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SPECIAL SECTIONS

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The Alternative World: exposes the reader to maps outside of their traditional applications. In this section, we seek to present our readers with unconventional maps based on literature, art, film, and video games.

A Cartographer’s Quandary: People who aren’t familiar with geographic concepts and software often struggle with options available in map making and misuse the software or ineffectively display their data. In an effort to equip our readers with this knowledge, this section discusses ways in which published maps could be improved for clarity. Anyone seeking to explore geography and make a map should have up-to-date tools and knowledge to responsibly do so at their fingertips.

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Our Social media platforms pioneer the words of geography and geospatial science every day. "In Case You Missed it" is added every Friday and features our top performing posts on Facebook, Twitter, and Instagram, and the most recent Ubique entry. Click the links to see the post. While you’re there, make sure to check out all of our geo-posts!

GEOQUESTION

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A Cartographer's Quandary
The rapidly expanding selection of online and open-source mapping software has exponentially increased the number of people who have access to cartographic and geographic tools. There are countless benefits to having geographic software and data available for public use. However, people who aren't familiar with geographic concepts and software often struggle with options available in map making and misuse the software or ineffectively display their data. In an effort to equip our readers with this knowledge, "A Cartographer's Quandary" discusses ways in which published maps could be improved for clarity. Students, teachers, professionals, or the average person seeking to explore geography and make a map should have up-to-date tools and knowledge to responsibly do so at their fingertips.

Nothing New
The old line, "everything old is new again" applies to how we look at geography. "Nothing New" is a take on the idea that "history repeats itself." This section exemplifies the connection of past and current events.
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