

Supporting Information

Plasmonic Biochips with Enhanced Stability in Harsh Environments for the Sensitive Detection of Prostate-Specific Antigen

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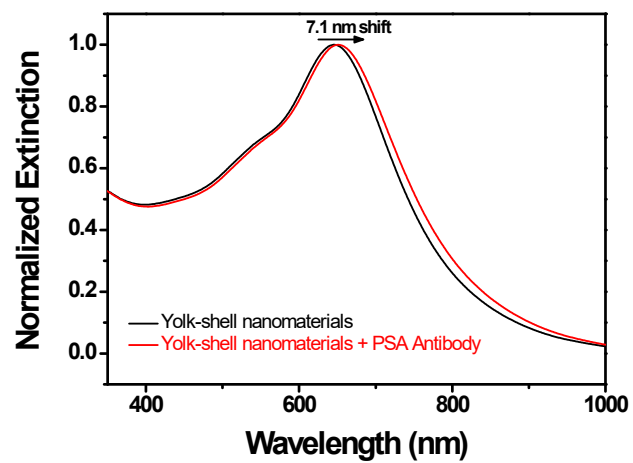


Fig. S1 Representative UV-Vis spectrum showing the LSPR shift after conjugation of yolk-shell nanomaterials with PSA antibody in solution.

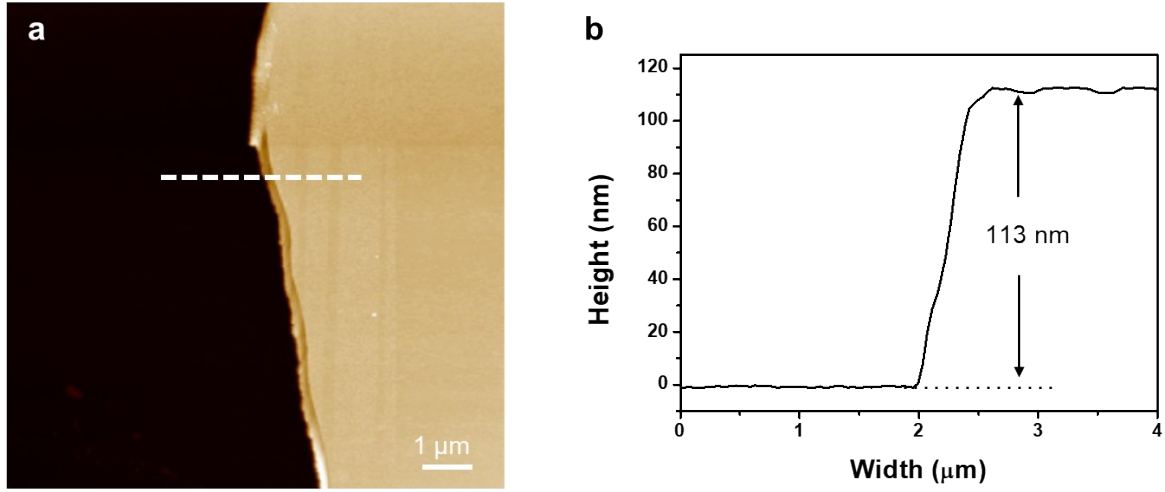


Fig. S2 (a) AFM image of the silk film. (b) Height profile along the dotted line in (a).

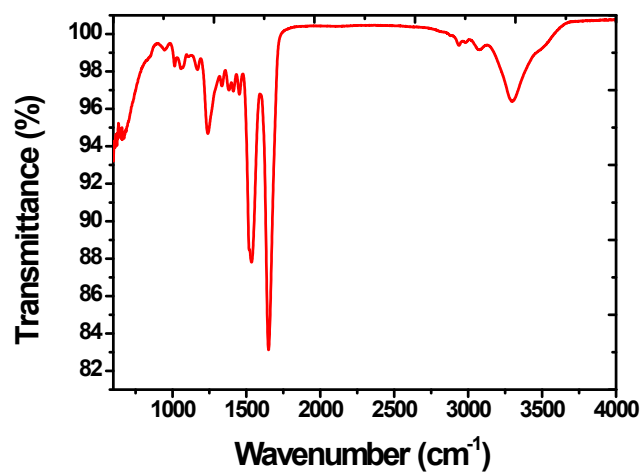


Fig. S3 FTIR spectrum of silk fibroin.

