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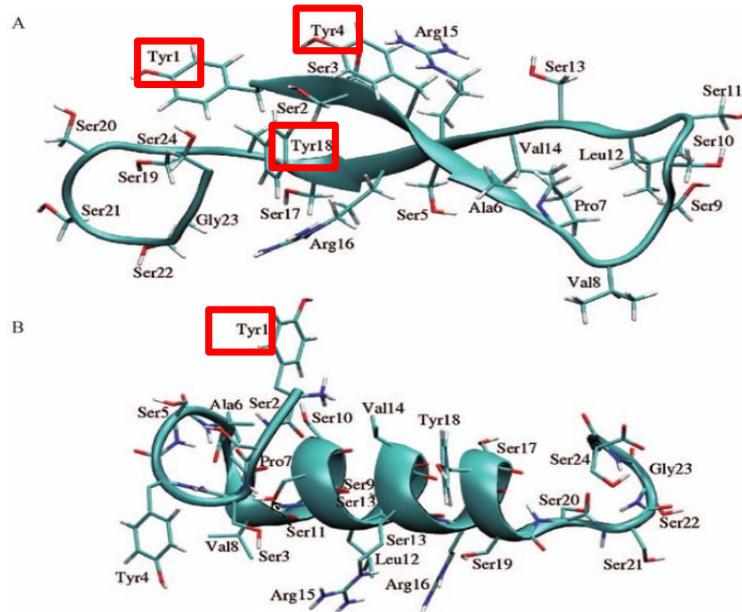
# **Cell Penetrating Peptides (CPP) gold (III) - complex - bioconjugates: from Chemical Design to interaction with cancer cells for Nanomedicine Applications**

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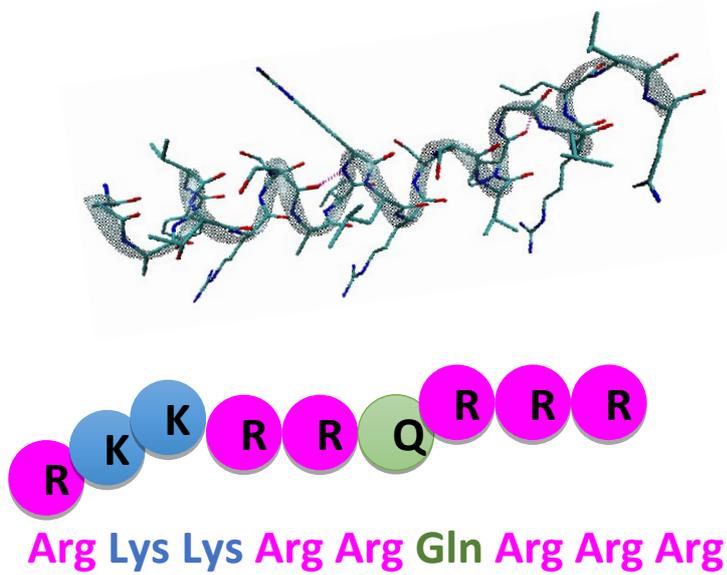
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## NFL-TBS.40-63



