Welcome to D+ September 2018 Newsletter. It is the fifty-seventh edition of the D+ Newsletter compiled with some of the news published in September 2018 on D+.

The D+ World’s Most Positive Countries 2018 is in full swing. Our international reviewers are busy with their ongoing review, our internal teams are working hard in putting all things together and we request you to have your say on the global poll at http://goo.gl/iUVhh.

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Top News Of The Month

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D+ News: September 2018

- Archaeologists from Australia and New Zealand have recovered evidence that people lived in the Australian arid zone in western desert 50,000 years ago.
- Bangladeshi Prime Minister Sheikh Hasina received two international awards -- the IPS International Achievement Award and the Special Distinction Award for Leadership -- for her humanitarian and responsible policy in hosting the Rohingyas and for her far-sighted leadership over the Rohingya issue.
- Croatian footballer Luka Modric was named the world's Best Male Player at the Best Fifa Football Awards.
- Canadian scientists have discovered mummified remains of two ice age animals — a caribou calf and a wolf pup — near Dawson City, Yukon.
- Djibouti and Eritrea agreed to a peace accord, effectively ending a decade-long border conflict between the two countries.
- China inaugurated the Chinese Embassy in the Dominican Republic almost five months after the two nations established diplomatic relations.
- Shady Rabab of Egypt won the 2018 UN Young Champions of the Earth Prize for addressing poverty and waste management in Egypt by making musical instruments from trash and training young people in a band.
- English scientists have succeeded for the first time in wiping out an entire population of malaria-carrying mosquitos in the lab using a gene editing tool to programme their extinction.
- Germany rolled out the world's first hydrogen-powered train, the Coradia iLint, in northern Germany powered entirely by eco-friendly hydrogen fuel cells.
- Iran retained its status as the Asian Games champion in men’s team volleyball by defeating the Republic of Korea (KOR) 25-17, 25-22, 25-21 in Asian Games final.
- Naomi Osaka of Japan defeated Serena Williams, 6-2, 6-4, to win the 2018 US Open women’s singles tennis title, becoming the first Japanese player to win a major singles title in the history of the sport.
- Kenyan runner Eliud Kipchoge smashed the marathon world record, winning the Berlin race in 2 hours, 1 minute, 39 seconds, slicing a staggering 78 seconds off the previous best recorded by Dennis Kimetto.
- A new law in Morocco criminalizing violence against women, which includes a ban on forced marriage and sexual harassment in public places, went into effect.
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- South Sudanese doctor Evan Atar Adah won the prestigious UNHCR Nansen Refugee Award for his outstanding 20-year commitment in providing medical services to people forced to flee conflict.