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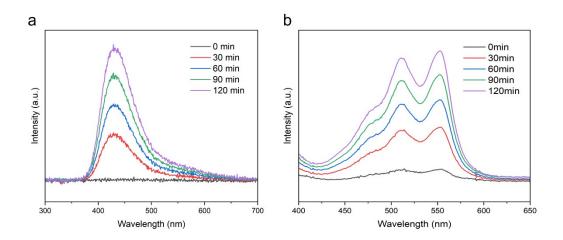
## C-doped KNbO<sub>3</sub> Single Crystals for Enhanced Piezocatalytic Intermediate Water Splitting

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**Figure S1.** (a) PL spectra and (b) UV-vis spectra of solution obtained from the piezocatalytic system using 0.5:1 C-KNbO<sub>3</sub> as the catalysts.

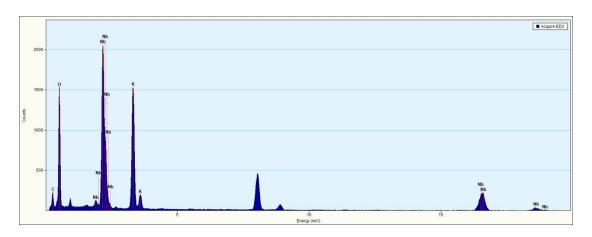


Figure S2. EDS spectrum of 0.5:1 C-KNbO<sub>3</sub>.

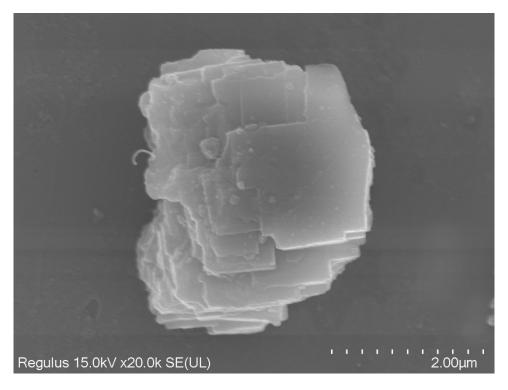
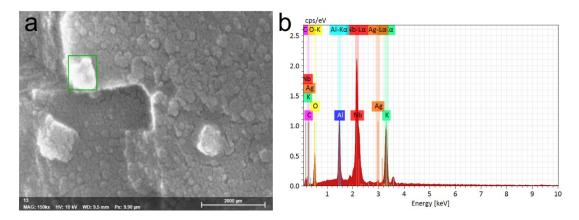


Figure S3. SEM images of 0.5:1 C-KNbO<sub>3</sub> after the piezocatalytic reduction of AgNO<sub>3</sub>.



**Figure S4.** EDS measurement of nanoparticles from (110) plane. The elements C, K, Nb, and O come from 0.5:1 C-KNbO<sub>3</sub>. Al might be attributed to the tin foil used to bearing the dispersed samples. It is confirmed that nanoparticles are Ag.

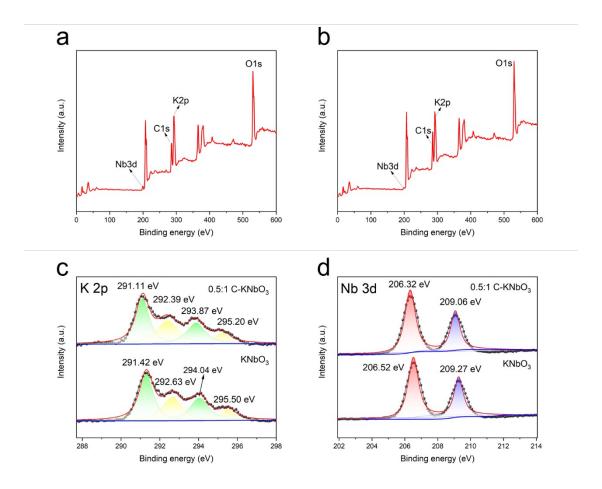


Figure S5. XPS survey spectra of (a) KNbO<sub>3</sub> and (b) 0.5:1 C-KNbO<sub>3</sub>. High-resolution XPS spectra of (c) K 2p and (d) Nb 3d of KNbO<sub>3</sub> and 0.5:1 C-KNbO<sub>3</sub>.

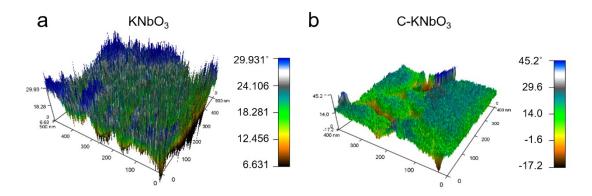


Figure S6. PFM phase of (a)  $KNbO_3$  and (b)  $0.5{:}1$  C-KNbO $_3$ .