

*Supporting Information for*

**Three-Dimensional Porphyrin-Based Covalent Organic Frameworks with stp  
Topology for Efficient Electrocatalytic Oxygen Evolution Reaction**

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## 1. Materials and methods

All the chemicals are commercially available, and used without further purification. All solvents were dried and distilled according to conventional methods. All products were isolated and handled under nitrogen using either glovebox or Schlenk line techniques.

**Power X-ray diffraction (PXRD):** PXRD patterns were collected on an X-ray diffraction (XRD) system (DX-27mini, China) using Cu K $\alpha$  radiation.

**Fourier transform infrared (FT-IR):** IR spectra were measured on an IR spectrometer (Nicolet 6700) between the ranges of 4000 to 400 cm $^{-1}$ .

**Solid-state nuclear magnetic resonance (ssNMR):** Solid-state nuclear magnetic resonance (NMR) data were performed on a Bruker AVANCE III 600 spectrometer with cross-polarization magic-angle-spinning (CP/MAS) at a resonance frequency of 150.9 MHz.  $^{13}\text{C}$  CP/MAS NMR spectra were recorded using a 4 mm MAS probe and a spinning rate of 12kHz. A contact time of 4 ms and a recycle delay of 2 s were used for the  $^{13}\text{C}$  CP/MAS NMR measurement. The chemical shifts of  $^{13}\text{C}$  were externally referenced to tetramethylsilane (TMS).

**Elemental analyses:** Elemental analyses were performed on an Elementar vario MICRO UNICUBE series CHN elemental analyzer.

**Scanning electron microscope (SEM):** SEM images were collected using a GeminiSEM 500 system.

**High-resolution transmission electron microscope (HR-TEM):** HR-TEM images were collected using a Tecnai G2 F30 S-Twin (FEI Company, point resolution of 0.20 nm, line resolution of 0.102 nm, and information resolution of 0.14 nm) with an accelerating voltage of 300 kV.

**Thermogravimetric analysis (TGA):** TGA measurements were performed using a TA Q800 under flowing N<sub>2</sub> with 10 K min $^{-1}$  ramp rate. Samples were heated in a Platinum pan (800 °C, 10 °C min $^{-1}$ ) under a N<sub>2</sub> flux (60 mL min $^{-1}$ ).

**Sorption isotherm for N<sub>2</sub>:** Micrometrics ASAP2040 system were used to measure the specific surface area and pore structure using nitrogen as the adsorbate at 77 K, after outgassing the samples overnight at 120 °C.

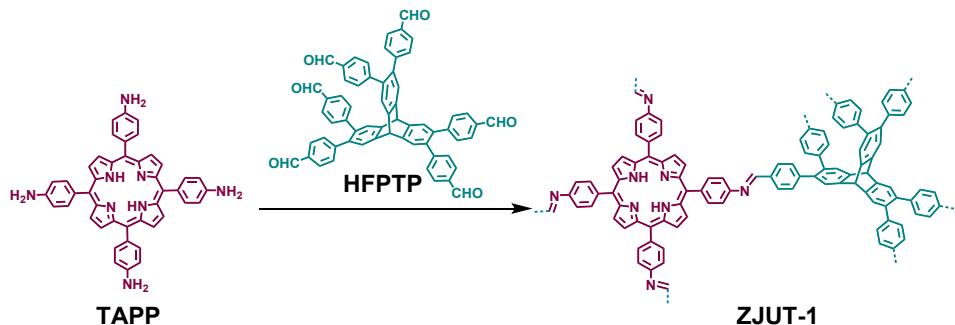
**X-ray photoelectron spectroscopy(XPS) :** X-ray photoelectron spectroscopy data were collected using a Kratos AXIS Ultra DLD.

**Crystal structure modeling:** Structural modeling of COFs was generated using the Materials Studio<sup>1</sup> program employing the building (Crystal) module, the lattice model was geometrically optimized using force-field based method (Forcite molecular dynamics module) and SCC-DFTB (DFTB + module). The Pawley fitting (Reflex module) was performed to optimize the lattice parameters iteratively until the Rwp value converges and the overlay of the observed with refined profiles shows good agreement. Powder indexing and Rietveld refinement were performed using EXPO2014<sup>2</sup> various topology structures were illustrated by VESTA software<sup>3</sup>.

## 2. Synthesis and characterization of ZJUT-1

### 2.1 Synthesis of ZJUT-1

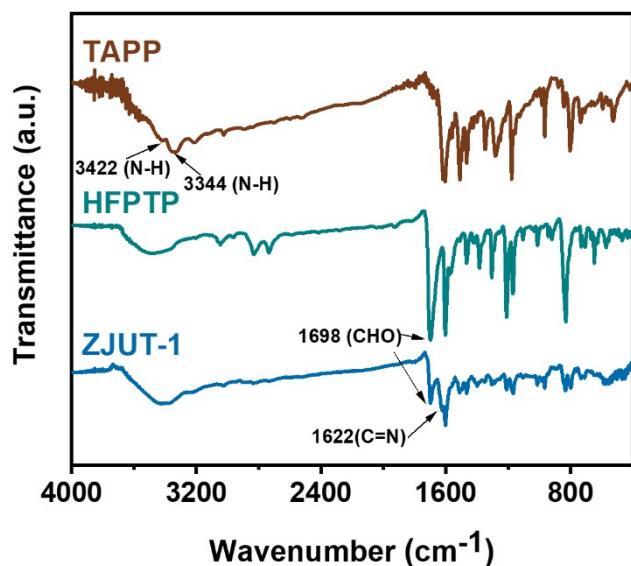
Monomers of 2,3,6,7,14,15-hexa(4-formylphenyl)triptycene (HFPTP) and 5,10,15,20-Tetra(4-aminophenyl)porphyrin (TAPP) were synthesized according the Published methods<sup>4,5</sup>.



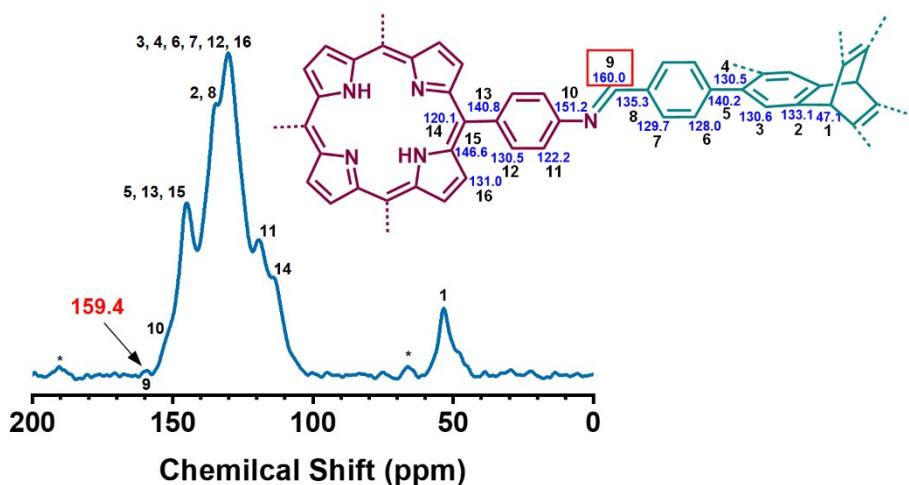
**Scheme S1.** Synthesis of ZJUT-1.

