

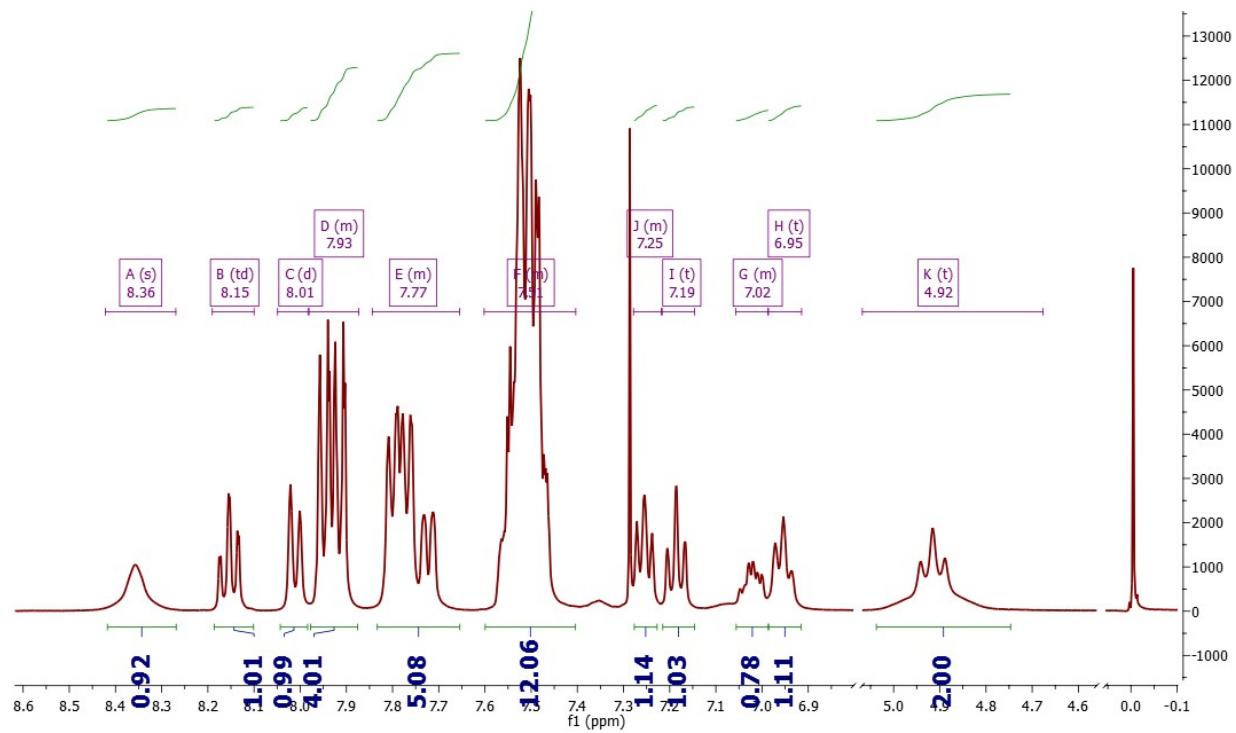
## Supplementary Information

### Evaluation of a Novel Platinum(II)Based AIE Compound-Encapsulated MesoporousSilica Nanoparticles for Cancer Theranostic Application

