

Supporting Information for

**Structural and luminescent modulation in 8-hydroxyquinolate-based coordination polymers by varying dicarboxylic acids**

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1.1. Table S1 Selected Bond lengths [Å] and angles [°] for **1**.

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|                     |            |
|---------------------|------------|
| Zn(1)-O(1)#1        | 1.993(2)   |
| Zn(1)-O(1)          | 1.993(2)   |
| Zn(1)-N(1)#1        | 2.260(2)   |
| Zn(1)-N(1)          | 2.260(2)   |
| Zn(1)-N(2)#2        | 2.279(3)   |
| Zn(1)-N(2)#3        | 2.279(3)   |
| N(2)-Zn(1)#4        | 2.279(3)   |
|                     |            |
| O(1)#1-Zn(1)-O(1)   | 180.0      |
| O(1)#1-Zn(1)-N(1)#1 | 79.98(9)   |
| O(1)-Zn(1)-N(1)#1   | 100.02(9)  |
| O(1)#1-Zn(1)-N(1)   | 100.02(9)  |
| O(1)-Zn(1)-N(1)     | 79.98(9)   |
| N(1)#1-Zn(1)-N(1)   | 180.0      |
| O(1)#1-Zn(1)-N(2)#2 | 88.75(11)  |
| O(1)-Zn(1)-N(2)#2   | 91.25(11)  |
| N(1)#1-Zn(1)-N(2)#2 | 89.34(10)  |
| N(1)-Zn(1)-N(2)#2   | 90.66(10)  |
| O(1)#1-Zn(1)-N(2)#3 | 91.25(11)  |
| O(1)-Zn(1)-N(2)#3   | 88.75(11)  |
| N(1)#1-Zn(1)-N(2)#3 | 90.66(10)  |
| N(1)-Zn(1)-N(2)#3   | 89.34(10)  |
| N(2)#2-Zn(1)-N(2)#3 | 180.00(11) |

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Symmetry transformations used to generate equivalent atoms:

#1 -x+1,-y+1,-z      #2 x,-y+3/2,z-1/2      #3 -x+1,y-1/2,-z+1/2  
#4 -x+1,y+1/2,-z+1/2

1.2. Table S2 Selected Bond lengths [Å] and angles [°] for **2**.

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|              |            |
|--------------|------------|
| Cd(1)-O(1)   | 2.2403(18) |
| Cd(1)-O(1)#1 | 2.2871(18) |
| Cd(1)-N(2)#2 | 2.341(2)   |
| Cd(1)-O(2)   | 2.347(2)   |
| Cd(1)-O(3)   | 2.375(2)   |
| Cd(1)-N(1)   | 2.385(2)   |
| Cd(1)-C(17)  | 2.697(3)   |

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|---------------------|------------|
| O(1)-Cd(1)-O(1)#1   | 72.60(8)   |
| O(1)-Cd(1)-N(2)#2   | 107.33(9)  |
| O(1)#1-Cd(1)-N(2)#2 | 92.25(8)   |
| O(1)-Cd(1)-O(2)     | 110.19(8)  |
| O(1)#1-Cd(1)-O(2)   | 98.38(8)   |
| N(2)#2-Cd(1)-O(2)   | 142.47(9)  |
| O(1)-Cd(1)-O(3)     | 164.51(8)  |
| O(1)#1-Cd(1)-O(3)   | 104.00(7)  |
| N(2)#2-Cd(1)-O(3)   | 87.74(8)   |
| O(2)-Cd(1)-O(3)     | 54.79(8)   |
| O(1)-Cd(1)-N(1)     | 72.47(7)   |
| O(1)#1-Cd(1)-N(1)   | 144.90(7)  |
| N(2)#2-Cd(1)-N(1)   | 94.84(7)   |
| O(2)-Cd(1)-N(1)     | 96.65(8)   |
| O(3)-Cd(1)-N(1)     | 110.58(8)  |
| O(1)-Cd(1)-C(17)    | 137.18(10) |
| O(1)#1-Cd(1)-C(17)  | 99.95(8)   |
| N(2)#2-Cd(1)-C(17)  | 115.16(10) |
| O(2)-Cd(1)-C(17)    | 27.56(9)   |
| O(3)-Cd(1)-C(17)    | 27.47(9)   |
| N(1)-Cd(1)-C(17)    | 107.84(8)  |
| C(1)-O(1)-Cd(1)     | 117.74(16) |
| C(1)-O(1)-Cd(1)#1   | 134.37(16) |
| Cd(1)-O(1)-Cd(1)#1  | 107.40(8)  |
| C(9)-N(1)-Cd(1)     | 128.89(17) |

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Symmetry transformations used to generate equivalent atoms:

#1 -x, -y+1, -z      #2 -x+1/2, y-1/2, -z+1/2  
#3 -x+1/2, y+1/2, -z+1/2

1.3. Table S3 Selected Bond lengths [Å] and angles [°] for **3**.

|                   |            |
|-------------------|------------|
| Zn(1)-O(1)        | 2.0208(15) |
| Zn(1)-O(2)        | 2.039(2)   |
| Zn(1)-N(2)#1      | 2.1191(19) |
| Zn(1)-O(1)#2      | 2.1321(16) |
| Zn(1)-N(1)        | 2.1888(19) |
| Zn(1)-C(20)       | 2.546(3)   |
|                   |            |
| O(1)-Zn(1)-O(2)   | 149.55(10) |
| O(1)-Zn(1)-N(2)#1 | 103.49(7)  |
| O(2)-Zn(1)-N(2)#1 | 106.03(11) |
| O(1)-Zn(1)-O(1)#2 | 76.56(7)   |
| O(2)-Zn(1)-O(1)#2 | 94.12(7)   |

|                     |            |
|---------------------|------------|
| N(2)#1-Zn(1)-O(1)#2 | 93.77(7)   |
| O(1)-Zn(1)-N(1)     | 78.41(7)   |
| O(2)-Zn(1)-N(1)     | 106.71(8)  |
| N(2)#1-Zn(1)-N(1)   | 93.74(7)   |
| O(1)#2-Zn(1)-N(1)   | 154.90(7)  |
| O(1)-Zn(1)-C(20)    | 121.67(11) |
| O(2)-Zn(1)-C(20)    | 27.97(12)  |
| N(2)#1-Zn(1)-C(20)  | 133.61(12) |
| O(1)#2-Zn(1)-C(20)  | 87.33(8)   |
| N(1)-Zn(1)-C(20)    | 104.45(9)  |
| C(1)-O(1)-Zn(1)     | 116.61(14) |
| C(1)-O(1)-Zn(1)#2   | 139.65(14) |
| Zn(1)-O(1)-Zn(1)#2  | 103.45(7)  |

