## **Electronic Supplementary Information for**

## Enhancing triplet sensitization ability of donoracceptor dyads via intramolecular triplet energy transfer

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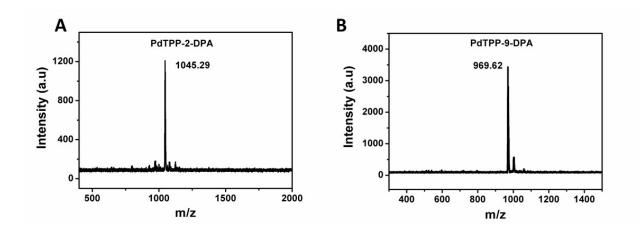
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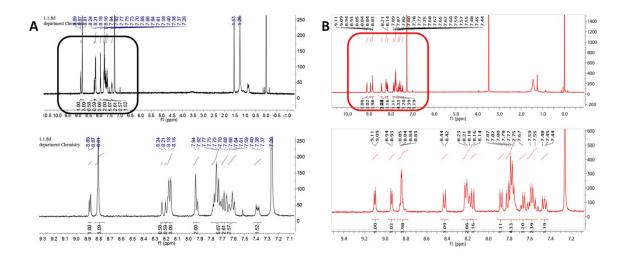
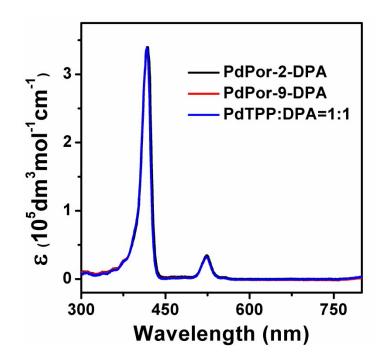
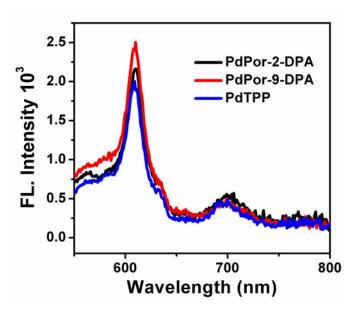


Fig. S2. <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectra of PdPor-2-DPA (A) and PdPor-9-DPA (B) in CDCl<sub>3</sub>.



**Fig. S3.** Absorption spectra of PdPor-2-DPA, PdPor-9-DPA and mixed solution of PdTPP: DPA=1:1. PdPor-2-DPA and PdPor-9-DPA,  $c = 1.0 \times 10^{-5}$ ; in mixed solution, PdTPP and DPA,  $c = 1.0 \times 10^{-5}$  in deaerated toluene.



**Fig. S4.** Luminescence emission spectra of PdPor-2-DPA, PdPor-9-DPA and PdTPP.;  $\lambda_{ex} = 532$  nm,  $c = 1.0 \times 10^{-5}$  M in aerated Toluene, 293K.

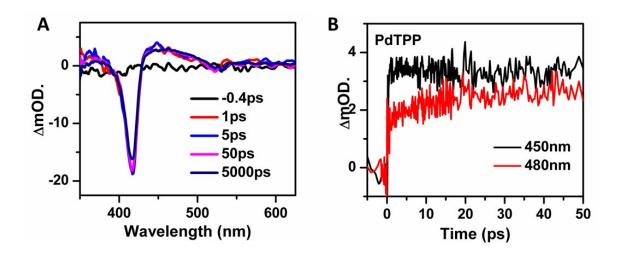


Fig. S5. *fs*-TA spectra (A) and single-wavelength dynamics probed at 450 and 480 nm (B) of PdTPP.  $\lambda_{ex} = 532$  nm, c = 2.0×10<sup>-5</sup> M in deaerated toluene, 293K.

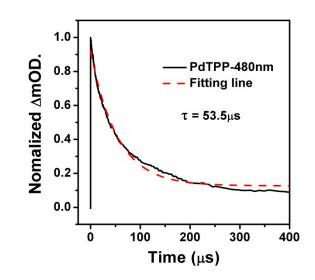


Fig. S6. Single-wavelength dynamics of PdTPP probed at 480 nm from nanosecond TA spectra.  $\lambda_{ex} = 532$  nm, c = 2.0×10<sup>-5</sup> M in deaerated toluene, 293 K.

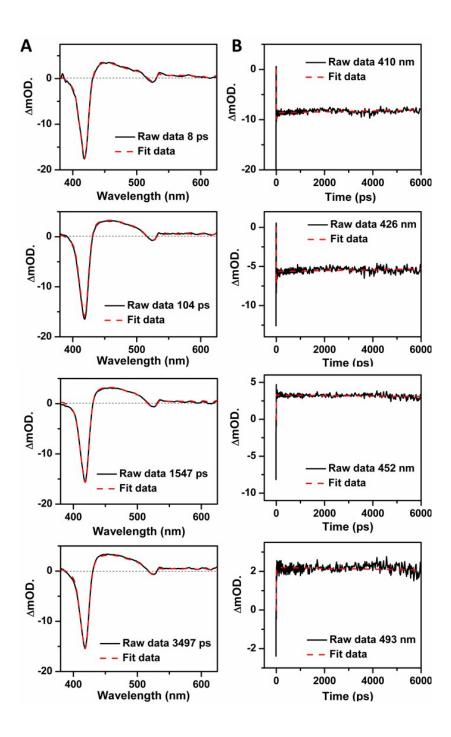


Fig. S7. Comparison of TA spectra(A) and single-wavelength dynamics(B) of PdPor-2-DPA between the raw data and the fitting data in  $S_1(PdPor^*-DPA) \rightarrow T_1(PdPor^*-DPA)$  model obtained from the global analysis.

