

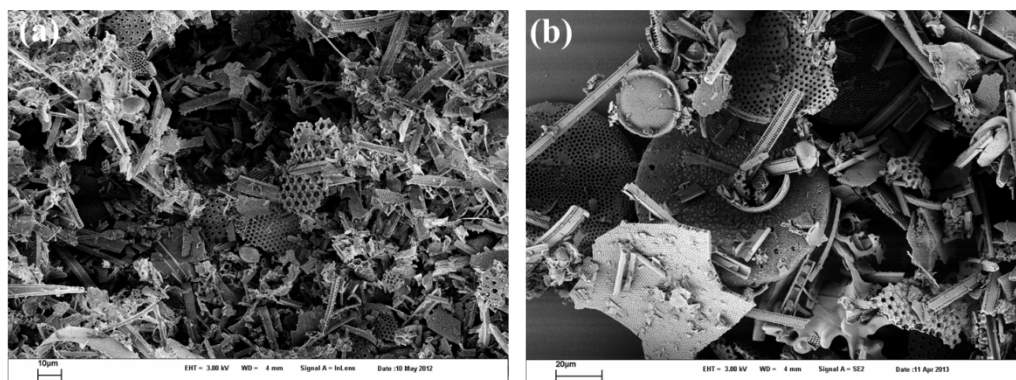
## Supporting Information

# Bioinspired construction of ordered carbon nitride array for photocatalytic mediated enzymatic reductions

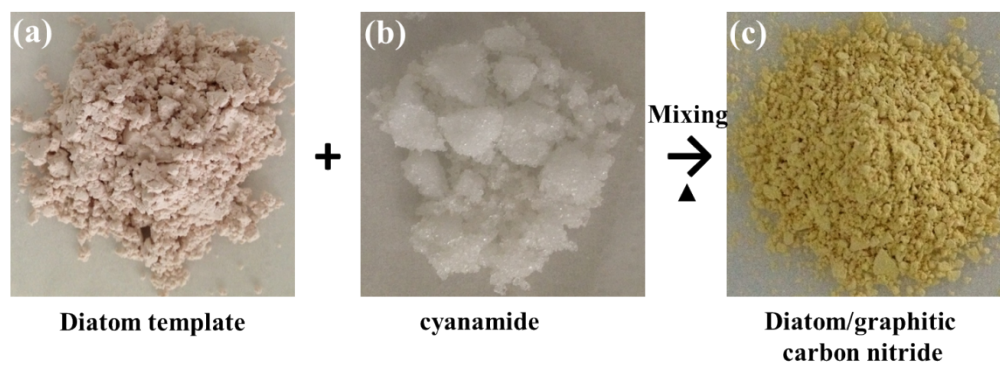
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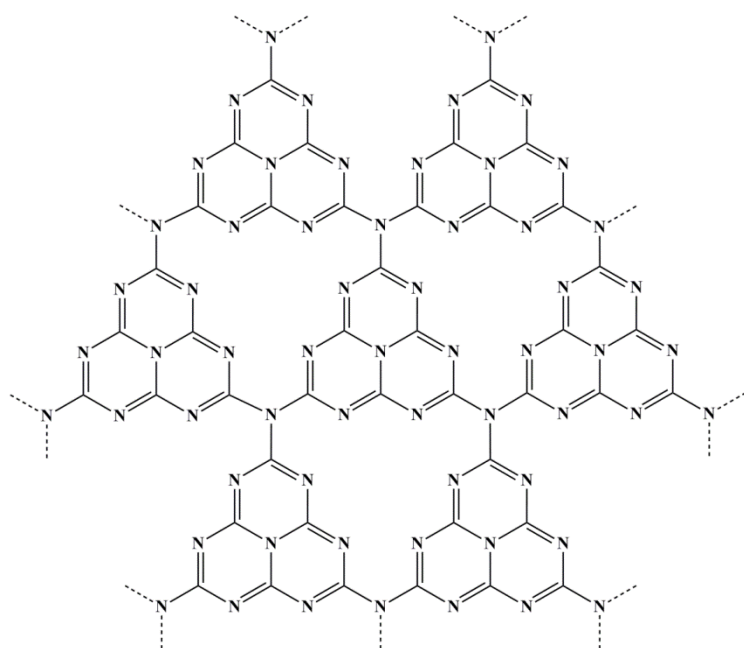
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**Figure S1.** SEM images of pristine diatom template (a) and purified diatom template (b).



**Figure S2.** Illustration of solid phase mixing diatom (a) and cyanamide (b) to synthesize diatom templated carbon nitride.