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Symmetry transformations used to generate equivalent atoms:

|                          |                 |
|--------------------------|-----------------|
| #1 -x+1/2, y+1/2, -z+1/2 | #2 -x, -y+2, -z |
| #3 -x+1/2, y-1/2, -z+1/2 | #4 -x, -y+1, -z |

1.4. Table S4 Selected Bond lengths [Å] and angles [°] for **4**.

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|                     |            |
|---------------------|------------|
| I(1)-Zn(2)          | 2.5391(6)  |
| Zn(1)-O(2)          | 1.991(2)   |
| Zn(1)-O(1)          | 1.999(3)   |
| Zn(1)-O(4)          | 2.069(4)   |
| Zn(1)-O(1)#1        | 2.071(3)   |
| Zn(1)-N(1)          | 2.181(3)   |
| O(1)-Zn(1)#1        | 2.071(3)   |
| Zn(2)-N(2)          | 2.068(3)   |
| Zn(2)-N(2)#2        | 2.068(3)   |
| Zn(2)-I(1)#2        | 2.5391(6)  |
|                     |            |
| O(2)-Zn(1)-O(1)     | 149.03(15) |
| O(2)-Zn(1)-O(4)     | 99.17(16)  |
| O(1)-Zn(1)-O(4)     | 111.42(15) |
| O(2)-Zn(1)-O(1)#1   | 97.34(10)  |
| O(1)-Zn(1)-O(1)#1   | 75.61(11)  |
| O(4)-Zn(1)-O(1)#1   | 95.48(15)  |
| O(2)-Zn(1)-N(1)     | 104.81(10) |
| O(1)-Zn(1)-N(1)     | 78.86(10)  |
| O(4)-Zn(1)-N(1)     | 93.38(14)  |
| O(1)#1-Zn(1)-N(1)   | 154.47(11) |
| N(2)-Zn(2)-N(2)#2   | 95.90(18)  |
| N(2)-Zn(2)-I(1)#2   | 107.69(9)  |
| N(2)#2-Zn(2)-I(1)#2 | 108.35(8)  |

|                   |           |
|-------------------|-----------|
| N(2)-Zn(2)-I(1)   | 108.35(8) |
| N(2)#2-Zn(2)-I(1) | 107.69(9) |
| I(1)#2-Zn(2)-I(1) | 124.99(4) |

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Symmetry transformations used to generate equivalent atoms:

#1 -x+3/2,-y+3/2,-z      #2 -x+2,y,-z+1/2      #3 -x+3/2,-y+5/2,-z

1.5. Table S5 Selected Bond lengths [Å] and angles [°] for **5**.

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|                     |            |
|---------------------|------------|
| Cd(1)-O(1)#1        | 2.247(2)   |
| Cd(1)-O(1)          | 2.281(2)   |
| Cd(1)-O(3)          | 2.329(3)   |
| Cd(1)-N(2)#2        | 2.332(3)   |
| Cd(1)-N(1)#1        | 2.340(3)   |
| Cd(1)-O(2)          | 2.389(3)   |
| Cd(1)-C(20)         | 2.705(3)   |
| <br>                |            |
| O(1)#1-Cd(1)-O(1)   | 76.37(10)  |
| O(1)#1-Cd(1)-O(3)   | 155.90(11) |
| O(1)-Cd(1)-O(3)     | 97.74(9)   |
| O(1)#1-Cd(1)-N(2)#2 | 98.65(11)  |
| O(1)-Cd(1)-N(2)#2   | 90.02(10)  |
| O(3)-Cd(1)-N(2)#2   | 104.76(12) |
| O(1)#1-Cd(1)-N(1)#1 | 72.32(10)  |
| O(1)-Cd(1)-N(1)#1   | 148.25(10) |
| O(3)-Cd(1)-N(1)#1   | 113.02(10) |
| N(2)#2-Cd(1)-N(1)#1 | 89.56(10)  |
| O(1)#1-Cd(1)-O(2)   | 101.80(12) |
| O(1)-Cd(1)-O(2)     | 91.46(10)  |
| O(3)-Cd(1)-O(2)     | 54.55(12)  |
| N(2)#2-Cd(1)-O(2)   | 159.26(13) |
| N(1)#1-Cd(1)-O(2)   | 99.84(11)  |
| O(1)#1-Cd(1)-C(20)  | 129.10(11) |
| O(1)-Cd(1)-C(20)    | 92.66(10)  |
| O(3)-Cd(1)-C(20)    | 26.89(11)  |
| N(2)#2-Cd(1)-C(20)  | 131.37(12) |
| N(1)#1-Cd(1)-C(20)  | 111.06(10) |
| O(2)-Cd(1)-C(20)    | 27.89(11)  |
| C(1)-O(1)-Cd(1)#1   | 117.0(2)   |
| C(1)-O(1)-Cd(1)     | 137.5(2)   |
| Cd(1)#1-O(1)-Cd(1)  | 103.63(10) |

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Symmetry transformations used to generate equivalent atoms:

#1 -x, -y, -z      #2 x+1/2, -y-1/2, z+1/2

#3 x-1/2, -y-1/2, z-1/2      #4 -x, -y+1, -z

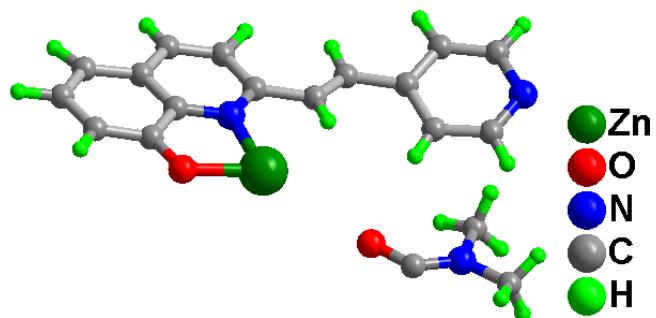
1.6. Table S6 Selected Bond lengths [ $\text{\AA}$ ] and angles [ $^\circ$ ] for **6**.

