

## Supporting information

Terbium alginate encapsulated CsPbI<sub>3</sub>@Pb-MOF: A ratiometric fluorescent bead for detection and adsorption of Fe<sup>3+</sup>

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### 1. Experimental section

#### 1.1 FL detection of Fe<sup>3+</sup>

To measure sensitivity, a mixture of 50 mg CsPbI<sub>3</sub>@Pb-MOF@Tb-AG and varying concentrations of Fe<sup>3+</sup> (ranging from 0 to 90 μM) was prepared. Subsequently, fluorescence spectra were recorded using an excitation wavelength of 448 nm. To determine probe selectivity, various Ag<sup>+</sup>, Na<sup>+</sup>, K<sup>+</sup>, Cd<sup>+</sup>, Ca<sup>2+</sup>, Cu<sup>2+</sup>, Ni<sup>2+</sup>, Co<sup>2+</sup>, Mn<sup>2+</sup>, Zn<sup>2+</sup>, Mg<sup>2+</sup>, Ba<sup>2+</sup>, Pb<sup>2+</sup>, Cd<sup>2+</sup>, Al<sup>3+</sup>, In<sup>3+</sup>, Cr<sup>3+</sup>, Br<sup>-</sup>, Cl<sup>-</sup>, SO<sub>4</sub><sup>2-</sup> and NO<sub>3</sub><sup>-</sup> ions including were prepared at a concentration of 50 μM. The solutions above and 50 μM of Fe<sup>3+</sup> solution were added to the mixture individually, and the changes in fluorescence were monitored.

#### 1.2 Adsorption experiments

Firstly, the dry sample (10 mg) is mixed with a Fe<sup>3+</sup> solution (20 mL, 400 mg/L) and magnetically stirred for 24 hours. Subsequently, the supernatant was collected for the ICP test.

#### 1.3 Characterization

X-ray diffraction analysis utilized a Rigaku Ultima IV diffractometer at 40 kV and 30 mA, employing Cu Kα radiation (λ = 1.5406 Å). We conducted scans from 5° to 60° 2θ, at 0.02° increments and 1-second dwell time per step. Photoluminescence spectra were acquired using a F98 spectrofluorometer, under 365 nm excitation and 5 nm slit widths, across a 500-700 nm wavelength range at ambient temperature. Energy-

dispersive X-ray spectroscopy (EDS) and scanning electron microscopy (SEM) images were obtained with a Hitachi TM-1000 tabletop SEM, setting the electron beam to 15 keV, a 35° take-off angle, a 10 mm working distance, and 60 seconds acquisition time. Transmission electron microscopy (TEM) and high-resolution TEM (HRTEM) analyses employed a JEOL JEM-2010 microscope at 200 kV, achieving a 0.19 nm spatial resolution, using carbon-coated copper grids and a Gatan Orius CCD camera for image capture and DigitalMicrograph software for analysis. X-ray photoelectron spectroscopy (XPS) was performed on an Escalab 250, using monochromatic Al K $\alpha$  radiation (1486.7 eV), with a 45° take-off angle, electron flood gun for charge compensation, and C 1s calibration at 284.8 eV. High-resolution and survey scans utilized 20 eV and 160 eV pass energies, respectively, with three scans and a 0.1 eV resolution, employing Lorentzian-Gaussian mix fitting (20% Lorentzian). UV-Vis diffuse reflectance spectra were characterized on a TU-1900 spectrophotometer, spanning 200-800 nm, using barium sulfate as a standard. Fluorescence lifetimes were measured with an Edinburgh Instruments FLS980 spectrofluorometer, using a 375 nm, 100 ps pulsed diode laser, covering a 400-800 nm detection range with 5 ps resolution, and setting data collection to 5 minutes per sample.

