

Electronic Supplementary Information

Luminescent heteroleptic Eu(III) probes for the selective detection of diethyl chlorophosphate as G-series nerve agent mimic in the vapor phase using solid-state films

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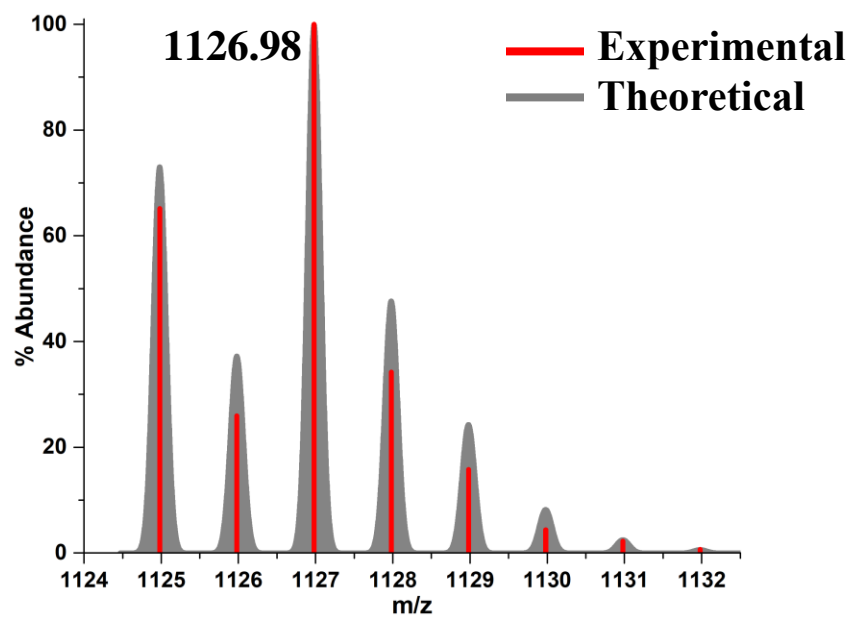


Figure S1. ESI-MS spectra of the **Eu(*o*-OH)** in CHCl₃ showing observed molecular ion peak as [M-H]⁻ at *m/z* 1126.98 with theoretically predicted isotopic distribution profile.

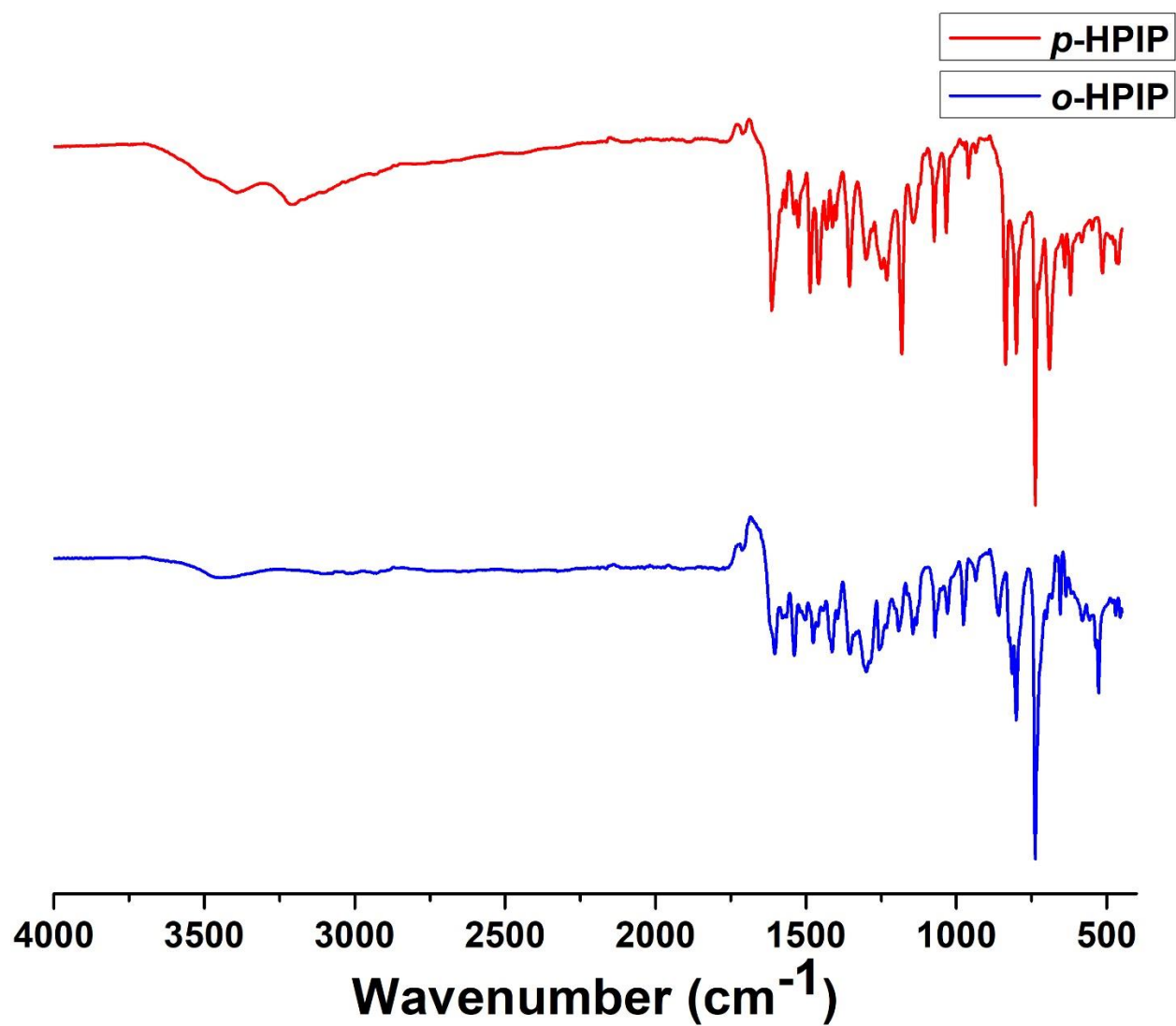


Figure S2. FT-IR spectra of *o*-HPIP and *p*-HPIP ligands in solid state using KBr disc in the range 400-4000 cm⁻¹.

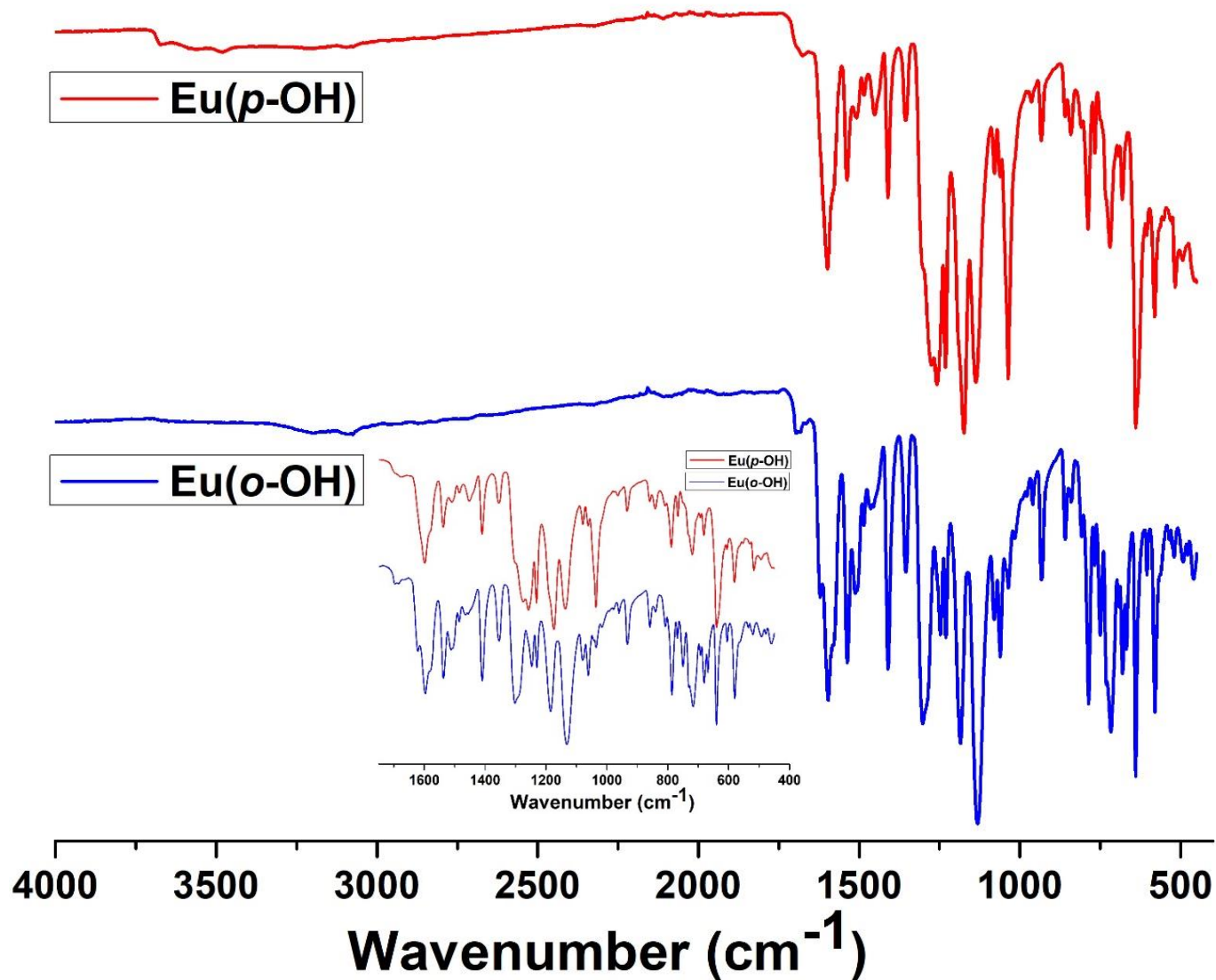


Figure S3. FT-IR spectra of **Eu(*o*-OH)** and **Eu(*p*-OH)** complexes in solid state using KBr disc in the range 400-4000 cm⁻¹. The inset figure shows the overlay of the FT-IR spectra in fingerprint region.

