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Instead, the song is being ‘centered’ or pulled closer to a specific interpretive matrix and subjected to translation (Hanks 1989: 103–4).

According to Anthony Giddens (2006: 163–7, 534) the agencies of socialization push the individuation process towards self-awareness.

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Example for a quotation:

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Daston, Lorraine 1991. ‘Marvelous facts and miraculous evidence in early modern Europe’, *Critical Inquiry* 18(1), pp. 93–124

Hänksä-Ahy, Maximilian T., and Roxanna Shapour 2013. ‘Who’s reporting the protests?’ *Journalism Studies* 14(1), pp. 29–45 (DOI 10.1080/1461670X.2012.657908)

Honigmann, David 1989. ‘Wars and rumours of wars’, review of *The View from the Ground* by Martha Gellhorn, *Listener*, 26 October 1989, p. 31

Solayman, Hanan 2010. ‘Cyber hajj season begins in second life’, *EMAJ Magazine*, 14 November 2010, <<http://emajmagazine.com/2010/11/14/cyber-hajj-season-begins-in-second-life>>

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Bianchi, Robert 2004. *Guests of God: Pilgrimage and Politics in the Islamic World* (Oxford University Press)

Brohm, John Frank 1957. *Burmese Religion and the Burmese Buddhist Revival*, PhD dissertation, Cornell University

Hakamies, Pekka, and Anneli Honko (eds) 2013. *Theoretical Milestones: Selected Writings of Lauri Honko*, FF Communications, 304 (Helsinki, Academia Scientiarum Fennica)

Holbek, Bengt 1998. *Interpretation of Fairy Tales: Danish Folklore in a European Perspective*, 2nd edn, FF Communications, 239 (Helsinki, Academia Scientiarum Fennica)

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Dottrina [pseudonym] 2012. Comment, 8 November 2012, <<http://www.kath.net/detail.php?id=36181>> (accessed 23 November 2012)

Three Things About Islam [title of a video] 2011. <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=O_8RoxqpeGc> (accessed 1.12.2011)

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