## **Supporting Information for:**

## Alternative Pathways of Human Islet Amyloid Polypeptide Aggregation Distinguished by <sup>19</sup>F NMR-Detected Kinetics of Monomer Consumption

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## Additional supporting figures referred to in the main text



**Figure S1. Environmental sensitivity of the tfmF**<sub>23</sub> **group**. <sup>19</sup>F NMR spectra of IAPP-tfmF<sub>23</sub> were acquired under various conditions after 5 minutes of incubation at 25 °C: **a**) 20 mM sodium phosphate, 20 mM NaCl, 10% D<sub>2</sub>O, pH 7.3 **b**) 90% D<sub>2</sub>O, 20 mM sodium phosphate, 20 mM NaCl, pH 7.3 **c**) 100  $\mu$ M HCl, 10% D<sub>2</sub>O, pH 4 **d**) 8M Urea, 10% D<sub>2</sub>O **e**) 100 mM SDS, 20 mM sodium phosphate, 20 mM NaCl, 10% D<sub>2</sub>O, pH 7.3, **f**) 90% DMSO, 10% D<sub>2</sub>O. Spectra were referenced to an external TFE standard (in solution of 20 mM Pi, 50 mM NaCl, pH 7.3) at 0 ppm.



**Figure S2.** <sup>19</sup>**F NMR detection of small oligomer formation during cross-linking by EDC/Sulfo-NHS.** Intensity change with time of IAPP-tfmF23 when incubated with 0 (**A**), 10 (**B**), 20 (**C**) and 40 mM EDC/Sulfo-NHS (**D**). A second peak at 14.76 ppm next to the main peak at 14.73 ppm can be seen developing in the 40 mM EDC/Sulfo-NHS sample with time.



**Figure S3. Changes in the <sup>19</sup>F spectra of IAPP-tfmF23 upon cross-linking. A and B:**Intensity change with time of the main peak at 14.73 ppm and the second peak at 14.76 ppm with 40 mM (**A**) and 10 mM (**B**) EDC/Sulfo-NHS. (**C**) Superposition of the first and final spectra of IAPP-tfmF23 with 40 and 10 mM EDC/Sulfo-NHS. The position of the second peak at 14.76 ppm is indicated by an arrow.



**Figure S4**. **Monomer consumption and fiber formation by IAPP-tfmF23 at 37** °C. Overlay of kinetic traces from <sup>19</sup>F NMR (black), ThT fluorescence (red). Error bars indicate S.E.M. (n=4). The close correspondence between the curves suggests fiber formation closely follows monomer consumption at 37 °C, similar to the measurements at 37 °C shown in Figure 2.



Figure S5. Additional TEM images of IAPP-tfmF<sub>23</sub> fibers. TEM images after  $\frac{1}{2}$  (c) and complete (d) depletion of the <sup>19</sup>F signal intensity at 25 °C. Scale bars represent 500 nm.



Figure S6. Additional TEM images of IAPP-tfmF<sub>23</sub> aggregation as a function of EGCG concentration. TEM images after the complete depletion of the <sup>19</sup>F signal for IAPP-tfmF<sub>23</sub> in the presence of (a) 0.2 eq, (b) 0.5 eq, (c) 1.0 eq, and (d) 5.0 eq of EGCG in the absence of ThT. Scale bars represent 500 nm.



Figure S7. Aggregate formation by EGCG in the absence of IAPP-tfmF<sub>23</sub>. TEM images for (a) phosphate buffer alone (20 mM Pi, 50 mM NaCl, pH 7.3), (b) 425  $\mu$ M EGCG in phosphate buffer, (c) 425  $\mu$ M EGCG with 100  $\mu$ M THT in phosphate buffer. Samples were incubated for 3 hours at 37 °C before acquisition. Scale bars represent 500 nm.



Figure S8. Competition for amyloid binding between ThT and EGCG. Overlay of kinetic traces from <sup>19</sup>F NMR (black: 0  $\mu$ M ThT and red: 100  $\mu$ M ThT) and ThT fluorescence (blue: 100  $\mu$ M ThT) in the presence of 0.5 eq. of EGCG.



Figure S9.EGCG and ThT do not likely interact with monomeric IAPP-tfmF<sub>23</sub>. <sup>19</sup>F NMR spectra of (a) IAPP-tfmF<sub>23</sub> alone, (b) IAPP-tfmF<sub>23</sub> with 85  $\mu$ M EGCG, (c) with 100  $\mu$ M THT (c). Spectra were acquired at pH 7.3, 37°C after 5 minutes of incubation.

a)



**Figure S10**. **EGCG disrupts preformed fibers of IAPP-tfmF**<sub>23</sub>**.** Additional TEM images acquired just before the addition of 5 equivalents of EGCG to preformed fibers of IAPP-tfmF<sub>23</sub> (a) and after complete depletion of THT fluorescence intensity . Scale bar represents 500 nm.

Table S1		
NMR/CD	ThT	
$I = \frac{1}{1 + e^{\frac{x - t_{1/2}}{dx}}}$	$I = 1 - \frac{1}{1 + e^{\frac{x - t_{1/2}}{dx}}}$	

25°C	t <sub>1/2</sub>	dx
ThT	64.3±6.9	17.4±1.3
NMR	91.9±3.1	24.9±1.4
CD	91.8±6.3	22.8±1.4

<b>37°C</b>	t <sub>1/2</sub>	dx
ThT	18.8±0.8	4.2±0.2
NMR	16.8±1.6	6.1±0.7