1	Supporting information
2	Metallocatanionic vesicles mediated enhanced singlet oxygen generation and
3	photodynamic therapy of cancer cells
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FeCPC I:Na Ol	PDI (1 mM)	PDI (0.1 mM)
V19	0.230	0.203
V28	0.206	0.263
V37	0.495	0.444
V46	0.355	0.384
V55	0.395	0.376
V64	0.333	0.347
V73	0.430	0.383
V82	0.501	0.544
V91	0.762	0.694

23 Table S1. List of the PDI value calculated for all fraction at 1 mM and 0.1 mM concentration

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25 Table S2. Metallocatanionic vesicles measured size and PDI value of V37 and V73 fraction

26 till 1 month.

Time	V37		V73		
	Size (nm)	PDI	Size (nm)	PDI	
Fresh sample	142.2	0.278	196.8	0.38	
1 st Week	236.6	0.456	214	0.45	
2 nd Week	277.8	0.470	182.3	0.43	
1 month	253.8	0.480	204.8	0.36	

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- 28 Table S3. Metallocatanionic vesicles measured size and PDI value of MB@V37 and
- 29 MB@V73 fraction at different pH.

Time	pH = 9				pH = 7			pH = 5				
	MB@V37		MB@V73		MB@V37		MB@V73		MB@V37		MB@V73	
	Size (nm)	PDI	Size (nm)	PDI	Size (nm)	PDI	Size (nm)	PDI	Size (nm)	PDI	Size (nm)	PDI
Fresh	244	0.49	311	0.25	292	0.56	323	0.28	322	0.55	455	0.47
sample												
1 st	260	0.64	370	0.36	292	0.63	444	0.31	366	0.59	445	0.60
Week												
2 nd	439	0.76	458	0.74	516	0.74	405	0.60	344	0.80	302	0.70
Week												

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Fig. S1 Fluorescence emission spectra of free MB and MB containing vesicles.









- 36 V37 and V73 fractions at pH (a) 5, (b) 7 and (c) 9.
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Fig. S3 MB@MCVs morphology characterization images, HR-TEM images of MB with 41 V73 at pH (a) 5, (b) 7 and (c) 9. (size bar 1 μm).



45 Fig. S4 Fluorescence emission spectra of ABMA after different treatments (a) only Laser (L)
46 (b) only V73+L (c) V37+L (d) MB + L (e) MB+V37+L (f) MB+V73+L.

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81 Fig. S6 Intracellular singlet oxygen generation in MCF-7 cells treated with MB-loaded MCVs

- 82 upon irradiation with 650 nm laser for 10 min. Overlay images (fluorescent microscopy +
- 83 Bright field) showing ${}^{1}O_{2}$ generation from different MCVs. Scale bars = 100 μ m.