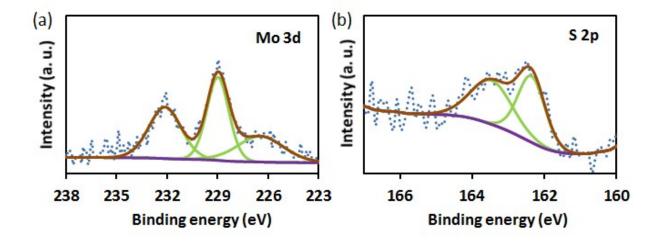
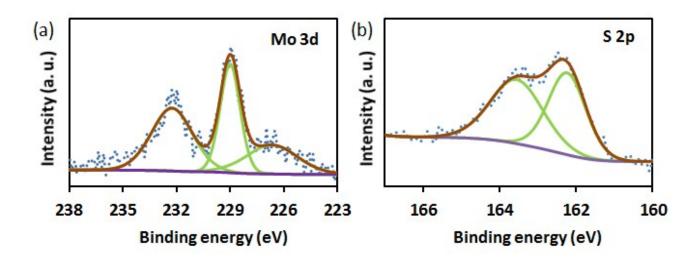
## Enhanced quantum efficiency from a mosaic of two dimensional MoS<sub>2</sub> formed onto aminosilane functionalised substrates

Yichao Wang,<sup>a</sup> Enrico Della Gaspera,<sup>b,c</sup> Benjamin J. Carey,<sup>a</sup> Paul Atkin,<sup>a,c</sup> Kyle J. Berean,<sup>a</sup> Rhiannon M. Clark,<sup>a,c</sup> Ivan S. Cole,<sup>c</sup> Zai-Quan Xu,<sup>d</sup> Yupeng Zhang,<sup>d</sup> Qiaoliang Bao,<sup>d</sup> Jian Zhen Ou,<sup>a</sup> Torben Daeneke,<sup>a</sup> and Kourosh Kalantar-zadeh<sup>a</sup>

- a. School of Electrical and Computer Engineering, RMIT University, Melbourne, Victoria, Australia.
- b. School of Science, RMIT University, Melbourne, Victoria, Australia
- c. CSIRO Manufacturing Flagship, Clayton, Victoria, Australia
- d. Department of Materials Science and Engineering, Faculty of Engineering, Monash University, Clayton 3800, Victoria, Australia



**Figure S1**. XPS spectra of (a) Mo 3d and (b) S 2p binding energies from MoS<sub>2</sub> grown on (3-Aminopropyl)triethoxysilane (APTES) silanised substrate.



**Figure S2**. XPS spectra of (a) Mo 3d and (b) S 2p binding energies from  $MoS_2$  grown on N-[3-(TrimethoxysilyI)propyI]ethylenediamine (AEAPTMS) silanised substrate.

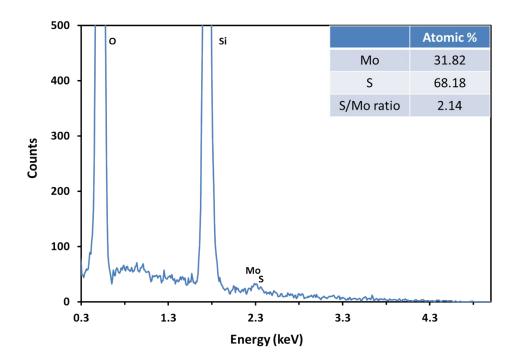


Figure S3. EDS spectrum of the  $MoS_2$  flake. Inset shows the stoichiometry of the  $MoS_2$  flake.

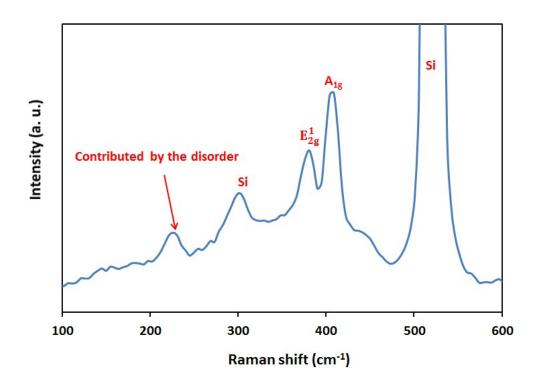


Figure S4. Raman spectrum of DETA silanised MoS<sub>2</sub> on Si/SiO<sub>2</sub> substrate.

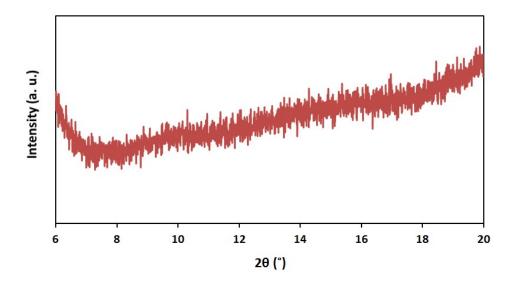


Figure S5. XRD pattern of quasi 2D  $MoS_2$  sheets.