**Figure S3.** Schematic diagram of a perfect carbon nitride sheet constructed from tri-s-triazine building blocks.

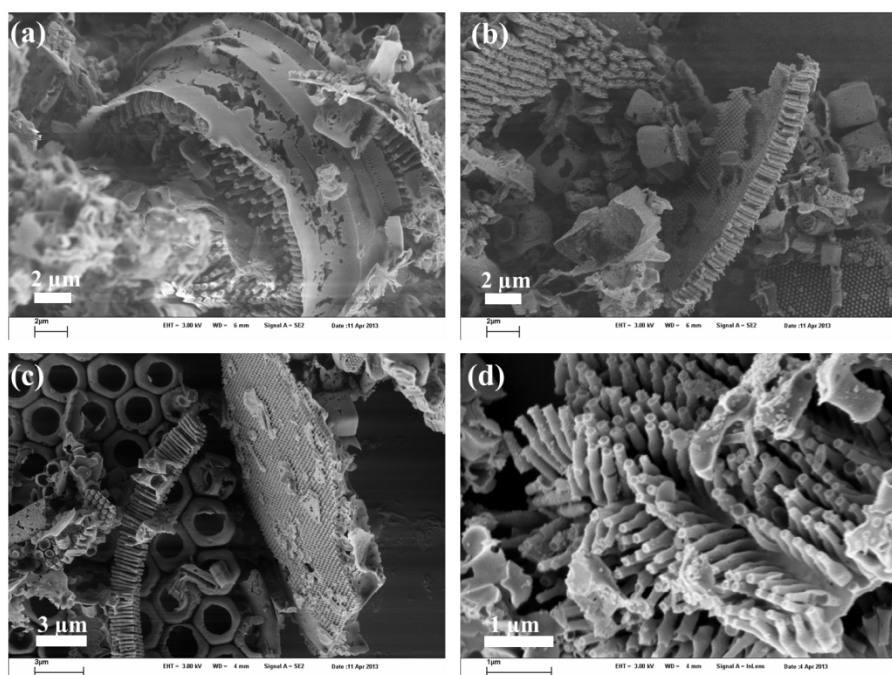


Figure S4. SEM images of CNA.

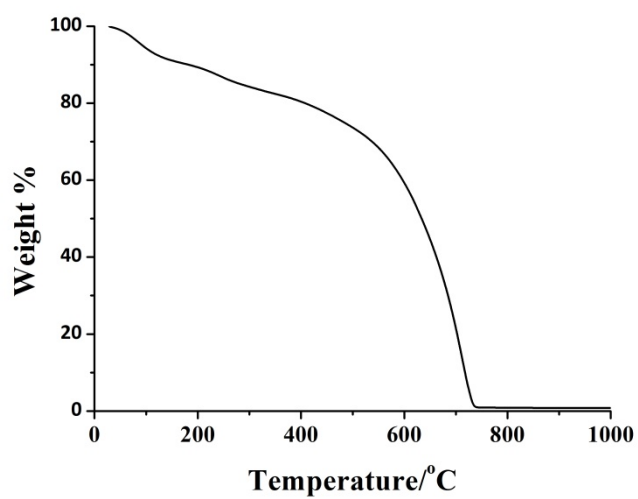


Figure S5. TGA curve of CNA.

