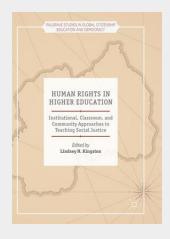
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Institutional, Classroom, and Community Approaches to Teaching Social Justice

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