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1. Study on the UN Protocol against Human Being Trafficking from the Human Rights Perspective, Social Sciences Academic Press (China), 2011.
2. On Dissymmetry of States' Substantial and Procedural Obligations under International Covenant on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights, Peking University Press, 2<sup>nd</sup> edition, 2019.
3. The UN Core Human Rights Treaties and the Treaty Bodies, Hunan University Press, 2016.