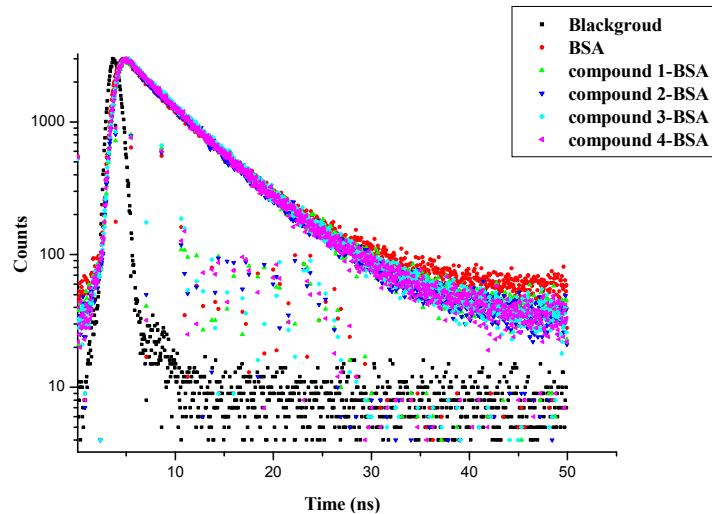
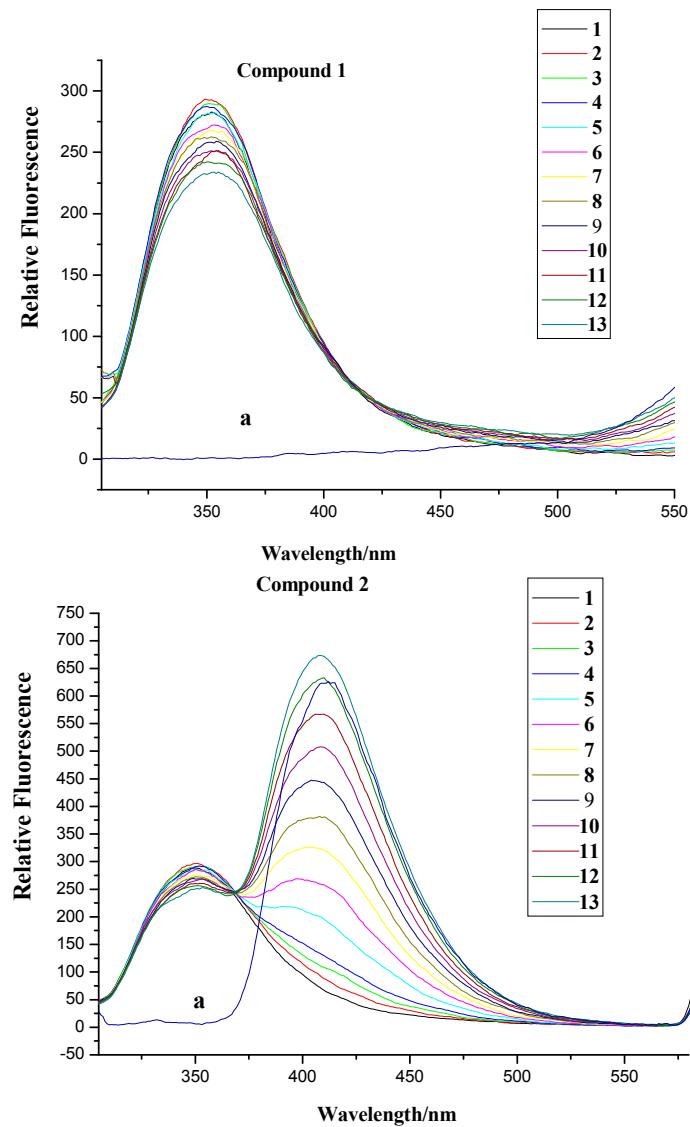


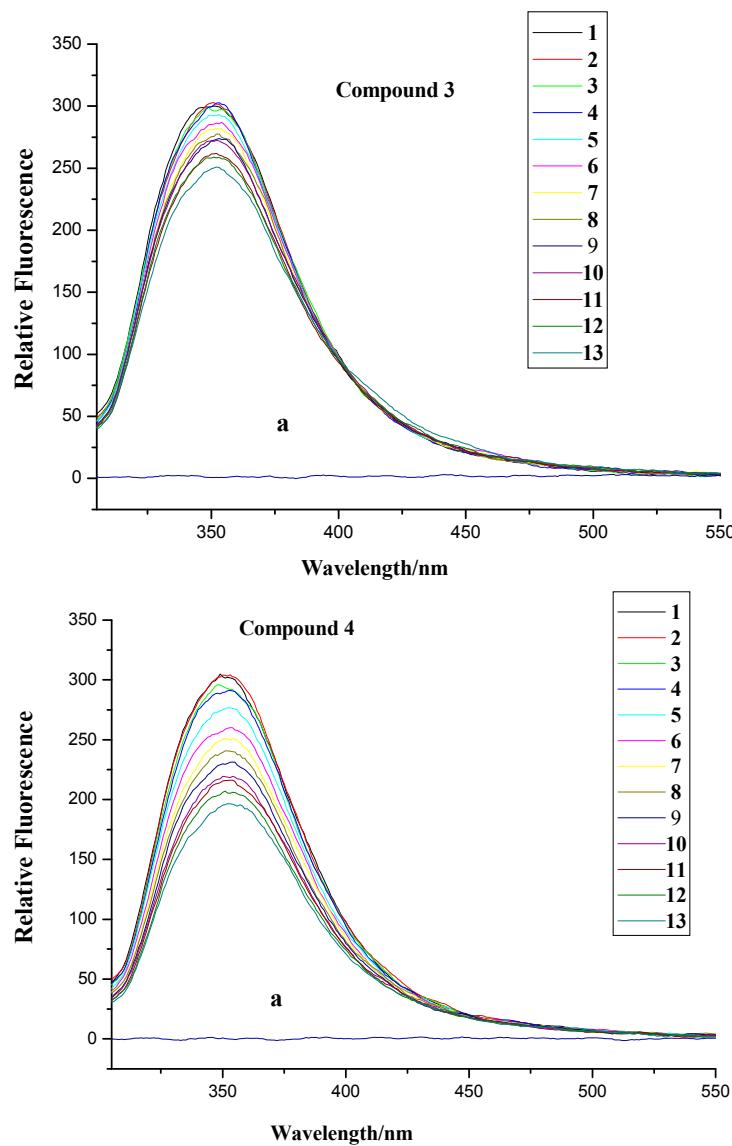
# Supporting Information



**Figure S1.** The fluorescence lifetimes of the BSA and compounds **1–4**-BSA complex;  $c$  (BSA) =  $1.04 \times 10^{-6}$  mol·L<sup>-1</sup>;  $c$  (compounds **1–4**) =  $12.0 \times 10^{-6}$  mol·L<sup>-1</sup>.



**Figure S2. Cont.**



**Figure S2.** Fluorescence spectroscopy of compounds **1–4** and BSA. Numbers 1–13 indicated concentrations of compounds **1–4**:  $0.0$ ,  $0.4 \times 10^{-6}$ ,  $0.8 \times 10^{-6}$ ,  $1.2 \times 10^{-6}$ ,  $2.4 \times 10^{-6}$ ,  $3.6 \times 10^{-6}$ ,  $4.8 \times 10^{-6}$ ,  $6.0 \times 10^{-6}$ ,  $7.2 \times 10^{-6}$ ,  $8.4 \times 10^{-6}$ ,  $9.6 \times 10^{-6}$ ,  $10.8 \times 10^{-6}$  and  $12 \times 10^{-6} \text{ mol}\cdot\text{L}^{-1}$ , respectively. BSA concentration applied was  $1.04 \times 10^{-6} \text{ mol}\cdot\text{L}^{-1}$ . Scan condition: Ex = 295 nm, Em = 305–580 nm; slits of both Ex and Em of compounds **1–4** were 5 nm. The blue line “a” was compounds **1–4**, which concentration was  $12.0 \times 10^{-6} \text{ mol}\cdot\text{L}^{-1}$  and had no BSA.

