## **Supporting Information**

## Bifunctional $\pi$ -conjugated ligand assisted stable and efficient perovskite solar cells via interfacial stitching

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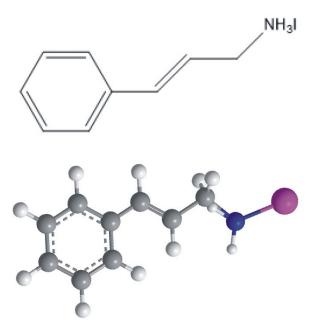


Figure S1. Molecule structure of the PPEAI

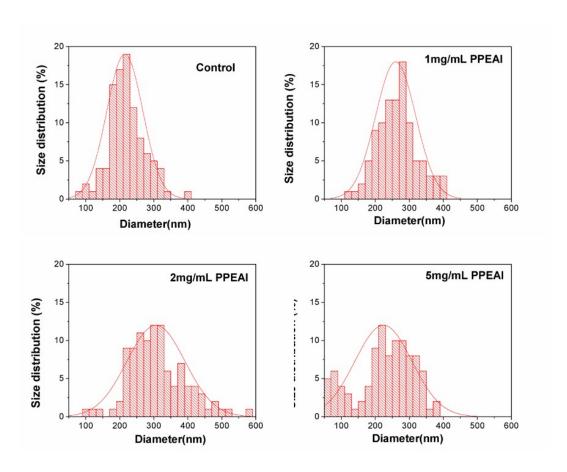


Figure S2 Size distribution of the morphology for different perovskite films

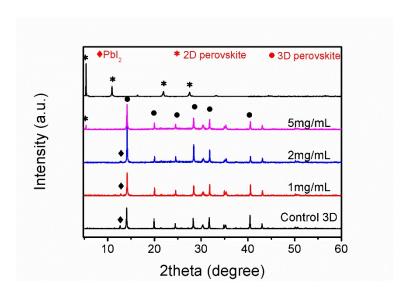


Figure S3 XRD date of different perovskite films

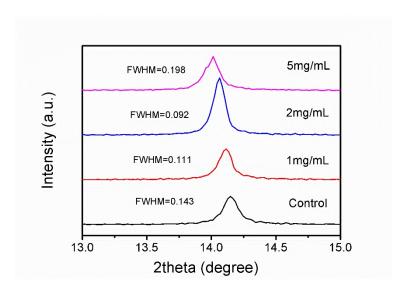


Figure S4. Enlarged XRD of the control and PPEAI modified perovskite films

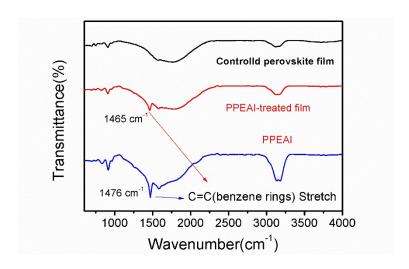


Figure S5. FTIR spectrum of PPEAI powder, controlled and PPEAI-modified perovskite films(2mg/ml).



Figure S6. From left to right: 0mg/ml, 1mg/ml, 2mg/ml, 5mg/ml PPEAI modified perovskite films.

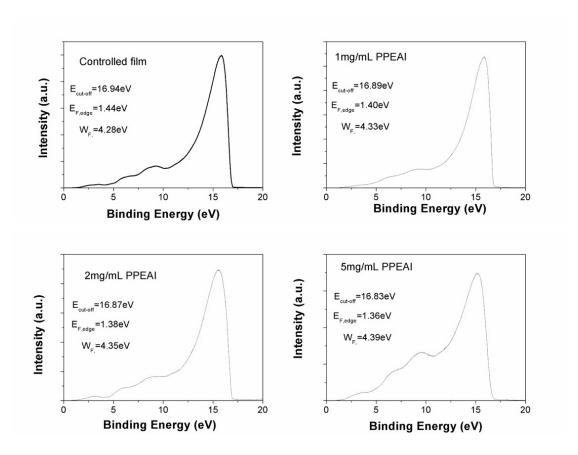


Figure S7 UPS spectra of different perovskite films

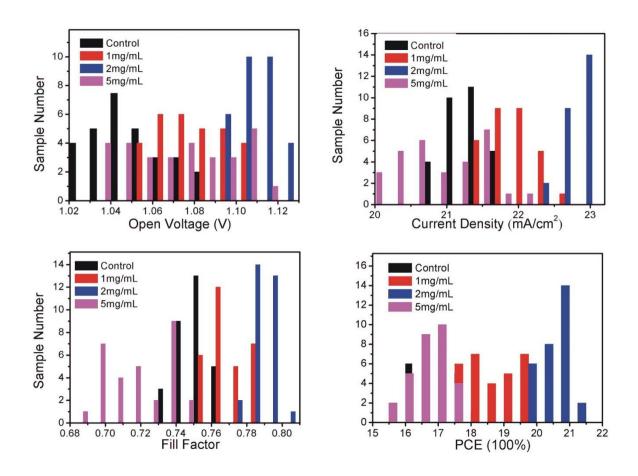


Figure S8. Parameter Statistics of the PSCs employing different perovskite films

**Table S1** Performance parameters of PSCs with different perovskite films (30 devices for each type)

Concentrations of the PPEAI	V <sub>oc</sub> (V)	J <sub>sc</sub> (mA cm <sup>-2</sup> )	FF	PCE(%)
Control	1.0679±0.021	21.53±0.54	0.743±0.015	17.04±0.69
1mg/ml	1.097±0.017	21.98±0.62	0.779±0.013	18.89±0.71
2mg/ml	1.119±0.012	22.87±0.81	0.784±0.012	20.12±0.54
5mg/ml	1.102±0.015	20.84±0.61	0.711±0.011	16.48±0.57



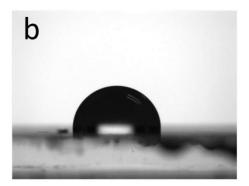
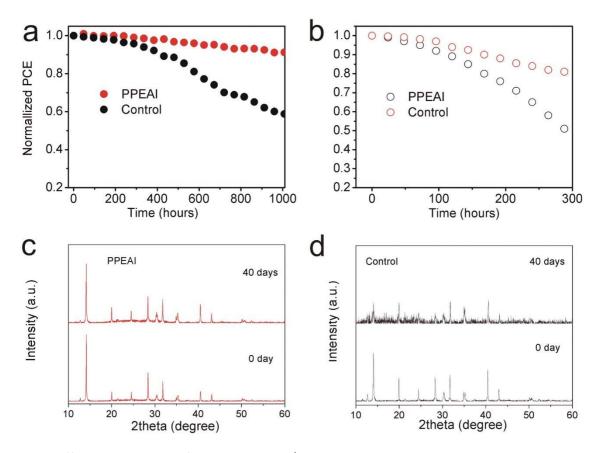


Figure S9. Contact angle measurement of (a) controlled and (b) PPEAI modified films.



**Figure S10.** Efficiency evolution of the devices with/without PPEAI under dark and operation condition. (room temperature and humidity ~50% in ambient air)