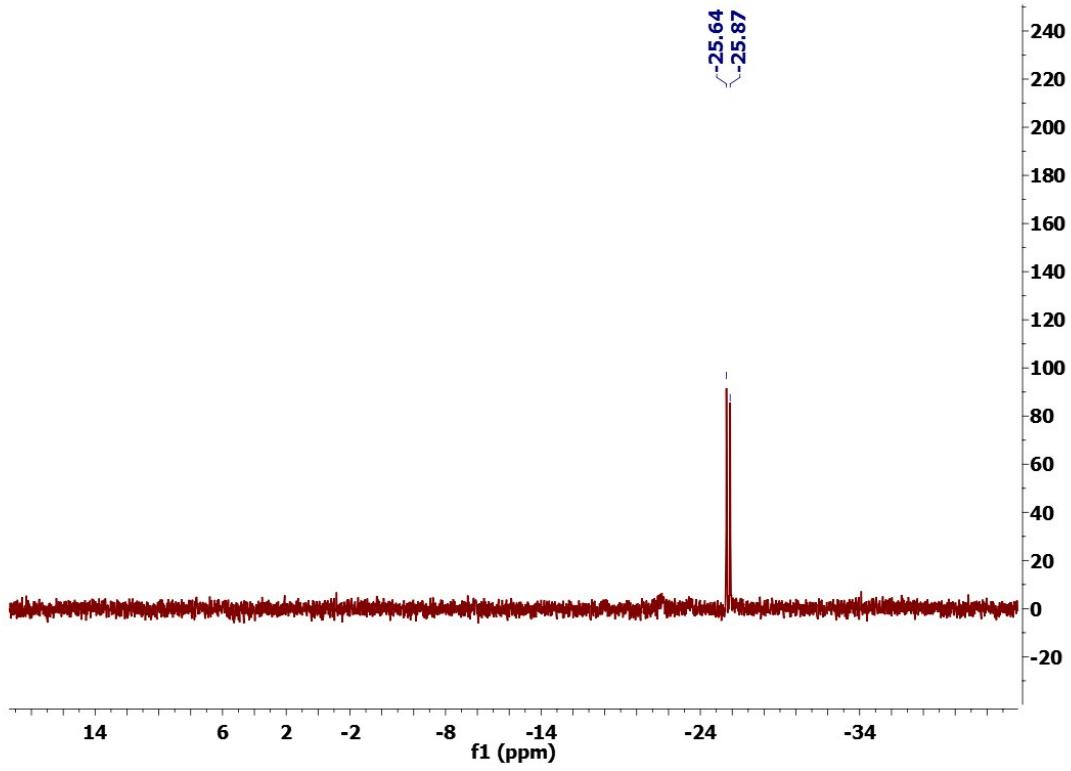
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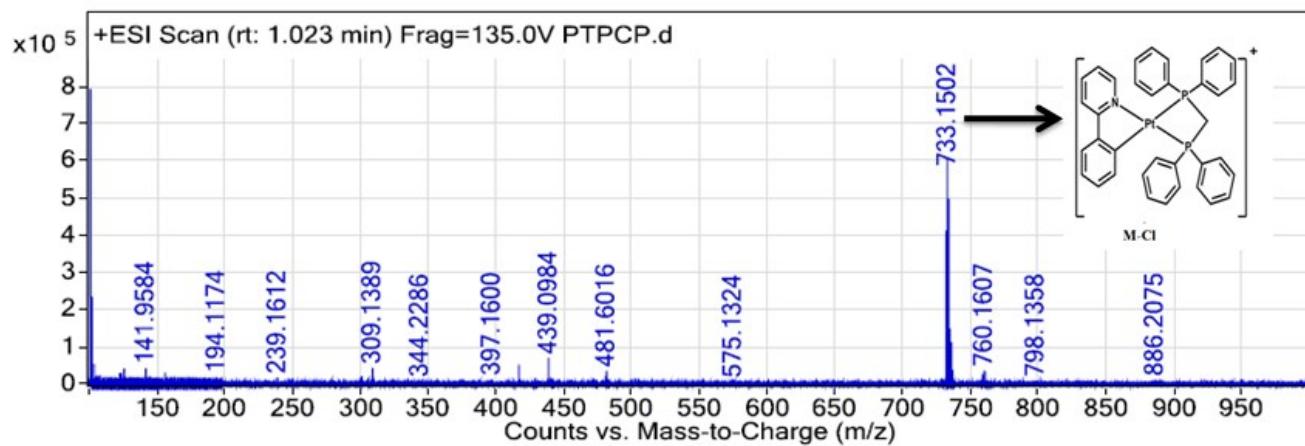
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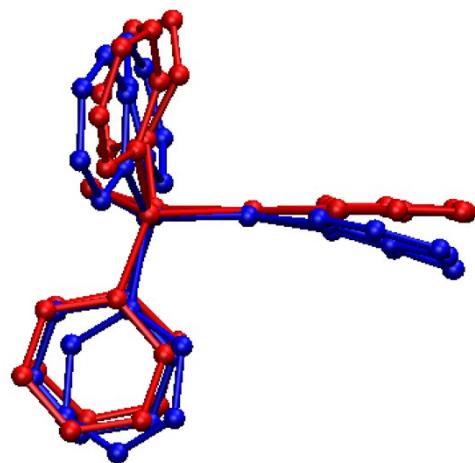
**Fig.S1** <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectra of BMPP-Pt