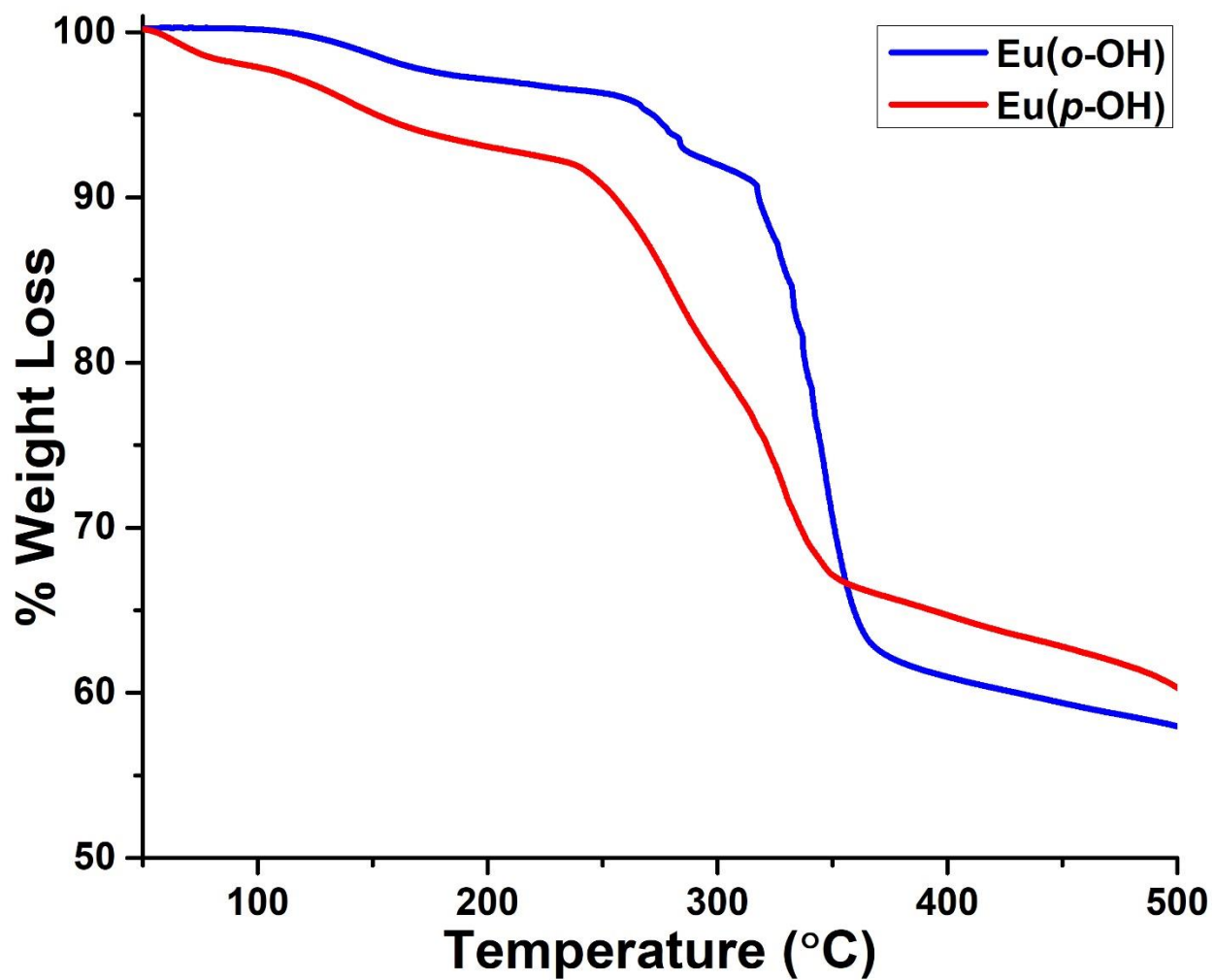


Figure S4. TGA plot of the **Eu(o-OH)** and **Eu(p-OH)** complexes at a heating rate of $10\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C min}^{-1}$ under N_2 atmosphere.

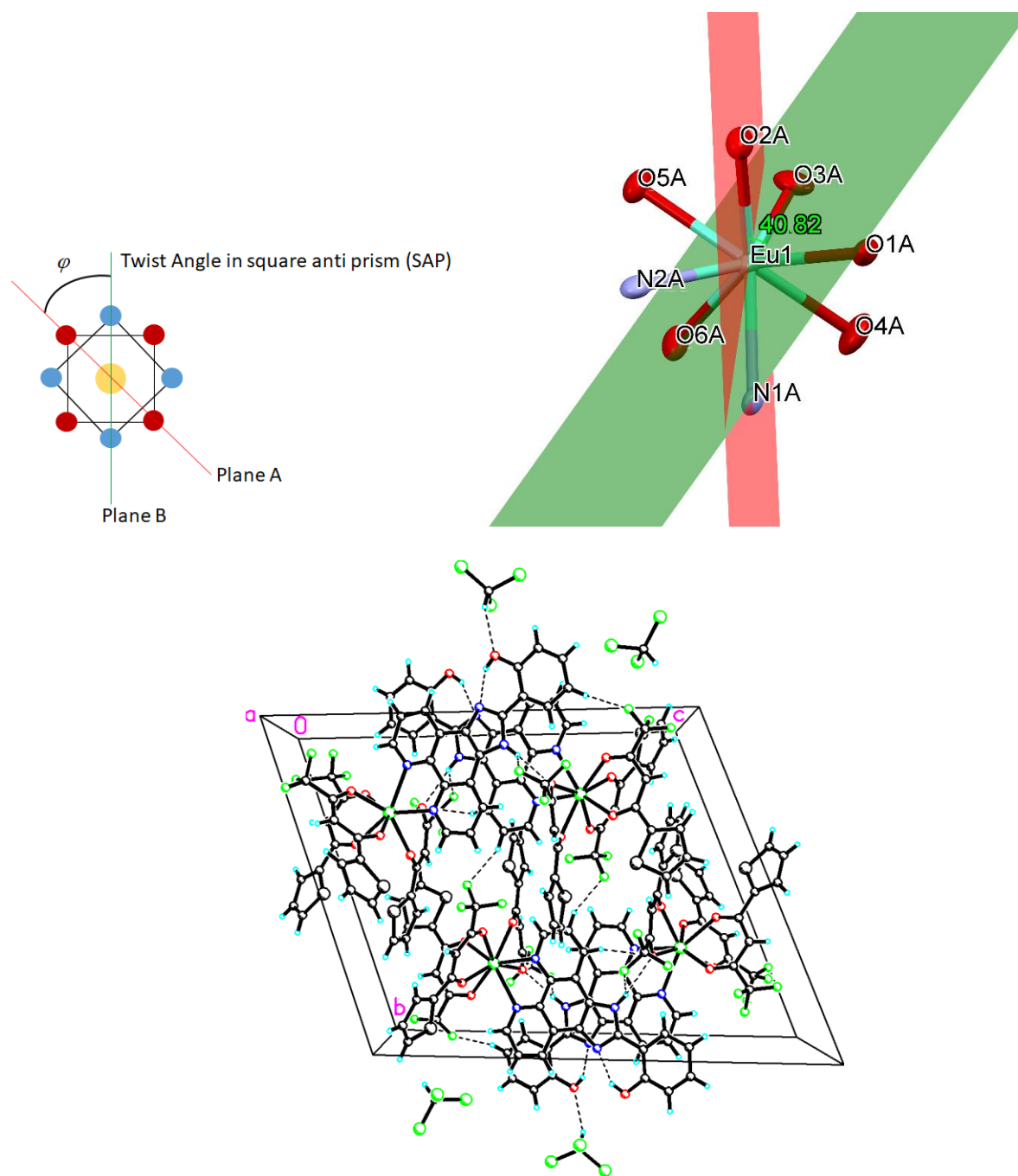


Figure S5. Perspective drawing of the $\text{Eu}(o\text{-OH})$ with twist angle (top) and unit cell packing diagram (bottom) of the $\text{Eu}(o\text{-OH})$ along b-axis.

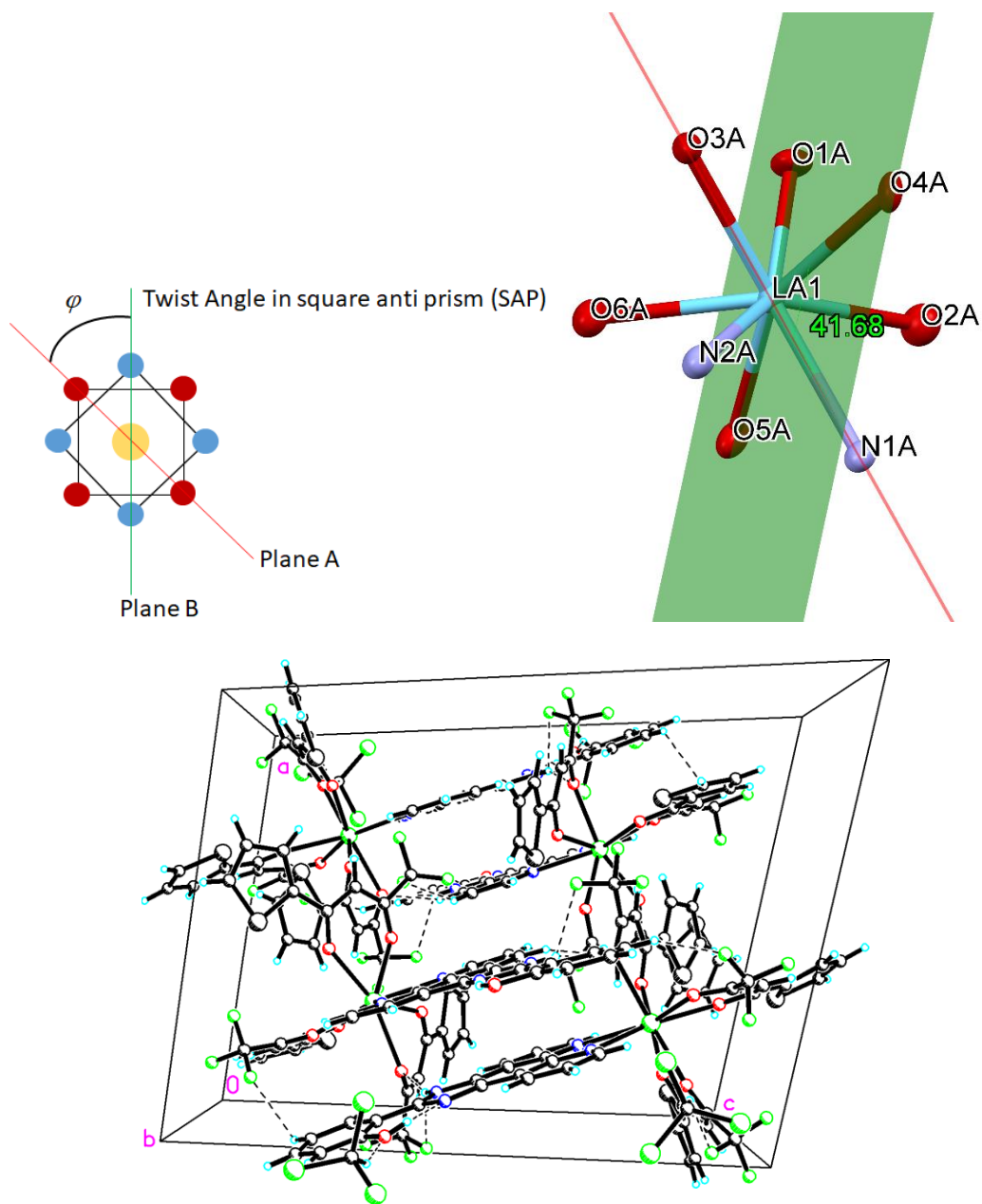


Figure S6. Perspective drawing of the $\text{La}(o\text{-OH})$ with the twist angle (top) and unit cell packing diagram (bottom) of the $\text{La}(o\text{-OH})$ along b-axis.