**ZJUT-1:** HFPTP (17.6 mg, 0.02 mmol) and TAPP (20.2 mg, 0.03 mmol) were added into a 10-mL glass ampoule with mesitylene (0.9 mL) and N, N-dimethylacetamide (0.3 mL). The solution was ultrasound for 5 minutes to obtain dark purple turbid solution. 6 M acetic acid (0.2 mL) was added into the glass ampoule as catalyst. The glass ampoule was flash frozen at 77 K using the liquid nitrogen bath, degassed by freeze-pump-thaw three times and vacuumed to *ca.* 100 Pa, then sealed. The glass ampoule was placed in an oven at 120 °C for 5 days. The fuchsia solid was isolated by centrifugation and washed with N, N-dimethylacetamide (2×10 mL) and acetone (2×10 mL). The resulting precipitate was filtered then exhaustively washed with tetrahydrofuran and acetone by Soxhlet extraction for 48 hours. The sample was then transferred to vacuum chamber and evacuated to 20 mTorr at 80 °C for 24 h, yielding fuchsia powder **ZJUT-1** (Yield: 29.2 mg, 81.9%). Elemental analysis of **ZJUT-1** with a molecular formula of (C<sub>128</sub>H<sub>77</sub>N<sub>12</sub>)n (% Calc/Found: C 86.22/86.79, H 4.35/4.13, N 9.43/9.08).

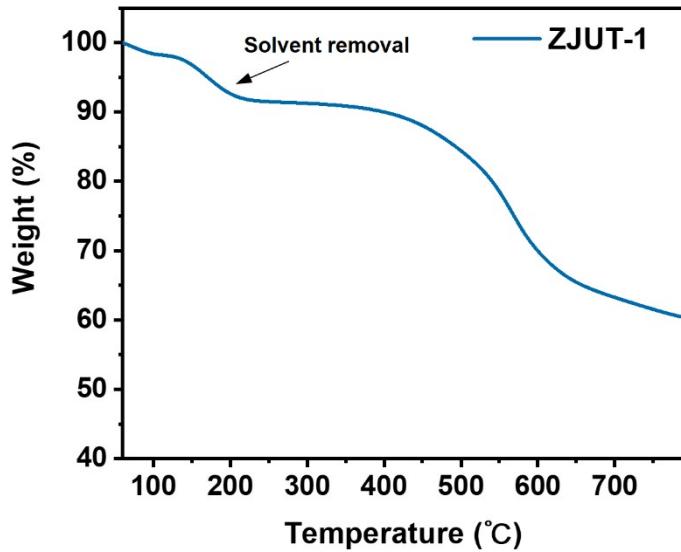
## 2.2 Characterization of ZJUT-1



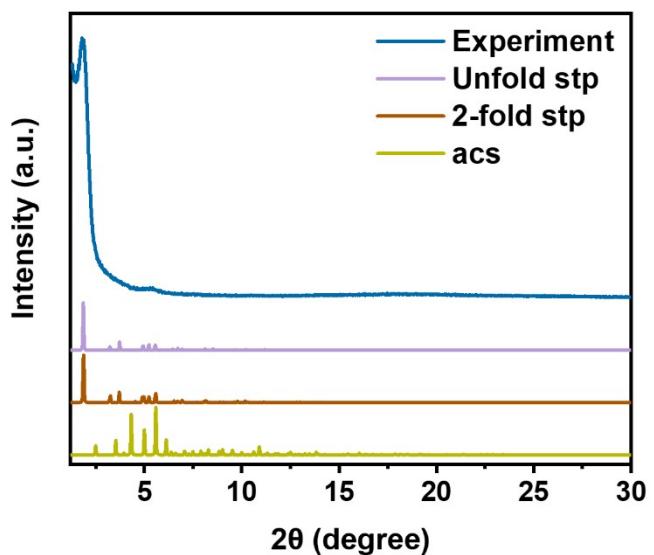
**Figure S1.** FT-IR spectra of TAPP, HFPTP, and ZJUT-1.



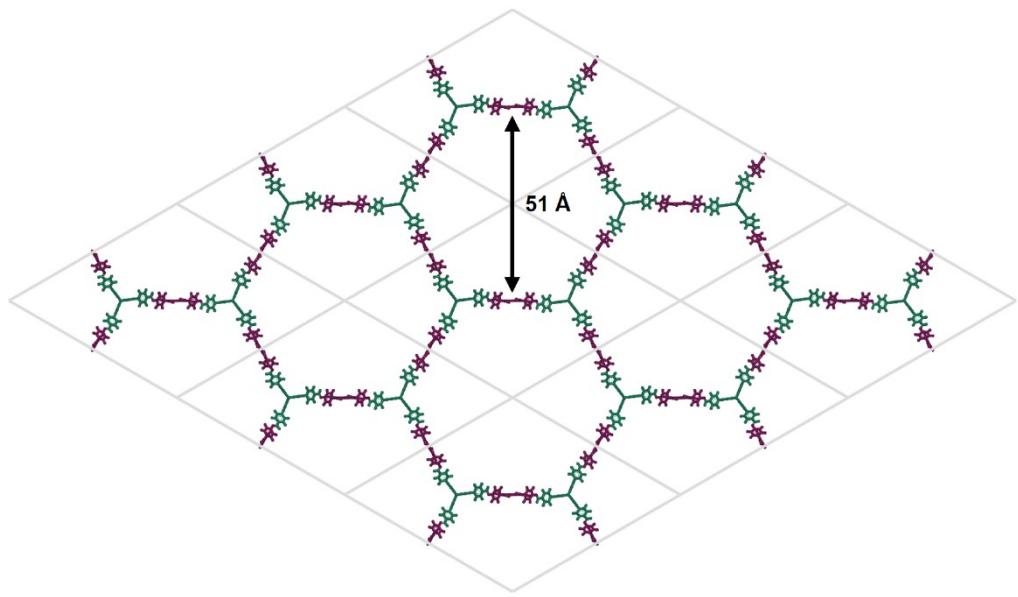
**Figure S2.**  $^{13}\text{C}$  CP/MAS NMR spectrum of ZJUT-1. Asterisks (\*) indicate peaks may arise from solvent molecules or spinning side bands.



