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Ivanov, A. (2020). Skritite orazhiya v reklamata. Sofia: Iztok-Zapad.

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# **Books/edited proceedings**

Carman, T. (2005). On the Inescapability of Phenomenology (pp. 67 – 89). In: Smith, D.W. & Thomasson, A. L. (Eds.). *Phenomenology and Philosophy of Mind*. Oxford: Clarendon Press.

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