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Some relevant publications

- "Genderizing Human Rights: from Equality to Women's Law" in *European Union – China Dialogue on Human Rights – with special reference to Women* Rovaniemi, Finland: University of Lapland, 2000.
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