Supporting Information for

Solvent-Induced Hierarchical Self-Assembly of Amphiphilic PEG(G_m)-*b*-PS Dendritic-Linear Block Copolymers

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Table S1. Molecular Characteristics and CAC Value of the Reference Polymer

sample	M_n [a] ($\times 10^4$ g/mol)	PDI	$M_{n,PS}$ [a] ($\times 10^4$ g/mol)	PDI_{PS}	w_{PEG} [b]	CMC (10^{-5} mg/mL)
PEG(G_1)-*b*-PS-Ref	0.52	1.09	0.37	1.08	0.21	1.76

[a] Apparent number-average molecular weight (M_n) and polydispersity index (PDI) were measured by gel permeation chromatography using PS standards. [b] Weight fraction of the hydrophiphilic PEG part.

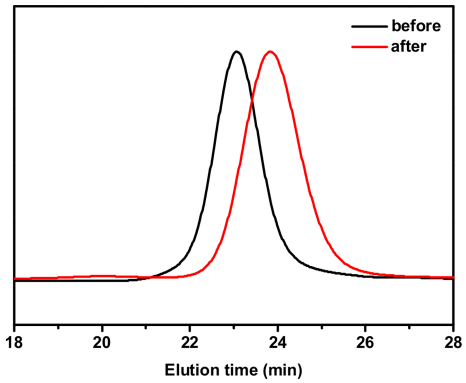


Figure S1. GPC profiles of the reference DLBCP and its corresponding linear PS block after hydrolysis.

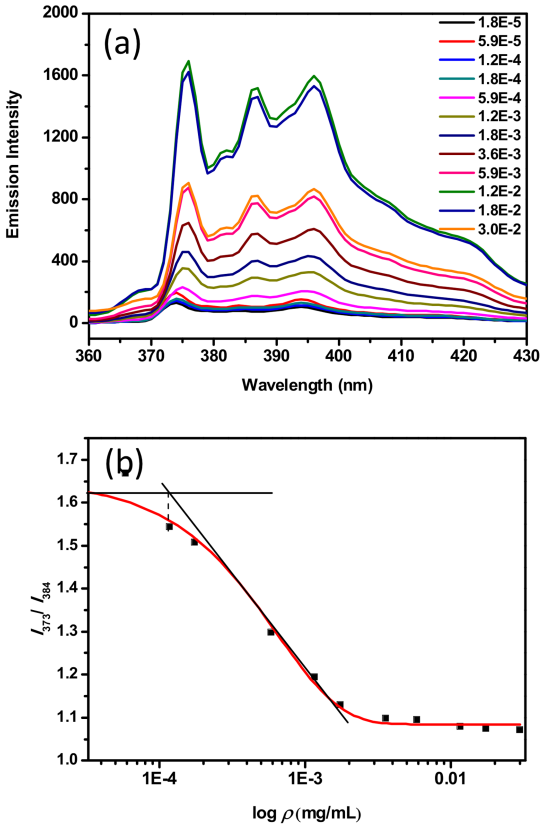


Figure S2. Fluorescence spectra of pyrene (8×10^{-7} M) in water at different concentrations (a) and the plot of I_{373}/I_{384} in the emission spectra of pyrene in aqueous solutions with respect to the concentration of PEG(G_1)-*b*-PS (b).

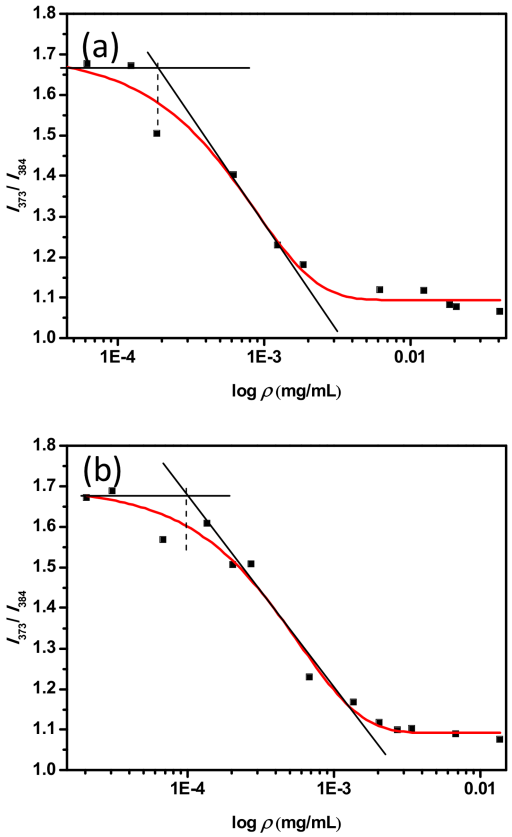


Figure S3. Fluorescence intensity ratios (I_{373}/I_{384}) of pyrene excitation bands (373 and 384 nm) as a function of the concentration of PEG(G_2)-*b*-PS and PEG(G_3)-*b*-PS aqueous solutions.

