

## **Supporting Information**

## **S I** Supporting figures

Figure S1 Dependence of (a) the unit lattice parameters and (b) unit cell volumes on the  $Ce^{3+}$  concentration in CSGO:  $xCe^{3+}$  phosphors.



Figure S2 CIE coordinates of CSGO: 0.08Ce<sup>3+</sup> sample excited upon 400 and 450 nm, respectively.



Figure S3 (a) Decay curves of CSGO:  $xCe^{3+}$  phosphors measured by monitoring 510 nm upon 425 nm excitation. (b) Dependence curve of lifetimes on  $Ce^{3+}$  concentration in CSGO:  $xCe^{3+}$  phosphors.



Figure S4 (a) Fitting plot of  $\ln(I_0/I_T-1)$  against 1/Kt for (a) CSGO: 0.01Ce<sup>3+</sup> and (b) CSGO: 0.08Ce<sup>3+</sup> phosphors.

## S I Calculation of energy gap

The energy gap of CSGO host was calculated according to Kubelka-Munk equation:

$$[F(R_{\infty})hv]^{\prime\prime} = C(hv - E_g), \tag{S1}$$

where  $E_g$  is the value of the band gap; hv is the photon energy; C is a proportionality constant; and n = 1/2 indicates an indirect allowed transition, n = 2 indicates a direct allowed transition, n = 3/2 indicates a direct forbidden transition, or n = 3 indicates an indirect forbidden transition. The  $F(R_{\infty})$  can be described by the Kubelka–Munk function: 1

$$F(R_{\infty}) = \left(\frac{1-R}{R}\right),\tag{S2}$$

where R is the reflectance parameter.

## SI Calculation of external and internal quantum efficiency

The IQE is calculated by the following equation: <sup>2</sup>

$$\eta_{IQE} = \frac{\varepsilon}{\alpha} = \frac{\int L_S}{\int E_R - \int E_S},$$
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where  $\varepsilon$  is the number of photons emitted by the sample;  $\alpha$  is the number of photons absorbed by the sample;  $L_S$  is the luminescence emission spectrum of the sample;  $E_S$  is the spectrum of the light without the sample in the sphere. All the spectra were collected using the sphere.

The EQE is calculated according to the following equation:

$$\eta_{EQE} = \eta_{IQE} \times \eta_{Abs} \tag{S4}$$

 $\eta_{Abs}$  is the absorption rate of phosphor towards incident light.

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