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**abbreviation** [ə,bri:vɪ'eɪʃən] *n.* 缩写, 缩写词

**indicate** ['ɪndɪkeɪt] *vt.* 指出, 显示; 象征, 预示

Frequently, crashes are followed with a message like 'ID 02'. 'ID' is an **abbreviation** for idiosyncrasy and the number that follows **indicates** how many more months of testing the product should have had. (Guy Kawasaki)

通常, 试验失败之后会发出像“ID 02”这样的信号。“ID”是“idiosyncrasy”(特性、特质)的缩写, “ID”后面的数字显示着该产品还得需要多少个月才能完成测试。(盖伊·川崎)

**abdicate** [ˈæbdɪkeɪt] *vi.* 退位, 放弃权力(或责任等)

**stress** [stres] *n.* 重压, 逼迫; 压力, 重点

Power **abdicates** only under the **stress** of counter-power. (Martin Buber)  
权力只有在反权力的压迫下才会退位。(马丁·布贝尔)

**abhorrent** [əb'hɒrənt] *a.* 可恶的, 格格不入的

**imprison** [ɪm'prɪzn] *vt.* 监禁, 关押

**prison** ['prɪzn] *n.* 监狱

Nothing can be more **abhorrent** to democracy than to **imprison** a person or keep him in **prison** because he is unpopular. This is really the test of civilization. (Winston Churchill)



对于民主政治来说,没有比因为一个人与众不同就将其投入监狱或长期监禁这种做法更可恶的了。这正是对社会文明的检验。

(温斯顿·丘吉尔)

**ability** [ə'bilɪtɪ] *n.* 能力,才干

Great **ability** develops and reveals itself increasingly with every new assignment. (Baltasar Gracian)

杰出的才能随着每一个新的任务发展起来并日益彰显。

(巴尔塔沙·葛雷西安)

**abridge** [ə'brɪdʒ] *vt.* 删节,削减,精简

Many a long dispute among divines may be thus **abridged**: It is so. It is not so. It is so. It is not so. (Benjamin Franklin)

很多长期存在于神学家之间的争论都可以一言以括之:是这样的,不是这样的。是这样的,不是这样的。(本杰明·富兰克林)

**abrogate** [ˈæbrəʊgeɪt] *vt.* 废除,取消

**invention** [ɪn'venʃən] *n.* 发明,创造

Telephone, an **invention** of the devil which **abrogates** some of the advantages of making a disagreeable person keep his distance.

(Ambrose Bierce)

电话是一项魔鬼的发明,它在某种程度上剥夺了我们想和讨厌的人保持距离的可能性。

(安布罗斯·比尔斯)

**absorb** [əb'sɔ:b] *vt.* 吸收,吸引

**graphic** ['græfɪk] *a.* 绘画似的,图解的

**picture** ['pɪktʃə] *n.* 画,图画,照片

The day of the printed word is far from ended. Swift as is the



delivery of the radio bulletin, **graphic** as is television's eyewitness **picture**, the task of adding meaning and clarity remains urgent. People cannot and need not **absorb** meanings at the speed of light.

(Erwin Canham)

印刷文字结束的日子还远远没有到来。尽管通过收音机传送新闻的速度很快,电视里提供的图象像亲历现场一样生动,但是清楚地解释其意义仍是一项紧要的任务。人们不可能也不需要以光速去领会其意。

(欧文·坎哈姆)

**absurd** [əb'sɜ:d] *a.* 荒谬的,可笑的

**fragment** [ˈfræɡmənt] *n.* 碎片,断片,片段

Libraries keep the records on behalf of all humanity. The unique and the **absurd**, the wise and the **fragments** of stupidity.

(Vartan Gregorian)

图书馆为所有的人保存记录——独特的和荒谬的,智慧和零零碎碎的愚蠢的记录。

(瓦坦·格雷戈里恩)

**abysmally** [əˈbɪzməli] *ad.* 彻底地,极度地

Actors who have tried to play Churchill and Mac Arthur have failed **abysmally** because each of those men was a great actor playing himself.