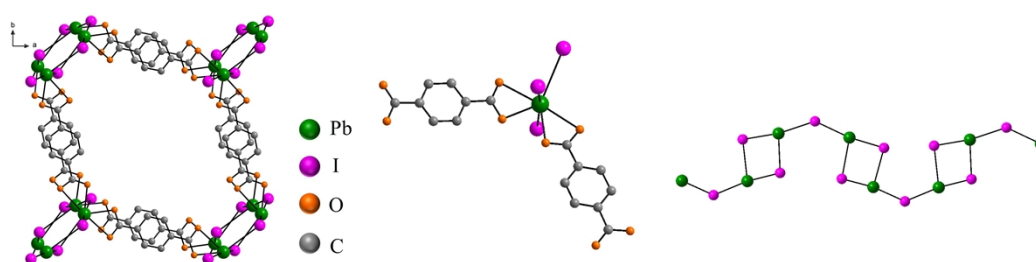


Fig.S1. Crystallographic view of PbI-MOF.

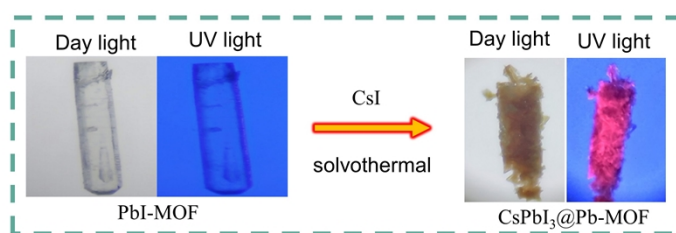


Fig.S2. Photographs of CsPbI<sub>3</sub>@Pb-MOF under daylight and UV light (365 nm).

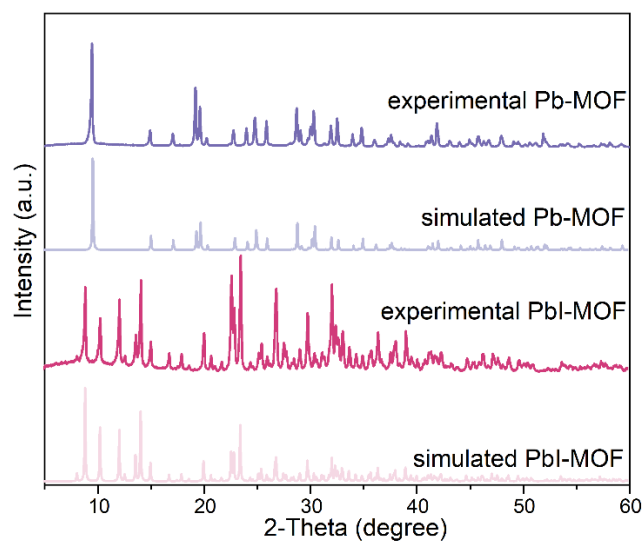


Fig.S3. PXRD pattern of PbI-MOF and Pb-MOF.

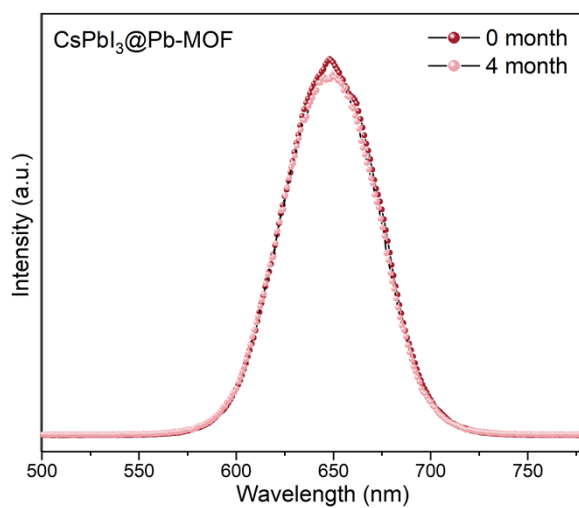


Fig.S4. PL spectra of CsPbI<sub>3</sub>@Pb-MOF in water at different times.

