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I want to call your attention to two cool articles this week:

1. MBARI, the Moss Landing-based nonprofit oceanographic research center, has announced the construction of state-of-the-art research vessel being constructed for diverse expeditions in the Monterey Bay and beyond. *“MBARI’s mission to explore and understand the ocean is more important than ever, especially in light of the growing threats of climate change, overfishing, and pollution,”* said Chris Scholin, MBARI President and Chief Executive Officer.
2. Ancient genomics? Science journal, **Nature** (nature.com), has produced a fascinating 6.5 minute video featuring UCSC professor Beth Shapiro. *“Working with ancient DNA, Beth Shapiro has applied next-generation sequencing to look into genomes of the distant past, with the hope that they can help us to understand our future.”* (Watch this video.)

As usual, there's more. Scroll down and start reading (and watching)!

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MBARI announces the construction of a state-of-the-art research vessel named in honor of MBARI founder, David Packard. The ship will accommodate expeditions in the Monterey Bay and beyond. [Read the article.](#)

Watch: Working with ancient DNA, Beth Shapiro has applied next-generation sequencing to look into genomes of the distant past, with the hope they can help us to understand our future. [Watch the video.](#)

Parallel Flight Technologies' beta-level aircraft had its first flight on the same day that NASA's Ingenuity Mars helicopter took its first flight. [Watch the video.](#)

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