



### **Very interesting article on Mental Health**

<http://www.theatlantic.com/health/archive/2015/05/the-startup-that-wants-to-end-social-anxiety/392900/>

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### **Check out this video on Learning Disabilities**

Take a look when you get the chance!

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=kYS3TzhSm4Y>

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### **Article from GS 420 student**

I came across this article today and thought it connected to our class discussion yesterday.

[http://www.vice.com/read/a-canadian-with-an-intellectual-disability-is-fighting-his-46-cents-an-hour-wage?utm\\_source=vicefbus](http://www.vice.com/read/a-canadian-with-an-intellectual-disability-is-fighting-his-46-cents-an-hour-wage?utm_source=vicefbus)

I appreciate students contributing to important articles that pertain to our class content. THANKS!

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### **The Recent Shooting in Oregon**

<http://www.rawstory.com/2015/10/mass-shootings-are-not-about-mental-illness/>

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### **A must read: "Robin Williams Did Not Kill Himself"**

<http://popchassid.com/robin-williams-didnt-kill/>

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### **A must read if you are interested in Children and mental illness**

[http://www.psychologytoday.com/blog/freedom-learn/201001/the-decline-play-and-rise-in-childrens-mental-disorders?](http://www.psychologytoday.com/blog/freedom-learn/201001/the-decline-play-and-rise-in-childrens-mental-disorders)



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### **'Don't mess with me': MMA fighter with Down syndrome sues to get back in the ring**

<http://www.today.com/news/mma-fighter-down-syndrome-sues-get-back-ring-1D79947074>

Great article - you can go to his website and actually sign up for his support - if you feel it is warranted...

<https://www.change.org/p/i-have-down-syndrome-and-i-deserve-a-chance-to-compete>

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### **Trying to understand....**

<http://www.newyorker.com/culture/cultural-comment/suicide-crime-loneliness>

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### **Watch Ricochet - the companion surf dog**

One of our very own GS 420 students was part of the filming crew for this amazing story.  
Kleenex time!

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=907AZkWid-c>

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### **New Accessible ICON...Check it out**

<http://www.disabilityscoop.com/2014/03/06/new-handicapped-museum/19167/>

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### **Article on Depression**

Depression is very common among college students. We will be discussing the "disabling" factors of mental illness after the spring break. This article is a good one for extra credit and relates to the presentation on 4/11.  
<http://health.yahoo.net/articles/depression/11-warning-signs-depression>



### **Article by Diana Pastora Carson about Joaquin**

<http://www.psychologytoday.com/blog/the-autism-advocate/201105/your-presence-is-making-us-uncomfortable>



### **Accessible Education from the New York Times**

Excellent article about the value of online education. While I have mixed feelings about issues regarding the social aspects of the online community, I appreciated the inclusion of the student with emerging autism. Something to think about...  
<http://www.nytimes.com/2013/01/27/opinion/sunday/friedman-revolution-hits-the-universities.html?emc=tnt&tntemail0=y&r=0>



### **Check this article out... Definite need for ASL education!**

<http://www.foxnews.com/us/2013/01/12/deaf-man-stabbed-when-sign-language-mistaken-for-gang-signs-police-say/?test=latestnews>



### **Excellent article on the experience of intellectual disability**

<http://www.npr.org/2013/02/08/171382156/a-life-defined-not-by-disability-but-love?ft=3&f=111787346&sc=nl&cc=es-20130210>



### **Article related to AT (submitted by a GS 420 student) (-:**

<http://news.yahoo.com/classmate-robot-ny-pupil-attends-remotely-074206116--finance.html>



### **Excellent article discussing ableism at the university level**

<http://www.thehoya.com/conquering-ableism-1.2996811#.USmTBxz6QS7>  
Thanks Angela.....