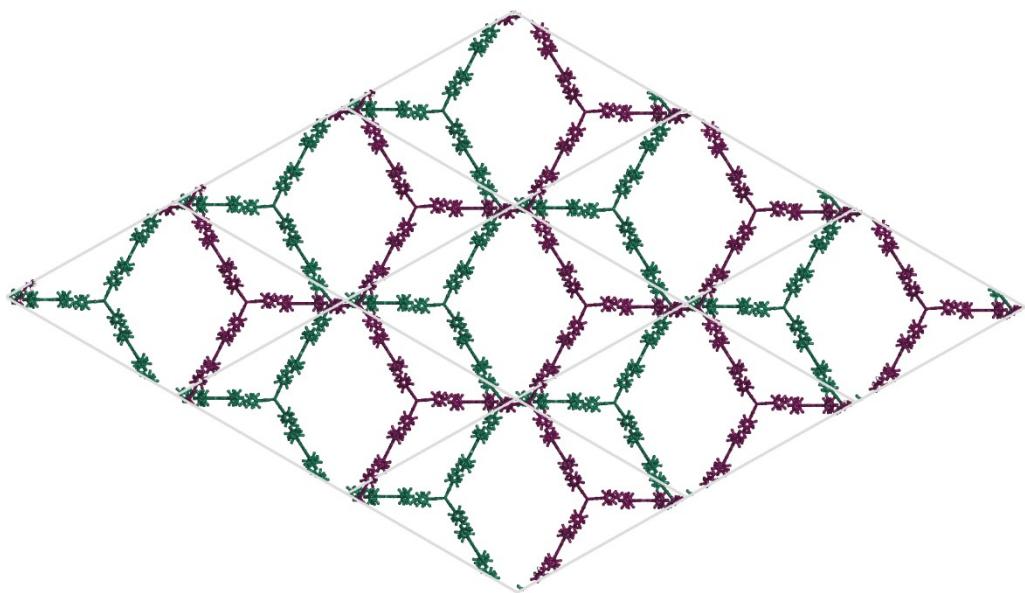
**Figure S3.** TGA curve of ZJUT-1.



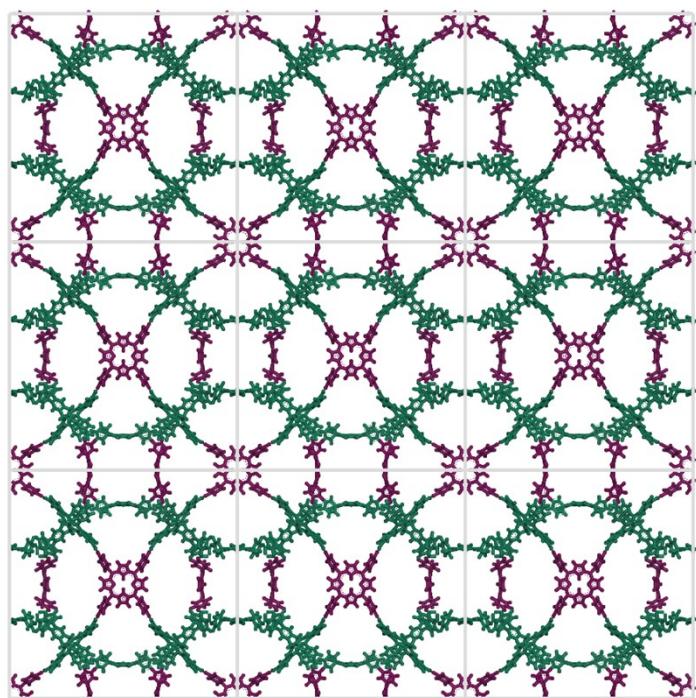
**Figure S4.** Simulated PXRD patterns for possible topologies (stp or acs) and different folds interpenetrated COF structures built from HFPTP and TAPP.



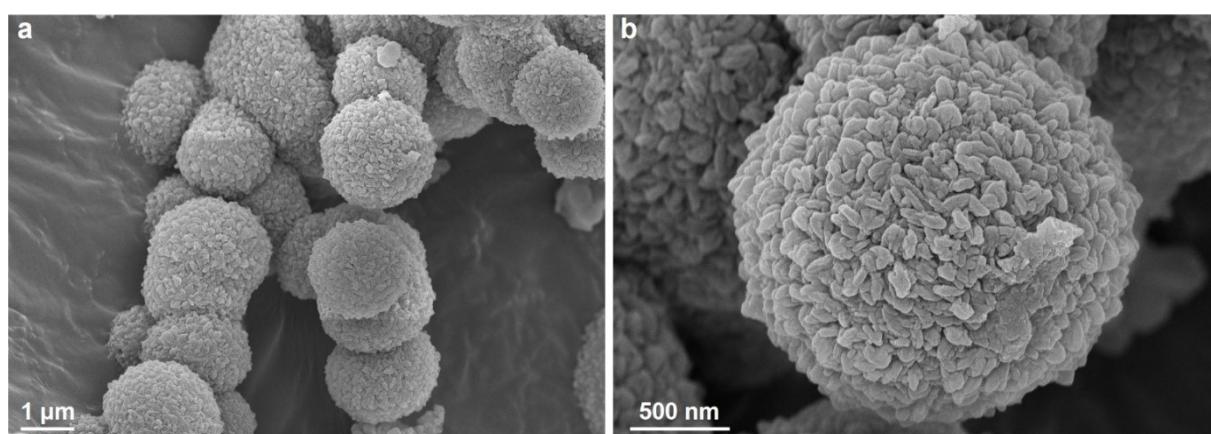
**Figure S5.** Structural model for unfold interpenetrated COF structure with **stp** topology built from HFPTP and TAPP.



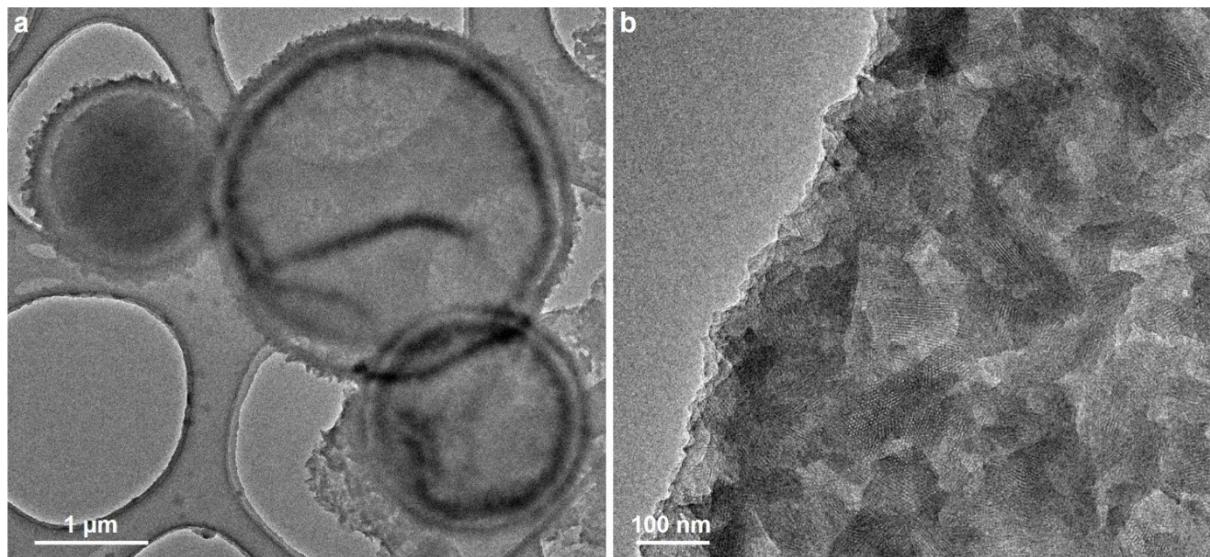
**Figure S6.** Structural model for 2-fold interpenetrated COF structure with **stp** topology built from HFPTP and TAPP.