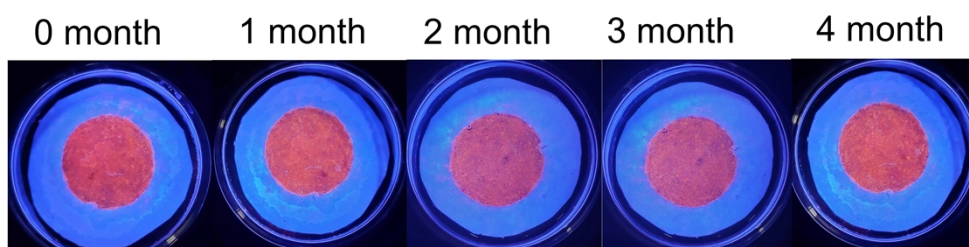


Fig.S5. The image displays CsPbI<sub>3</sub>@Pb-MOF samples in water at different times.

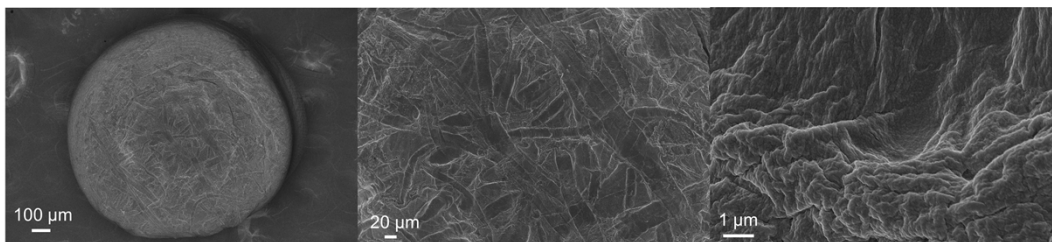


Fig. S6. SEM of the pure Tb-AG.

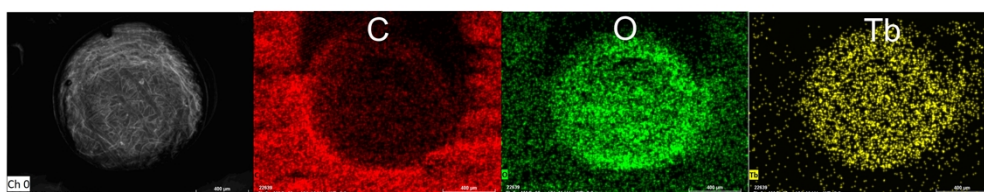


Fig. S7. EDS element mapping of the pure Tb-AG.

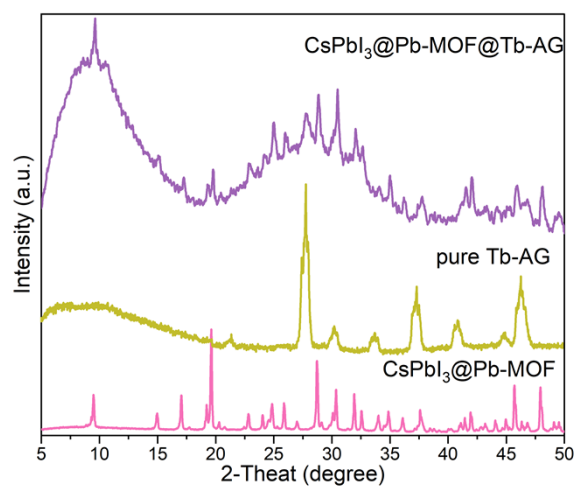


Fig.S8. PXRD pattern of samples.