Table S1. Selected crystallographic data and structure refinement parameters of complexes.

Parameter	[Eu(<i>o</i> -HPIP)(TTA) ₃]·(CHCl ₃)	[La(<i>o</i> -HPIP)(TTA) ₃]·2(CHCl ₃)
Empirical formula	C ₄₄ H ₂₅ Cl ₃ EuF ₉ N ₄ O ₇ S ₃	C ₄₅ H ₂₆ Cl ₆ F ₉ LaN ₄ O ₇ S ₃
Formula weight	1247.17	1353.49
Crystal system	Triclinic	Triclinic
Space group	<i>P</i> -1	<i>P</i> -1
<i>a</i> / Å	15.4707(13)	15.852(3)
<i>b</i> / Å	17.5731(15)	17.886(3)
<i>c</i> / Å	21.2458(18)	21.388(3)
α (deg)	67.219(3)	66.895(4)
β (deg)	76.283(3)	73.584(4)
γ (deg)	73.703(3)	71.157(4)
Volume (Å ³)	5057.4(8)	5193.7(14)
Z	4	4
<i>D</i> _x (Mg m ⁻³)	1.638	1.731
μ (mm ⁻¹)	1.607	1.338
<i>F</i> (000)	2464	2672
<i>T</i> (K)	100(2)	100(2)
θ range for data collection(deg)	2.988 to 28.266	2.281 to 28.327
Limiting indices	-20 ≤ <i>h</i> ≤ 20, -23 ≤ <i>k</i> ≤ 23, -28 ≤ <i>l</i> ≤ 28	-21 ≤ <i>h</i> ≤ 21, -23 ≤ <i>k</i> ≤ 23, -28 ≤ <i>l</i> ≤ 28
Reflections collected	80074	71657
Unique reflections	24985	25777
<i>R</i> (int)	0.1393	0.0909
Data/restraint/parameter	24985 / 2059 / 1411	25777 / 1245 / 1651
GOF on <i>F</i> ²	1.106	1.083
<i>R</i> ₁ ^a and <i>wR</i> ₂ ^b [<i>I</i> > 2σ(<i>I</i>)]	0.1443 and 0.2783	0.0879 and 0.1696
<i>R</i> ₁ and <i>wR</i> ₂ (all data)	0.2099 and 0.3108	0.1388 and 0.1912
Largest diff. peak and hole (e.Å ⁻³)	2.197 and -4.106	2.528 and -1.509
CCDC deposition number	2049309	2049310

^a $R_1 = \sum ||F_0| - |F_C|| / \sum |F_0|$. ^b $wR_2 = \{ \sum [w(F_0^2 - F_C^2)] / \sum [w(F_0^2)^2] \}^{1/2}$.

Table S2. Selected bond lengths [\AA] and bond angles [$^\circ$] for **Eu(*o*-OH)** and **La(*o*-OH)**.

[Eu(<i>o</i>-HPIP)(TTA)₃]		[La(<i>o</i>-HPIP)(TTA)₃]	
	Bond Length (\AA)		Bond Length (\AA)
Eu(1)-O(1A)	2.340(10)	La(1)-O(1A)	2.445(5)
Eu(1)-O(2A)	2.373(9)	La(1)-O(2A)	2.449(5)
Eu(1)-O(3A)	2.375(11)	La(1)-O(6A)	2.457(5)
Eu(1)-O(5A)	2.383(9)	La(1)-O(5A)	2.457(5)
Eu(1)-O(4A)	2.388(10)	La(1)-O(3A)	2.479(5)
Eu(1)-O(6A)	2.413(9)	La(1)-O(4A)	2.531(5)
Eu(1)-N(1A)	2.623(11)	La(1)-N(1A)	2.728(6)
Eu(1)-N(2A)	2.545(12)	La(1)-N(2A)	2.673(6)
	Bond Angles ($^\circ$)		Bond Angles ($^\circ$)
O(1A)-Eu(1)-O(2A)	71.1(3)	O(4B)-La(2)-O(1B)	134.12(19)
O(1A)-Eu(1)-O(3A)	98.6(4)	O(4B)-La(2)-O(3B)	69.65(19)
O(2A)-Eu(1)-O(3A)	89.2(3)	O(1B)-La(2)-O(3B)	78.3(2)
O(1A)-Eu(1)-O(5A)	141.8(3)	O(4B)-La(2)-O(5B)	120.16(19)
O(2A)-Eu(1)-O(5A)	71.9(3)	O(1B)-La(2)-O(5B)	78.31(17)
O(3A)-Eu(1)-O(5A)	71.5(4)	O(3B)-La(2)-O(5B)	73.25(19)
O(1A)-Eu(1)-O(4A)	73.3(4)	O(4B)-La(2)-O(2B)	75.48(19)
O(2A)-Eu(1)-O(4A)	136.1(4)	O(1B)-La(2)-O(2B)	70.09(17)
O(3A)-Eu(1)-O(4A)	71.4(4)	O(3B)-La(2)-O(2B)	85.6(2)
O(5A)-Eu(1)-O(4A)	132.0(4)	O(5B)-La(2)-O(2B)	144.98(17)
O(1A)-Eu(1)-O(6A)	146.7(3)	O(4B)-La(2)-O(6B)	77.58(18)
O(2A)-Eu(1)-O(6A)	142.0(3)	O(1B)-La(2)-O(6B)	144.45(17)
O(3A)-Eu(1)-O(6A)	86.9(3)	O(3B)-La(2)-O(6B)	106.2(2)
O(5A)-Eu(1)-O(6A)	71.1(3)	O(5B)-La(2)-O(6B)	69.79(17)
O(4A)-Eu(1)-O(6A)	77.5(4)	O(2B)-La(2)-O(6B)	144.46(16)
O(1A)-Eu(1)-N(2A)	103.5(4)	O(4B)-La(2)-N(1B)	93.04(18)
O(2A)-Eu(1)-N(2A)	73.3(3)	O(1B)-La(2)-N(1B)	108.78(18)
O(3A)-Eu(1)-N(2A)	145.2(4)	O(3B)-La(2)-N(1B)	159.41(19)
O(5A)-Eu(1)-N(2A)	74.5(4)	O(5B)-La(2)-N(1B)	126.66(18)
O(4A)-Eu(1)-N(2A)	140.8(4)	O(2B)-La(2)-N(1B)	79.05(17)
O(6A)-Eu(1)-N(2A)	89.0(3)	O(6B)-La(2)-N(1B)	79.67(16)
O(1A)-Eu(1)-N(1A)	76.3(3)	O(4B)-La(2)-N(2B)	150.52(19)
O(2A)-Eu(1)-N(1A)	116.4(4)	O(1B)-La(2)-N(2B)	71.67(18)
O(3A)-Eu(1)-N(1A)	149.4(3)	O(3B)-La(2)-N(2B)	138.60(19)
O(5A)-Eu(1)-N(1A)	130.2(3)	O(5B)-La(2)-N(2B)	73.32(18)
O(4A)-Eu(1)-N(1A)	78.3(4)	O(2B)-La(2)-N(2B)	109.19(17)
O(6A)-Eu(1)-N(1A)	82.4(3)	O(6B)-La(2)-N(2B)	84.22(17)
N(2A)-Eu(1)-N(1A)	63.4(3)	N(1B)-La(2)-N(2B)	60.70(18)

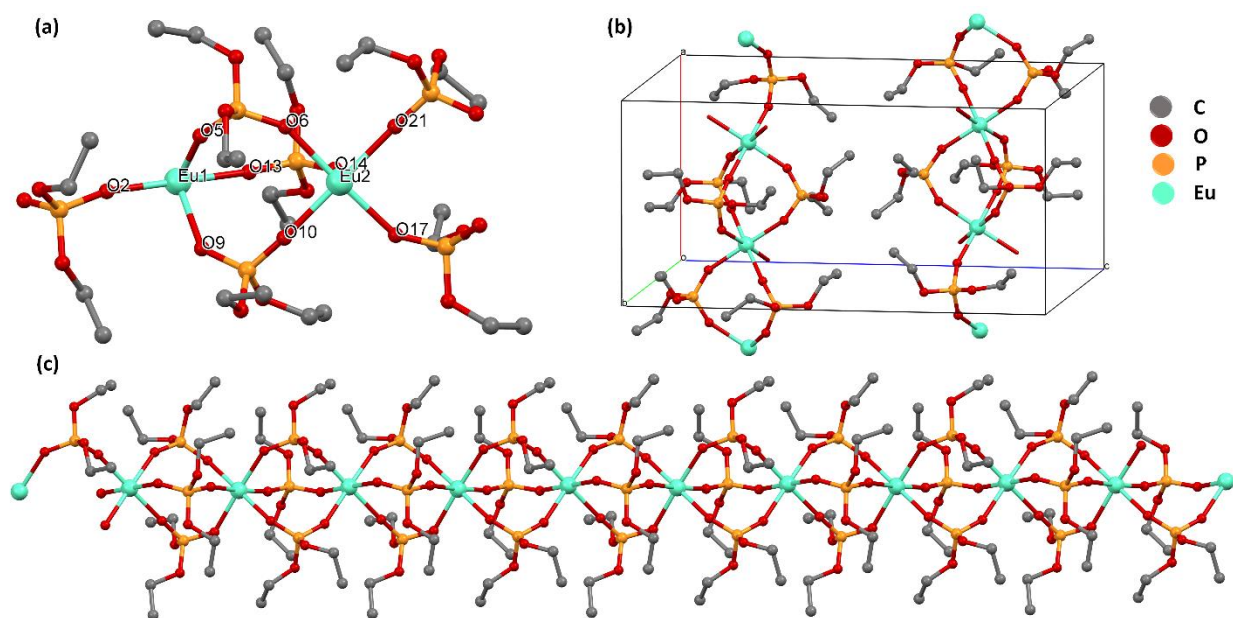


Figure S7. **a)** Asymmetric unit of $[\text{Eu}(\text{DHP})_3]_n$ polymer chain; **b)** Unit cell diagram of the $[\text{Eu}(\text{DHP})_3]_n$ structure viewed along b-axis; **c)** A view of the 1-D chain showing Eu(III) ion forming a chain having three bridging DHPs between the two ions. Hydrogen atoms are omitted for clarity.