(William Manchester)

每个想演好邱吉尔和麦克·阿瑟的演员都失败得很彻底,因为他们俩本身就是非常出色的演绎着自己的演员。

(威廉·曼彻斯特)

**accept** [ək'sept] *vt.* 接受,认可;承担,承兑

**applause** [əˈplɔ:z] *n.* 鼓掌欢迎,欢呼

**criticism** [ˈkrɪtɪsɪz(ə)m] *n.* 批评,批判



We protest against unjust *criticism*, but we *accept* unearned *applause*.  
(Jose Narosky)

我们抗议不公正的批评,却接受不应得的掌声。

(约瑟·纳洛斯基)

**access** [ˈækses] *vt.* 存取;接近

Be willing to *access* joy in the face of adversity. (C. Metcalf)

即使身处逆境也要寻找快乐。

(C·梅特卡夫)

**accidental** [ˌæksɪ'dentl] *a.* 意外的;非主要的,附属的

**reflect** [rɪ'flekt] *vt.* 反射;反映,表现;反省,细想

**serial number** *n.* 序列码,认证码

**specimen** [ˈspesɪmɪn; -mən] *n.* 范例,标本;样品,样本

The *serial number* of a human *specimen* is the face, that *accidental* and unrepeatable combination of features. It *reflects* neither character nor soul, nor what we call the self. The face is only the *serial number* of a *specimen*.  
(Milan Kundera)

脸部是人类样本的序列号,它是偶然产生的、不可重复的种种特征的结合。脸既不反应性格也不反应灵魂,也不是我们所称呼的自我。脸部只不过是样本的序列号。  
(米兰·昆德拉)

**acclaim** [ə'kleɪm] *vt./vi.* 欢呼,称赞

**exist** [ɪg'zɪst] *vi.* 存在,生存,生活

**fulfill** [fʊl'fɪl] *vt.* 实践,履行,实行;实现

A leader is best when people barely know he *exists*, not so good when people obey and *acclaim* him, worst when they despise him. But of a good leader, who talks little, when his work is done, his *aim fulfilled*, they will say, 'We did this ourselves.'  
(Lao Tzu)



太上,下知有之。其次,亲之誉之。其次,侮之。悠兮其贵言,  
功成事遂,百姓皆谓我自然。(老子)

**accompany** [ə'kʌmpəni] *vt.* 陪伴;伴奏

Big words seldom **accompany** good deeds. (Charlotte Whitton)

夸大的言语很少与良好的行为相伴。(夏洛特·威坦)

**accomplice** [ə'kɒmplɪs] *n.* 同谋者,帮凶;合伙人

When we ask for advice, we are usually looking for an **accomplice**.

(Saul Bellow)

我们征求意见的时候,通常就是在寻找合伙人。

(索尔·贝娄)

**accountant** [ə'kaʊntənt] *n.* 会计(员),会计师

**agent** ['eɪdʒənt] *n.* 代理(商)

My money goes to my **agent**, then to my **accountant** and from him  
to the tax man. (Glenda Jackson)

我的钱交给代理人,然后再流向我的会计师,最后通过他进入  
收税人的口袋。(格兰达·杰克逊)

**accurate** [ˈækjʊrɪt] *a.* 正确的;精确的

**observation** [ˌɒbzɜː'veɪʃən] *n.* 观察,观测

The power of **accurate observation** is commonly called cynicism by  
those who have not got it. (George Bernard Shaw)

精确的观察能力通常被那些没有这种能力的人叫做“尖锐  
刻薄”。(乔治·萧伯纳)

**acid** [ˈæsɪd] *n.* [化]酸;〈俚〉迷幻药



**pour** [pɔː; pɒə] *vt.* 灌注, 倾泻; 涌入

Anger is an **acid** that can do more harm to the vessel in which it is stored than to anything on which it is **poured**. (Mark Twain)

愤怒是酸性物质, 把它装在心里带来的伤害比任何倾泄到他头上的东西都大。 (马克·吐温)

**acme** [ˈækmɪ] *n.* 顶点, 极致

For to win one hundred victories in one hundred battles is not the **acme** of skill. To subdue the enemy without fighting is the acme of skill. (Sun Tzu)

故百战百胜, 非善之善者也; 不战而屈人之兵, 善之善者也。

(孙子)

**acquiescence** [ˌækwiˈesns] *n.* 默许

**evil** [ˈiːvl] *n.* 邪恶, 不幸, 罪恶

**Evil** is near. Sometimes late at night the air grows strongly clammy and cold around me. I feel it brushing me. All that the Devil asks is **acquiescence**, not struggle, not conflict.

