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## Facile Synthesis of Magnetic Homochiral Metal-organic Frameworks for “Enantioselective fishing”

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## 1. Experimental section

### Chemicals and Materials

*L*-lactic acid and *D*-lactic acid were purchased from Sigma-Aldrich (St. Louis, MO, USA).  $\text{Zn}(\text{NO}_3)_2 \cdot 6\text{H}_2\text{O}$  was obtained from Beijing Chemical Company (Beijing, China). HPLC grade isopropanol, hexane, acetonitrile, ethyl acetate and methanol were purchased from Dikma Technology (Richmond, VA, USA). Purified water was provided by Hangzhou Wahaha Group. (Hangzhou, Zhejiang, China). All reagents and solvents employed were used as supplied without further purification.  $\text{Fe}_3\text{O}_4@\text{SiO}_2$  materials were purchased from Beijing NanoChen Technology Development Co. Ltd.

### Synthesis of ZnBLD

ZnBLD was prepared by the solvothermal reaction of a metal cation  $\text{Zn}^{2+}$ , a chiral ligand *L*-lactic acid and an organic connector 1,4-benzenedicarboxylic acid. DMF solution (100 mL) containing  $\text{Zn}(\text{NO}_3)_2 \cdot 6\text{H}_2\text{O}$  (10 mmol),  $\text{H}_2\text{bdc}$  (5 mmol), and *L*- $\text{H}_2\text{lac}$  (5 mmol) in a round bottom flask was heated in oil-bath at 120 °C for 24 h with magnetic stirring at the speed of 900 r/min. Colorless rod-shaped crystals were collected, washed with DMF and ethanol, and then dried in oven to yield ZnBLD.

### Synthesis of $\text{Fe}_3\text{O}_4@\text{SiO}_2\text{-ZnBLD}$ and $\text{Fe}_3\text{O}_4@\text{SiO}_2\text{-ZnBDD}$

0.1 g  $\text{Fe}_3\text{O}_4@\text{SiO}_2$  materials were added into the mixed DMF solution of  $\text{Zn}(\text{NO}_3)_2 \cdot 6\text{H}_2\text{O}$  (10 mmol),  $\text{H}_2\text{bdc}$  (5 mmol), and *L*- $\text{H}_2\text{lac}$  (5 mmol) or *D*- $\text{H}_2\text{lac}$  (5 mmol). The suspension was sonicated for 30 min, and then heated in oil-bath at 120 °C for 24 h with magnetic stirring at the speed of 900 r/min. Brown crystals were collected, washed with DMF and ethanol, and then dried in oven to yield corresponding  $\text{Fe}_3\text{O}_4@\text{SiO}_2\text{-ZnBLD}$  and  $\text{Fe}_3\text{O}_4@\text{SiO}_2\text{-ZnBDD}$  composites.

### Typical separation procedure using $\text{Fe}_3\text{O}_4@\text{SiO}_2\text{-ZnBLD}$

20 mg  $\text{Fe}_3\text{O}_4@\text{SiO}_2\text{-ZnBLD}$  and 5 mL racemic solution of MPS dissolved in acetonitrile (final concentration is 0.1 mg/mL) were mixed in a vial, shaken with a vortex mixer at room temperature for 1 min. Then the  $\text{Fe}_3\text{O}_4@\text{SiO}_2\text{-ZnBLD}$ -enantiomer complexes were collected using a magnet and the supernatant was removed. The collected  $\text{Fe}_3\text{O}_4@\text{SiO}_2\text{-ZnBLD}$ -enantiomer complexes were added with 100  $\mu\text{L}$  methanol and shaken with a vortex mixer at room temperature for 1 min in order to retrieve the absorbed enantiomer. The enantiomeric composition of the separated enantiomer was analyzed by HPLC (Agilent Technology, USA) with a CHIRALCEL OD-3 column (4.6 x 150 mm, 3  $\mu\text{m}$ , Daicel, Japan), using isopropyl alcohol and n-hexane as the mobile phase.

