Supplementary Information for

## Photoinduced Structural Distortions and Singlet-Triplet Intersystem Crossing in Cu(I) MLCT Excited States Monitored by Optically Gated Fluorescence Spectroscopy

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(2) Representative sub-picosecond of time-resolved photoluminescence decay kinetics of  $[Cu(dsbtmp)_2]^+$  in  $CH_2Cl_2$  at room temperature.

(3) Representative sub-picosecond of time-resolved photoluminescence decay kinetics of  $[Cu(diptmp)_2]^*$ in  $CH_2Cl_2$  at room temperature. (1) Representative sub-picosecond time-resolved photoluminescence decay kinetics of  $[Cu(dsbp)_2]^+$  in  $CH_2Cl_2$  at room temperature.



**Figure S1.** Time-resolved PL decay kinetics of [Cu(dsbp)<sub>2</sub>]<sup>+</sup> in dichloromethane measured by fluorescenceupconversion method at room temperature. The black line represents the most adequate fit to a (sum of) exponential function(s), with the time constants (amplitudes) provided in the legend.

(2) Representative sub-picosecond time-resolved photoluminescence decay kinetics of  $[Cu(dsbtmp)_2]^+$  in  $CH_2Cl_2$  at room temperature.



**Figure S2.** Time-resolved PL decay kinetics of [Cu(dsbtmp)<sub>2</sub>]<sup>+</sup> in dichloromethane measured by fluorescenceupconversion method at room temperature. The black line represents the most adequate fit to a (sum of) exponential function(s), with the time constants (amplitudes) provided in the legend.

(3) Representative sub-picosecond time-resolved photoluminescence decay kinetics of  $[Cu(diptmp)_2]^+$  in  $CH_2Cl_2$  at room temperature.



**Figure S3.** Time-resolved PL decay kinetics of [Cu(diptmp)<sub>2</sub>]<sup>+</sup> in dichloromethane measured by fluorescenceupconversion method at room temperature. The black line represents the most adequate fit to a (sum of) exponential function(s), with the time constants (amplitudes) provided in the legend.