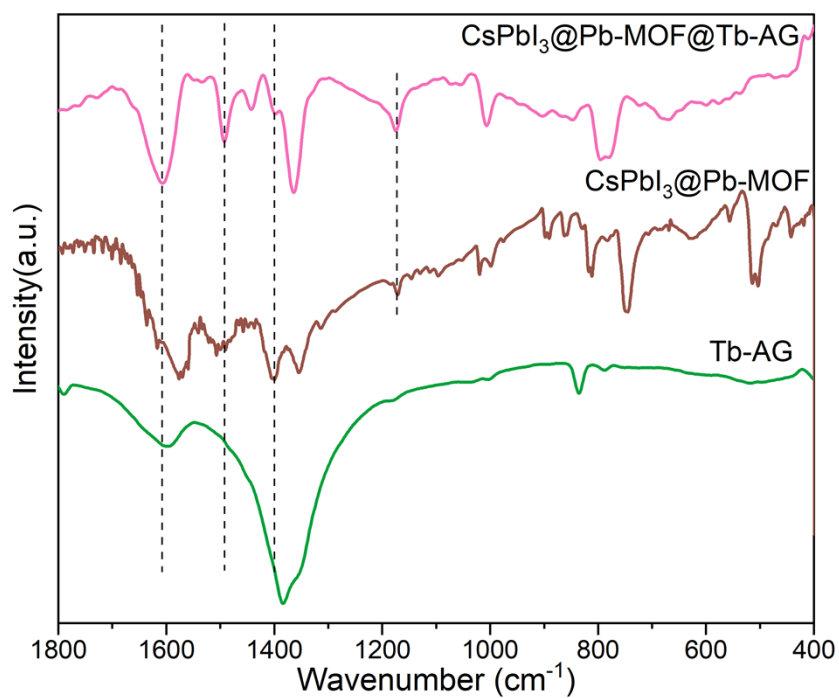


Fig.S9. FTIR of samples.

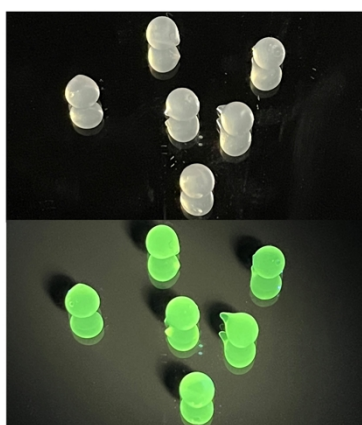


Fig.S10. The image displays Tb-AG samples under two conditions: daylight and UV light irradiation.

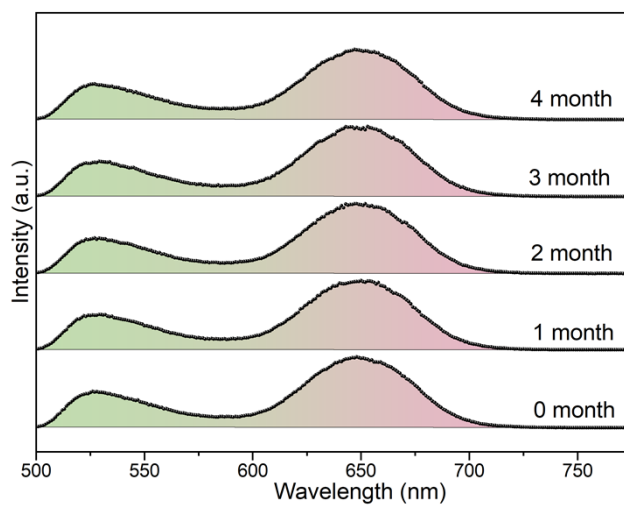


Fig.S11. PL spectra of CsPbI<sub>3</sub>@Pb-MOF@Tb-AG in water at different times.

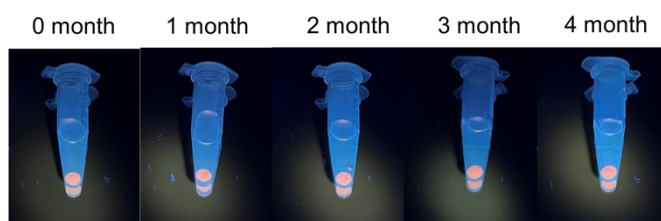


Fig.S12. The image displays CsPbI<sub>3</sub>@Pb-MOF@Tb-AG samples in water at different times.

