



MED NEWS HEADLINES FROM THE MEDITERRANEAN

Politics

Tunisia's president imposes month-long curfew and bans gatherings (Guardian)

Kais Saied tightens his hold on power with tough new restrictions after dismissing prime minister. Read more [here](#).

The no-vote generation: Reinventing politics in France (France24)

Whether they're disappointed in politics or reject the political class, millions of French people, especially the young, no longer want to vote. Read more [here](#).

Brexit triggers UK interest in Cypriot financial sector (New Europe)

Uncertainty over UK financial services' EU market access post-Brexit has coincided with a surge in interest in a Cypriot scheme allowing companies temporary business access to the island. Read more [here](#).

Slovenia appoints digital transformation minister (Euractiv)

Slovenia's National Assembly has appointed Mark Boris Andrijanič, a law graduate who has worked for Uber, as digital transformation minister, heading the Digital Transformation Office, a new government body, and coordinating digital transformation activities across the government. Read more [here](#).

Environment

Wildfires cause further devastation in Turkey, Greece (Aljazeera)

Death toll in Turkey rises to eight, Greeks hospitalized with respiratory problems and many left homeless. Read more [here](#).

Outrage as Italy faces multimillion pound damages to UK oil firm (The Guardian)

Secretive tribunals allow fossil fuel companies to sue governments for passing laws to protect environment. Read more [here](#).

Pandemic gives breathing room to endangered sea turtles (The Guardian)

A new study suggests endangered loggerhead turtles reclaimed empty shores to breed during Covid, but conservationists fear the return of mass tourism. Read more [here](#).

Libya's battle to protect its endangered forests (DW)

A decade of conflict and instability in the North African country has not only taken its toll on people but also on nature. Will environmentalists succeed in protecting Al-Jabal al-Akhdar, a forest surrounded by desert? Read more [here](#).

Culture & Archeology

The First Underwater Museum in the Mediterranean Is Now Open in Cyprus (My Modern Met)

Sculptor Jason de Caires Taylor is well-known for his incredible underwater museums and exhibits. Read more [here](#).

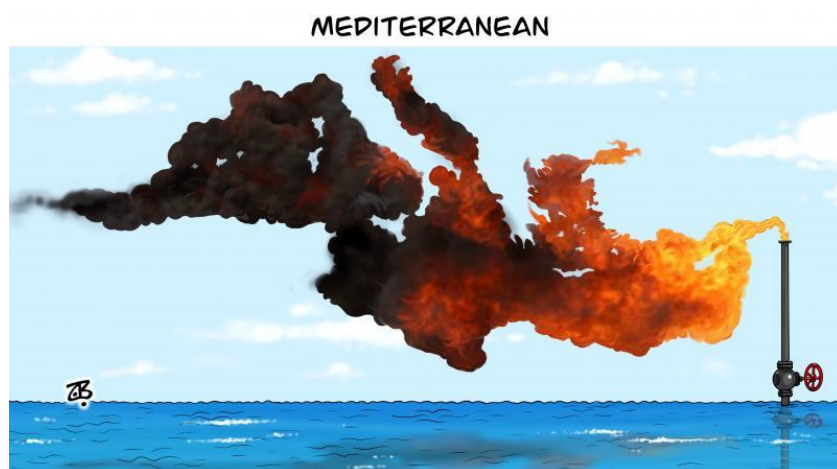
Italian Researchers CT Scan Egyptian Priest Mummy

A known Egyptian priest mummy, from over 3,000 years ago, has recently been transferred from Italy's famous Museum of Civil Archeology in Bergamo to the Policlinico of Milan hospital to conduct a mummy CT scan. Read more [here](#).

French-Egyptian archeology mission discovers military vessel, Greek funerary in sunken city (RFI)

Archaeologists have found rare remains of a military vessel and a Greek funerary complex at Thonis-Heracleion in an ancient sunken city that once served as Egypt's main Mediterranean port. Read more [here](#).

Caricature of the Week



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