area flocked to this year's Santa Cruz Teen Entrepreneur Challenge, a completely student-organized event. Read this article.

Cabrillo College Robotics Club prepares to compete again in 3rd annual NASA Swarmathon at Kennedy Space Center in April. Read this article.

A bag with a story! Here's how this local company re-engineered a single-use item for multi-use. Read this article.

Looker announces support for Oracle's new Autonomous Data Warehouse Cloud (ADWC). Read this article.

The Salinas Valley AgTech Summit was the first of several large events that will showcase WGCIT startups and the technologies changing the way growers farm. Read this article.
Jobs/Internships

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Events

Note: Dates, times, and locations are all subject to change. Be sure to check the event website, just in case!

- Tue Apr 10, 6pm: MBIT - [Monterey Bay Information Technologists](#) at Monterey Incubator, Pacific Grove.

- Wed Apr 11, 12noon-1pm: [Exploring Instagram for Business](#) at Santa Cruz Public Library - Downtown Branch Upstairs Meeting Room.

- Wed Apr 11, 1-6pm: [ACE-Angels, Communities, and Entrepreneurs](#) at Monterey Incubator, Pacific Grove.

- Wed Apr 11, 6pm: [Startup Monterey Bay Tech Meetup](#), Monterey Incubator, Pacific Grove.

- Sat Apr 14, 10am: [Santa Cruz Web Developers Meetup](#) at NextSpace.

- Sat Apr 14, 12-5pm: [Hackergarten #4: Ethereum Smart Contract Development](#)
at NextSpace.

- Tue Apr 17, 6pm: Santa Cruz WordPress Meetup at Cruzio.
- Wed Apr 18, 6:30pm: Santa Cruz Bitcoin & Crypto-currency Meetup at NextSpace.

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