Table S3. Selected crystallographic data and structure refinement parameters of **Eu(*o*-OH)** and DCP reaction product: [Eu(DHP)₃]_n.

Parameters	[Eu(DHP) ₃] _n
Empirical formula	C ₂₄ H ₆₀ Eu ₂ O ₂₄ P ₆
Formula weight	1222.46
Crystal system	Triclinic
Space group	<i>P</i> -1
<i>a</i> Å	10.1425(15)
<i>b</i> Å	11.2668(17)
<i>c</i> Å	20.708(3)
α (deg)	101.038(4)
β (deg)	90.599(4)
γ (deg)	91.973(4)
Volume Å ³	2320.8(6)
<i>Z</i>	2
<i>D_x</i> (Mg m ⁻³)	1.749
μ (mm ⁻¹)	2.960
<i>F</i> (000)	1224
<i>T</i> (K)	100(2)
θ range for data collection(deg)	4.46 to 50.1
Limiting indices	-12 ≤ <i>h</i> ≤ 12, -13 ≤ <i>k</i> ≤ 13, -24 ≤ <i>l</i> ≤ 24
Reflections collected	24255
Unique reflections	8005
<i>R</i> (int)	0.0619
Data/restraint/parameter	8005 / 0 / 499
GOF on <i>F</i> ²	1.163
<i>R</i> ₁ ^a and <i>wR</i> ₂ ^b [<i>I</i> > 2σ(<i>I</i>)]	0.0565 and 0.1194
<i>R</i> ₁ and <i>wR</i> ₂ (all data)	0.0724 and 0.1278
Largest diff. peak and hole (e.Å ⁻³)	1.96 and -1.58
CCDC deposition number	2069827
^a $R_1 = \frac{\sum F_0 - F_c }{\sum F_0 }$. ^b $wR_2 = \left\{ \frac{\sum [w(F_0^2 - F_c^2)]}{\sum [w(F_0^2)^2]} \right\}^{1/2}$.	

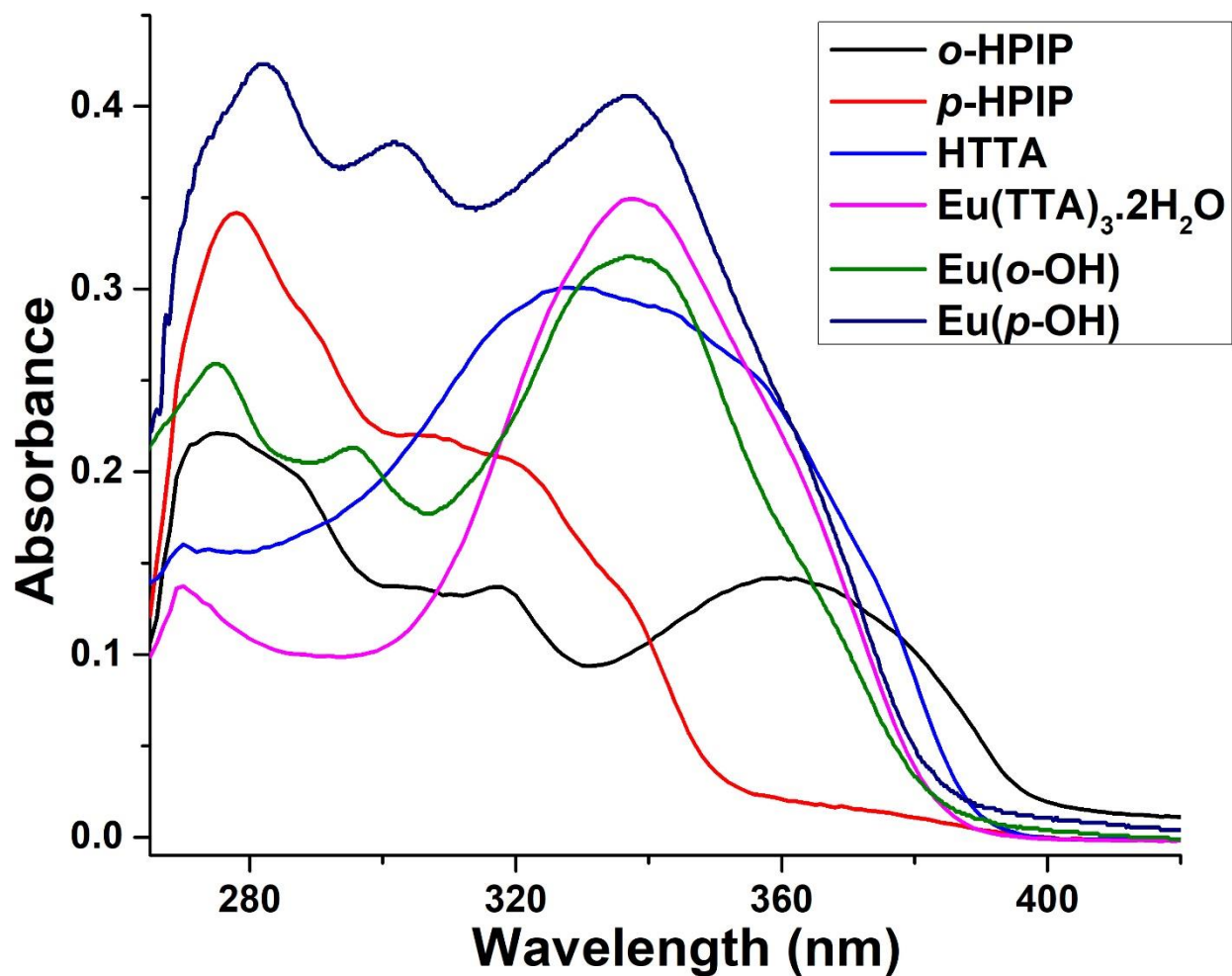


Figure S8. Electronic absorption spectra of the ligands (*o/p*-HPIP and TTA) (15 μM), $\text{Eu}(\text{TTA})_3 \cdot 2\text{H}_2\text{O}$ (5 μM) and complex $\text{Eu}(\textit{o}\text{-OH})$ and $\text{Eu}(\textit{p}\text{-OH})$ (5 μM) in MeCN at 298 K.

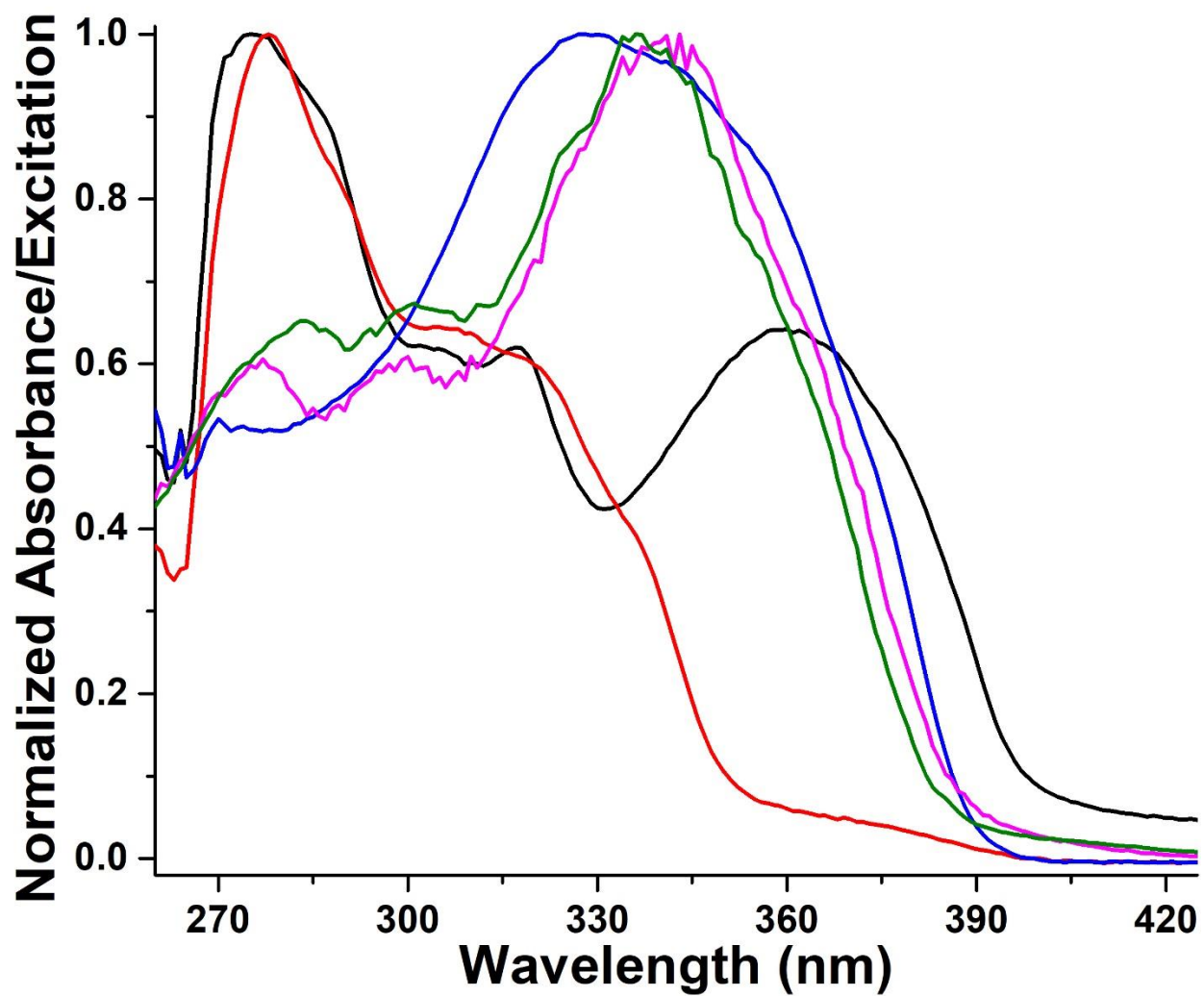


Figure S9. Electronic absorption spectra of the ligands (*o/p*-HPIP and TTA) ($15 \mu\text{M}$) and excitation spectra of the complexes **Eu(*o*-OH)** and **Eu(*p*-OH)** ($5 \mu\text{M}$) in MeCN at 298 K.