|                     |            |
|---------------------|------------|
| Cd(1)-O(1)          | 2.259(4)   |
| Cd(1)-O(1)#1        | 2.260(4)   |
| Cd(1)-O(3)          | 2.325(5)   |
| Cd(1)-N(2)#2        | 2.332(5)   |
| Cd(1)-N(1)          | 2.353(4)   |
| Cd(1)-O(2)          | 2.414(4)   |
| O(1)-Cd(1)#1        | 2.260(4)   |
| N(2)-Cd(1)#4        | 2.332(5)   |
| <br>                |            |
| O(1)-Cd(1)-O(1)#1   | 76.52(17)  |
| O(1)-Cd(1)-O(3)     | 97.27(17)  |
| O(1)#1-Cd(1)-O(3)   | 105.24(18) |
| O(1)-Cd(1)-N(2)#2   | 103.73(17) |
| O(1)#1-Cd(1)-N(2)#2 | 89.80(17)  |
| O(3)-Cd(1)-N(2)#2   | 156.59(19) |
| O(1)-Cd(1)-N(1)     | 71.78(15)  |
| O(1)#1-Cd(1)-N(1)   | 147.19(15) |
| O(3)-Cd(1)-N(1)     | 87.19(17)  |
| N(2)#2-Cd(1)-N(1)   | 89.61(17)  |
| O(1)-Cd(1)-O(2)     | 150.96(16) |
| O(1)#1-Cd(1)-O(2)   | 99.84(16)  |
| O(3)-Cd(1)-O(2)     | 55.34(17)  |
| N(2)#2-Cd(1)-O(2)   | 105.07(17) |
| N(1)-Cd(1)-O(2)     | 111.96(16) |

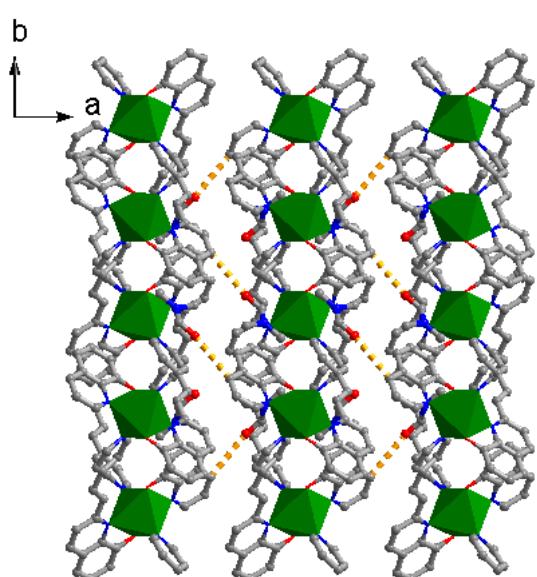
Symmetry transformations used to generate equivalent atoms:

#1 x,-y+3/2,-z+9/4      #2 y-1,-x+1,-z+2      #3 -x+1,-y+2,z  
#4 -y+1,x+1,-z+2

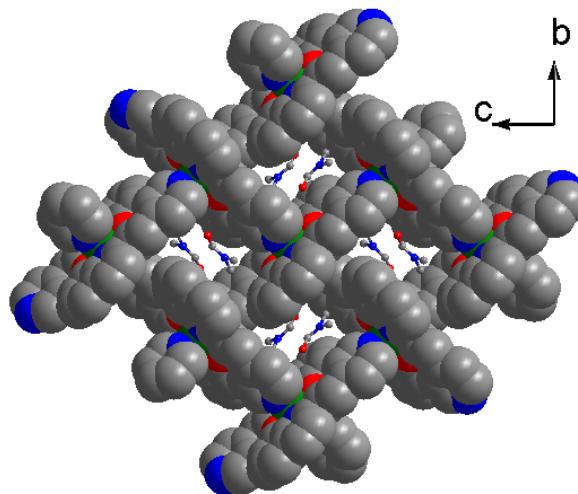
2.1 Fig. S1. View of the asymmetric unit in **1**.



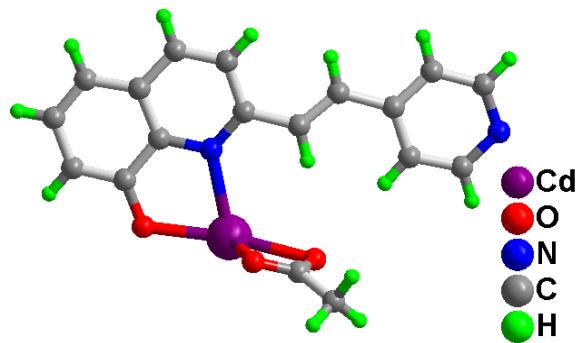
2.2 Fig. S2. Perspective view of C–H···O intermolecular interactions in **1**.



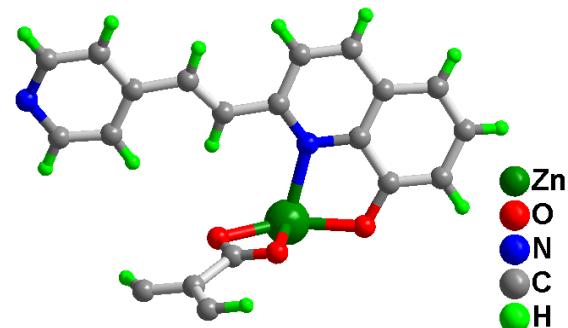
2.3 Fig. S3. View of 3D supramolecular structure in **1**.