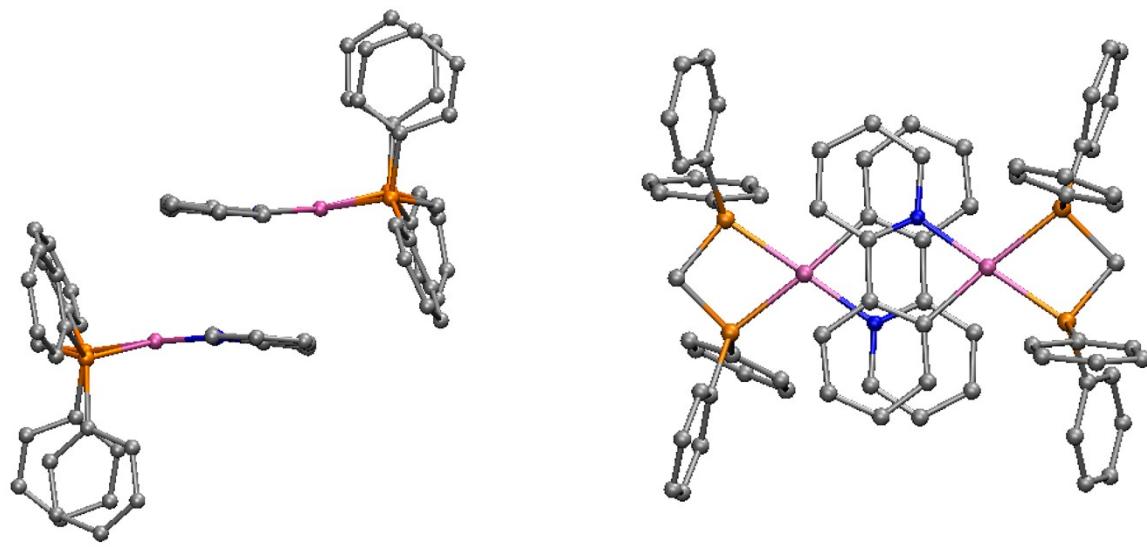
**Fig. S2**  $^{31}\text{P}$  NMR spectra of BMPP-Pt



