Supporting Information

Ultraviolet-Pumped White Light Emissive Carbon Dot Based Phosphors

for Light-Emitting Devices and Visible Light Communication

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Figure S1. Full survey XPS spectra of B-CDs, G-CDs and R-CDs.



Figure S2. C_{1s} XPS spectra of B-CDs, G-CDs and R-CDs.



Figure S3. N_{1s} XPS spectra of B-CDs, G-CDs and R-CDs.



Figure S4. O_{1s} XPS spectra of B-CDs, G-CDs and R-CDs.



Figure S5. Formation process of white light emissive CD-based phosphors from the B-CDs, G-CDs, R-CDs and aqueous sodium silicate solutions mixture under microwave assisted treatment.



Figure S6. SEM images of non-grinded CD-based phosphors: (a) P-1, (b) P-2 and (c) P-3.

Table S1. PLQYs of white light emissive CD-based phosphors at 375 nm excitation and their corresponding mass ratios of B-CDs : G-CDs : R-CDs.

Sample	PLQYs	Mass ratios
P-1	0.31	20:10:1
P-2	0.33	10:10:1
P-3	0.31	5:5:1