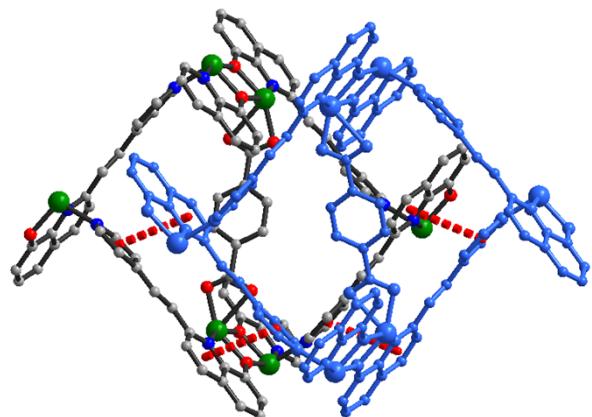
2.4 Fig. S4. View of the asymmetric unit in **2**.



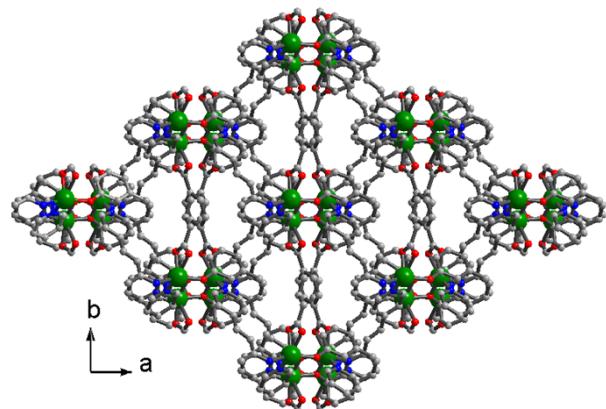
2.5 Fig. S5. View of the asymmetric unit in **3**.



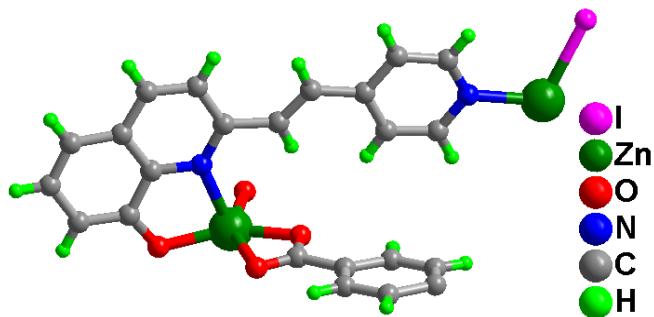
2.6 Fig. S6. The  $\pi\cdots\pi$  stacking between quinoline and pyridine rings of adjacent 2D layer networks in **3**.



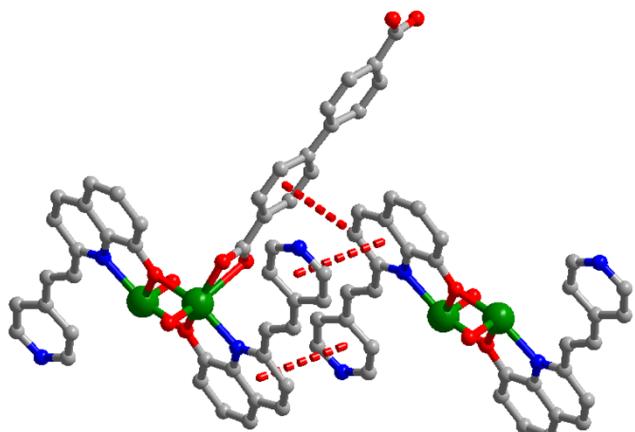
2.7 Fig. S7. View of the 3D structure in **3**.



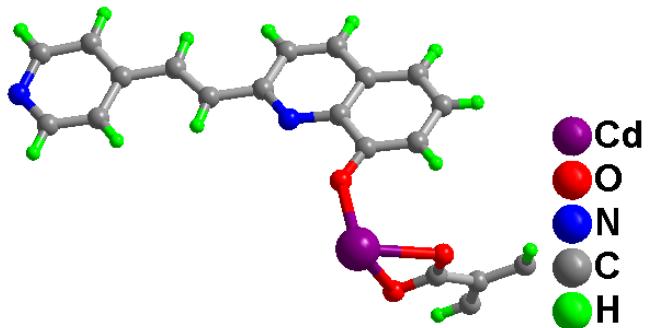
2.8 Fig. S8. View of the asymmetric unit in **4**.



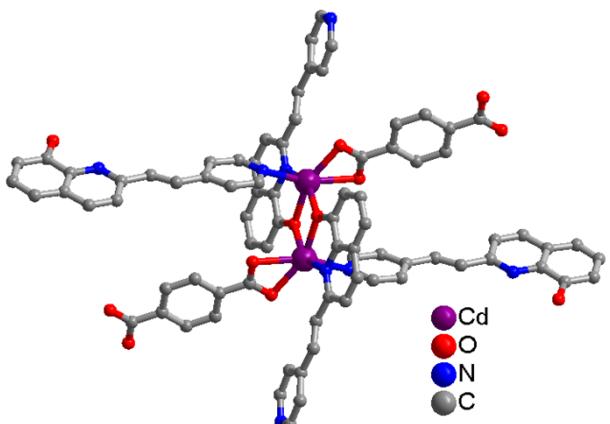
2.9 Fig. S9. Perspective view of  $\pi\cdots\pi$  stacking and C-H $\cdots\pi$  intermolecular interactions in **4**.



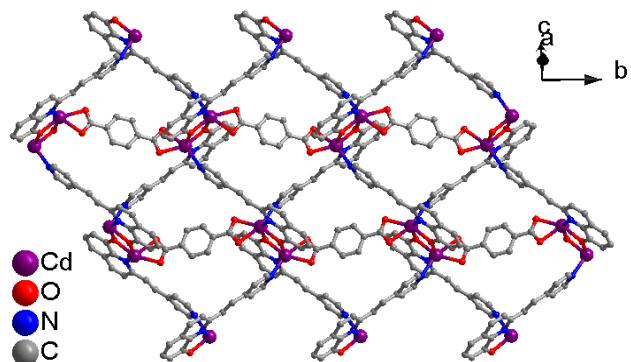
2.10 Fig. S10. View of the asymmetric unit in **5**.