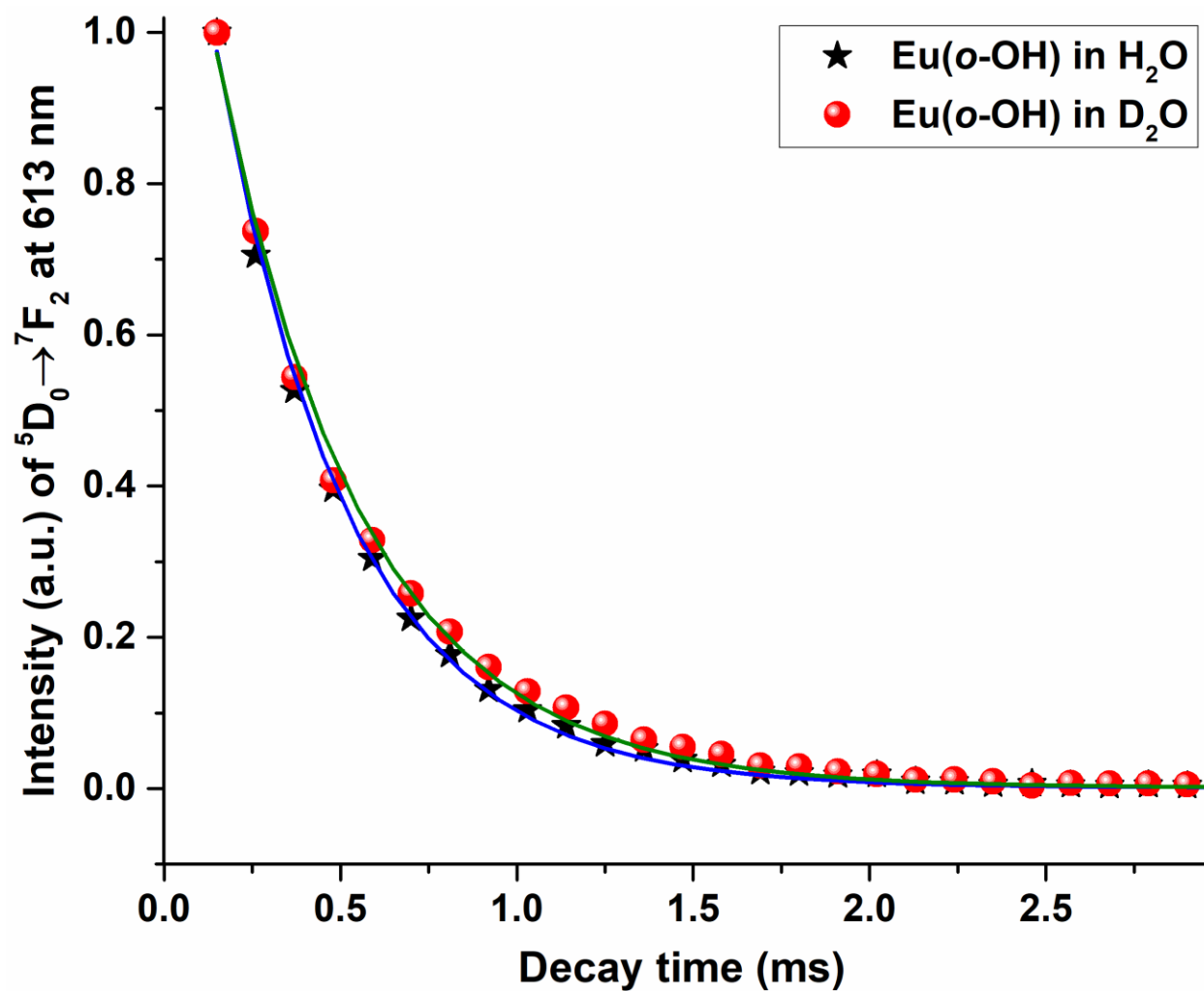


Figure S10. Luminescence decay profile of ${}^5D_0 \rightarrow {}^7F_2$ transition and lifetime measurements for complex $\text{Eu}(o\text{-OH})$ in H_2O and D_2O ($5 \mu\text{M}$) at 298 K. $\lambda_{\text{ex}} = 340 \text{ nm}$, delay time and gate time = 0.1 ms, total decay time = 10.0 ms, Ex. and Em. Slit width = 5 nm.

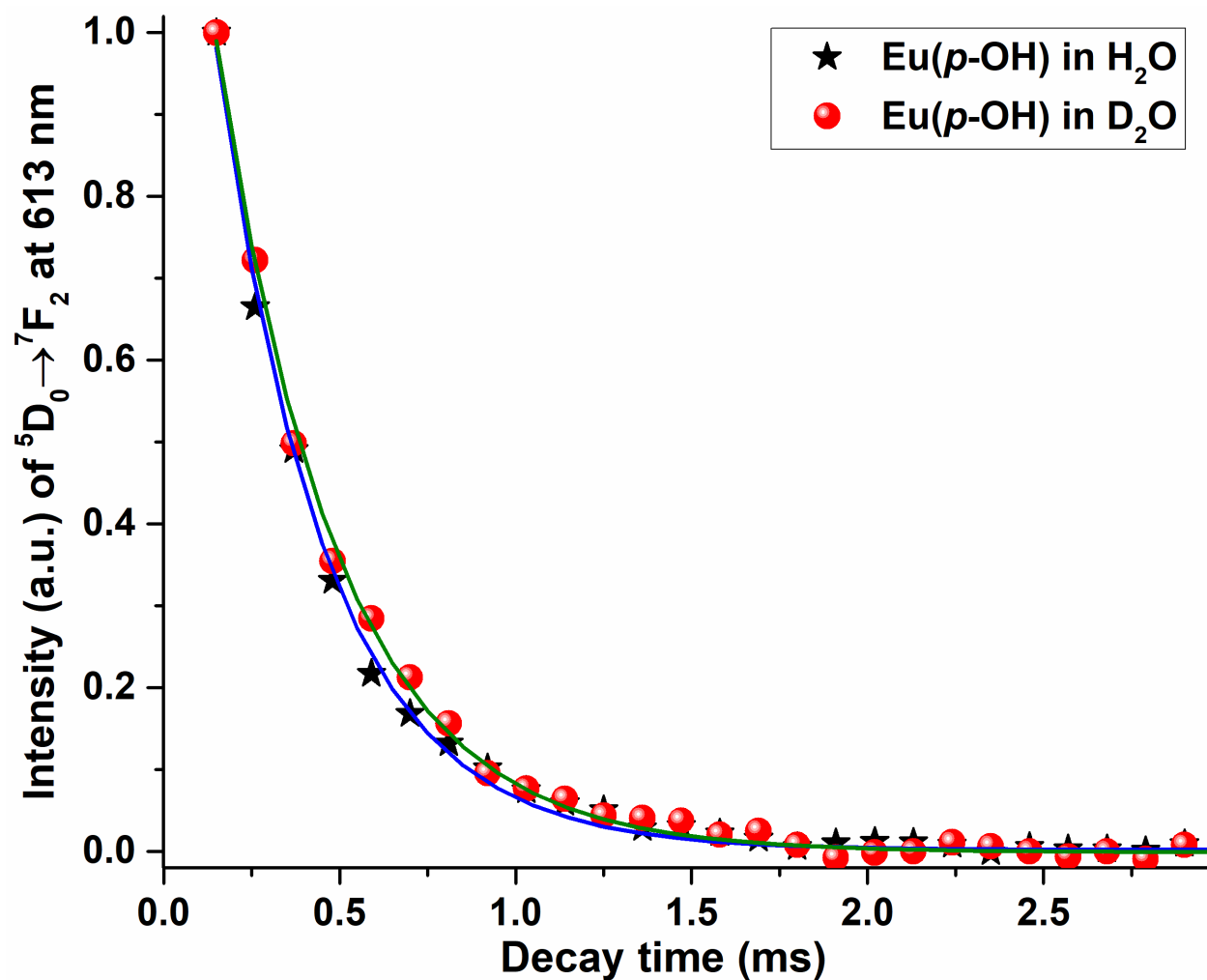


Figure S11. Luminescence decay profile of ${}^5D_0 \rightarrow {}^7F_2$ transition and lifetime measurements for complex $\text{Eu}(p\text{-OH})$ in H_2O and D_2O ($5 \mu\text{M}$) at 298 K. $\lambda_{\text{ex}} = 340 \text{ nm}$, delay time and gate time = 0.1 ms, total decay time = 3.0 ms, Ex. and Em. Slit width = 5 nm.