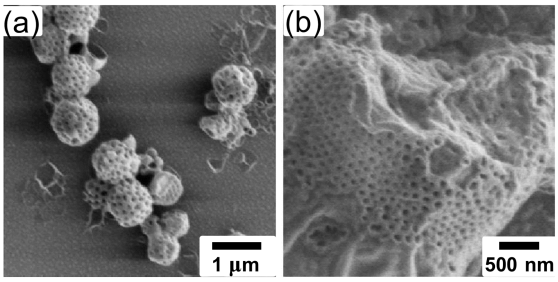


Figure S4. SEM micrographs of PEG(G_1)-*b*-PS at a water content of 23.4 %.

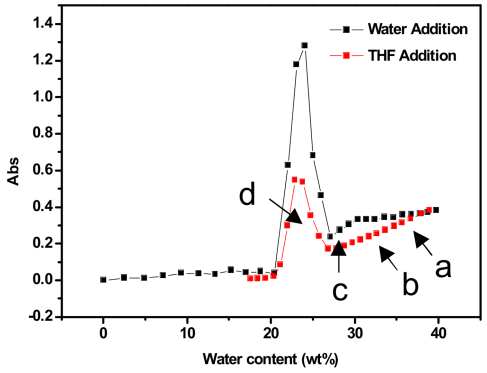


Figure S5. Turbidity measurements for 0.1 wt % of PEG(G_1)-*b*-PS in THF on addition of water and subsequent addition of THF.

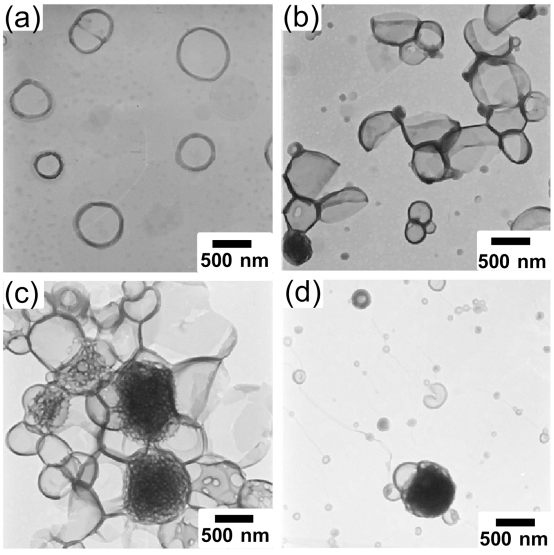
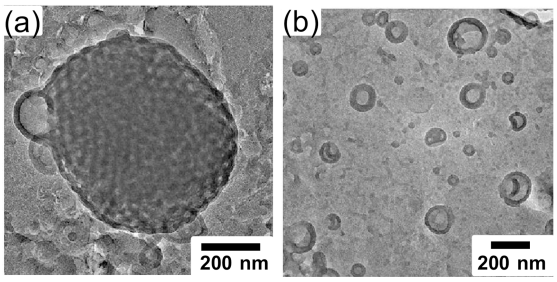


Figure S6. TEM micrographs of PEG(G_1)-*b*-PS at corresponding water contents as indicated in Figure S4 during the addition of THF.



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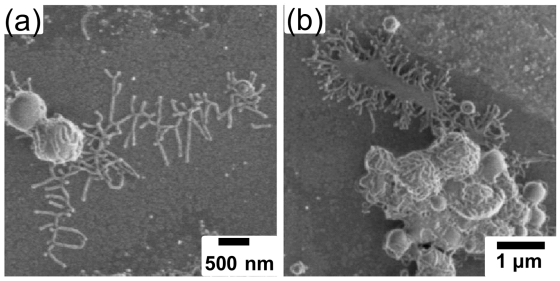

Figure S8. SEM micrographs of PEG(G_3)-*b*-PS at a water content of 18.5 %.