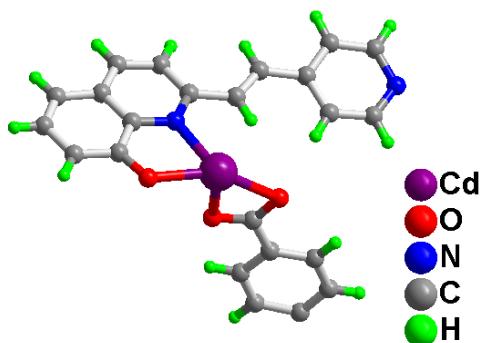
2.11 Fig. S11. View of the coordination geometries of Cd(II) atoms in **5**.



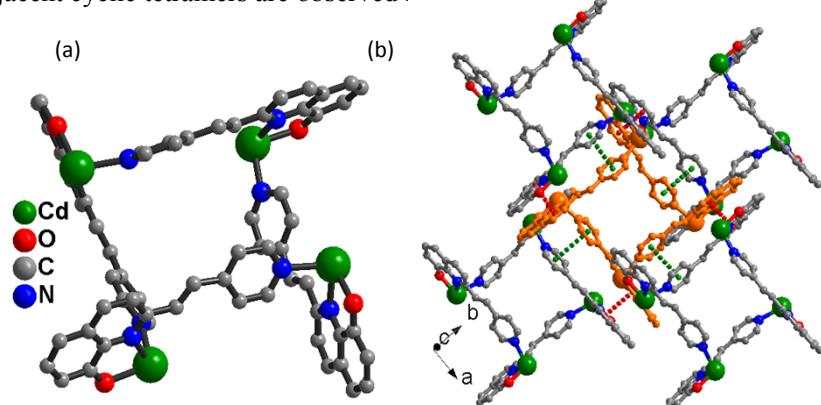
2.12 Fig. S12. The 2D network structure of **5**.



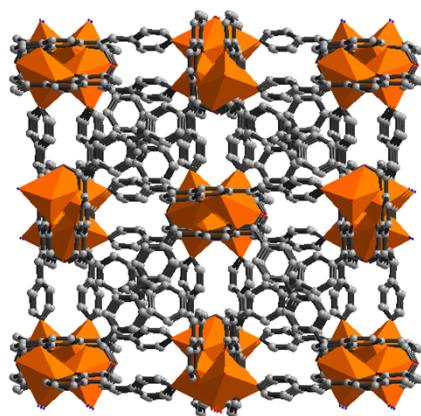
2.13 Fig. S13. View of the asymmetric unit in **6**.



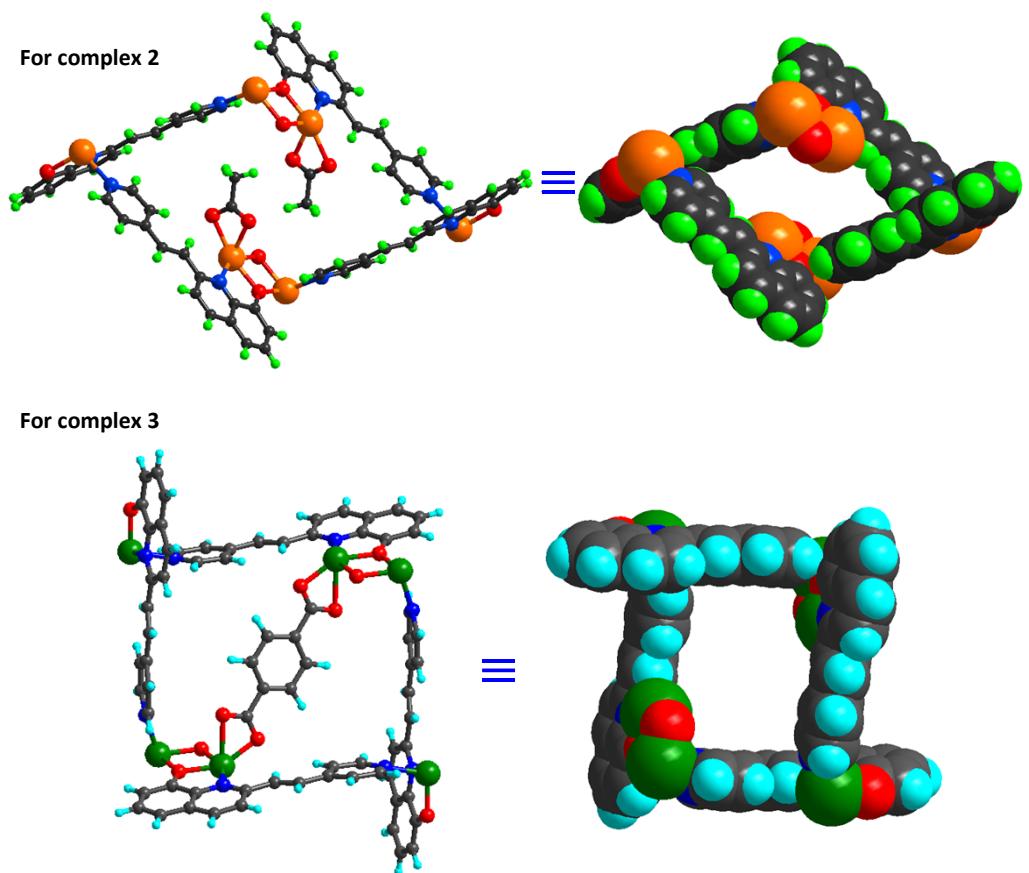
2.14 Fig. S14. (a) View of a cyclic tetramer  $Zn_6L_4$  in **6**; (b) Two types of  $\pi \cdots \pi$  interactions  
Between the adjacent cyclic tetramers are observed in **6**.



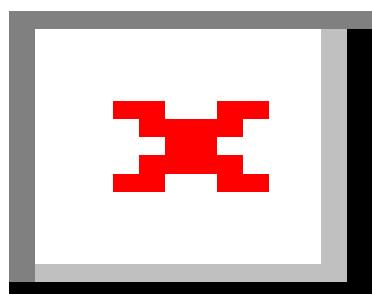
2.15 Fig. S15. View of 3D supramolecular structure in **6**.



