

## Supplementary Information

### Comprehensive Insights into Interaction Mechanism between Perfluorodecanoic Acid and Human Serum Albumin <sup>†</sup>

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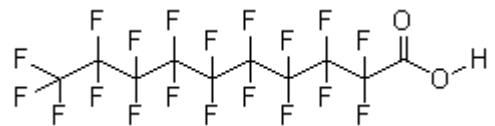
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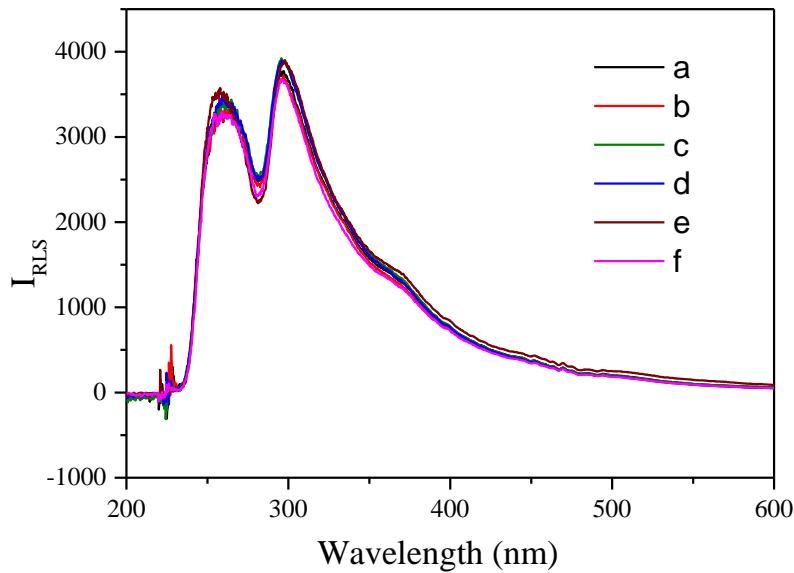
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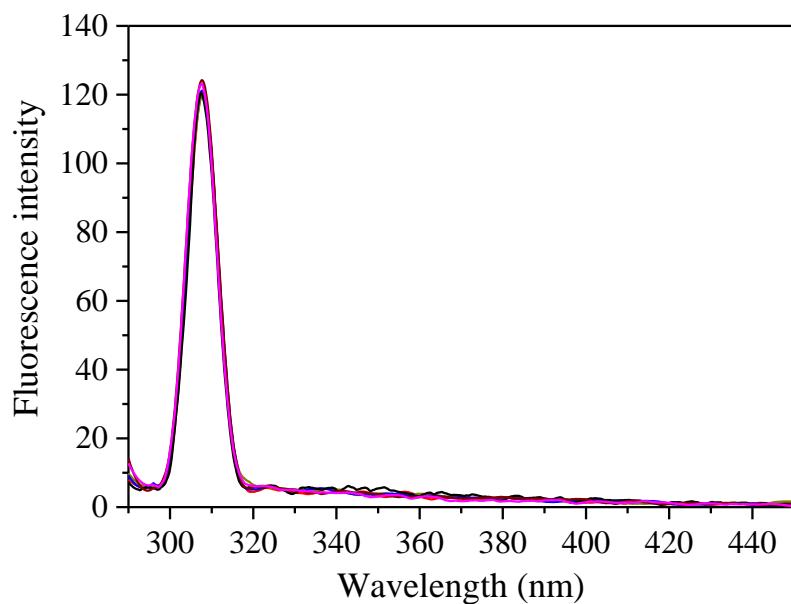
**Fig. S1.** The structure of PFDA.