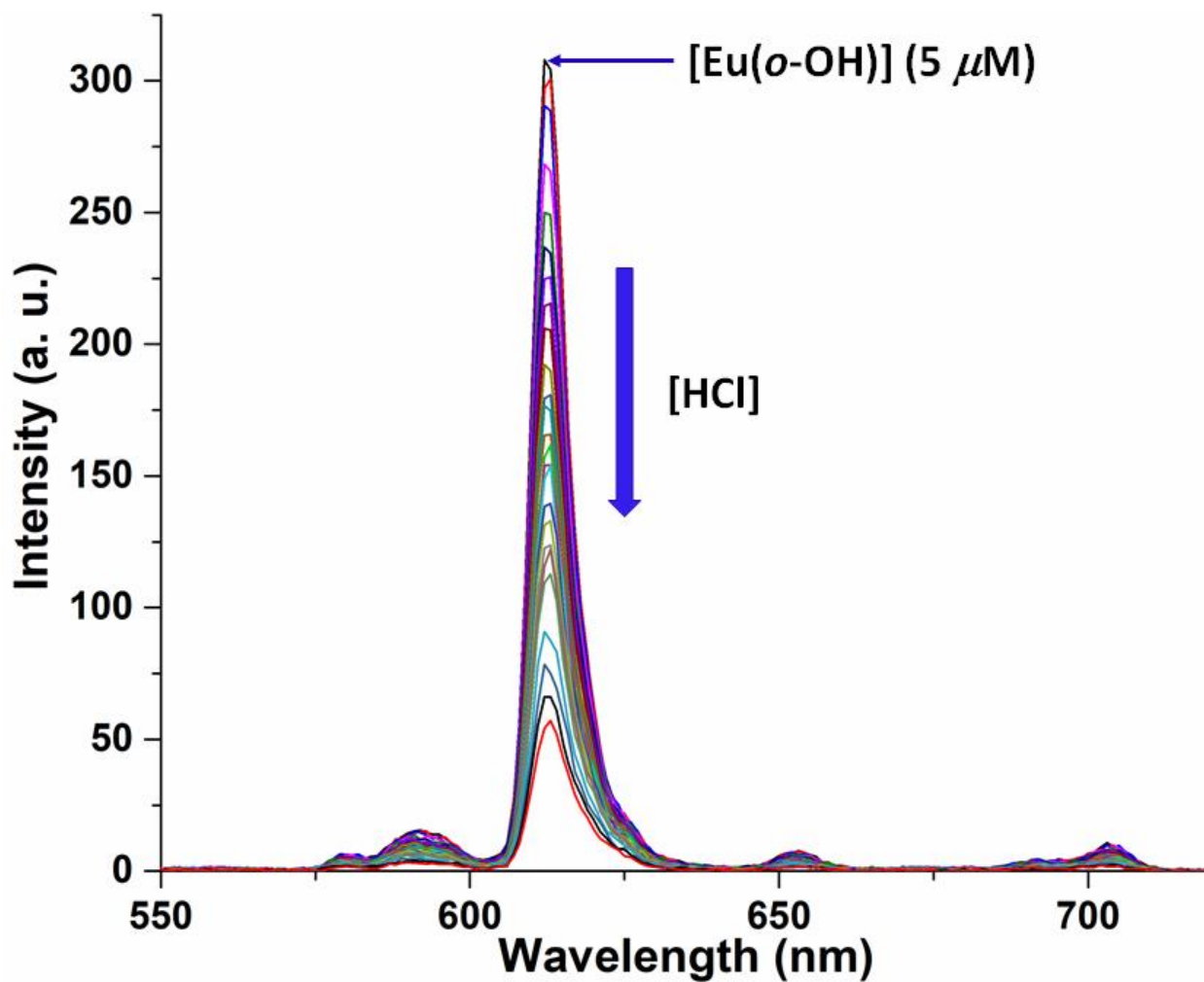


Figure S12. Changes in the PL spectra ($\lambda_{\text{ex}} = 340 \text{ nm}$) of $\text{Eu}(\text{o-OH})$ ($5 \mu\text{M}$) with the increasing concentration of HCl ($0\text{-}30 \mu\text{M}$) observed at characteristic emission from the hypersensitive band of $\text{Eu}(\text{III})$ ion (${}^5D_0 \rightarrow {}^7F_2 = 613 \text{ nm}$).

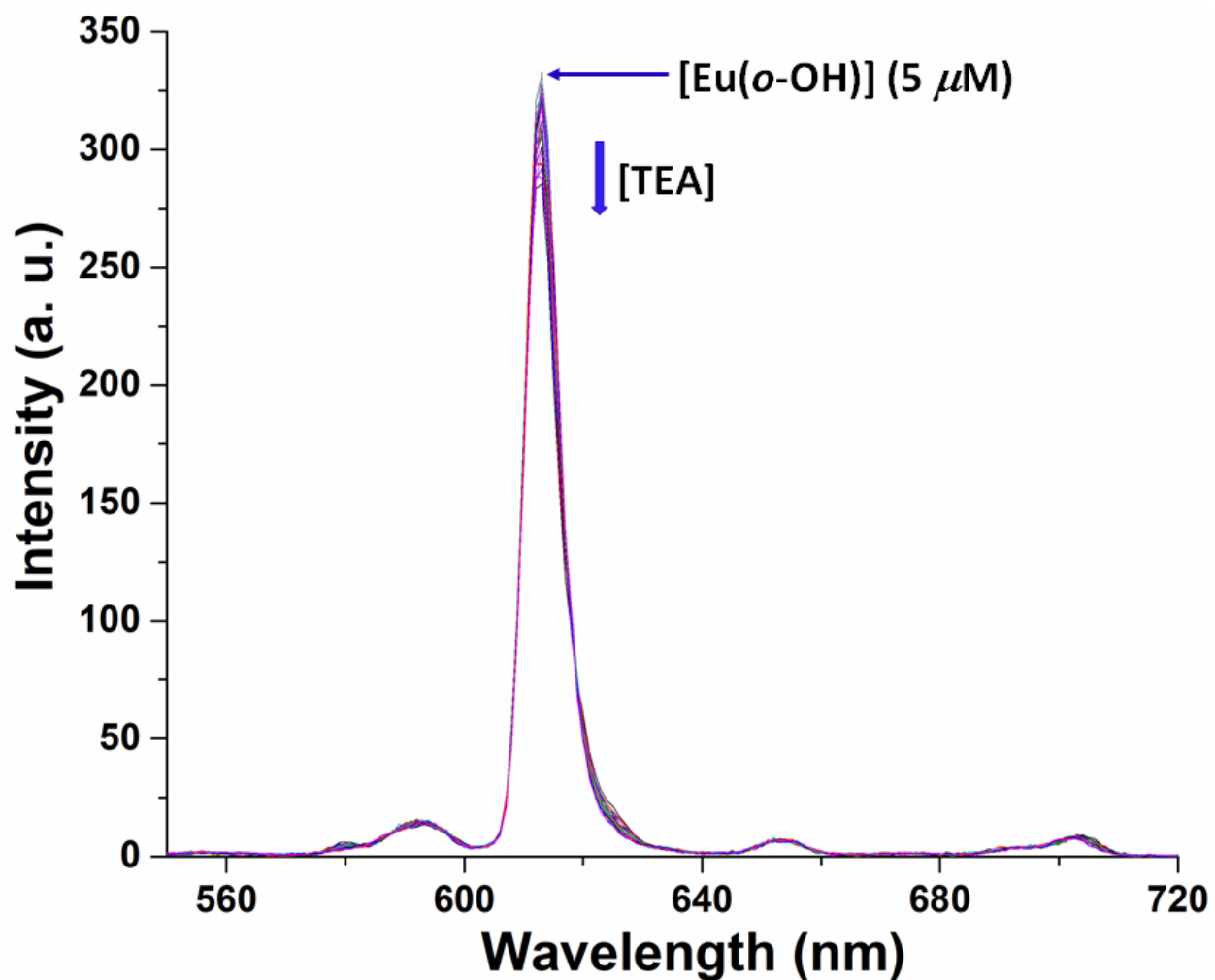


Figure S13. Changes in the PL spectra ($\lambda_{\text{ex}} = 340 \text{ nm}$) of $\text{Eu}(\text{o-OH})$ ($5 \mu\text{M}$) with the increasing concentration of triethylamine (**TEA**) ($0\text{-}50 \mu\text{M}$) observed at characteristic emission from the hypersensitive band of Eu(III) ion (${}^5D_0 \rightarrow {}^7F_2 = 613 \text{ nm}$).

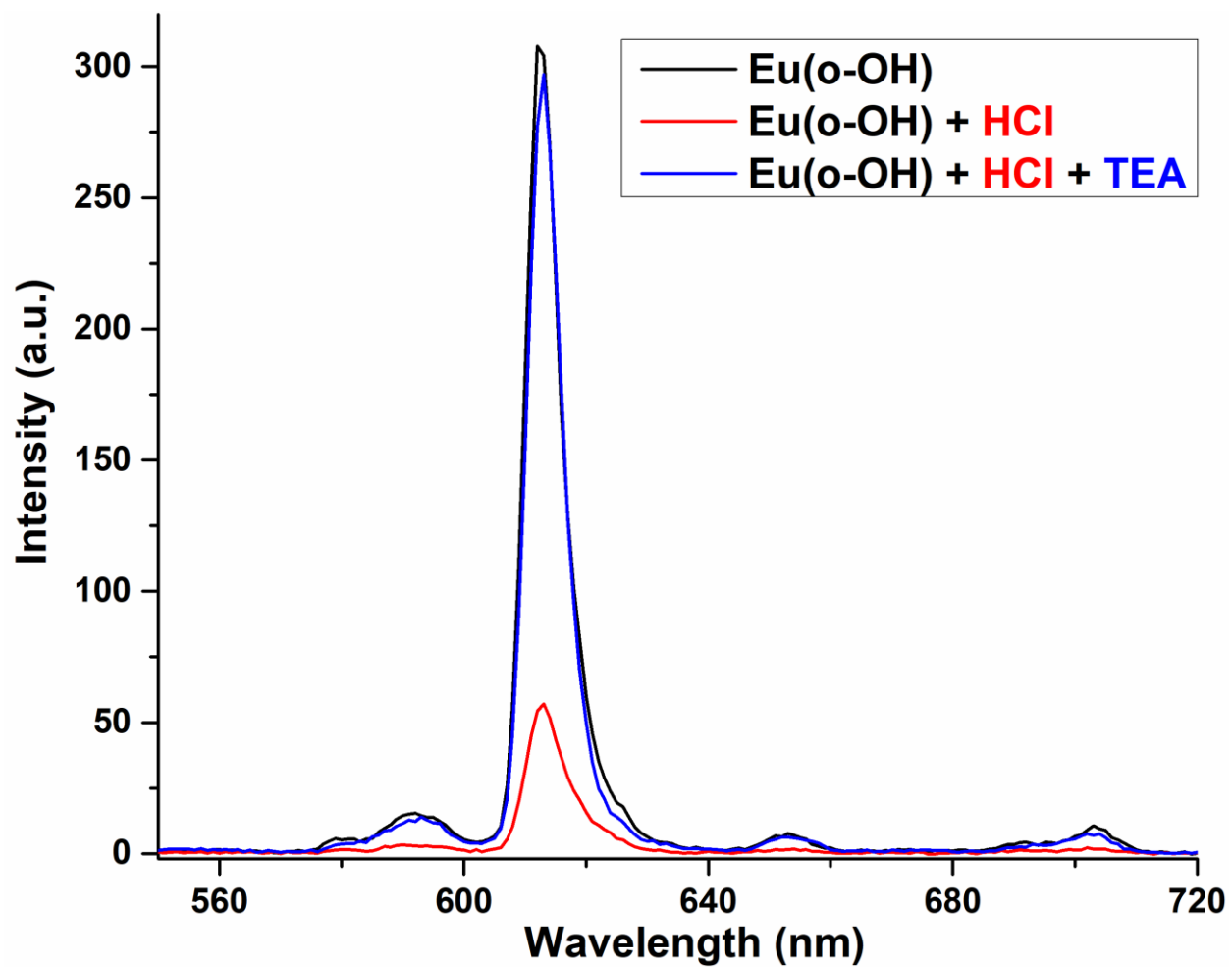


Figure S14. Reversible changes in the PL ($\lambda_{\text{ex}} = 340 \text{ nm}$) of **Eu(o-OH)** ($5 \mu\text{M}$) with the addition of **HCl** ($0\text{-}30 \mu\text{M}$) followed by the addition of **TEA** ($0\text{-}30 \mu\text{M}$) observed at characteristic emission from the hypersensitive band of Eu(III) ion (${}^5D_0 \rightarrow {}^7F_2 = 613 \text{ nm}$).

