## **Electronic Supplementary information**

## Synthesis and characterization of UV upconversion material Y<sub>2</sub>SiO<sub>5</sub>: Pr<sup>3+</sup>, Li<sup>+</sup> /TiO<sub>2</sub> with enhanced the photocatalytic

## properties under a xenon lamp

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Figure S1. XRD patterns of  $Y_2SiO_5$ :  $Pr^{3+}$  upconversion materials (the  $Pr^{3+}$  concentration was 1.2%) calcined by different temperature (a) Un-doped with Li<sup>+</sup>; (b) Co-doped with 9% Li<sup>+</sup>. Figure S2. XRD patterns of  $Y_2SiO_5$ :  $Pr^{3+}$  microcrystals doped with different Li<sup>+</sup> concentration ( $Y_2SiO_5$ :  $Pr^{3+}$  was calcined by 1100°C for 4h,  $Pr^{3+}$  concentration was 1.2%).





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