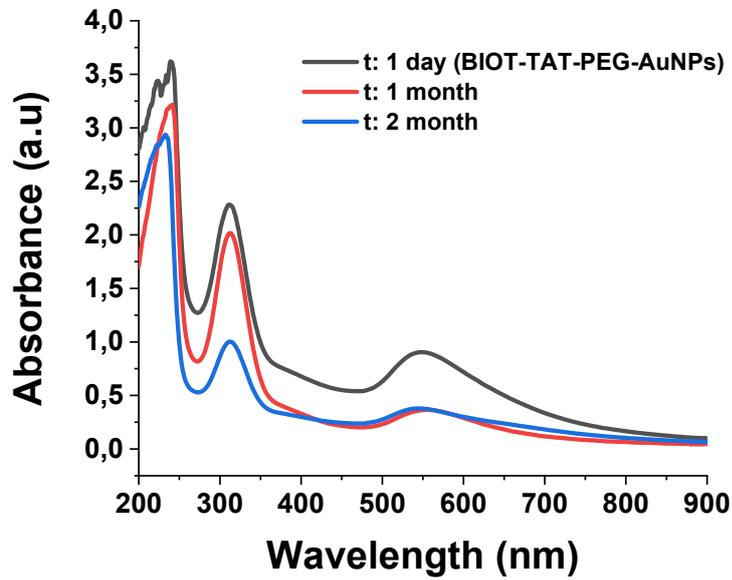
## VIM



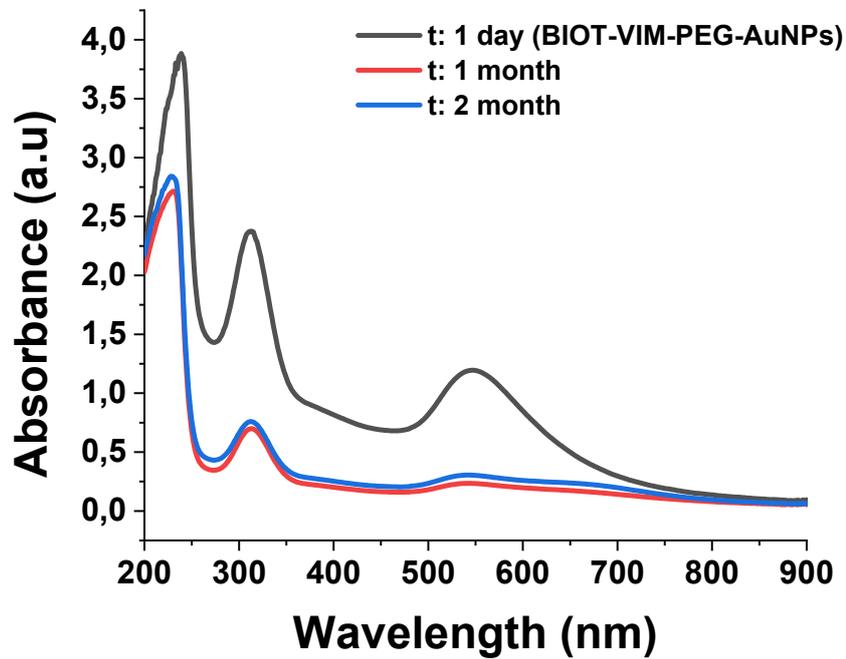
## TAT

**Figure S1:** Schematic structures of NFL-TBS.40-63, VIM and TAT-peptides as previously described in literature<sup>29,30,36</sup>.

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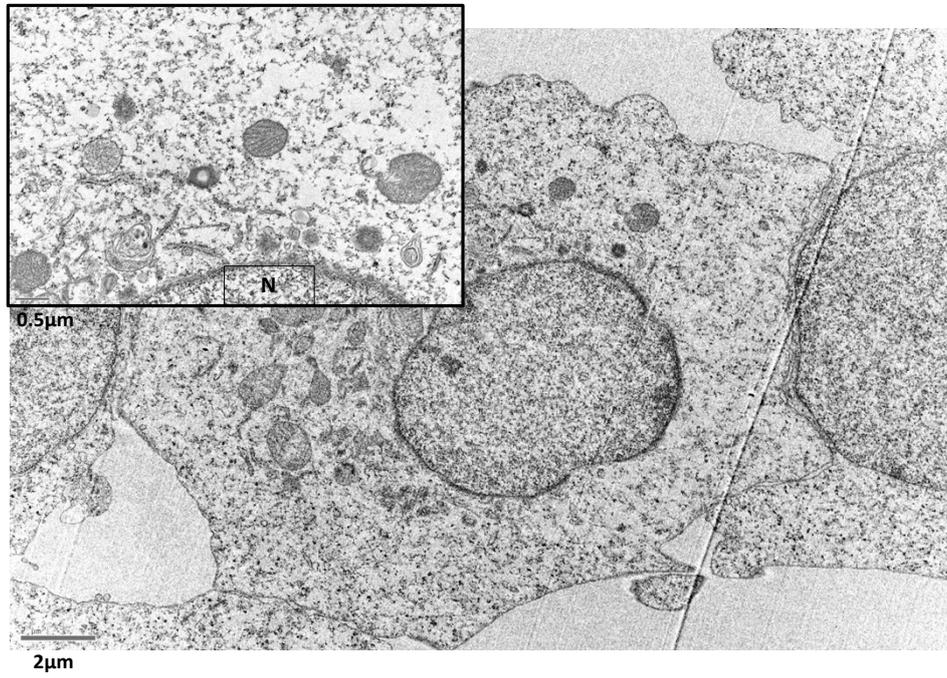


