## **Supporting Information**

## Unravelling the destabilization potential of Ellagic acid on α-Synuclein fibrils using molecular dynamics simulations

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Docked	Binding	Docked	Docked	Binding	Docked
pose	energy (kcal/mol)	conformation	pose	energy (kcal/mol)	conformation
1	-6.14		6	-6.04	
2	-6.07		7	-6.04	
3	-6.07	- Sign	8	-6.03	S
4	-6.07	S	9	-6.03	
5	-6.06		10	-6.02	S

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Docked pose 10

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