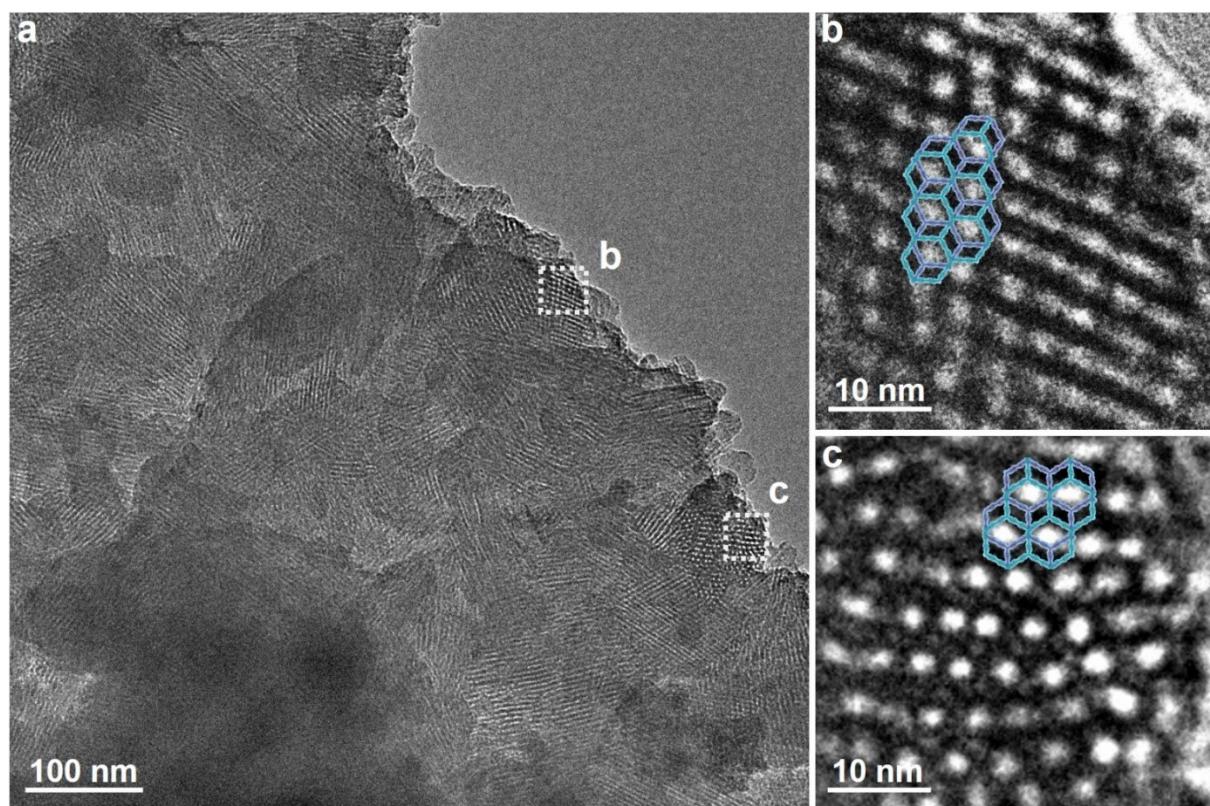
**Figure S7.** Structural model for acs topology built from HFPTP and TAPP.



**Figure S8.** SEM images of ZJUT-1.



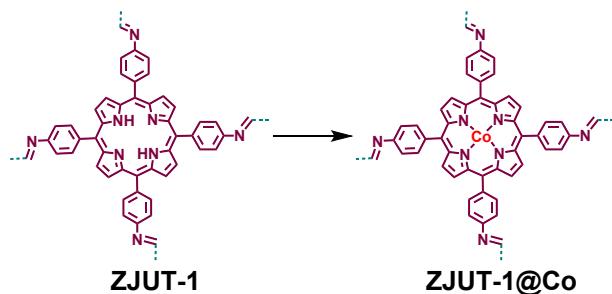
**Figure S9.** TEM images of ZJUT-1.



**Figure S10.** (a) A typical TEM image of ZJUT-1; (b, c) The HR-TEM images of the selected areas (white frames) in a with the simulated models of ZJUT-1.

