Supporting Information

Giant Photoluminescence Enhancement in MoSe2 Monolayers treated with Oleic Acid Ligands

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SI Figure 1: Effect of Toluene on WS₂ PL



<u>SI Figure 2</u>: Optical micrographs of MoSe₂ monolayers before (LHS) and after (RHS) OA treatment. Scalebar represents 20 μ m. Slight delamination in monolayer 1 attributed to surface tension effects of OA.



SI Figure 3: Gaussian fits of pristine MoSe2 monolayer PL spectra



SI Figure 4: Gaussian fits of OA treated MoSe2 monolayer PL spectra



<u>SI Figure 5 a-b</u>: Time resolved photoluminescence signals for pristine (blue) and OA treated (red) samples with bi-exponential decay fits (red dashed line in pristine spectra and blue dashed lined in OA treated spectra).



<u>SI Figure 6:</u> Variation of slow decay component, τ_2 , of pristine (blue) and OA treated (red) MoSe₂ time resolved PL signals with initial carrier concentration and pump intensities (W cm⁻²).



<u>SI Figure 7</u>: Raw PL spectra of a single spot on a WSe_2 monolayer on Si-SiO₂ (90 nm) treated with OA.



<u>SI Figure 8</u>: Raman spectra of pristine (blue) and OA treated MoSe₂ monolayers on glass substrate.