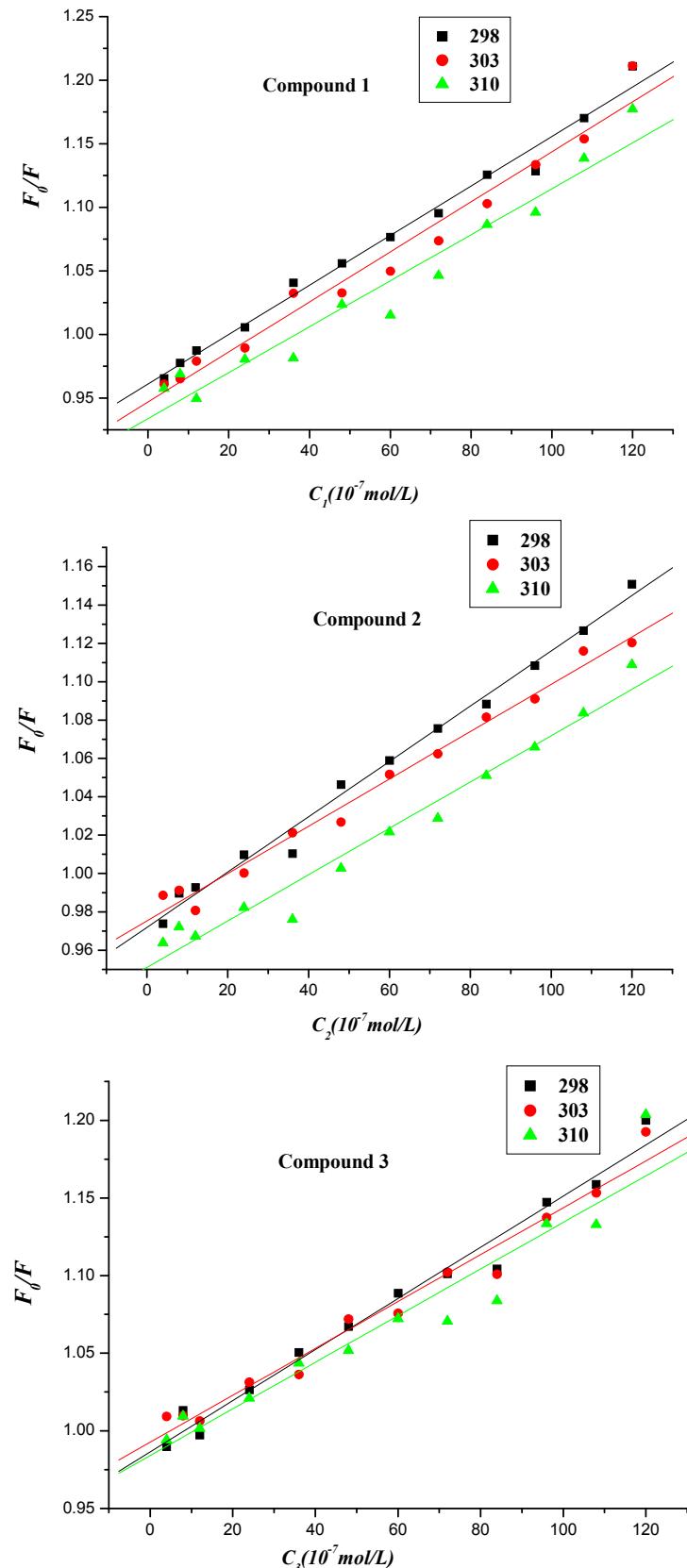
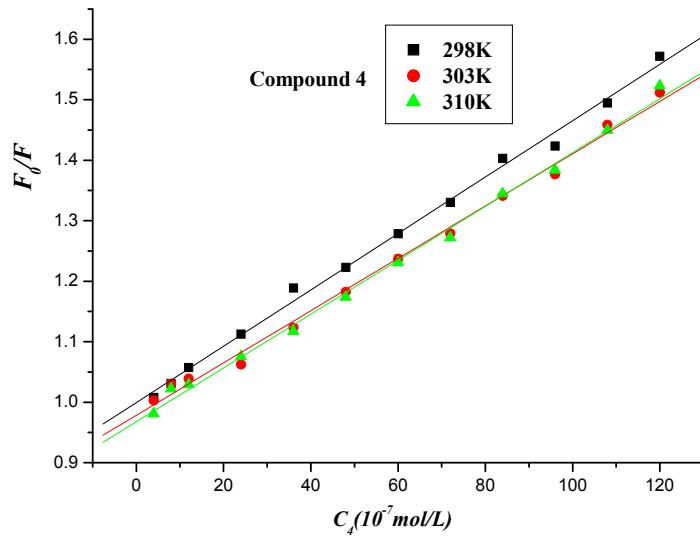
