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- Full-text articles from 360 journals and literary magazines.
- Book reviews and essays covering a wide range of books and topics.
- Machine translation of articles into 12 languages.

Details

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