## Single crystal structure of ZnBLD

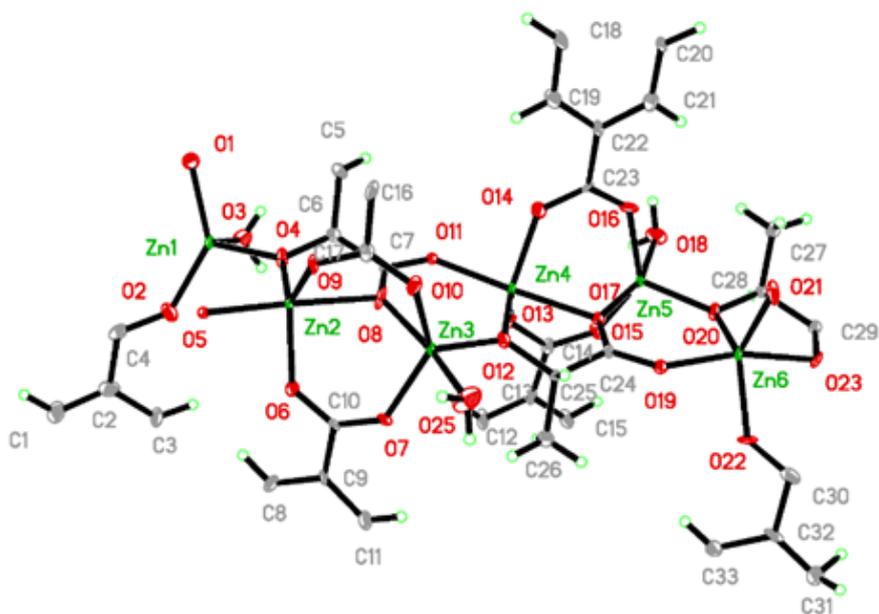


Figure S1. Single crystal X-ray structure of ZnBLD, showing the coordination environments of the  $\text{Zn}^{2+}$  ion. Thermal ellipsoids are set at 30% probability.

## 2. PXRD of ZnBLD

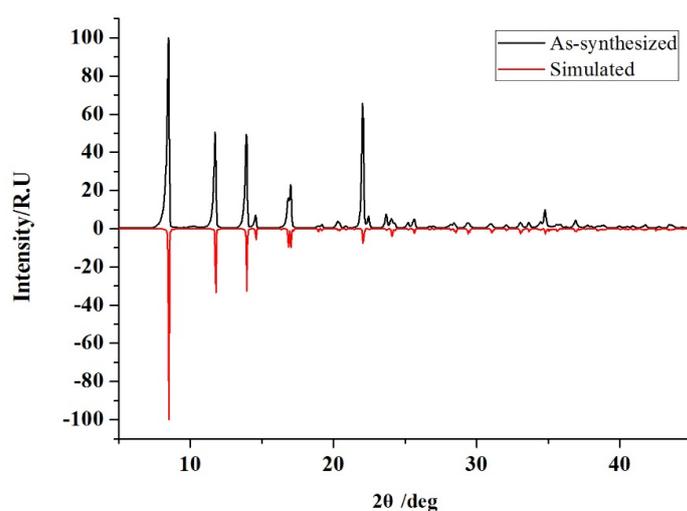


Figure S2. The experimental powder X-ray diffractogram of as-synthesised ZnBLD (normal black plot) and corresponding simulation result (inverted red plot).