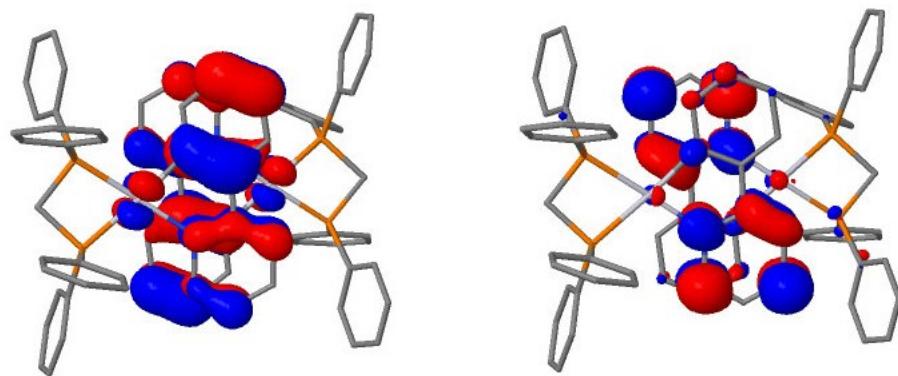
**Fig. S3** Mass spectrum of BMPP-Pt



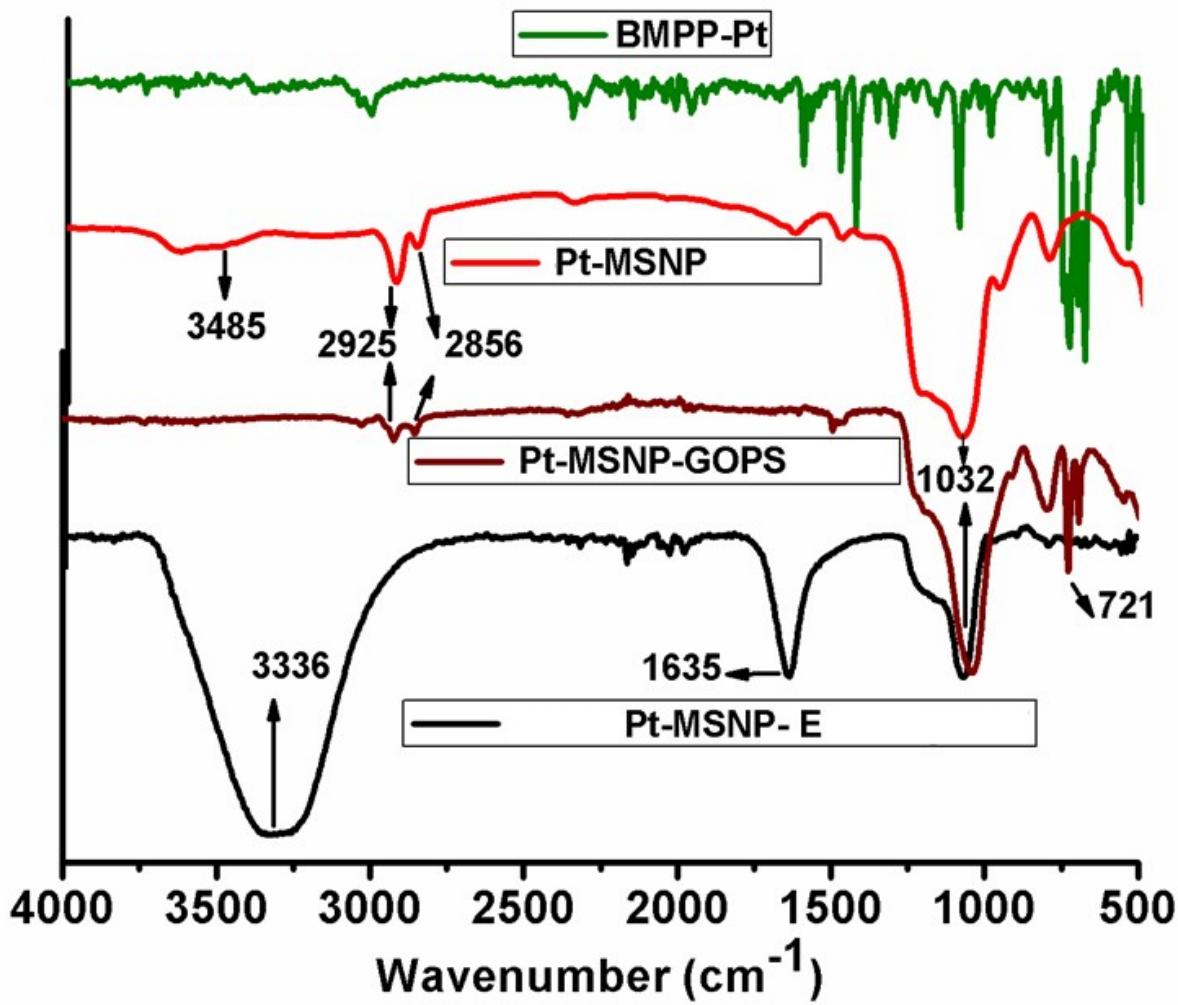
**Fig. S4** OptimizedBMPP-Pt ground state structure (in red) overlapped with the crystal's monomer structure (blue) showing the loss of planarity in the latter between the phenylpyridine ligand and the Pt(P)<sub>2</sub> fragment. Hydrogen atoms are omitted for the sake of clarity.



