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## Wisdom Literature Review: **Philosophy – Wisdom in the Renaissance and Enlightenment Periods**

This reference list is part of a larger literature review of texts and publications relevant to wisdom research. The following list is not exhaustive, but contains some references on wisdom in the Renaissance and Enlightenment periods.

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