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| 12 |  | Bowie, Norman E. “[Kantian Ethics](http://link.gale.com/apps/doc/CX2660400473/GVRL?u=cuny_nytc&sid=GVRL&xid=9dc1a88b).” *Encyclopedia of Business Ethics and Society*, edited by Robert W. Kolb, vol. 3, SAGE Publications, 2008, pp. 1240-1244. (**Read the whole article).** |
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