**Fig. S2.** RLS spectra of HSA with different concentrations of PFDA.

Conditions: c(HSA) =  $1 \times 10^{-5}$  M, c(PFDA)/( $1 \times 10^{-6}$  M):(a) 0,(b) 1,(c) 3,(d) 5,(e) 7,(f) 9;

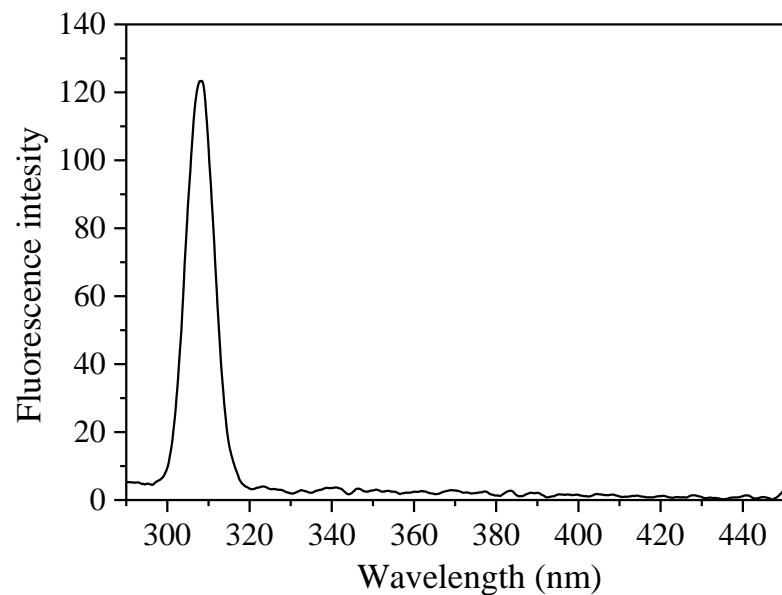
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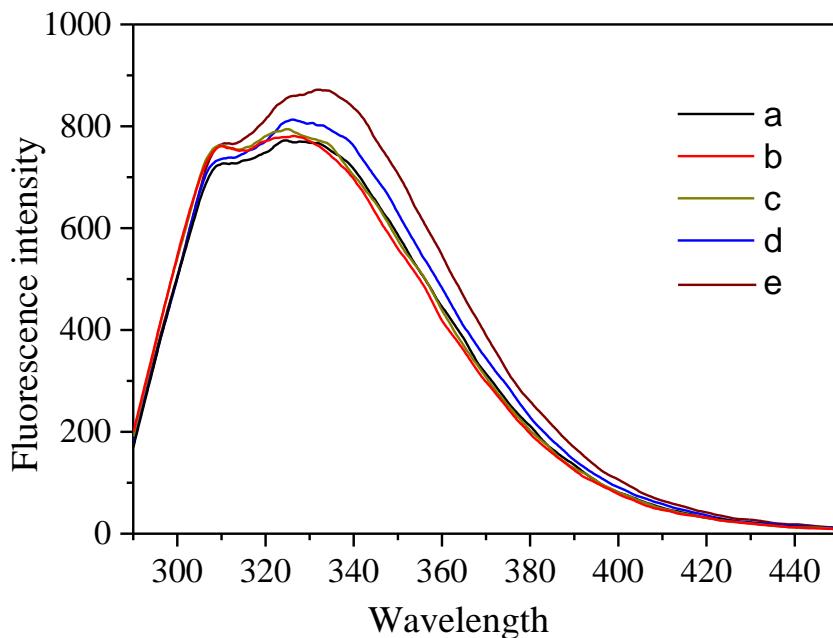
**Fig. S3.** Fluorescence emission spectra of PFDA.

Conditions: c(PFDA)/( $1 \times 10^{-6}$  M):(a) 0,(b) 2,(c) 4,(d) 6,(e) 8,(f) 10;