### 3. Spatial structure of ZnBLD

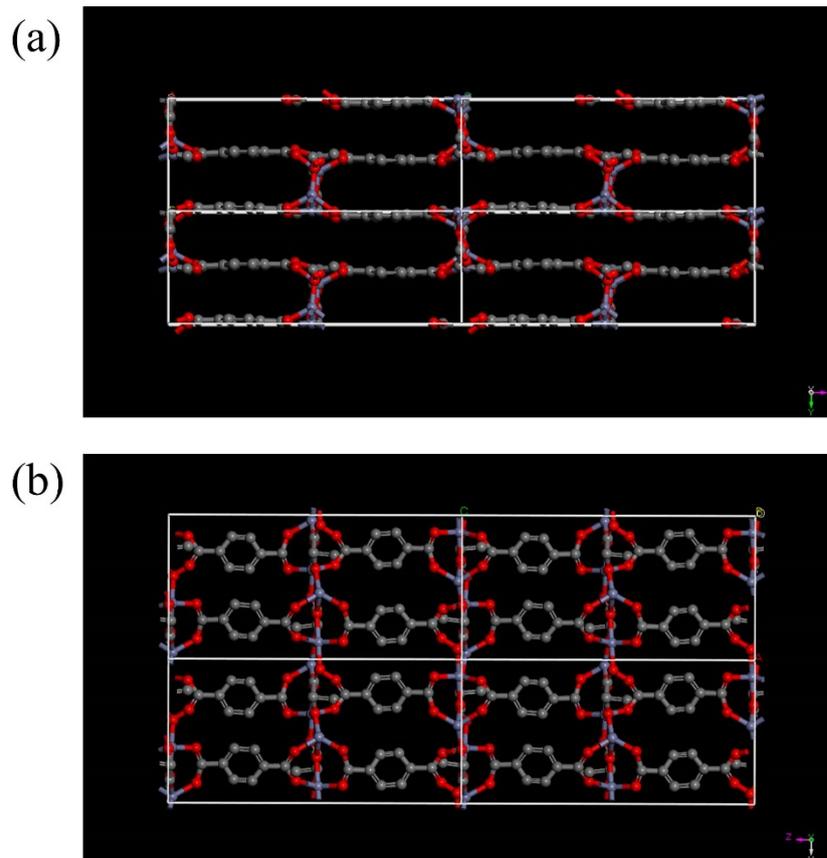


Figure S3. Spatial structures of ZnBLD from different views: (a) x-Axis; (b) y-Axis.

### 4. Magnetization measurement of $\text{Fe}_3\text{O}_4@\text{SiO}_2$

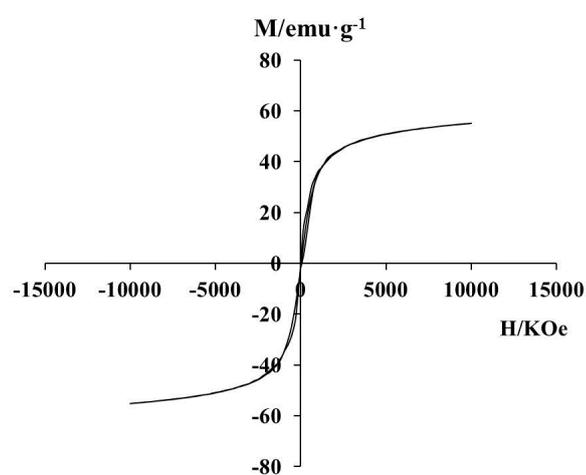


Figure S4. Magnetization curve of  $\text{Fe}_3\text{O}_4@\text{SiO}_2$  that was used for functionalization of homochiral MOFs.

