## **Supporting Information**

## Hierarchical Ultrathin $Mo(S_xSe_{1-x})_2$ Nanosheets with Tunable Ferromagnetism and Efficient Hydrogen Evolution Reaction Activity: Towards Defect Sites Effect

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(ZFC) and field cooling (FC) curves for sample  $Mo(S_{0.49}Se_{0.51})_2$ [S3].

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MoS<sub>2</sub> PDF#37-1492

$2^{ heta}$	Intensity(a.u.)	h	k	l	
14.378	100	0	0	2	
29.026	2	0	0	4	
32.676	22	1	0	0	
33.508	12	1	0	1	
35.87	10	1	0	2	
39.538	58	1	0	3	
44.151	11	0	0	6	
49.787	29	1	0	5	
55.977	4	1	0	6	
58.334	14	1	1	0	
60.144	12	0	0	8	
62.813	2	1	0	7	

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$2^{ heta}$	Intensity(a.u.)	h	k	l	
13.696	75	0	0	2	
27.593	15	0	0	4	
31.418	55	1	0	0	
34.398	14	1	0	2	
37.883	100	1	0	3	
41.927	25	0	0	6	
47.489	55	1	0	5	
53.31	7	1	0	6	
55.916	40	1	1	0	
56.973	40	0	0	8	
57.913	9	1	1	2	
63.443	3	1	1	4	

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Figure S2: The TEM and HRTEM results for the sample S1-S5.

The TEM and HRTEM results for the sample S1-S5 are shown in **figure S2**. As can be seen that all the samples show the 3D hierarchical structure, where these hierarchical structure are composed of ultrathin nanosheets. Generally, HRTEM investigation in the edge areas was a common and direct method to determine the layer numbers microscopically. In our case, three to five dark and bright patterns can be readily identified, indicating that the sample is stacked with three to five single layers.



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