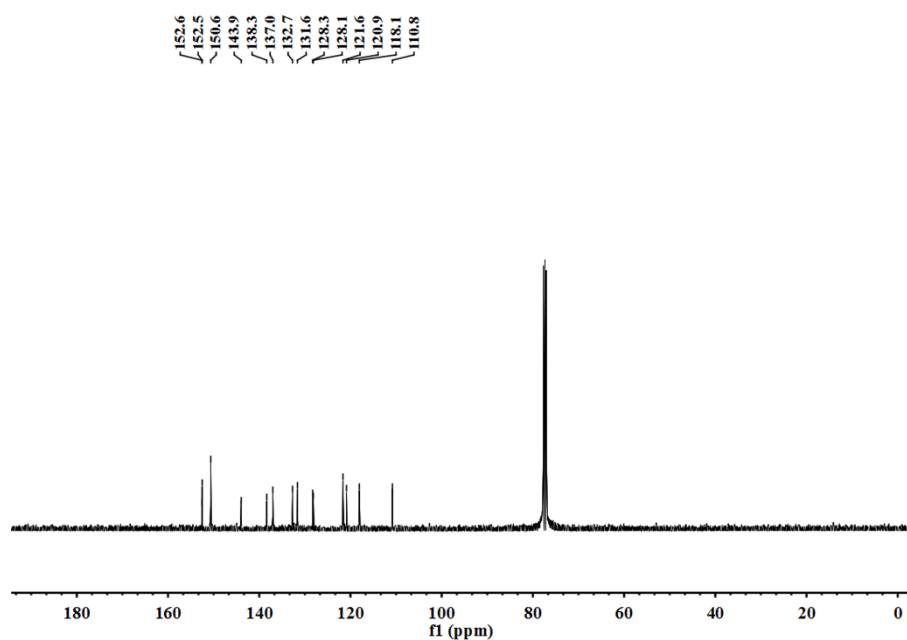
2.16 Fig. S16. Two cyclic hexamer  $M_6L_4$  for complexes **2** and **3**.



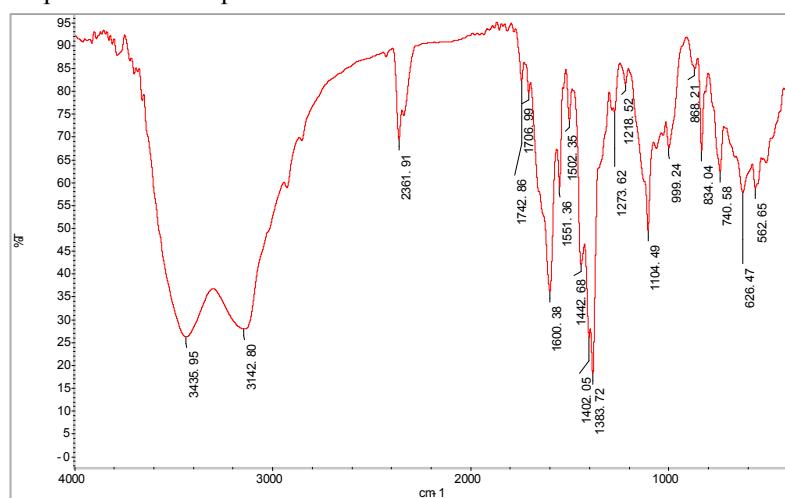
3.1 Fig. S17.  $^1H$  NMR spectrum of HL ( $d_6$ -DMSO).



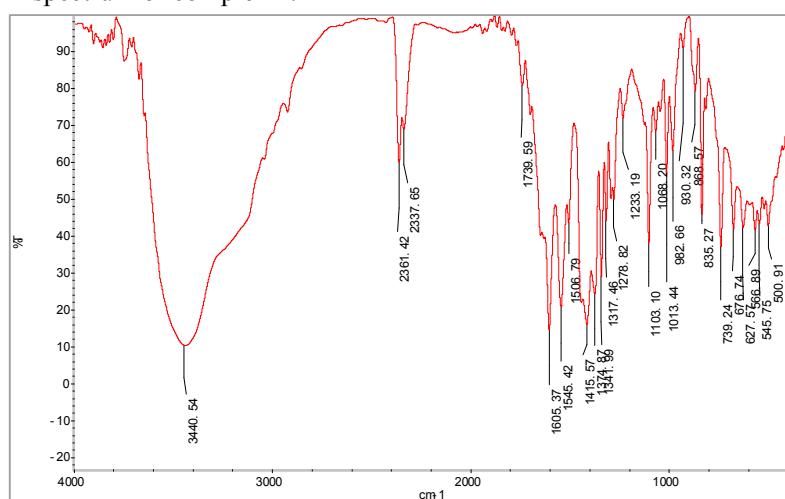
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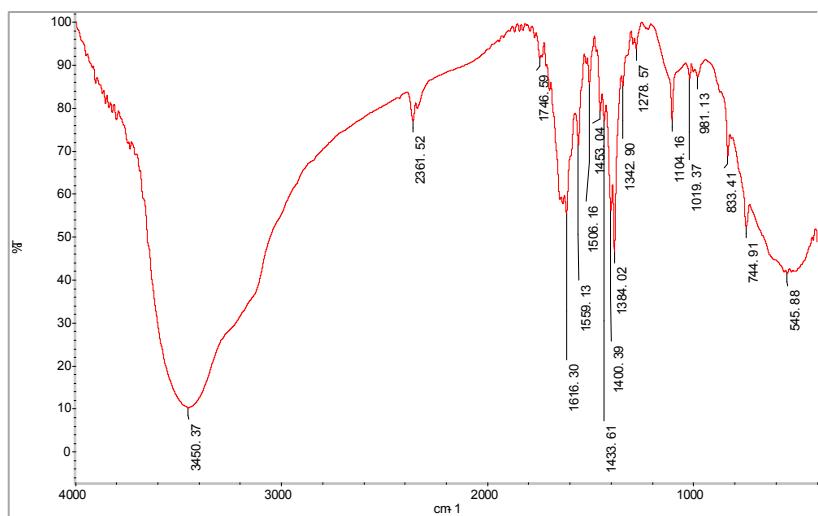
4.1 Fig. S19. IR spectrum of complex 1.