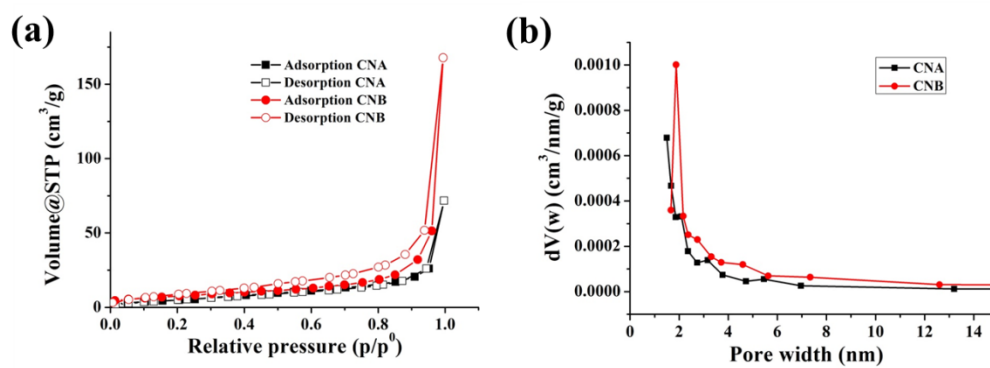
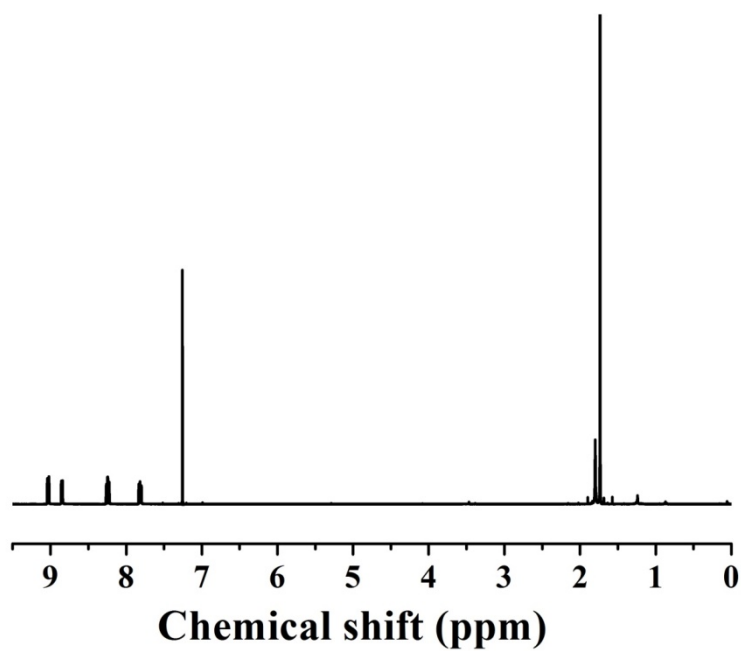
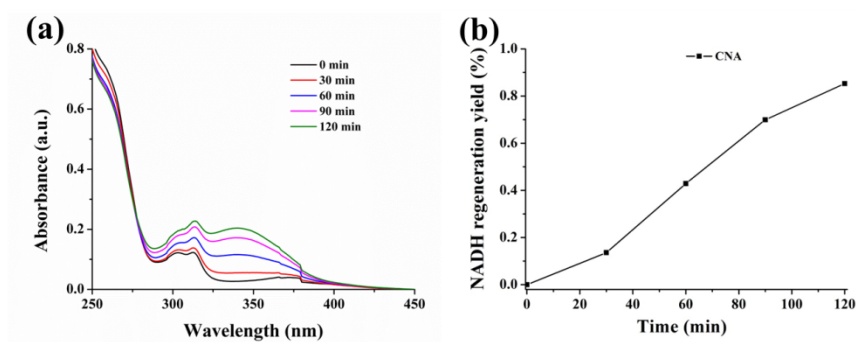


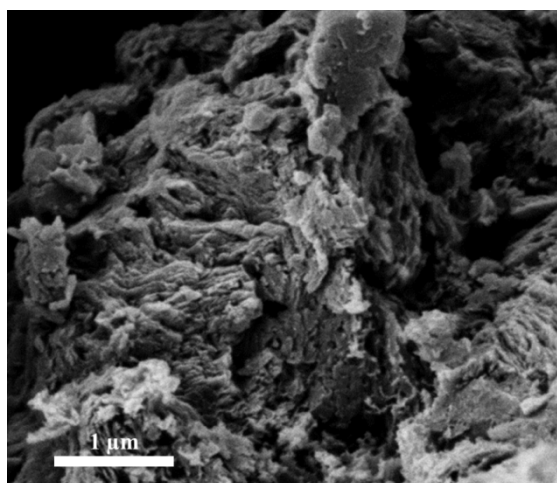
Figure S6. N<sub>2</sub> sorption isotherms of CAN and CNB (a) and corresponding pore size distributions (b), respectively.



**Figure S7.** NMR of  $[\text{Cp}^*\text{Rh}(\text{bpy})\text{Cl}]\text{Cl}$  compound.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\text{Cp}^*[\text{Rh}(2,2'\text{-bpy})]$   $\delta(\text{ppm}) = 9.02$  (d, 2H, H-3, 3'), 8.84 (d, 2H, H-6, 6'), 8.24 (t, 2H, H-5, 5'), 7.81 (t, 2H, H-4, 4'), 1.74 (s, 15H,  $\text{Cp}^*$ )



**Figure S8.** (a) Spectral measurement of NADH concentration in mediator involved reaction solution; (b) Photocatalytic NADH regeneration kinetics in the presence of mediator by CNA.



**Figure S9.** SEM of bulky CNB.