(Suzanne Massie)

邪恶越来越近了。某些夜深时分, 我身边的空气会渐渐变得异常湿冷, 我感觉到它不停冲刷着我。魔鬼所要求的只是默许: 不要挣扎, 不要反抗。

(苏珊妮·玛茜)

**acquire** [əˈkwaɪə] *vt.* 获得, 学到

**habit** [ˈhæbɪt] *n.* 习惯, 习性

**perform** [pəˈfɔːm] *vt.* 履行, 执行; 表演, 演出

It is easy to **perform** a good action, but not easy to **acquire** a settled **habit** of performing such actions. (Aristotle)



做一件好事并不难,难的是养成一种做好事的固定习惯。

(亚里士多德)

**activate**      [ˈæktɪveɪt] *vt.* 刺激,使活动

*Activate* yourself to duty by remembering your position, who you are, and what you have obliged yourself to be.

(Thomas Kempis)

记住你的职责,记住你是谁,记住你想让自己成为一个什么样的人,从而激发自己去履行自己的义务。 (托马斯·坎皮斯)

**activity**      [ækˈtɪvɪtɪ] *n.* 活跃;活动;行动

**journey**      [ˈdʒɜːni] *n.* 旅行,旅程

Focus on the *journey*, not the destination. Joy is found not in finishing an *activity* but in doing it. (Greg Anderson)

把注意力集中在旅途中,而不要集中在目的地上。欢乐是在你进行一项活动的过程中发现的,而不是在完成这项活动的时候。

(格雷格·安德森)

**actually**      [ˈæktʃʊəli] *ad.* 实际上,事实上

**animated**      [ˈænɪmeɪtɪd] *a.* 活生生的,活泼的

**cartoon**      [kɑːˈtuːn] *n.* (报刊上的)政治性漫画,讽刺画;卡通画

**crude**      [kruːd] *a.* 天然的,未加工的;粗糙的,拙劣的  
**sort of**      在一定程度上,有点

I started, *actually*, to make my first *animated cartoon* in 1920. Of course, they were very *crude* things then and I used *sort of* little puppet things. (Walt Disney)

事实上,我在1920年就做了我的第一部卡通片。当然啦,那时



它们非常粗糙,我用了一些类似小木偶的东西。

(沃尔特·迪斯尼)

**acute** [ə'kju:t] *a.* 敏锐的;[医]急性的,剧烈的

**capable** ['keɪpəbl] *a.* 有能力的,能干的,有可能的

**creation** [kri'eɪʃən] *n.* 创造,产生

Only the most **acute** and active animals are **capable** of boredom.  
—A theme for a great poet would be God's boredom on the seventh day  
of **creation**. (Lewis Cass)

只有最敏锐最积极的生物才会厌倦——上帝在创世第七天的  
厌倦成为了伟大诗人创作的题材。(刘易斯·卡斯)

**addiction** [ə'dɪkʃən] *n.* 沉溺;上瘾

Every form of **addiction** is bad, no matter whether the narcotic be  
alcohol or morphine or idealism. (Carl Jung)

任何形式的瘾都是不好的,不管这瘾是酒精、吗啡还是理想  
主义。(卡尔·荣格)

**adequacy** [ˈædɪkwəsi] *n.* 适当,足够

Discouragement is not the absence of **adequacy** but the absence of  
courage. (Neal Maxwell)

气馁不是缺乏条件,而是缺少勇气。(尼尔·麦克斯维尔)

**admire** [əd'maɪə] *vt.* 赞美;钦佩;羡慕

Celerity is never more **admired** than by the negligent. (Cleopatra)

快速总是最为那些粗心大意的人所推崇。(克里奥帕特拉)

**adorn** [ə'dɔ:n] *vt.* 装饰





**bright** [braɪt] *a.* 明亮的,辉煌的;欢快的

Hope, like the gleaming taper's light, *adorns* and cheers our way; and still, as darker grows the night, emits a *brighter* ray.

(Oliver Goldsmith)

希望,就像是蜡捻儿发出的微光,装饰着我们的道路,使其充满欢乐;而且,夜越深,它的光就越明亮。(奥利弗·戈德史密斯)

**adulatory** [ˈædjuleɪtəri] *a.* 奉承的

**affable** [ˈæfəbl̩] *a.* 和蔼可亲的

**superior** [sjuːˈpiəriə] *a.* 较高的,上级的;出众的

The *superior* man is *affable*, but not *adulatory*; the mean is *adulatory*, but not *affable*. (Confucius)

君子和而不同,小人同而不和。(孔子)

**advantage** [ədˈvɑːntɪdʒ] *n.* 优势,有利条件;利益

**affair** [əˈfeɪə] *n.* 事务,事件;私事

**prevent** [prɪˈvent] *vt./vi.* 防止,预防

Do not be desirous to have things done quickly; do not look at small *advantages*. Desire to have things done quickly prevents their being done thoroughly. Looking at small *advantages prevents great affairs* from being accomplished. (Confucius)