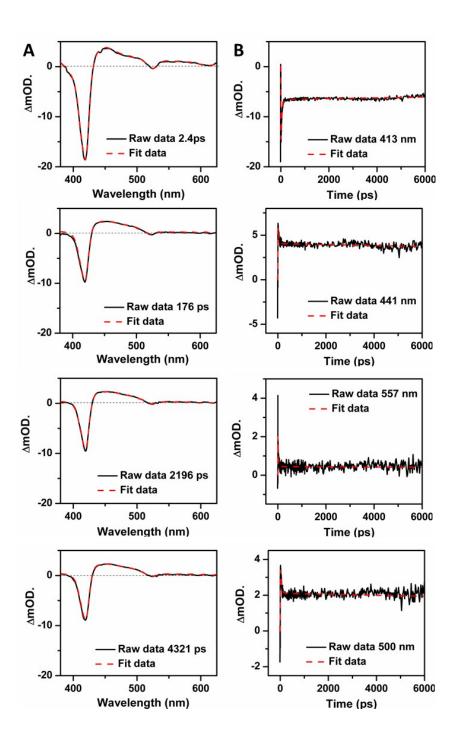


Fig. S8. Comparison of TA spectra (A) and single-wavelength dynamics (B) of PdPor-9-DPA between the raw data and the fitting data in  $(S_1(PdPor^*-DPA) \rightarrow T_1(PdPor^*-DPA) \rightarrow T_1(PdPor^*-DPA)) \rightarrow T_1(PdPor^*-DPA)$  model obtained from the global analysis.

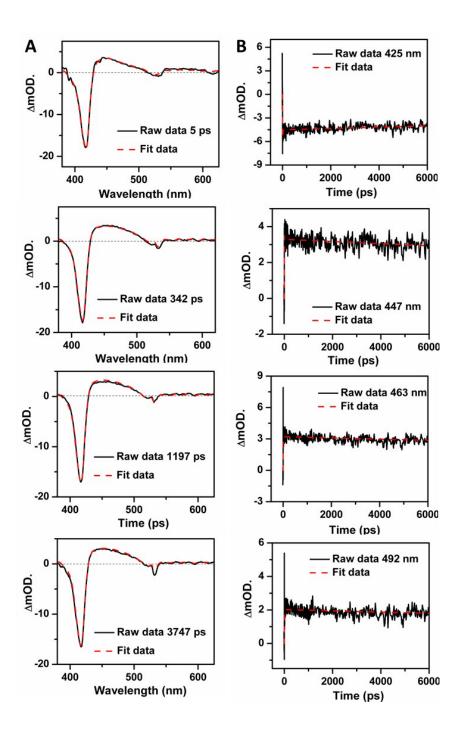
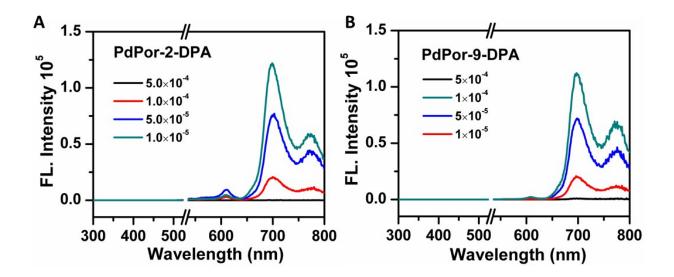
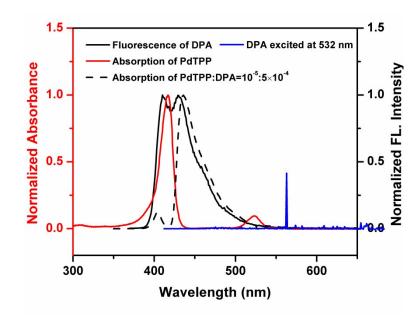


Fig. S9. Comparison of TA spectra(A) and single-wavelength dynamics(B) of PdTPP between the raw data and the fitting data in  $S_1(PdPor^*) \rightarrow T_1(PdPor^*)$  model obtained from the global analysis.



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Compounds	Φ(%)	$\tau^{a}(\mu s)$ $\chi$	2
PdTPP-2- DPA	$0.26 \pm 0.03$	$\frac{108.98 \pm 0.1 (91.33\%)}{147.57 \pm 0.1 (8.67\%)} 1.0$	27
PdTPP-9- DPA	$0.23 \pm 0.03$	$\begin{array}{c} 79.96 \pm 0.1 & (77.94\%) \\ 119.23 \pm 0.1 & (22.06\%) \end{array} 1.0$	19
PdTPP	$0.41 \pm 0.05$	$\begin{array}{c} 77.04 \pm 0.1 & (72.00\%) \\ 215.33 \pm 0.1 & (28.00\%) \end{array} 1.1$	23

 Table S1. Phosphorescence quantum yields and lifetimes of these compounds at 293 K.

<sup>a</sup>Phosphorescence lifetimes were monitored at 697 nm (c =  $1.0 \times 10^{-5}$  M).

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