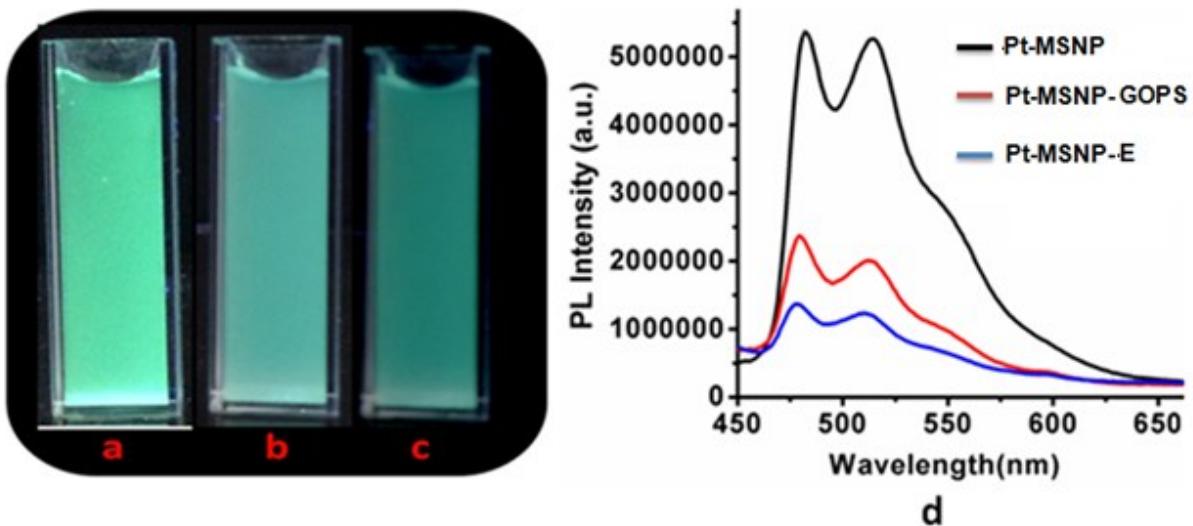
**Fig. S5** Dimers of the BMPP-Pt complex present in the crystal structure. Side view on the left and top view on the right. Hydrogen atoms are omitted for the sake of clarity.



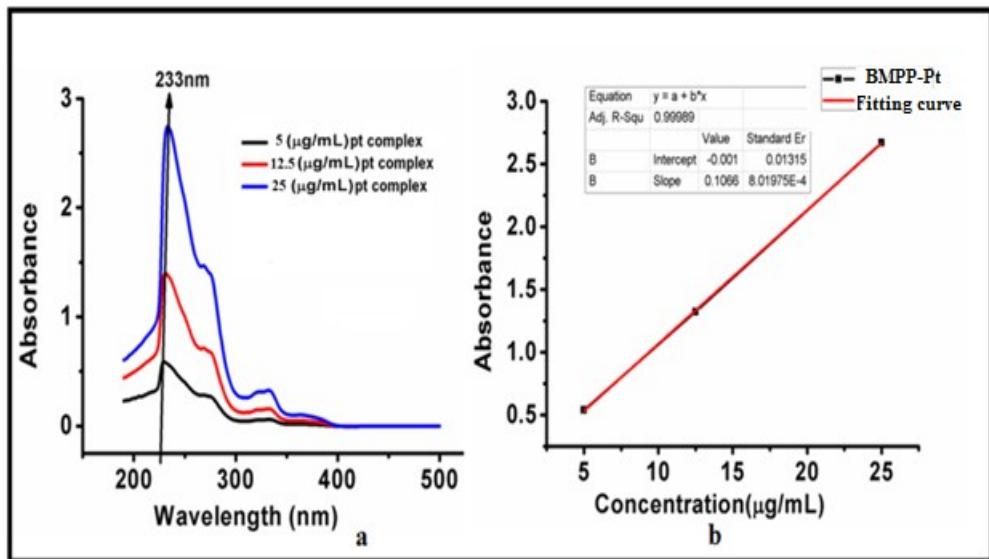
**Fig. S6** Top view of the HOMO (left) and LUMO (right) of the BMPP-Pt dimers present in the crystal structure. Hydrogen atoms are omitted for the sake of clarity.