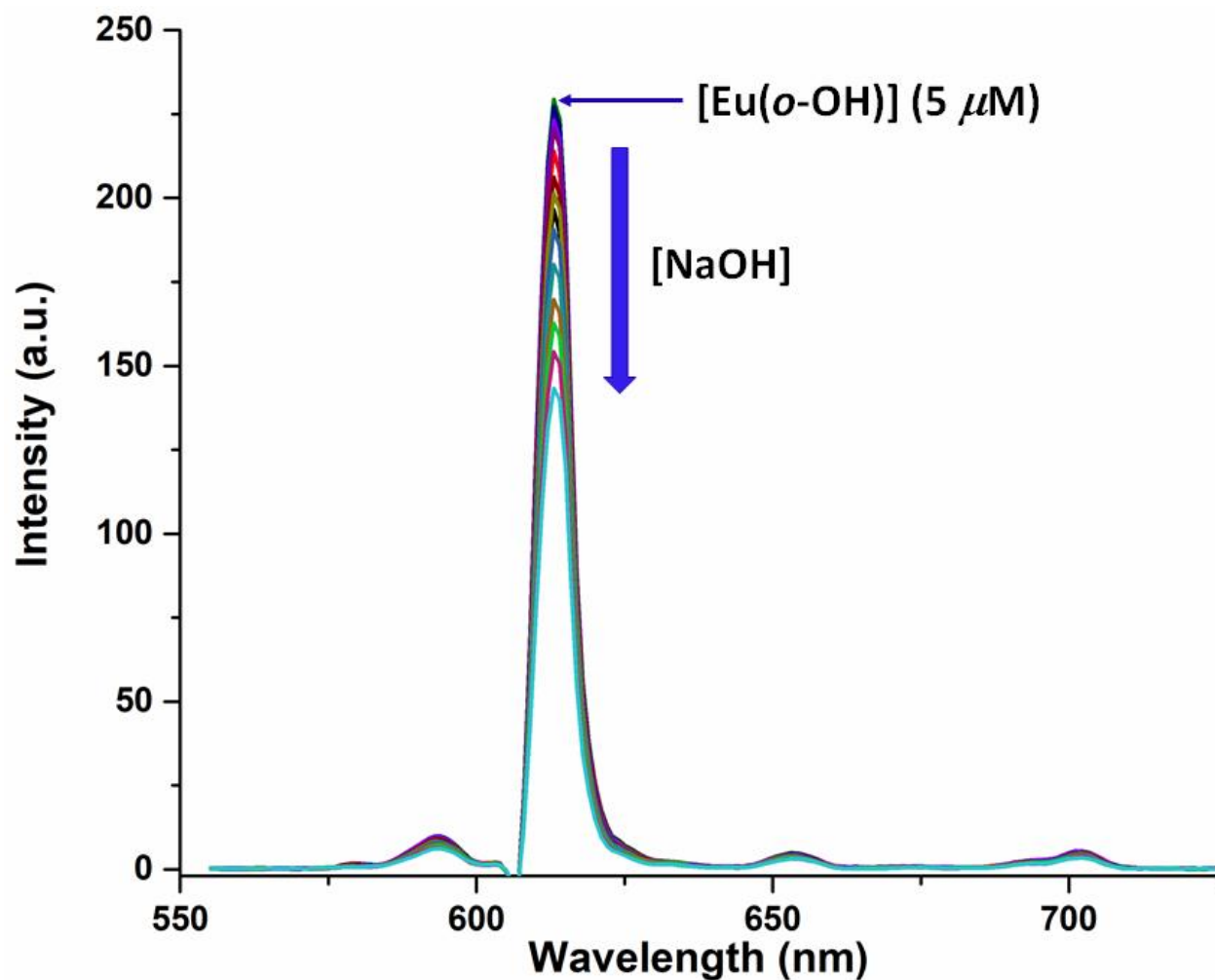


Figure S15. Changes in the PL spectra ($\lambda_{\text{ex}} = 340 \text{ nm}$) of **Eu(*o*-OH)** ($5 \mu\text{M}$) with the increasing concentration of **NaOH** ($0\text{-}7.5 \mu\text{M}$) observed at characteristic emission from the hypersensitive band of Eu(III) ion (${}^5D_0 \rightarrow {}^7F_2 = 613 \text{ nm}$).

NMR titration studies of $[\text{La}(\text{o-HPIP})(\text{TTA})_3]$ with DCP in DMSO-d_6

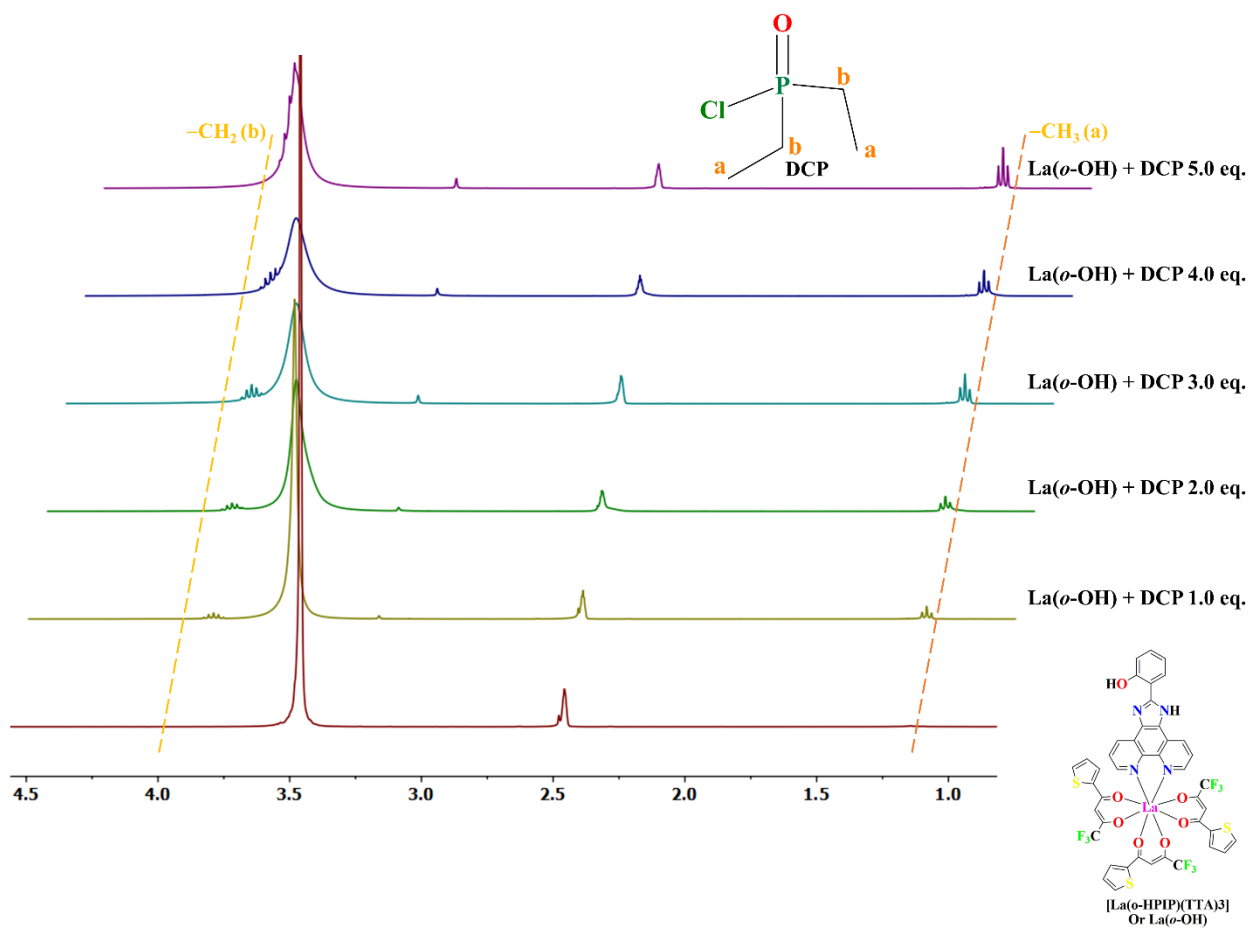


Figure S16. Overlaid $^1\text{H-NMR}$ signals of the $\text{La}(\text{o-OH})$ (20 mM) in the aliphatic region of the spectrum with the gradual addition of DCP (0-100 mM).

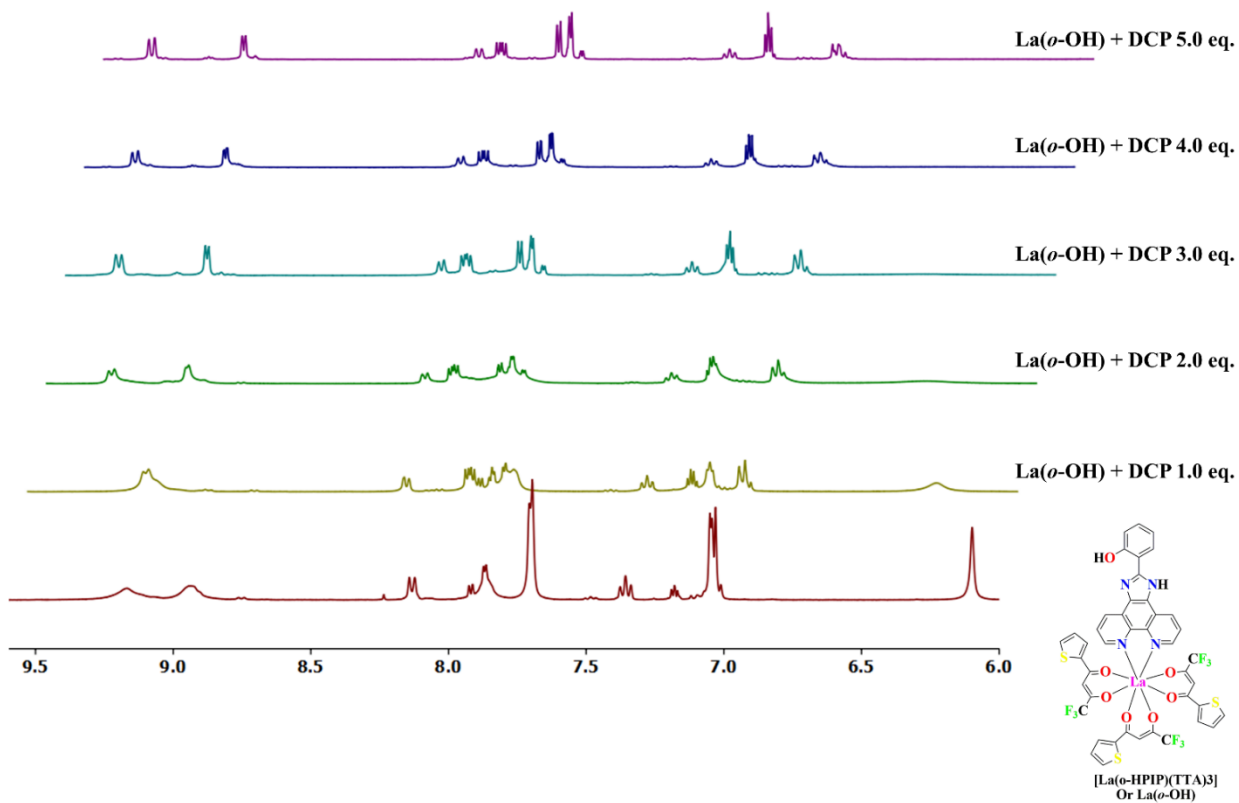


Figure S17. Overlaid ^1H -NMR signals of the $\text{La}(o\text{-OH})$ (20 mM) in the aromatic region of the spectrum with the gradual addition of DCP (0-100 mM).