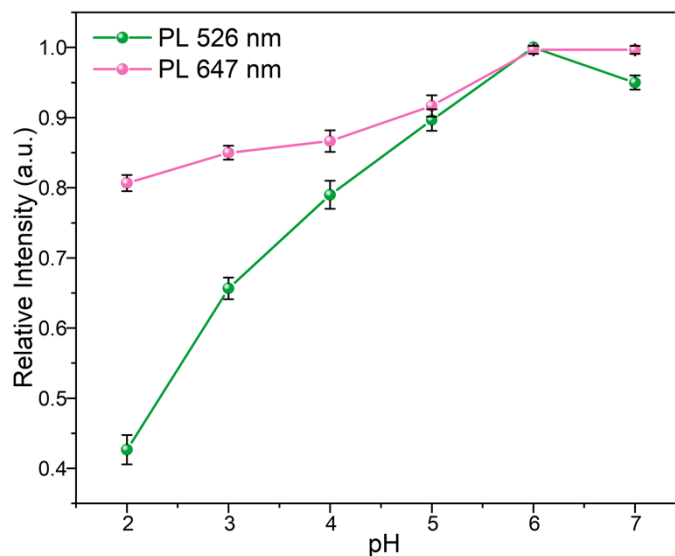


Fig. S13. The quenching efficiency of CsPbI<sub>3</sub>@Pb-MOF@Tb-AG for Fe<sup>3+</sup> (10 μM) under the different pH conditions.

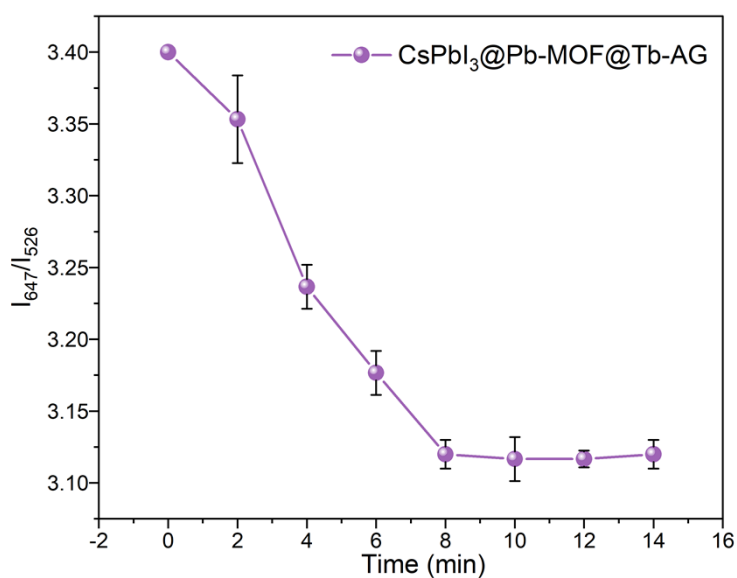


Fig. S14. Time-dependent fluorescence intensity of CsPbI<sub>3</sub>@Pb-MOF@Tb-AG upon addition of Fe<sup>3+</sup> (10 μM, pH=6).