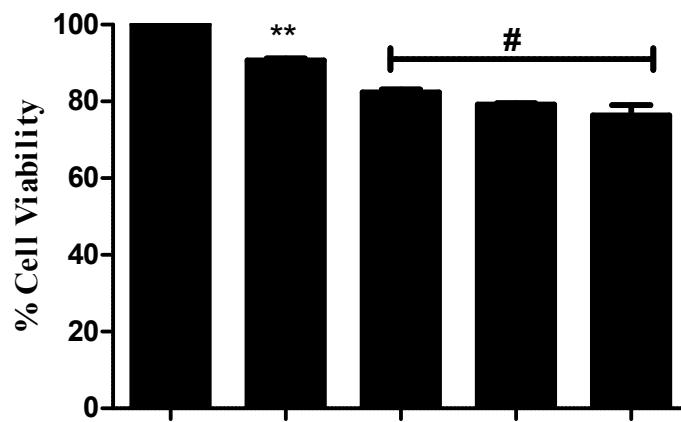
**Fig. S7** FTIR spectra of free BMPP-Pt, Pt-MSNPs, Pt-MSNP-GOPS and Pt-MSNP-E



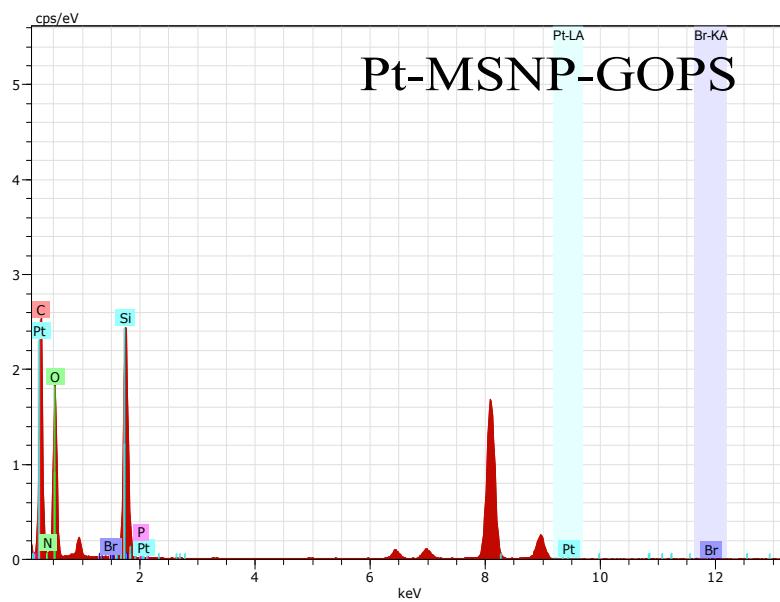
**Fig. S8** Luminescent images(left) and PL spectra (right) of Pt-MSNPs **(a)**,Pt-MSNP-GOPS **(b)** and Pt-MSNP-E **(c)** ( $\lambda_{\text{ex}} = 365\text{nm}$ ) in water ( $c = 2\text{mg/ml}$ ).