无欲速,无见小利。欲速,则不达;见小利,则大事不成。(孔子)

**adventure** [ədˈventʃə] *n.* 冒险,冒险的经历

A tramp, a gentleman, a poet, a dreamer, a lonely fellow, always hopeful of romance and *adventure*. (Charlie Chaplin)

一个流浪者,一位绅士,一位诗人,一个梦想者,一个孤独的人,总是向往着浪漫和冒险。(查理·卓别林)



**aerial** ['eəriəl] *a.* 航空的;空中的;生活在空气中的

Neither the Army nor the Navy is of any protection, or very little protection, against **aerial** raids. (Alexander Bell)

在面对空中袭击之时,无论是陆军还是海军,都不能,或只能提供很少的保护。(亚历山大·贝尔)

**affect** [ə'fekt] *vt.* 影响;感动

**eternity** [ɪ(:)'tɜ:nɪtɪ] *n.* 永远,不朽;来世,来生

A teacher **affects eternity**; he can never tell where his influence stops. (H. Adams)

教师的影响是永恒的;无法估计他的影响会有多深远。

(H·亚当斯)

**affectation** [,æfek'teɪʃən] *n.* 假装,虚饰;做作

Any **affectation** whatsoever in dress implies, in my mind, a flaw in the understanding. (P. Chesterfield)

在我看来,穿着打扮上的任何矫揉造作都意味着悟性上的瑕疵。(P·切斯特菲尔德)

**affection** [ə'fekʃən] *n.* 友爱;爱情;影响

**second** ['sekənd] *a.* 另一个,第二的; *num.* 第二

My unhealthy **affection** for my **second** daughter has waned. Now I despise all my seven children equally. (Evelyn Waugh)

我对我的二女儿的那种不健康的爱已经消退了,现在我对我的七个孩子都一样地鄙视。(伊芙林·沃)

**affinity** [ə'fɪnɪtɪ] *n.* 密切关系;姻亲关系;吸引力

**link** [lɪŋk] *vt.* 连结,联合;挽



Love is the *affinity* which *links* and draws together the elements of the world... Love, in fact, is the agent of universal synthesis.

(Pierre Chardin)

爱是将世界各个部分联系和吸引在一起的力量……爱,实际上是将万物联系在一起的媒介。

(皮埃尔·夏尔丹)

**affirmation** [əfɜ:'meɪfən] *n.* 断言,主张;肯定

**affirmative** [ə'fəmətɪv] *a.* 肯定的,表示赞成的

**distinguish** [dɪs'tɪŋɡwɪʃ] *vi.* 区别,辨别

**positive** ['pɒzətɪv] *a.* 肯定的;实际的;积极的

I would say that deconstruction is *affirmation* rather than questioning, in a sense which is not *positive*: I would *distinguish* between the positive, or positions, and affirmations. I think that deconstruction is *affirmative* rather than questioning: this affirmation goes through some radical questioning, but it is not questioning in the field of analysis.

(Derrida)

我要说在非积极意义上,解构是肯定而不是质疑;我要在实证或立场与肯定之间做出区别。我认为解构是肯定而不是质疑:这种肯定经历某种激烈的质疑而来,但不是分析领域里的质疑。

(德里达)

**against** [ə'ɡeɪnst; ə'geɪnst] *prep.* 相反,反对;逆着

Love alone can release the power of the atom so it will work for man and not *against* him.

(W. Peterson)

只有爱才能释放原子的力量,使之造福人类,而非危害人类。

(W·彼得逊)

**agenda** [ə'dʒendə] *n.* 议程



**senate** ['senɪt] *n.* <美>参议院

The thing is, if you control the **Senate** meetings, you control the gavel. And the gavel is a very important instrument... an instrument of power. An instrument that establishes the **agenda**.

(Dan Quayle)

事实是,如果你控制了参议院,你就控制了槌子。这个槌子是个很关键的工具……是一个权力的工具,一个决定议程的工具。

(丹·奎尔)

**aggregate** ['ægrɪɡɪt] *n.* 合计,总计;集合体

**tiny** ['taɪnɪ] *a.* 很少的,微小的

The world is moved along, not only by the mighty shoves of its heroes, but also by the **aggregate** of **tiny** pushes of each honest worker.

