
Happy New Year 2019. Wishing you all a positive, happy and prosperous 2019 from D+ family. We would also love to take this opportunity to say Thank You to all of our readers, online visitors, volunteers and well-wishers from previous year. Without your help and encouragement our journey would not be this colorful. We are determined to bring you the very best of 2019 and we hope to reach out to every corner of the world for every positive story that is out there.

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Top News Of The Month

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D+ News: January 2019

- **Argentina**'s iconic bookstore Ateneo Grand Splendid was named the World's Most Beautiful Bookstore by travel magazine National Geographic.
- **Austria** was named as the most welcoming country in the world by popular travel booking platform Booking.com.
- **Chad** and **Israel** restored full diplomatic relations after 47-year during Israeli Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu’s visit to Chad.
- **Cuba** maintained its record of low infant mortality rate, 4 per 1,000 live births, as revealed by the Health Ministry.
- **Denmark** was ranked the least corrupt nation in the world according to the Transparency International’s corruption perception index (CPI).
- Researchers from **England** and **Singapore** have created a new robot controller using game theory, allowing the robot to learn when to assist a human.
- **Finland** defeated the United States 3-2 to win gold at the 2019 World Junior Ice Hockey Championships in Canada.
- **French** tennis duo Pierre-Hugues Herbert and Nicolas Mahut completed their career Grand Slam in men's doubles with their victory over Henri Kontinen of Finland and John Peers of Australia 6-4, 7-6 (1) at the 2019 Australian Open.
- Ancient Mongolian skull called Mongolanthropus is the earliest modern human yet found in the region, who lived approximately 34 - 35 thousand years ago, as revealed by **German**, **English** and **Mongolian** scientists.
- **India**’s Polar Satellite Launch Vehicle (PSLV-C44) successfully injected Microsat-R and Kalamsat-V2 satellites into their designated orbits.
- Rizka Raisa Fatimah Ramli, a 17-year-old student from **Indonesia**, won the UNICEF and Comics Uniting Nations’ worldwide comic contest with a character who helps keep children and young people safe from violence in and around schools.
- **Ireland**’s government banned single use plastics, such as plastic cups, cutlery and straws, from its government departments and public bodies from January 2019.
- **Mexican** film director Alfonso Cuarón’s Roma won the Best Motion Picture – Foreign Language award at the 76th Golden Globes awards.
- **Norway** topped the Democracy Index of the Economist Intelligence Unit (EIU) with an overall score of 9.87.
- Novak Djokovic of **Serbia** crushed Rafael Nadal 6-3 6-2 6-3 for record seventh Australian Open title and 15th major in Melbourne.
- **Sudan** commenced as the President of the UNICEF’s Executive Board.
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