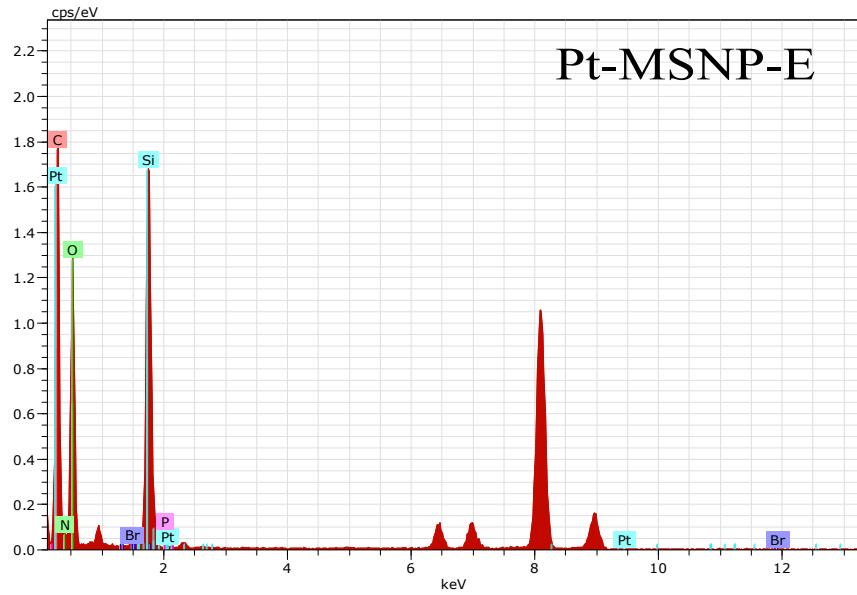
**Fig. S9(a)** Absorbance spectra of BMPP-Pt at different concentrations; (b) shows linear fitting of absorbance vs concentration graph



**Fig. S10** Effect of blank MSNP on viability of Huh7 cells, analyzed by MTT assay after 24 h treatment of each. (Symbol (\*\*)) represents significant difference ( $p<0.05$ ) as compared to untreated cells; Symbol (#) represents no significant difference)



**Fig. S11** S10 EDX spectra of Pt-MSNP-GOPS



**Fig. S12** EDX spectra of Pt-MSNP-E

**Table. S1** Relevant bond lengths and dihedral angles of the BMPP-Pt complex in the crystal's monomer geometry and the optimized ground state structure.

geometry	Pt-P (Å)	Pt-P (Å)	Pt-N (Å)	Pt-C (Å)	P-Pt-N-C (°)	P-Pt-C-C (°)
crystalmonomer	2.272	2.301	2.041	2.026	161	167
optimised S <sub>0</sub>	2.451	2.312	2.113	2.039	178	179

**Table. S2** Releasing study of BMPP-Pt from **3** (at  $\lambda_{\max}$ , 233nm)

Time (in h)	Absorbance (a.u.)
0	0.01637
6	0.01216
48	0.0178
72	0.0135
96	0.0132
120	0.0139
144	0.0142
168	0.0131
192	0.0134
216	0.0132

**Table. S3** Concentration of Elements present in Pt-MSNP-GOPS from EDX analysis

El	AN	Series	unn. C[wt.%]	norm. C[wt.%]	Atom. C[at.%]	Error (1 Sigma)[wt.%]
C	6	K-series	81.36	81.36	88.04	2.50
Si	8	K-series	8.79	8.79	7.14	0.29
O	14	K-series	8.52	8.52	3.94	0.06
N	7	K-series	<b>0.90</b>	<b>0.90</b>	<b>0.84</b>	<b>0.06</b>
Pt	78	L-series	0.39	0.39	0.03	0.07
P	15	K-series	0.02	0.02	0.01	0.03
Total			100.00	100.00	100.00	

**Table. S4** Concentration of elements present in Pt-MSNP-E

El	AN	Series	unn. C[wt.%]	norm. C[wt.%]	Atom. C[at.%]	Error (1 Sigma)[wt.%]
C	6	K-series	81.36	81.36	88.04	2.50
Si	8	K-series	8.86	8.86	7.17	0.29
O	14	K-series	7.08	7.08	4.73	0.10
N	7	K-series	<b>2.13</b>	<b>2.13</b>	<b>2.04</b>	<b>0.08</b>
Pt	78	L-series	0.37	0.37	0.02	0.08
P	15	K-series	0.01	0.01	0.00	0.03
Total			100.00	100.00	100.00	