January/February
(Closing: Nov 15; On Sale: Jan 2)

1968: A SPECIAL ISSUE

HISTORY
• Ted Conover talks to sanitation workers in Memphis who were there the day MLK was killed
• Photo essays look at Vietnam today, the Beatles ashram in India and the RFK school in Los Angeles on the site of the old Ambassador hotel
• Shaun Raviv writes about William Calley and the My Lai massacre
• Roxane Gay looks at the 1968 Miss America protest and what it says about the intersection of feminism and civil rights
• Andrew Chaikin looks at the back story behind an iconic photograph taken from the Apollo 8 spacecraft

March
(Closing: Jan 10; On Sale: Feb 27)

ARTS & CULTURE
• Matt Shaer looks at a major new initiative to track down artworks stolen by the Nazis in WWII

SCIENCE
• Richard Grant looks at the latest research on how trees communicate with each other

TRAVEL
• Novelist Jane Smiley follows in the footsteps of artist Grant Wood through his native Iowa
• Mary Roach looks at artifacts rescued from Hurricane Harvey
• Richard Conniff travels to northern China to find rare fossils from the Cretaceous period

April
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THE FUTURE ISSUE

SCIENCE
• The Future of Health: how immunotherapy is revolutionizing cancer treatment
• The Future of Energy: America’s Most Energy Self-Sufficient Town and what it can teach us about the future of sustainability
• Focus on space: From space tourism to remote nuclear plants, a look at how entrepreneurs and scientists plan to generate energy in space

TRAVEL
• A look at Rwanda’s quest to become the most technologically sophisticated, healthiest and most innovative nation in Africa
May
(Closing: Mar 7; On Sale: Apr 24)
TRAVEL
• Franz Lidz travels to England’s Lake District to look at a battle brewing between environmentalists and farmers
• Tony Perrottet profiles Eusebio Leal, the Cuban behind the revival of Old Havana
• Mark Jenkins travels to Wrangell St. Elias national park in southeastern Alaska—our largest wilderness area

June
(Closing: Apr 11; On Sale: May 29)
TRAVEL
• Paul Theroux profiles Garrett McNamara, one of the world’s greatest surfers, and the 100-foot wave he conquered
HISTORY
• Ted Genoways looks at the wars between two Mexican tequila families

July/August
(Closing: May 16; On Sale: July 3)

September
(Closing: July 11; On Sale: Aug 28)
SECRETS OF AMERICAN HISTORY
HISTORY
• A new look at Harriet Tubman’s early trips to Maryland and the black anti-slavery movement
• Ben Yagoda looks at the complicated relationship between Sigmund Freud and his co-author, William C. Bullitt

October
(Closing: Aug 8; On Sale: Sept 25)

November
(Closing: Sept 12; On Sale: Oct 30)

December
(Closing: Oct 10; On Sale: Nov 27)
AMERICAN INGENUITY AWARDS