### 3. Synthesis and characterization of ZJUT-1@Co

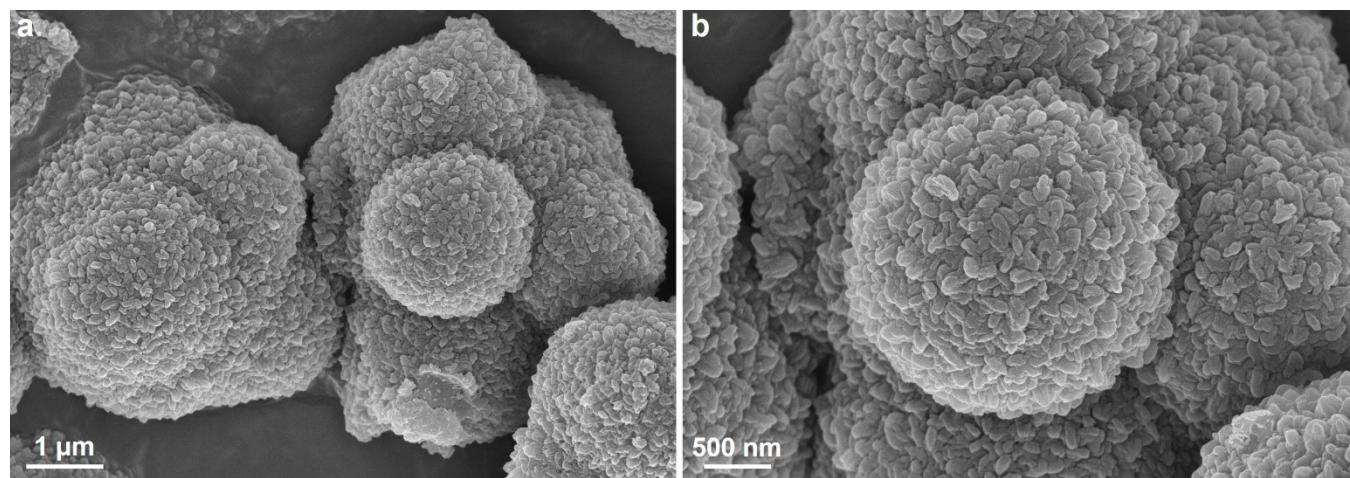
#### 3.1 Synthesis of ZJUT-1@Co



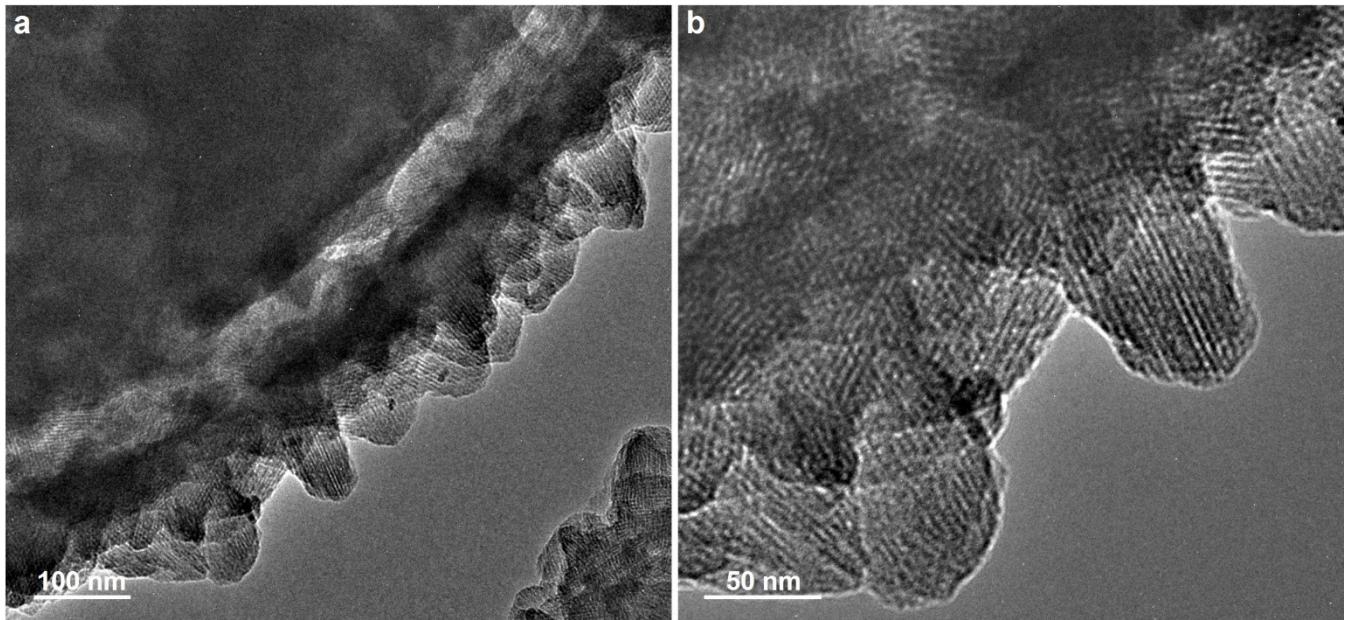
**Scheme S2.** Synthesis of ZJUT-1@Co.

**ZJUT-1@Co:** ZJUT-1 (60.0 mg) and Cobalt(II) acetate tetrahydrate (119.6 mg, 0.48 mmol) were added into a 10-mL glass ampoule with N,N-dimethylacetamide (2.0 mL). The glass ampoule was flash frozen at 77 K using the liquid nitrogen bath, degassed by freeze-pump-thaw three times and vacuumed to *ca.* 100 Pa, then sealed. The glass ampoule was placed in an oven at 120 °C for 24 h. The dark red solid was isolated by centrifugation and washed with H<sub>2</sub>O (3×10 mL), then immersed in 80 °C N,N-dimethylacetamide and exchanged solvent several times. The resulting precipitate was filtered then exhaustively washed with tetrahydrofuran and acetone by Soxhlet extraction for 48 hours. The sample was then transferred to vacuum chamber and evacuated to 20 mTorr at 80 °C for 24 h, yielding dark red powder ZJUT-1@Co (Yield: 53.4 mg, 84.8%).

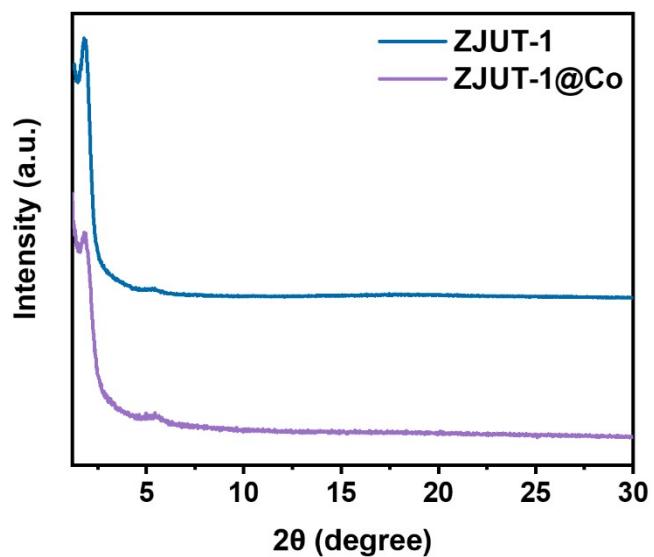
#### 3.2 Characterization of ZJUT-1@Co



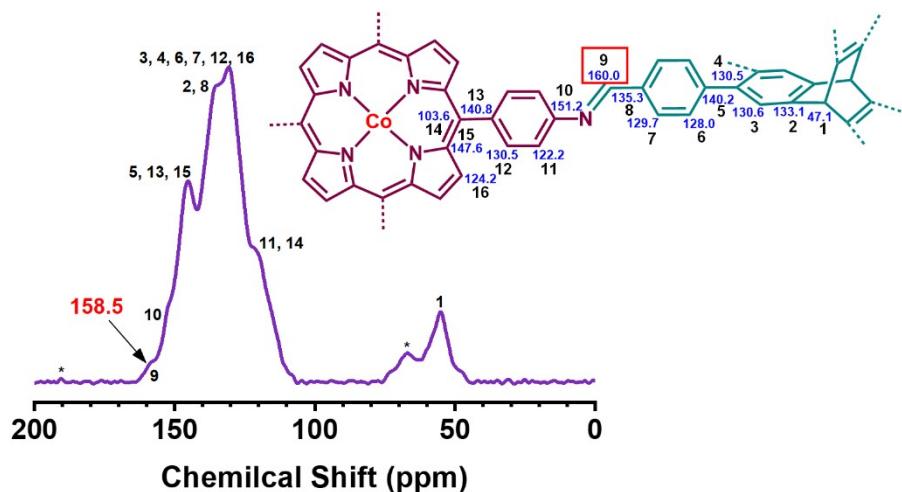
**Figure S11.** SEM images of ZJUT-1@Co.



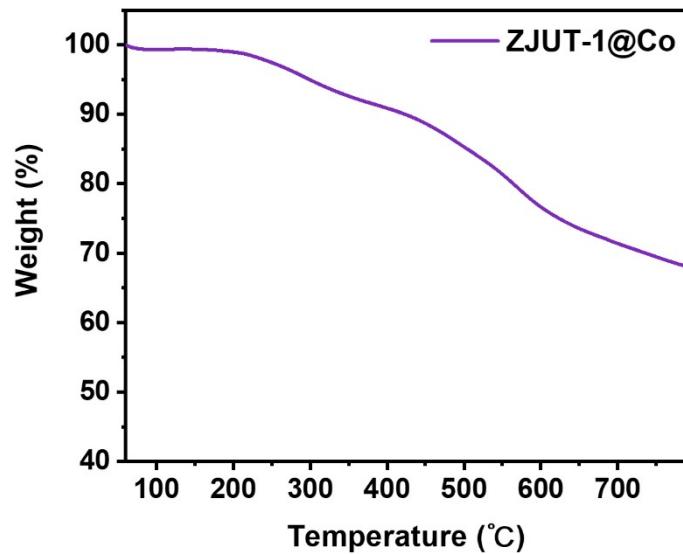
**Figure S12.** TEM images of ZJUT-1@Co.