## 5. TEM image of $\text{Fe}_3\text{O}_4@\text{SiO}_2$

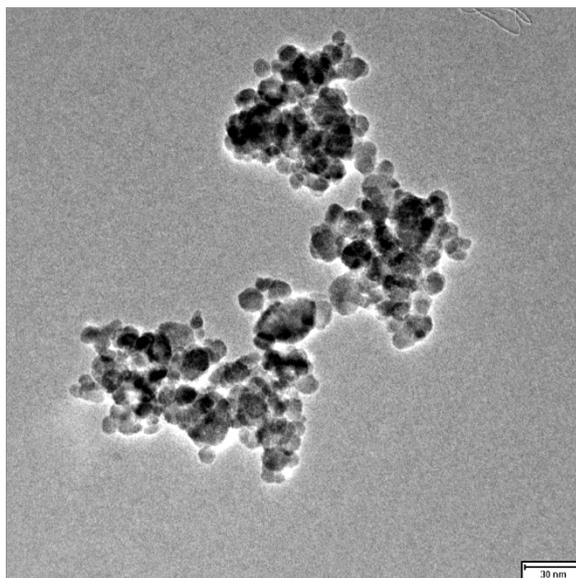


Figure S5. TEM image of  $\text{Fe}_3\text{O}_4@\text{SiO}_2$ .

## 6. IR spectrum of $\text{Fe}_3\text{O}_4@\text{SiO}_2\text{-ZnBLD}$

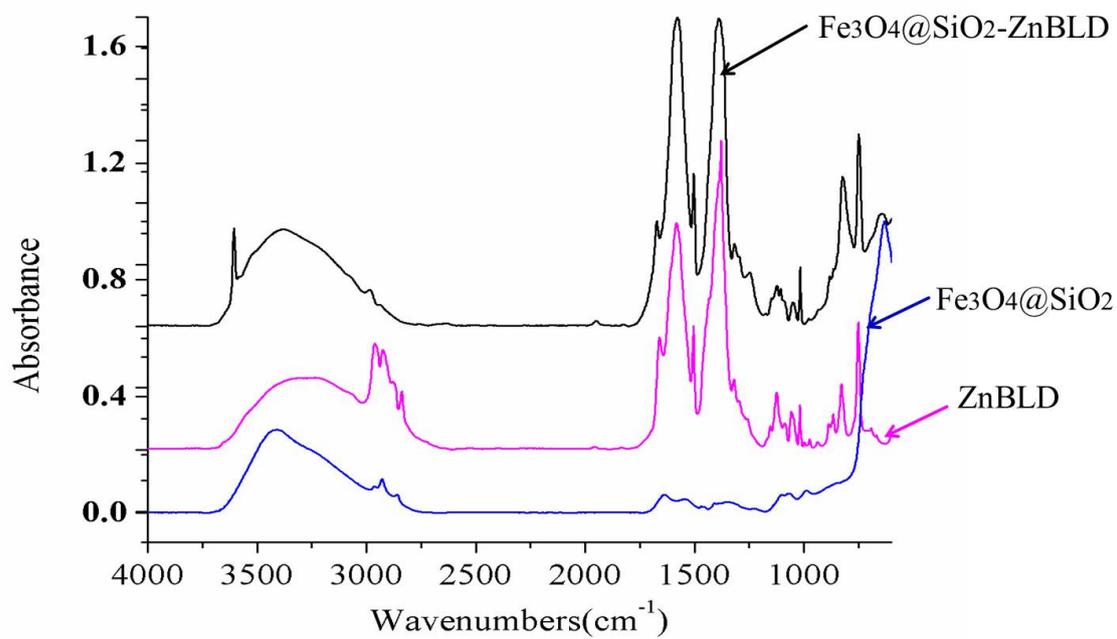


Figure S6. IR spectrum of as-synthesized  $\text{Fe}_3\text{O}_4@\text{SiO}_2\text{-ZnBLD}$  (black curve),  $\text{Fe}_3\text{O}_4@\text{SiO}_2$  (pink curve) and ZnBLD (blue curve).

