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The only things researchers should abide by are debates and dialectics. Only by questioning everything at all times can one avoid falling into prejudice.

– Alhaitham, Genshin Impact –

PREFACE

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