(Helen Keller)

世界在前进,不仅仅是因为伟大人物的强力推动,也是聚合每个诚实劳动者的微小推动力的结果。

(海伦·凯勒)

**agility** [ə'dʒɪlɪtɪ] *n.* 敏捷,活泼

**inspiration** [ɪnspə'reɪʃən] *n.* 灵感

**mobile** ['məʊbaɪl] *a.* 可移动的;易变的,机动的

We must be steady enough in ourselves, to be open and to let the winds of life blow through us, to be our breath, our **inspiration**; to breathe with them, **mobile** and soft in the limberness of our bodies, in our **agility**, our ability, as it were, to dance, and yet to stand upright...

(T. Eliot)

我们自身必须保持坚定,做到坦率公开,让生命之风穿过我们的身体,成为我们的呼吸和灵感;和风一起呼吸,让我们的身体、思维和能力都变得灵活柔软,就好像是在跳舞,同时还保持着直



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(T·艾略特)

**agitation** [ædʒɪ'teɪʃən] *n.* 激动,兴奋;煽动

**consideration** [kənsɪdə'reɪʃən] *n.* 体谅;考虑

The purely **agitation** attitude is not good enough for a detailed **consideration** of a subject. (Michael Korda)

在仔细考虑问题的时候,光有纯粹的兴奋态度是不够的。

(迈克尔·柯达)

**agree** [ə'grɪ:] *vi.* 同意;承认;适合;相同;一致

Couples are wholes and not wholes, what **agrees** disagrees, the concordant is discordant. (Heraclitus)

夫妻既是一体又非一体,既一致又不一致,既有和谐又存在不和谐。

(赫拉克利特)

**agriculture** ['ægrɪkʌltʃə] *n.* 农业;农艺,农艺学

**true** [tru:] *a.* 真实的,真正的;忠实的

**True** contentment is a thing as active as **agriculture**. It is the power of getting out of any situation all that there is in it. It is arduous and it is rare. (Gilbert Chesterton)

真正的满足所起的作用如同耕作,它是一种在任何情况下挖掘出一切内涵的力量,既艰难辛劳,也难能可贵。

(吉尔伯特·切斯特顿)

**airport** ['eəpɔ:t] *n.* 飞机场

**cab** [kæb] *n.* 出租马车;出租汽车,计程车

A railroad station? That was sort of a primitive **airport**, only you didn't have to take a **cab** 20 miles out of town to reach it.

(Russell Baker)



火车站？它是某种原始的飞机场，只是你不必从镇上乘出租车走 20 英里的路到达那里而已。  
(拉塞尔·贝克)

**album** [ˈælbəm] *n.* 唱片集；集邮本；照相簿；签名纪念册

People see that I have my own voice, my own opinion, my own likes. The **album** really reflects that.  
(Deborah Cox)

人们知道我有我自己的声音、观点和喜好，我的唱片真实地反映了这些东西。  
(黛珀拉·考克斯)

**alias** [ˈeɪliəs; ˈeɪlɪəs] *n.* 别名，化名

**assume** [əˈsju:m] *vt.* 假定，设想；采取，呈现

What is known as success **assumes** nearly as many **aliases** as there are those who seek it.  
(Stephen Birmingham)

什么是成功？有多少人追求它就有多少种说法。

(斯蒂芬·伯明翰)

**alien** [ˈeɪljən] *n.* 外国人；侨民

Illegal **aliens** have always been a problem in the United States. Ask any Indian.  
(Robert Orben)

非法的外来者在美国一直都是一个问题，问问任何一个印第安人就知道了。  
(罗伯特·奥本)

**alleged** [əˈledʒd] *a.* 声称的，所谓的

**institution** [ˌɪnstɪˈtju:ʃən] *n.* 公共机构；协会；制度

**marriage** [ˈmæriɪdʒ] *n.* 结婚，婚姻，婚姻生活

Is not **marriage** an open question, when it is **alleged**, from the beginning of the world, that such as are in the **institution** wish to get out, and such as are out wish to get in?  
(Ralph Emerson)



自古以来婚姻就是个未决问题,不是吗?所谓婚姻内的人想走出来,婚姻外的人则想走进去。  
(拉尔夫·爱默生)

**alligator**      [ˈælɪɡətə] *n.* 产于美洲的鳄鱼

It embarrasses me to think of all those years I was buying silk suits and **alligator** shoes that were hurting my feet; cars that I just parked, and the dust would just build up on them.