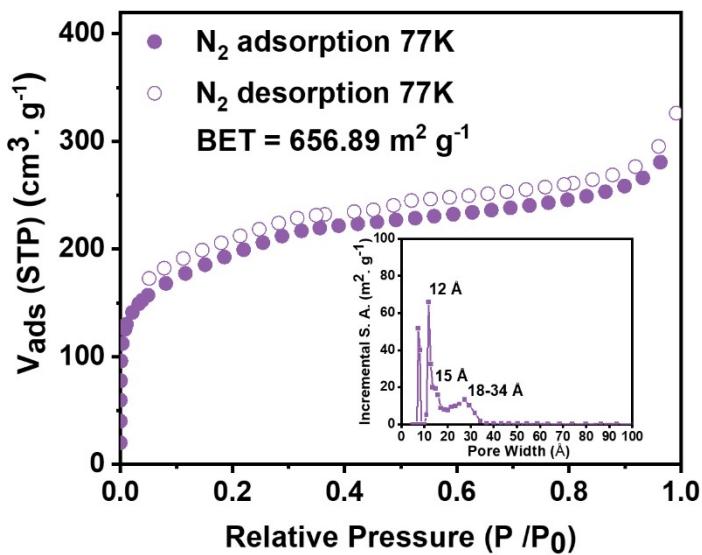
**Figure S13.** PXRD patterns of ZJUT-1 and ZJUT-1@Co. The crystallinity characters of the synthesized ZJUT-1@Co are well preserved compared to the ZJUT-1.



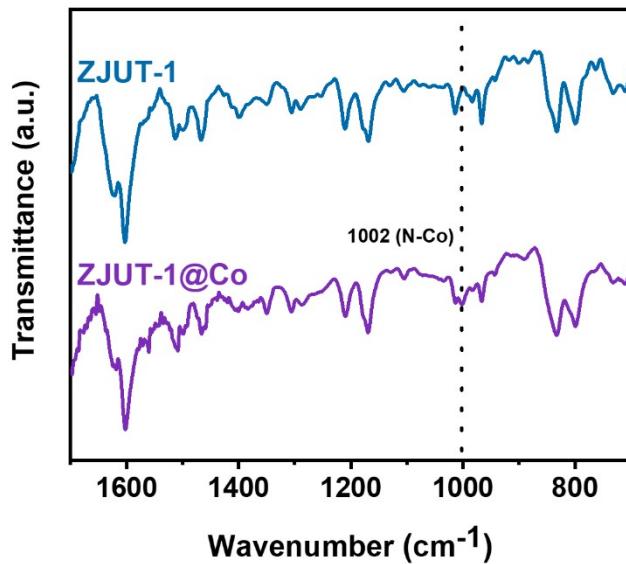
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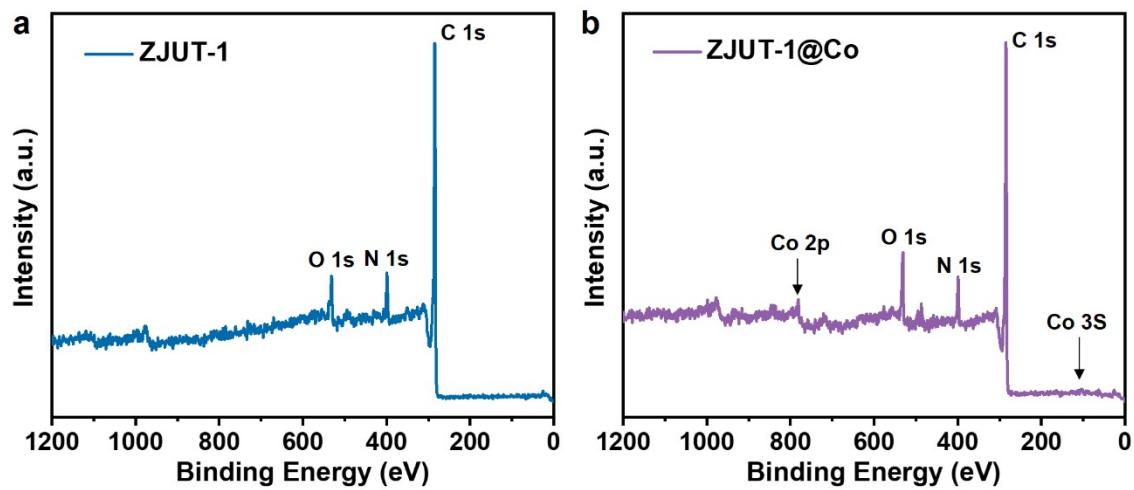
**Figure S15.** TGA curve of ZJUT-1@Co.



**Figure S16.**  $N_2$  adsorption-desorption isotherms measured at 77 K and pore-size distribution of ZJUT-1@Co.



**Figure S17.** FT-IR spectra of ZJUT-1 and ZJUT-1@Co in the ranges of 700 to 1700  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ .



**Figure S18.** XPS spectra of (a) ZJUT-1 and (b) ZJUT-1@Co.

## 4. Unit cell parameters and fractional atomic coordinates for ZJUT-1

**Table S1.** Unit cell parameters and fractional atomic coordinates for ZJUT-1 calculated based on the 2-fold interpenetrated **stp** topology.

Space group		<i>P1</i>	
Calculated unit cell		$a = 54.4694 \text{ \AA}$ , $b = 55.2247 \text{ \AA}$ $c = 21.3866 \text{ \AA}$ $\alpha = 90.2243^\circ$ , $\beta = 89.9411^\circ$ , $\gamma = 120.7033^\circ$ .	
Atoms	X	Y	Z
C1	0.71895	0.91279	0.80007
C2	0.69062	0.8973	0.78193
C3	0.68201	0.89247	0.71877
C4	0.6533	0.87731	0.69946
C5	0.64509	0.87291	0.63727
C6	0.7071	0.92469	0.62852
C7	0.72876	0.93581	0.58357
C8	0.74812	0.92632	0.57963
C9	0.74541	0.90535	0.62091
C10	0.72377	0.89421	0.66563
C11	0.70456	0.9039	0.66992
N12	0.77076	0.93869	0.5347
C13	0.79046	0.93217	0.53204
C14	0.81578	0.96428	0.44194
C15	0.83919	0.97689	0.4014
C16	0.86088	0.97038	0.40592
C17	0.85898	0.95134	0.45147
C18	0.8356	0.93871	0.49166
C19	0.81399	0.94514	0.48724
C20	0.91293	0.99906	0.39852
C21	0.93811	1.01345	0.36495
C22	0.88671	0.98484	0.36692
C23	0.54194	0.81679	0.79937
C24	0.57026	0.83245	0.7814
C25	0.57886	0.83748	0.71829
C26	0.60759	0.85276	0.69924
C27	0.61584	0.85734	0.63713
C28	0.55414	0.80552	0.62691
C29	0.53255	0.79438	0.58168
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C33	0.55632	0.82599	0.66924
N34	0.49033	0.79103	0.53312
C35	0.47032	0.79712	0.53058
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C39	0.4012	0.77602	0.45007
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C41	0.44685	0.78376	0.48549
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C46	0.57031	0.8314	0.88166
C47	0.5789	0.83571	0.94493
C48	0.60758	0.8519	0.9644
C49	0.6158	0.85641	0.02654

