

Supplementary information for:

Electrochemiluminescence of surface bound microparticles of ruthenium complexes

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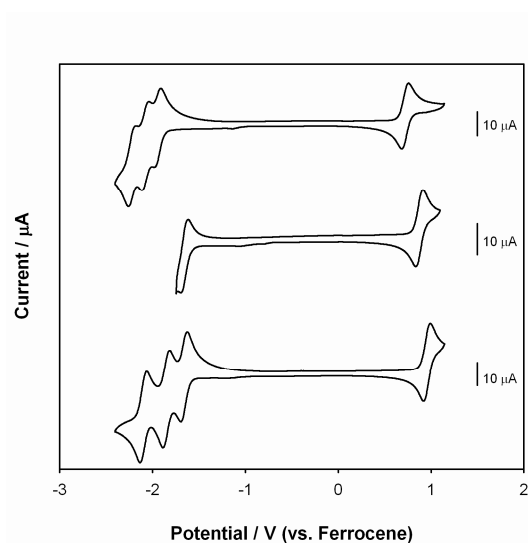
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Table A Solution phase electrochemical, spectroscopic and ECL properties of ruthenium diimine complexes.

	$E^{\circ} / V(\text{vs } Fc)$				$10^6 D / \text{cm}^2 \text{s}^{-1}$	$\lambda_{ECL} / \text{nm}^c$	λ_p / nm^c	Φ_{ECL}	Φ_{em}	$\lambda_{abs} / \text{nm}$
	I	II	III	IV						
Ru(dpp)₃²⁺	0.85	-1.70	-	-	1.3	616	616	0.24 ^a	0.300 ^a	464
Ru(tmp)₃²⁺	0.68	-2.03	-2.16	-2.31	3.7	595	595	0.01	0.026	439
Ru(phen)₃²⁺	0.97	-1.74	-	-	3.7	600	600	0.02	0.030	446
Ru(bpy)₃²⁺	0.89	-1.75	-1.94	-2.18	5.8	620	620	0.05 ^b	0.060 ^c	452

^aRef. 1, ^bRef. 27. ^cValues of λ_{max} are corrected for variation in PMT response with wavelength.



Supporting Figure A Solution phase cyclic voltammograms of (top to bottom), Ru(tmp)₃²⁺, Ru(dpp)₃²⁺ and Ru(bpy)₃²⁺ at 0.1 V/s using a 3 mm GC electrode. 1 mM solutions in acetonitrile containing 0.1 M [Bu₄N][PF₆] as supporting electrolyte.

Note: A composite movie of the morphological changes seen in the *in situ* electrochemical AFM experiment is also available.