
Retraction notice: The role of innovation capability and strategic orientation to achieve competitive advantage: the mediating effect of strategic renewal in SMEs

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