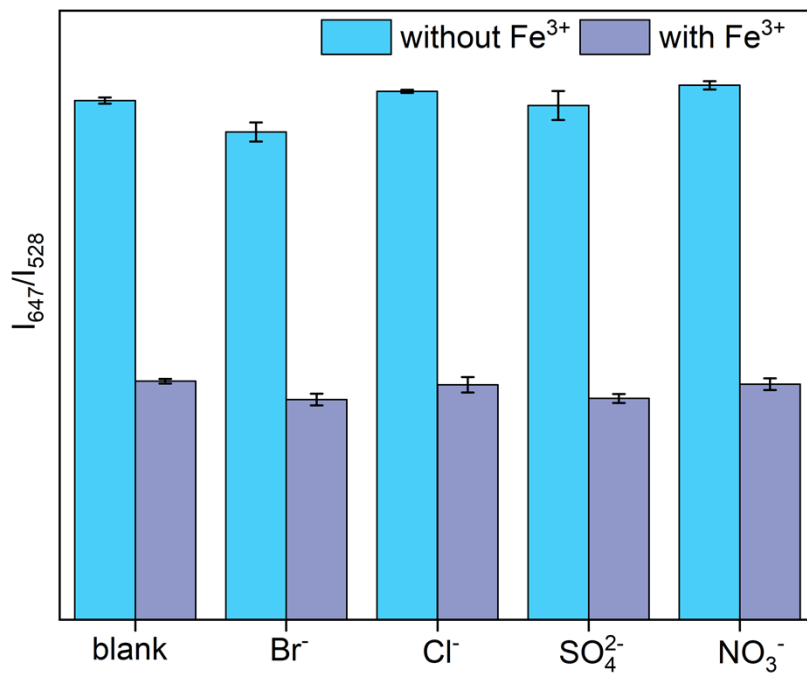


Fig.S15. Analysis of the impact of various anion on the relative fluorescence intensity ( $I_{647}/I_{528}$ ) of CsPbI<sub>3</sub>@Pb-MOF@Tb-AG, both with and without the presence of Fe<sup>3+</sup>.

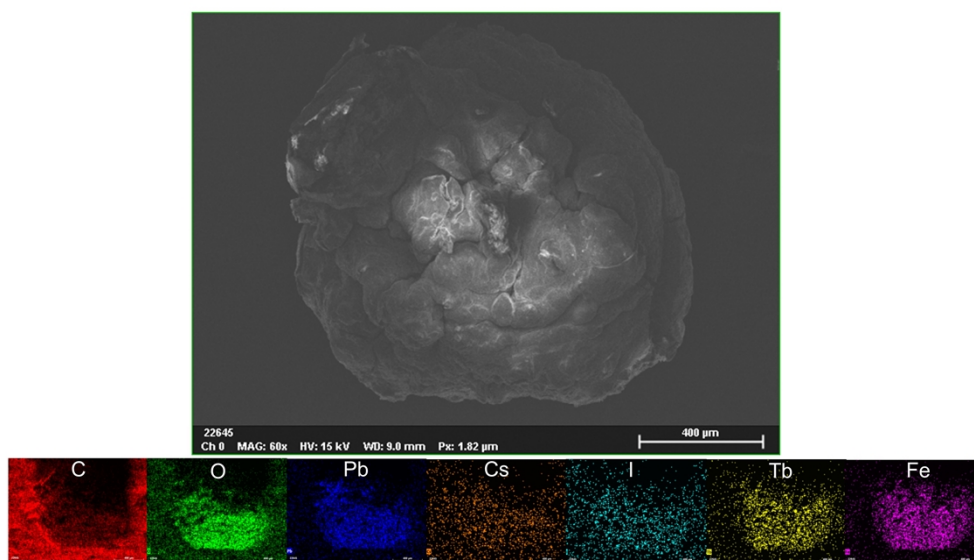


Fig.S16. SEM and EDS of CsPbI<sub>3</sub>@Pb-MOF@Tb-AG+Fe<sup>3+</sup>.

