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不敢说全部读完读懂了（尤其是涉及到知识论、自然哲学的部分，个人知识的边界在那里，不是能通过短期阅读就能跨越的），至少从头到尾翻了一遍。。收获非常大。这本绝对是（近代早期／近代）科学史研究的必读书。目前这个领域里很多讨论的重点问题和知识脉络都有涉及。。感觉近几年西方的明清科学、医学史的研究似乎都是这些议题的延伸。。完了，这不是没有本土意识了吗？

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Pamela H. Smith, "Laboratories", pp.290-305.

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