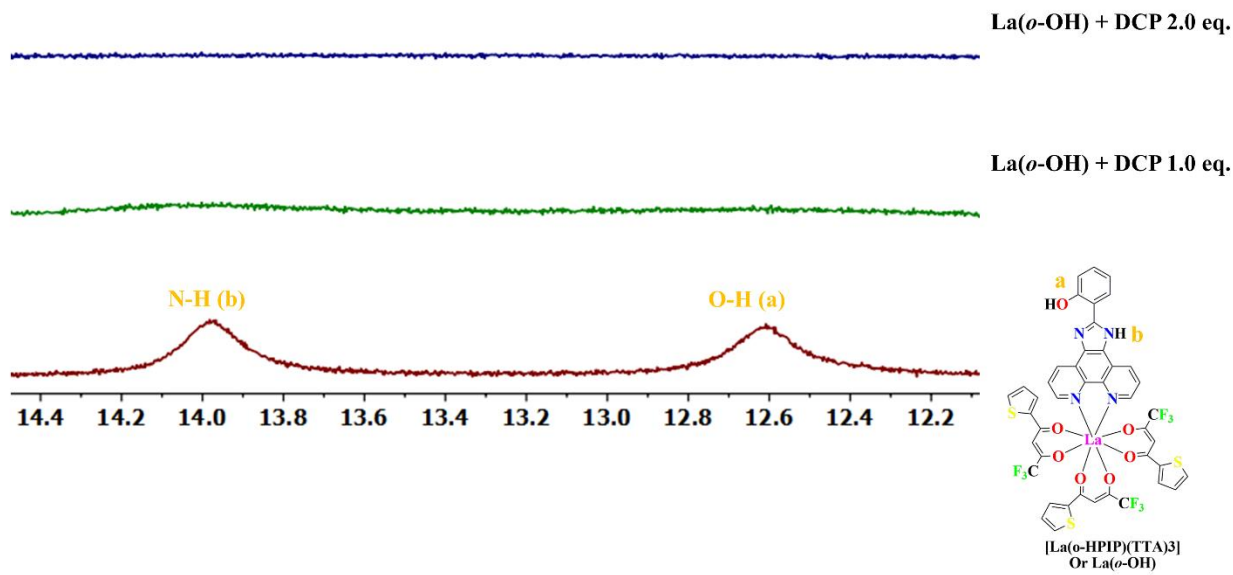


Figure S18. Overlaid ^1H -NMR signals of the **La(o-OH)** (20 mM) showing the broad signals corresponding to O-H and N-H proton disappears with gradual addition of DCP (0-40 mM) due to proposed phosphorylation reaction.

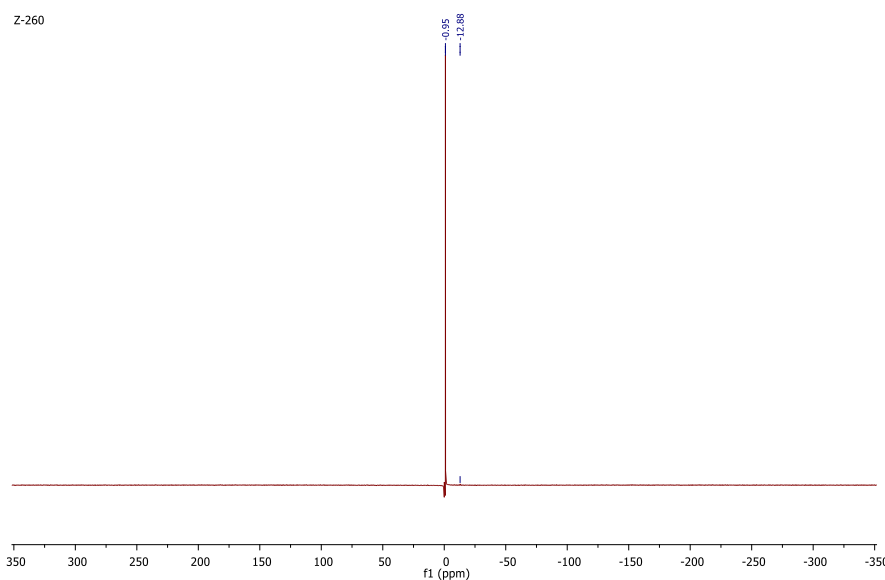


Figure S19. ^{31}P -NMR signals of the **La(o-OH)** (20 mM) showing a single sharp signal after the addition of DCP (100 mM).

Limit of Detection Calculations:

$$\text{LOD} = 3.3\sigma/s$$

Where, σ is the standard deviation of the regression line and s is the slope of the curve.

For **Eu(o-OH)**, $s = 0.3724$ and $\sigma = 0.0124$

For **Eu(p-OH)**, $s = 0.5442$ and $\sigma = 0.0092$

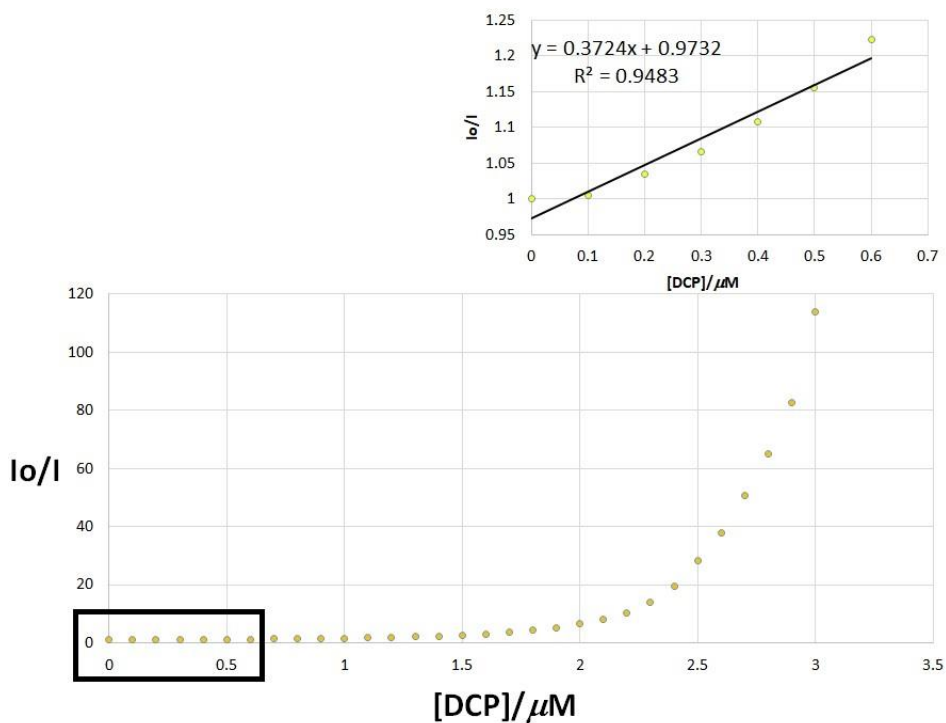


Figure S20. Representation of plot from the luminescence titration for the calculation of limit of detection (LOD) for DCP from the line of regression for **Eu(o-OH)** probe.

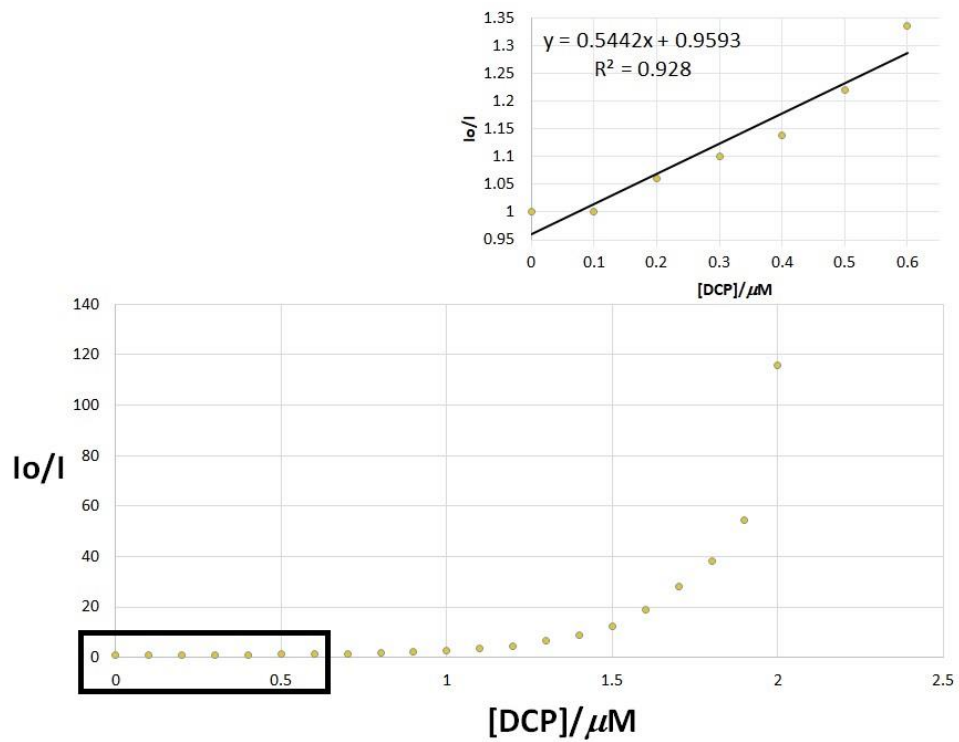


Figure S21. Representation of plot for the calculation from the luminescence titration for the calculation of limit of detection (LOD) from the line of regression for **Eu(p-OH)** probe.