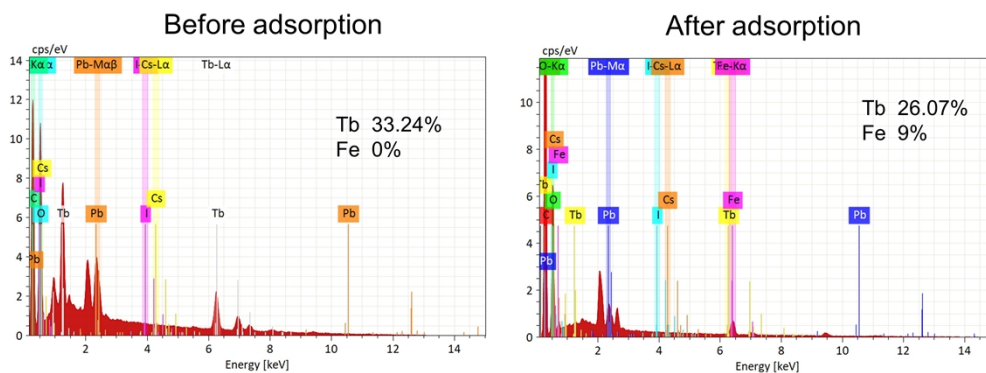


Fig.S17. EDS of CsPbI<sub>3</sub>@Pb-MOF@Tb-AG before and after adsorbing Fe<sup>3+</sup>.



Table S1. Time-resolved PL decay parameters of different samples under 448 nm excitation. The two-exponential decay curves were fitted using a non-linear least-squares method with a two-component decay law. The average lifetime ( $\tau_{av}$ ) was then determined using the equation:

$$\tau = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^{i=n} A_i \tau_i^2}{\sum_{i=1}^{i=n} A_i \tau_i}$$

<b>Sample</b>	<b><math>\tau_1</math>(ns)</b>	<b><math>\tau_2</math>(ns)</b>	<b>X<sup>2</sup></b>	<b><math>\tau_{av}</math>(ns)</b>
CsPbI <sub>3</sub> @PbI-MOF	15.34 (10.58%)	37.50 (89.42%)	1.103	35.15
CsPbI <sub>3</sub> @PbI-MOF@Tb-AG	16.20 (17.26%)	47.48 (82.74%)	1.125	42.09

Table S2. Comparison of the detection and adsorption of Fe<sup>3+</sup> ions using different Materials.

Sensing materials	Linear range ( $\mu\text{M}$ )	LOD ( $\mu\text{M}$ )	Adsorption capacity (mg/g)	Ref.
Carbon dot	1-100	0.32	-	1
N-doped Carbon dot	1-250	0.52	-	2
Nitrogen-doped carbon dots	2-25	0.9	-	3
CsPbBr <sub>3</sub> @PSAA	5-150	2.2	-	4
SiO <sub>2</sub> @CsPbBr <sub>3</sub> @SiO <sub>2</sub>	10-70	3	-	5
Bone gelatin CsSnCl <sub>3</sub>	0-2000	8	-	6
Eu <sup>3+</sup> @Uio-66-CA	0-250	18.1	-	7
TiO <sub>2</sub> -banana cluster	-	-	150	8
SiO <sub>2</sub> @Nap	0-125	1.32	79	9
PNIPAAm-CD hydrogel	1-1000	0.27	280.25	10
CsPbI <sub>3</sub> @Pb-MOF@Tb-AG	0-90	0.44	325.4	This work

Table S3. Time-resolved PL decay parameters of different samples under 448 nm excitation. The two-exponential decay curves were fitted using a non-linear least-squares method with a two-component decay law. The average lifetime ( $\tau_{av}$ ) was then determined using the equation:

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<b>Sample</b>	<b><math>\tau_1</math>(ns)</b>	<b><math>\tau_2</math>(ns)</b>	<b>X<sup>2</sup></b>	<b><math>\tau_{av}</math>(ns)</b>
CsPbI <sub>3</sub> @PbI-MOF@Tb-AG	16.20 (17.26%)	47.48 (82.74%)	1.125	42.09
CsPbI <sub>3</sub> @PbI-MOF@Tb-AG+20 $\mu$ M	7.57 (3.41%)	37.97 (96.59%)	1.135	39.25
CsPbI <sub>3</sub> @PbI-MOF@Tb-AG+40 $\mu$ M	7.17 (10.38%)	35.19 (89.62%)	1.194	32.28

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