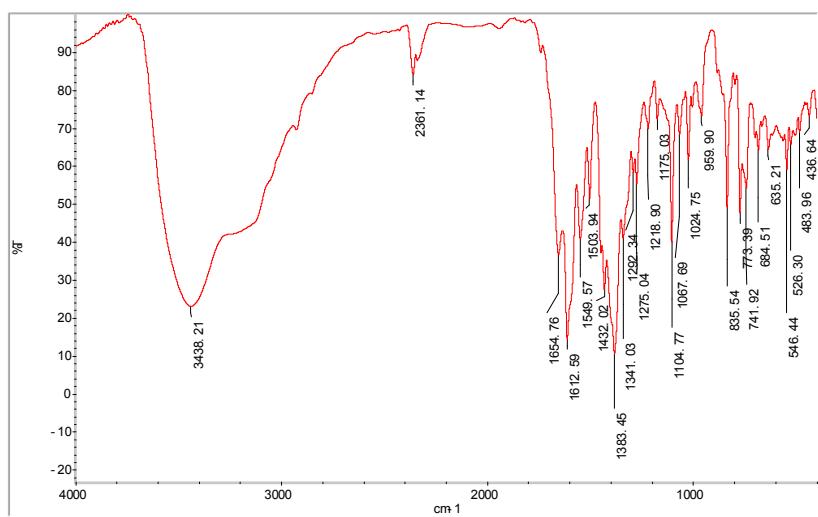
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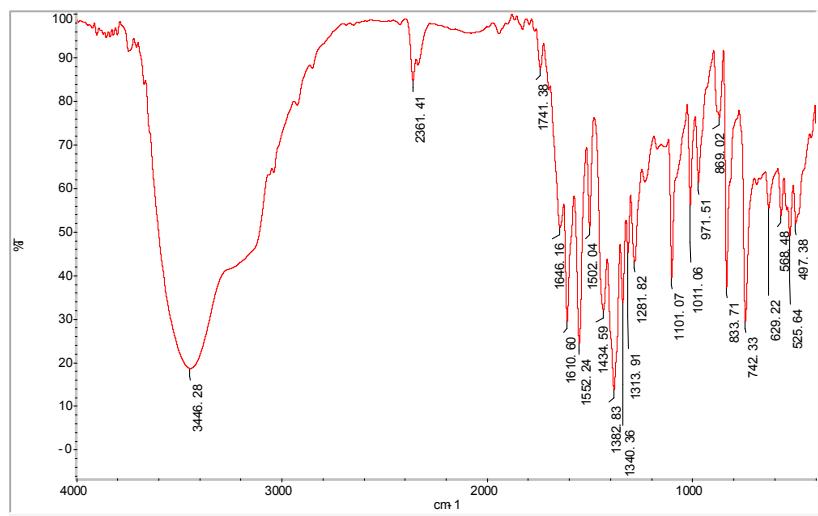
4.3 Fig. S21. IR spectrum of complex 3.



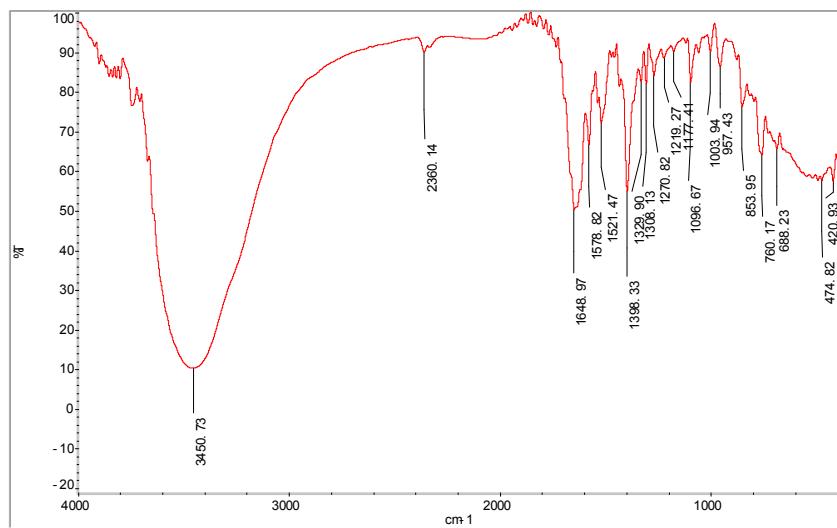
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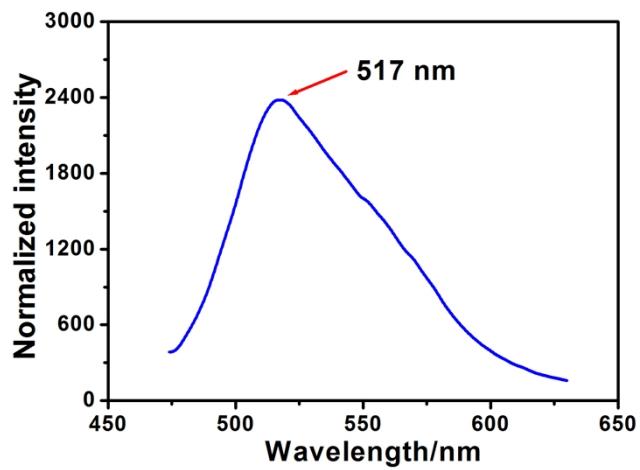
4.5 Fig. S23. IR spectrum of complex 5.