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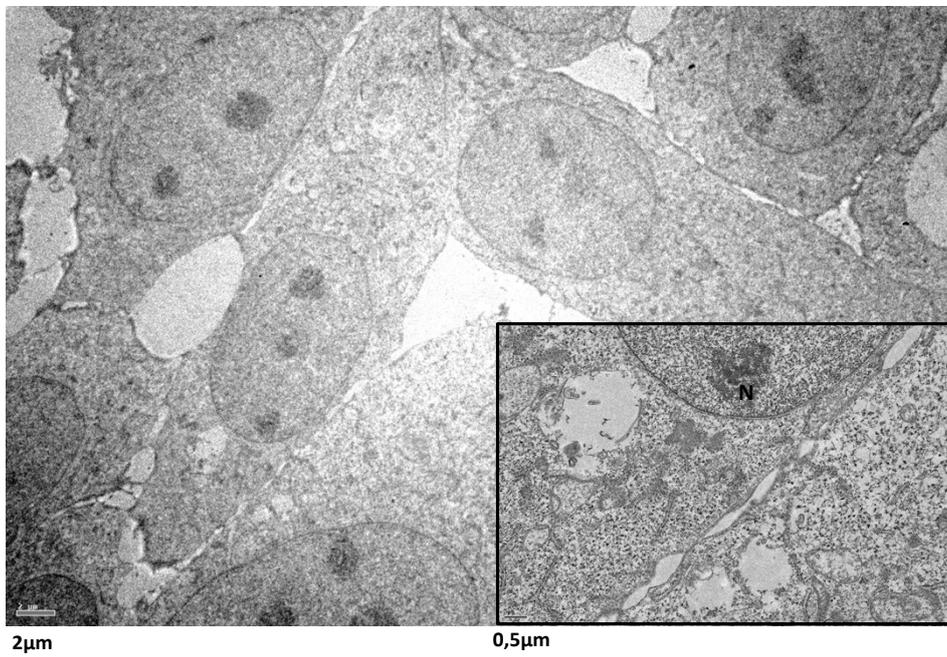


**Figure S2:** UV-Vis spectra of A) BIOT-TAT-PEG-AuNPs and B) BIOT-VIM-PEG-AuNPs under experimental conditions at t: 1 day (grey line) and after 2 months (blue line).

