## Chiral zirconia nanotubes prepared through a sol-gel transcription approach

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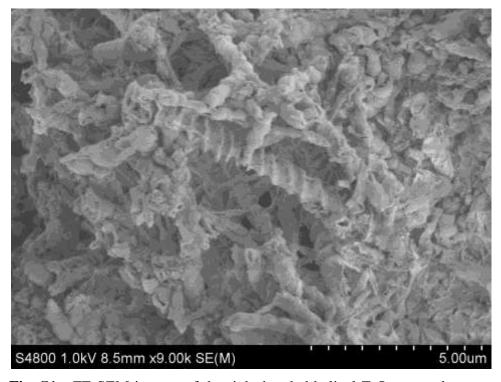
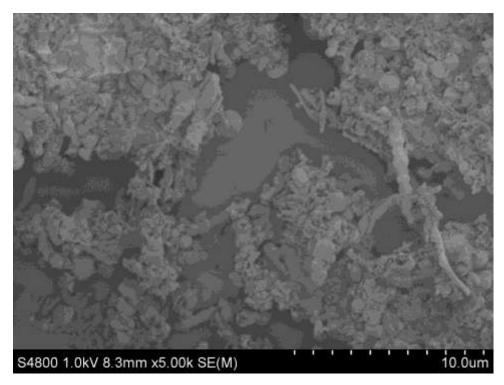


Fig. S1 FE-SEM images of the right-handed helical  $ZrO_2$  nanotubes prepared using LL-12Val5PyClO<sub>4</sub> and 120  $\mu L$  of tetrapropyl zirconate.



**Fig. S2** FE-SEM images of the right-handed helical  $ZrO_2$  nanotubes prepared using LL-12Val5PyClO<sub>4</sub> and 150  $\mu$ L of tetrapropyl zirconate.