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Functionalization of Graphene Quantum Dots with Rhamnolipid Produced from Bioconversion of Palm Kernel Oil by *Pseudomonas stutzeri* BK-AB12MT

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Experimental Design and Data for RSM analysis

The experimental design is provided in **Table S-1**. The oil spreading diameter is used as response of optimization using RSM.

Table S-1 Experimental design for rhamnolipid production using RSM

Run	PKO Concentration (%(v/v))	Urea Concentration (%(w/v))	Incubation Time (hours)	Oil Spreading Diameter (cm)
1	15	0.3	16	3.40 ± 0.53
2	15	0.1	32	2.07 ± 0.31
3	15	0.3	32	1.80 ± 0.17
4	15	0.1	16	2.50 ± 0.50
5	5	0.3	16	1.57 ± 0.71
6	5	0.1	32	2.33 ± 0.59
7	5	0.3	32	2.10 ± 0.46
8	5	0.1	16	1.30 ± 0.10
9	10	0.2	24	3.77 ± 0.49
10	10	0.2	24	3.57 ± 0.90
11	10	0.2	24	5.20 ± 0.98
12	18.409	0.2	24	1.10 ± 0.52
13	1.591	0.2	24	0.73 ± 0.06
14	10	0.368	24	1.17 ± 0.29
15	10	0.032	24	0.60 ± 0.17
16	10	0.2	37.454	1.33 ± 0.42
17	10	0.2	10.546	2.30 ± 0.56
18	10	0.2	24	5.20 ± 1.04
19	10	0.2	24	4.00 ± 0.40
20	10	0.2	24	3.67 ± 1.30

Analysis of Variance (ANOVA) for RSM Results

To evaluate the RSM results, we provide ANOVA (shown in Table S-2).

Table S-2 Analysis of variance (ANOVA) results of the model

	Degrees of Freedom	Sum Squares	Mean Square	F-value	p-value
Block	1	1.0405	1.0405	1.9755	0.1934382
First Order	3	1.2176	0.4059	0.7706	0.5390474
Two-Way Interaction	3	2.0031	0.6677	1.2677	0.3427406
Pure Quadratic	3	27.8100	9.2700	17.5991	0.0004168
Residuals	9	4.7406	0.5267		
Lack of Fit	5	1.8634	0.3727	0.5181	0.7561554
Pure Error	4	2.8772	0.7193		