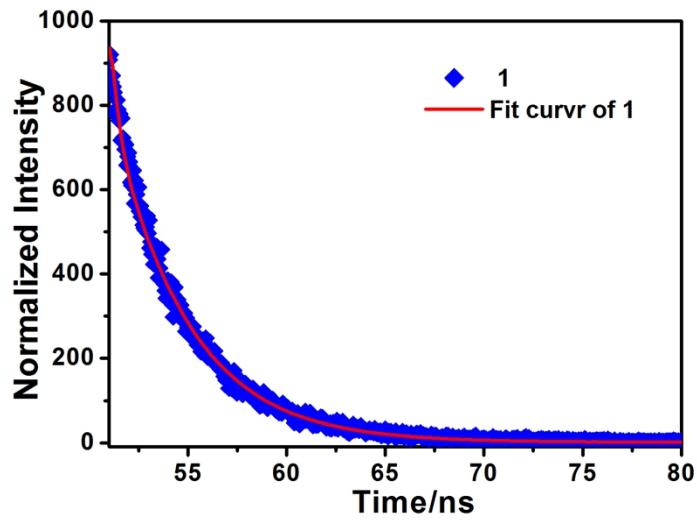
4.6 Fig. S24. IR spectrum of complex **6**.



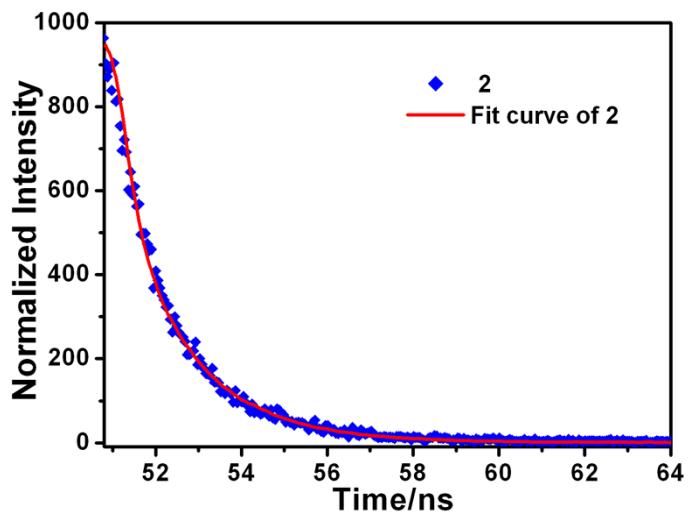
5 Fig. S25. Emission spectra of HL ligand in the solid state.



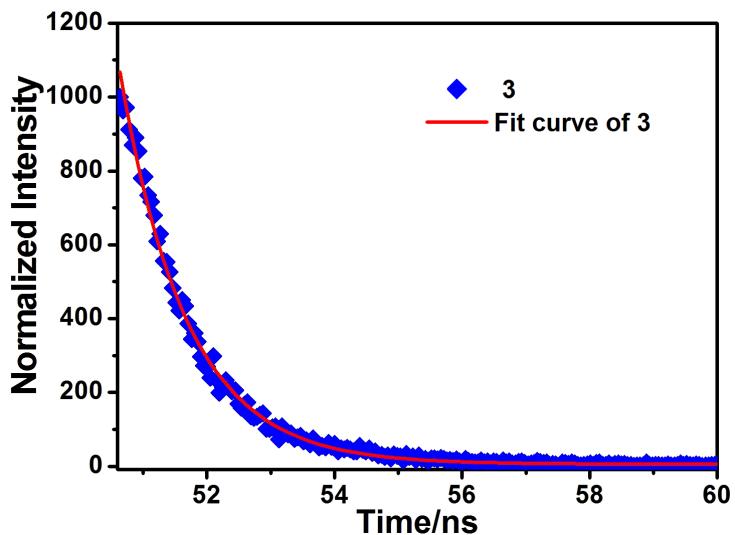
6.1 Fig. S26. Fluorescence decay and fit curves of complex **1**.



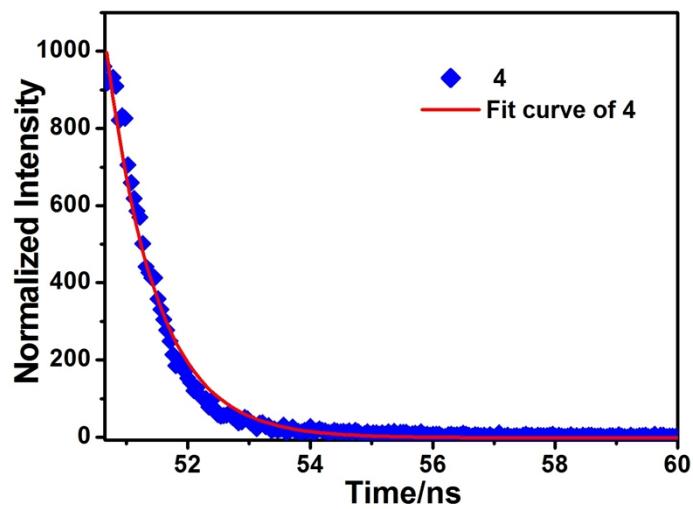
6.2 Fig. S27. Fluorescence decay and fit curves of compound 2.



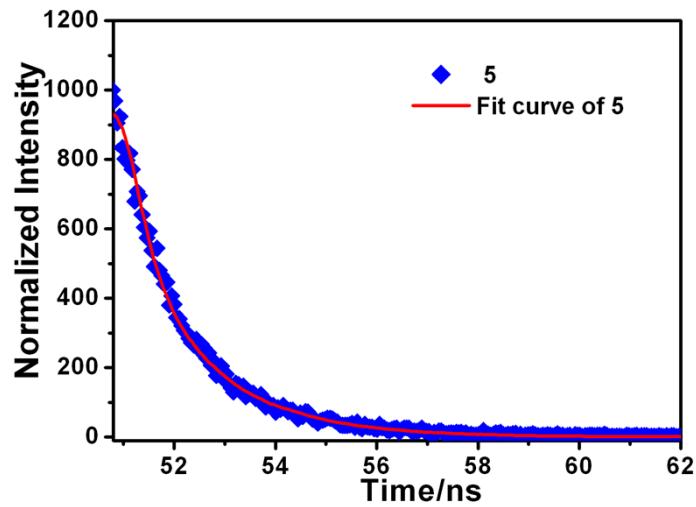
6.3 Fig. S28. Fluorescence decay and fit curves of compound 3.



6.4 Fig. S29. Fluorescence decay and fit curves of compound 4.



6.5 Fig. S30. Fluorescence decay and fit curves of compound **5**.



6.6 Fig. S31. Fluorescence decay and fit curves of compound **6**.

