## **Electronic Supplementary Information (ESI):**

# Tough and Degradable Photopolymers Derived from Alkyne Monomers for 3D Printing of Biomedical Materials

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#### **Real-time FT-IR spectroscopy**

Figure S1 shows the triple bond conversion of alkyne carbonate/TMPMP formulations (C-H stretch observed at 3288 cm<sup>-1</sup>) and the double bond conversion of 4MAC and 4AC (C=C stretch at 1640 cm<sup>-1</sup>) during UV illumination. The monomer conversions (MC) as depicted in Table 1 were determined after 2 min of illumination.



Figure S1: Triple (alkyne carbonates) and double bond ((meth)acrylates) conversion versus illumination time.

#### Cytotoxicity (ISO 10993-5:2009)

Detailed results [Cell protein content versus monomer concentration, including negative (medium) and positive control (Triton 1%)] obtained by cytotoxicity tests are listed in Figure. S2.



Figure S2: Results obtained from cytotoxicity tests showing the cell protein content versus the monomer concentration of investigated alkyne carbonates and reference substances 4AC and 4MAC.

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Triton 1% Medium

10 mM

2.5 mM 0.63 mM 0.16 mM

### DMA

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Figure S3 shows the DMA plot of 4MAC.



Figure S3: DMA plot of 4MAC showing E' (solid) and tan delta (dashed).