## Recycle use of $\text{Fe}_3\text{O}_4@\text{SiO}_2\text{-ZnBLD}$

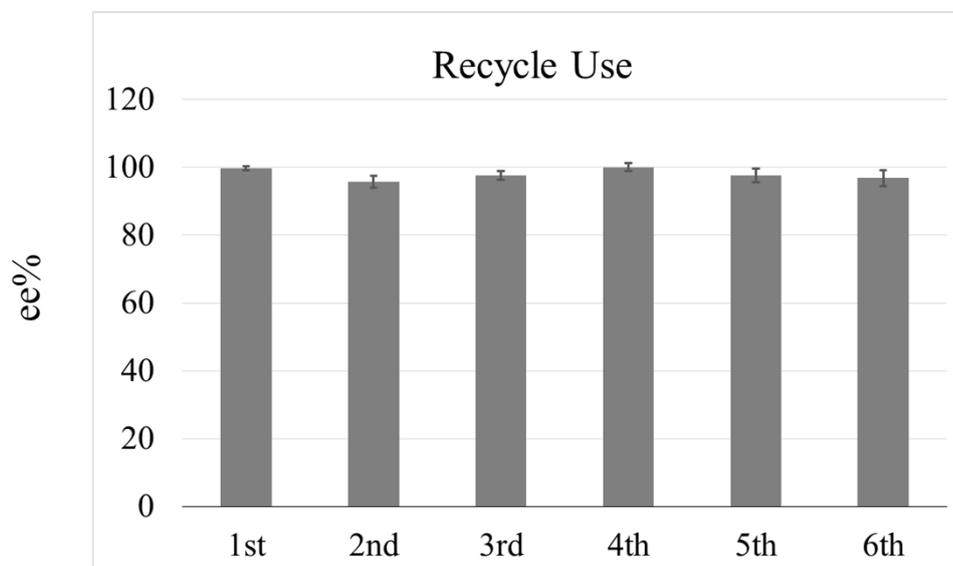


Figure S7. Recycle use of  $\text{Fe}_3\text{O}_4@\text{SiO}_2\text{-ZnBLD}$  composites.

## 7. "Enantioselective fishing" using $\text{Fe}_3\text{O}_4@\text{SiO}_2\text{-ZnBDD}$

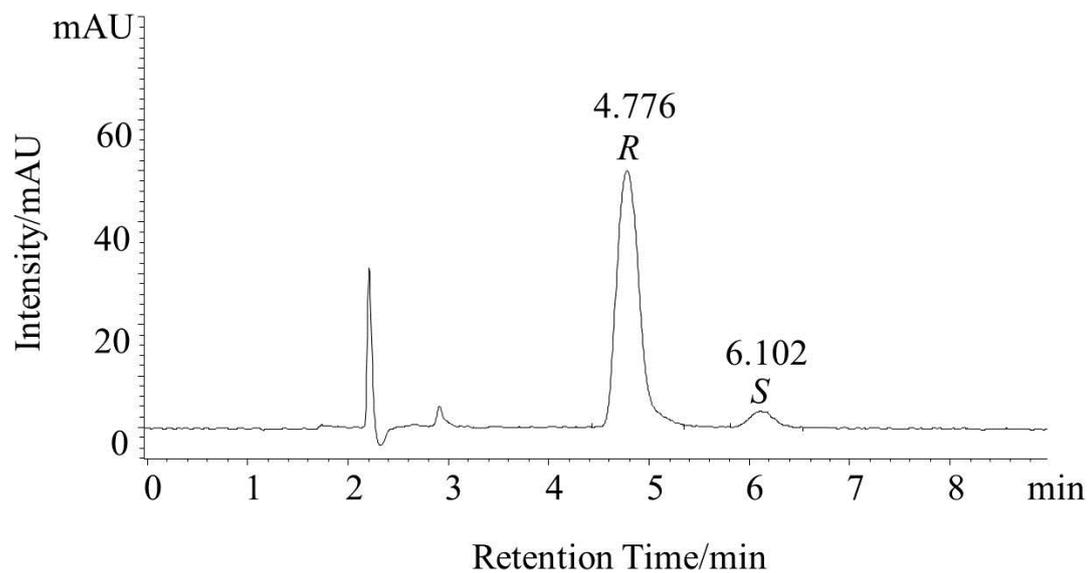


Figure S8. Enantioselective ability of  $\text{Fe}_3\text{O}_4@\text{SiO}_2\text{-ZnBDD}$  for MPS.