C50	0.5386	0.79329	-0.00395
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C52	0.51007	0.79775	0.07735
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C55	0.55619	0.82266	0.99337
N56	0.48531	0.78442	0.11654
C57	0.47853	0.79788	0.15615
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C59	0.4069	0.74093	0.21617
C60	0.40141	0.75544	0.26282
C61	0.42138	0.78398	0.27376
C62	0.44662	0.79771	0.23894
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C84	0.81329	0.92999	0.24013
C85	0.80834	0.94497	0.19424
C86	0.91185	0.99987	0.26669
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C558	0.29342	0.69429	0.2671
C559	0.71226	0.27614	0.77066
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## 5. Fabrication of working electrodes and electrochemical characterization

### 5.1 Fabrication of working electrodes

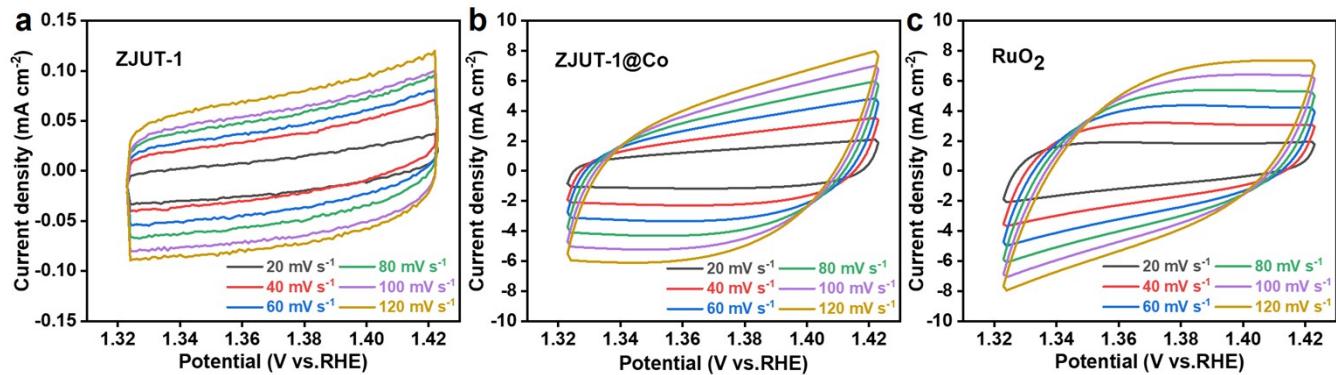
The as-obtained **ZJUT-1@Co@CF**, **ZJUT-1@CF**, **RuO<sub>2</sub>@CF** were directly used as the working electrode without further treatments.

**Pre-treatment of CF:** The carbon fiber (CF) was cut into slices (1 cm × 1 cm) and successively ultrasonicated in HNO<sub>3</sub> (40 wt%), acetone, ethanol, and deionized water for 30 min. Then, the CF was dried under vacuum at 60 °C overnight.

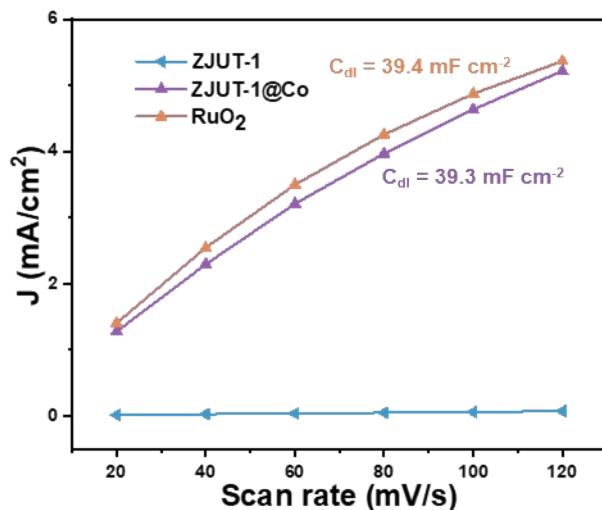
**Electrodes preparation:** The **ZJUT-1@CF**、**ZJUT-1@Co@CF** and **RuO<sub>2</sub>@CF** electrodes were prepared as follows: **ZJUT-1**、**ZJUT-1@Co** and **RuO<sub>2</sub>** (4 mg) catalyst were dispersed in a 1.0 mL mixed solution containing 900 μL of ethanol and 100 μL of 5 wt% Nafion solution, followed by sonication for 1 h to mixing. Then, the solution was loaded onto the surfaces of CF, and the overall loading amount of **ZJUT-1**、**ZJUT-1@Co** and **RuO<sub>2</sub>** catalysts was approximately 4 mg/cm<sup>2</sup>.

### 5.2 Electrochemical characterization

All electrochemical measurements were carried out with a *CHI761E* (CH Instruments, Inc., Shanghai) electrochemical workstation 1 M KOH solution (pH = 14). The electrochemical characterizations were conducted in a standard three-electrode electrochemical cell employing a Platinum plates counter electrode and a Ag/AgCl electrode reference electrode, and the working electrodes were 1 cm × 1 cm **ZJUT-1@Co@CF** electrode、**ZJUT-1@CF** electrode and **RuO<sub>2</sub>@CF** electrode, respectively. All potentials measured were calibrated to RHE according to the following equation  $E_{RHE} = E_{Ag/AgCl} + 0.059 \text{ pH} + 0.243 \text{ V}$ , and the current density was normalized to the effective geometrical surface area of CF. All the LSV measurements for HER were carried out at a scan rate of 5 mV/s with 85% *iR*-corrections. Tafel plots derived from HER polarization curves obtained were fitted to the equation  $\eta = b \log j + a$  (overpotential  $\eta$ , current density  $j$ , Tafel slope  $b$ , and Tafel constant  $a$ ).



**Figure S19.** Cyclic voltammetry scans for as-prepared catalysts recorded at different rates ranging from 20 to 120 mV s<sup>-1</sup> to calculate the electrochemical double-layer capacitances.