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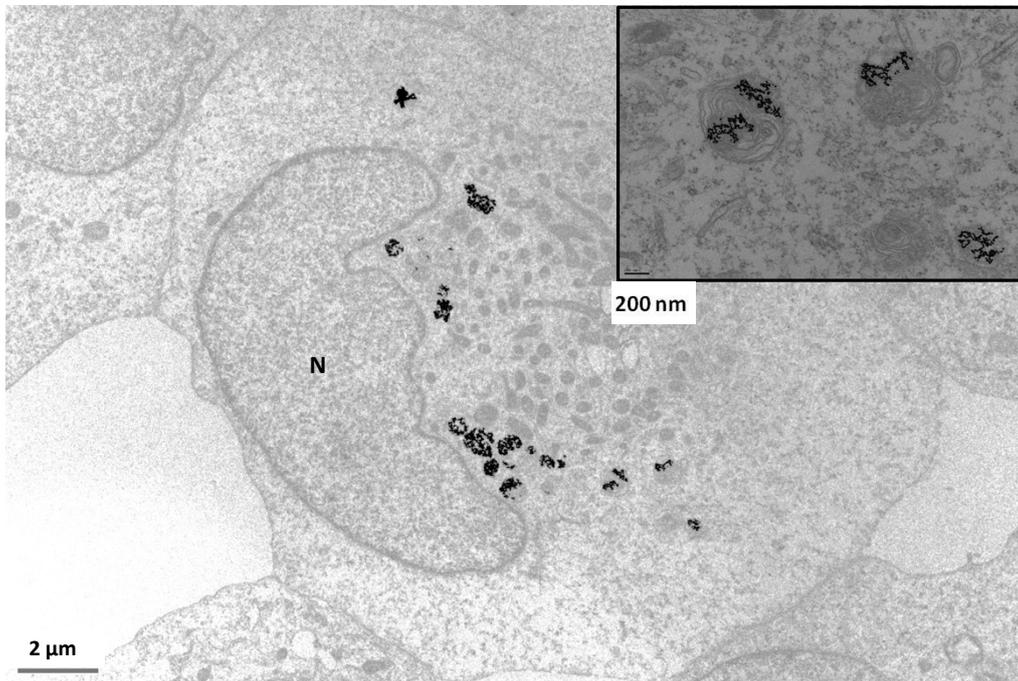


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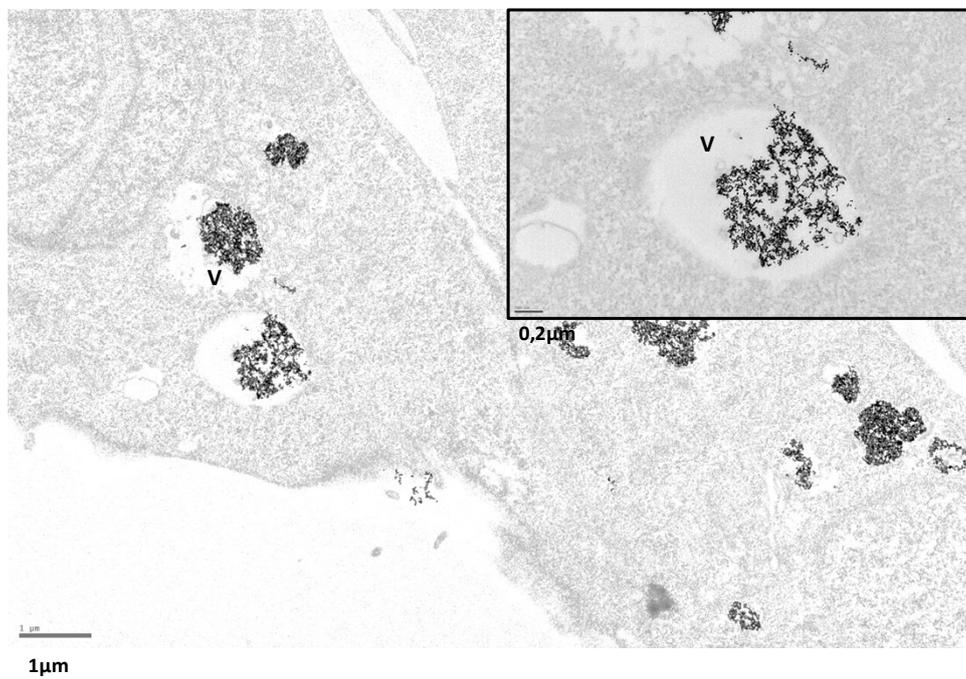


**Figure S3:** Transmission electron microscope (TEM) images of A) Mia PACA-2 and B) F98 cells as negative control (NT). N for nucleus.

A)



B)



**Figure S4:** TEM images of **A)** Mia PACA-2 and **B)** F98 cells treated with PEG-AuNPs at 500  $\mu\text{mol/L}$  for 72 hours. N for nucleus and V for vacuoles.