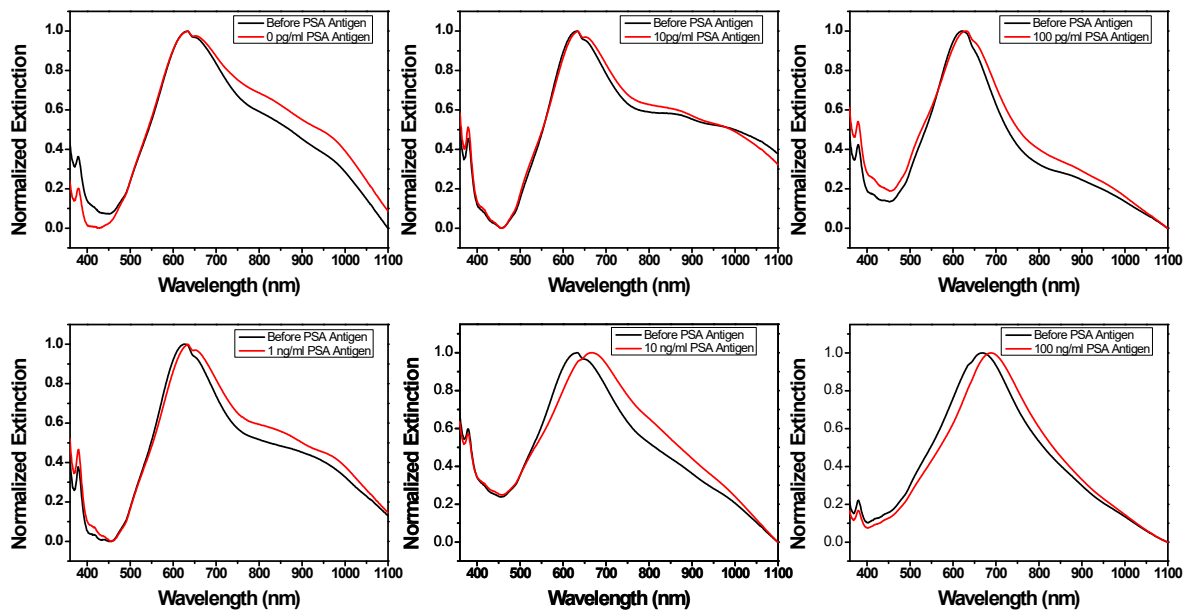


Fig. S4 Representative UV-vis spectra of yolk-shell nanomaterials-PSA antibodies conjugate on glass substrates exposed to various concentrations of PSA.

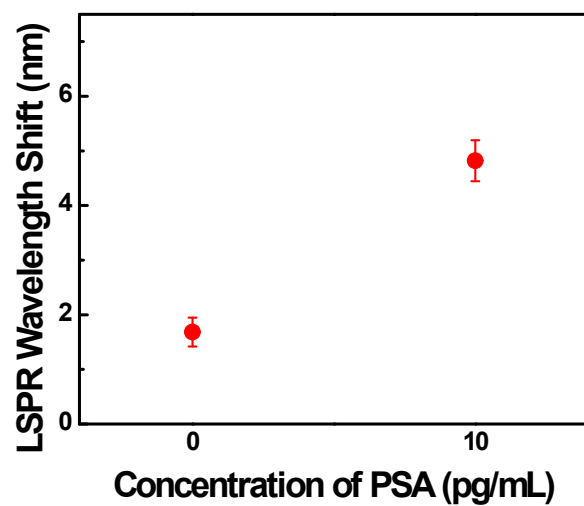


Fig. S5 LSPR shift of yolk-shell nanomaterials-PSA antibodies conjugate on glass substrates exposed to the blank sample and PSA at the concentration of 10 pg/mL. n=3.

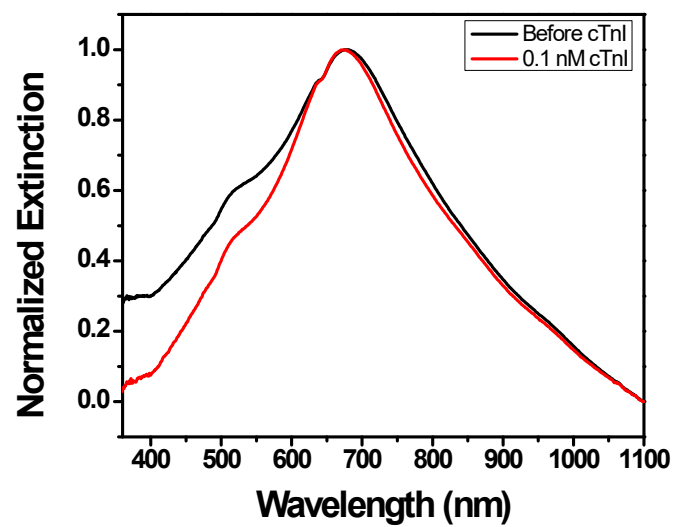


Fig. S6 LSPR shift of yolk-shell nanomaterials-PSA antibodies conjugate on glass substrates exposed to the interfering protein.

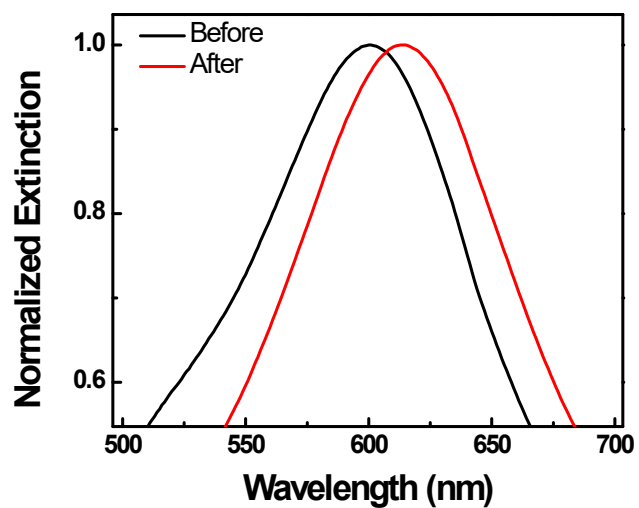


Fig. S7 LSPR shift of yolk-shell nanomaterials-PSA antibodies conjugate on glass substrates exposed to a complex medium comprising PSA (100 ng/mL), cTnl (0.1 nM), and Hb (150 mg/mL).