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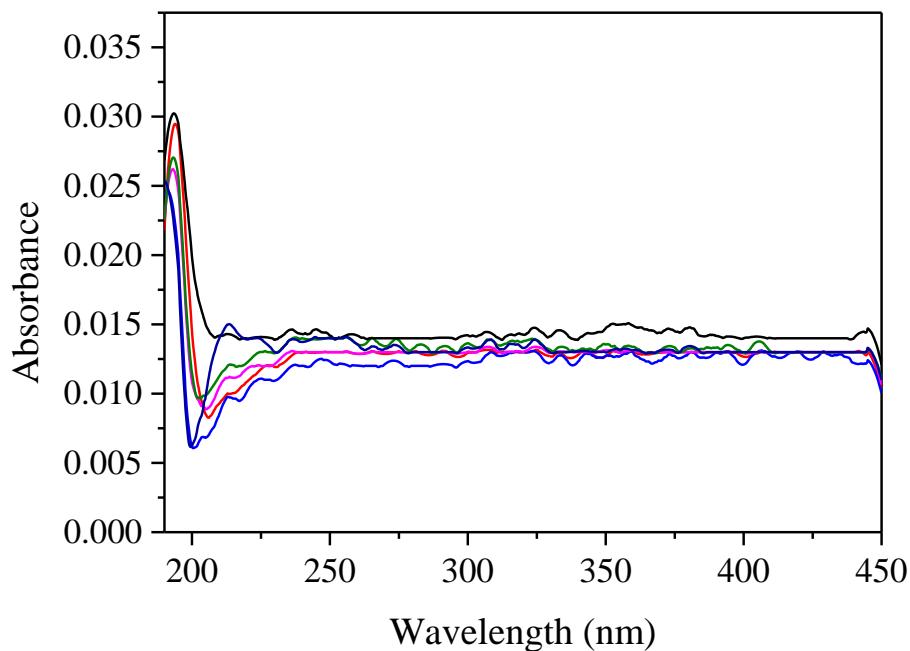
**Fig. S4.** Fluorescence emission spectra of water.



**Fig. S5.** Fluorescence intensity of HSA with different concentrations of PFDA.

Conditions: c(HSA) =  $1 \times 10^{-6}$  M, c(PFDA)/( $1 \times 10^{-7}$  M):(a) 0,(b) 3,(c) 5,(d) 7,(e) 9;

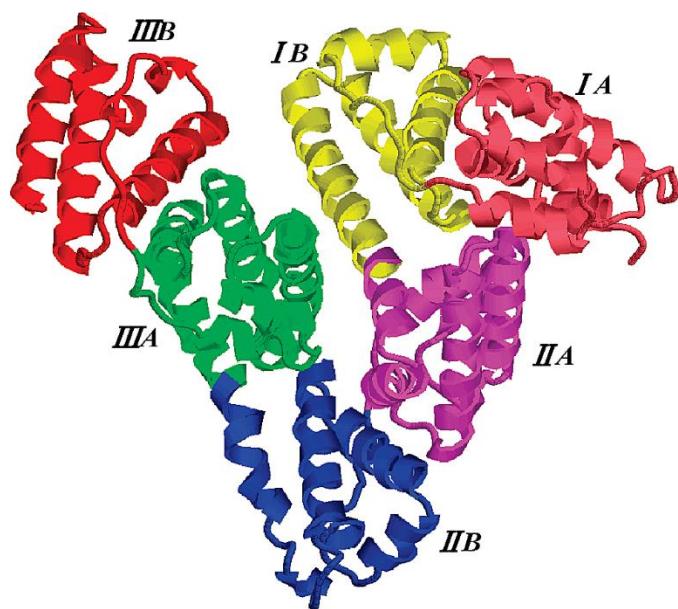
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**Fig. S6.** UV-visible absorption spectra of PFDA.

Conditions: c(PFDA)/( $1 \times 10^{-6}$  M):(a) 0,(b) 4,(c) 6,(d) 8,(e) 10,(f) 30;

Buffer: PB, pH = 7.4; T = 298 K.



**Fig. S7.** The structure of human serum albumin.

**Table S1.** Data for 3D fluorescence spectra of HSA and HSA-PFDA system.

Peak	HSA		HSA-PFDA	
	Peak position $\lambda_{\text{ex}}/\lambda_{\text{em}}$ (nm/nm)	Intensity	Peak position $\lambda_{\text{ex}}/\lambda_{\text{em}}$ (nm/nm)	Intensity
<b>1</b>	278/332	929.6	278/328	969.1
<b>2</b>	230/330	852.5	230/334	1088