**Figure S20.** Capacitive currents versus scan rates on the basis of CV curves recorded at different scan rates.

**Table S2. Comparative table for the OER performances with reported porphyrin-based catalysts.**

Catalysts	Electrode	Electrolyte (KOH)	Loading (mg. cm <sup>-2</sup> )	$\eta_{10}$ (mV)	Tafel (mV. dec <sup>-1</sup> )	Ref.
<b>ZJUT-1@Co</b>	<b>CF</b>	<b>1.0 M</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>295</b>	<b>63</b>	<b>This work</b>
Co-PDY/CF	CF	1.0 M	-	270	99	(6)
CoCOP	CFP	1.0 M	290	350	151	(7)
M-N <sub>4</sub> /C	GC	1.0 M	0.25	407	60.3	(8)
(CoP) <sub>n</sub> -MWCNTs	GC	1.0 M	0.14	410	60.8	(9)
CoTAPP-NA	GC	1.0 M	0.42	416	68	(10)
PCOF-1-Co	GC	1.0 M	0.643	473	89	(11)
PCOF-2-Co	GC	1.0 M	0.643	487	95	(11)

**Table S3. Normalised current densities of RuO<sub>2</sub> and ZJUT-1@Co.**

Catalysts <sup>a</sup>	Tafel slope (mV/dec)	$\eta_{10}$ (mA cm <sup>-2</sup> )	$J_0$ , geometrica ( $\mu\text{A cm}^{-2}$ ) <sup>b</sup>	$C_{dl}$ (mF cm <sup>-2</sup> )	Relative surface area	$J_0$ , normalized ( $\mu\text{A cm}^{-2}$ )
RuO <sub>2</sub>	81	1.582	1.408	39.4	1	1.40
ZJUT-1@Co	63	1.525	1.513	39.3	0.997	1.52

a) All the parameters were measured under the same conditions; b) Exchange current densities ( $J_0$ ) were obtained from Tafel curves by using extrapolation methods.

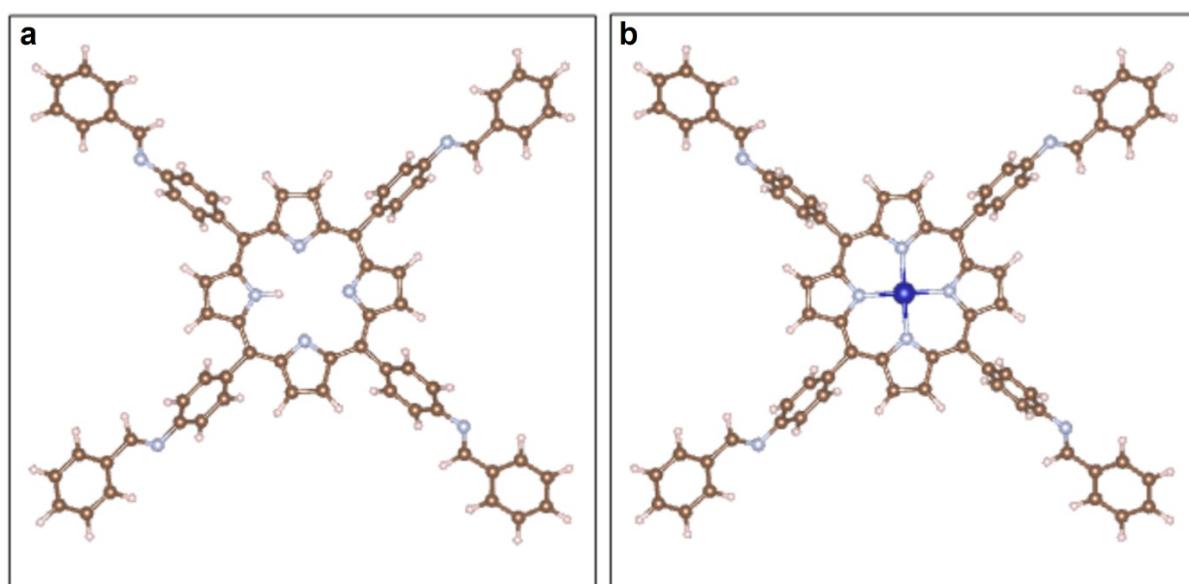
## 6. Density functional theory calculations of OER performance

All the DFT calculations were performed by Vienna Ab initio Simulation Package (VASP)<sup>12</sup>. The generalized gradient approximation (GGA) with the Perdew-Burke-Ernzerhof (PBE) was used to express the electron exchange-correlation and the projector augmented wave (PAW) was applied to describe the ionic cores<sup>13,14</sup>. The lattice parameters of ZJUT-1 and ZJUT-1@Co were  $25.67 \text{ \AA} \times 25.04 \text{ \AA} \times 15 \text{ \AA}$ . Combining with the calculation accuracy and cost, the K-points were set to be  $1 \times 1 \times 1$  for geometry optimization and electronic structural calculations. The 400-eV plane wave energy cutoff was used in the calculations and the electronic energy and forces were converged to within  $10^{-5} \text{ eV}$  and  $0.02 \text{ eV/\AA}$ , respectively. Furthermore, the VASP implicit solvent model was set to consider the effect of water<sup>15</sup>.

The change in Gibbs free energy ( $\Delta G$ ) was calculated by computational hydrogen electrode (CHE) model<sup>16</sup>. In the CHE model,  $\text{H}^+ + \text{e}^- \rightarrow 1/2 \text{ H}_2 \text{ (g)}$  was equilibrated at 0 V vs the reversible hydrogen electrode (RHE). Free energies (G) of each state can be obtained by the following equation,

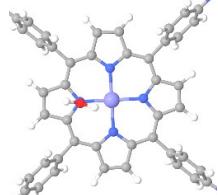
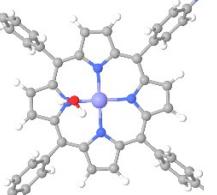
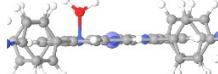
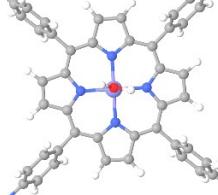
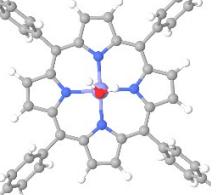
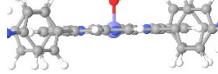
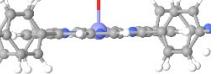
$$G = E + ZPE + \int C_p dT - TS \quad (1)$$

where E, ZPE are electronic energy and the zero-point energy, respectively. And  $\int C_p dT$  and TS represent enthalpy change from 0 to T K contributed by molecular vibration, and entropy correction, which are obtained based on vibration analysis at 298.15 K. And related calculation results were treated by vaspkit<sup>17</sup>.



**Figure S21.** The optimized structures of (a) ZJUT-1 and (b) ZJUT-1@Co.

**Table S4.** The initial adsorption of H<sub>2</sub>O molecules on N and Co sites of ZJUT-1@Co.

Adsorption sites	Adsorption before	Adsorption after	Distance (Å)	E <sub>ads</sub> (eV)
N sites			3.57	-0.92
				
Co sites			2.25	-1.13
				

Theoretical calculations demonstrated that H<sub>2</sub>O molecules are prone to be adsorbed on Co sites with a more stable adsorption energy (-1.13 eV) than that on N sites (-0.92 eV) in ZJUT-1@Co catalysts. Therefore, Co sites of ZJUT-1@Co catalysts were chosen as the active sites for calculation and selected to further explore their catalytic activity towards OER.

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