(Washington Irving)

想起那些年我就很窘:我买丝质的套装和鳄鱼皮的挤脚的鞋子;还有那样的车子:只要一停下来,灰尘就会吸附上来。

(华盛顿·欧文)

**allocation**      [ˌæləʊˈkeɪʃən] *n.* 分配,安置

**efficient**      [ɪˈfɪʃənt] *a.* (直接)生效的,有效率的

**resource**      [rɪˈsɔ:s] *n.* 资源,财力;办法,智谋

Just in terms of **allocation** of time **resources**, religion is not very **efficient**. There's a lot more I could be doing on a Sunday morning.

(Bill Gates)

仅从时间资源的分配上来说,宗教是不怎么有效率的。在星期天的早晨我可以做更多的事情。

(比尔·盖茨)

**allude**      [əˈljʊ:d] *vi.* 暗指,影射,间接提到

**effectively**      [ɪˈfektɪvli] *ad.* 有效地;有力地

Ever so subtly, without even **alluding** to the last obstacles preserved by earlier opinions that we now push out of our path, we **effectively** replace the goal of a discrimination-free society with the quite incompatible goal of proportionate representation by race and by sex in the workplace.

(Antonin Scalia)



非常巧妙地,甚至毫无表面联系,旧观念中保留下的最后障碍被我们清除掉了。在工作场所要保持不同性别、不同人种的适当比例,这一看来与原先大相径庭的目标卓有成效地取代了建立无歧视社会的目标。  
(安东宁·斯卡丽亚)

**ally** [ə'laɪ; 'ælaɪ] *vt./vi.* (使)结盟,与……有关联  
**case** [keɪs] *n.* 事,情形;病例;案例  
**certain** ['sɜ:tən] *a.* 确定的,某一个的,无疑的

It is **certain**, in any **case**, that ignorance, **allied** with power, is the most ferocious enemy justice can have. (James Baldwin)

毫无疑问,在任何情况下,与权力联合起来的无知,总是正义的最大敌人。  
(詹姆斯·鲍德温)

**altar** ['ɔ:ltə] *n.* 祭坛,圣坛,祈祷祭拜的地方  
**purpose** ['pɜ:pəs] *n.* 目的,意图;用途  
**state** [steɪt] *n.* 国家;政府;州

The **state** is the **altar** of political freedom and, like the religious altar, it is maintained for the **purpose** of human sacrifice.

(Emma Goldman)

国家是政治自由的祭坛,像宗教的祭坛一样,是为了人类的牺牲而存在的。  
(艾玛·戈德曼)

**alter** ['ɔ:ltə] *vt.* 改变  
**dictate** [dɪk'teɪt] *n.* 指示,指令  
**inclination** [ˌɪnklɪ'neɪʃən] *n.* 倾斜,倾向  
**passion** ['pæʃən] *n.* 激情,热情

Facts are stubborn things; and whatever may be our wishes, our **inclinations**, or the **dictates** of our **passions**, they cannot **alter** the state





of facts and evidence.

(John Adams)

事实是很顽固的东西;不论我们希望什么,倾向什么,或是我们的激情想指示我们做什么,它们都无法改变事实和证据的存在。

(约翰·亚当斯)

**alternate**      [ˈɔ:lʌtɜ:nət] *vi.* 交替,轮流;改变

The pendulum of the mind **alternates** between sense and nonsense, not between right and wrong.

(Carl Jung)

头脑的钟摆不是在错与对之间,而是在理性与非理性之间来回摆动。

(卡尔·荣格)

**alternative**      [ɔ:l'ʌtɜ:nətɪv] *n.* 二中择一,可供选择的办法

**certification**      [sɜ:tɪfɪ'keɪʃən] *n.* 证明,证书

You are educated. Your **certification** is in your degree. You may think of it as the ticket to the good life. Let me ask you to think of an **alternative**. Think of it as your ticket to change the world.

(Tom Brokaw)

你受过教育,你的证明在你的学历上。你可以把你的学历看作是通向美好生活的一张门票。我来让你换种想法吧,把它看成是改变世界的门票。

(汤姆·布罗考)

**amateur**      [ˈæmətə(:); ˈæmətjʊə] *n.* 业余爱好者,业余艺术家

**recreation**      [rekri'eɪʃ(ə)n] *n.* 消遣,娱乐

Photography to the **amateur** is **recreation**, to the professional it is work, and hard work too, no matter how pleasurable it may be.

(Edward Weston)

摄影对业余爱好者来说是消遣,对专业人员来说是工作,而且是艰苦的工作,不管它是多么地令人愉快。

(爱德华·韦斯顿)