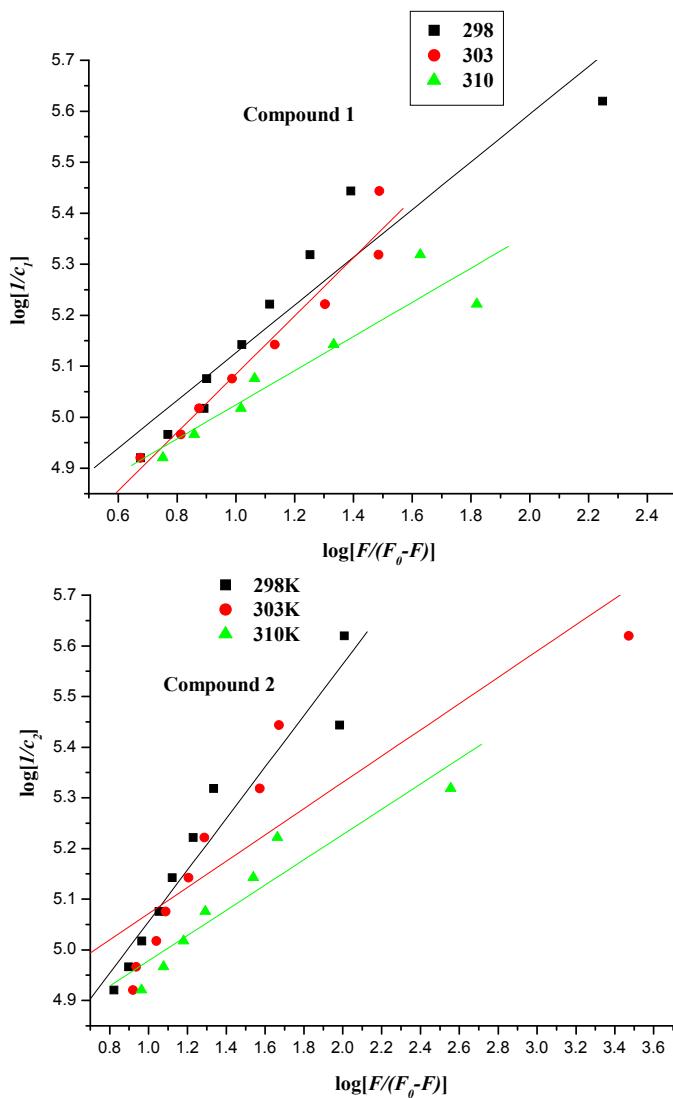


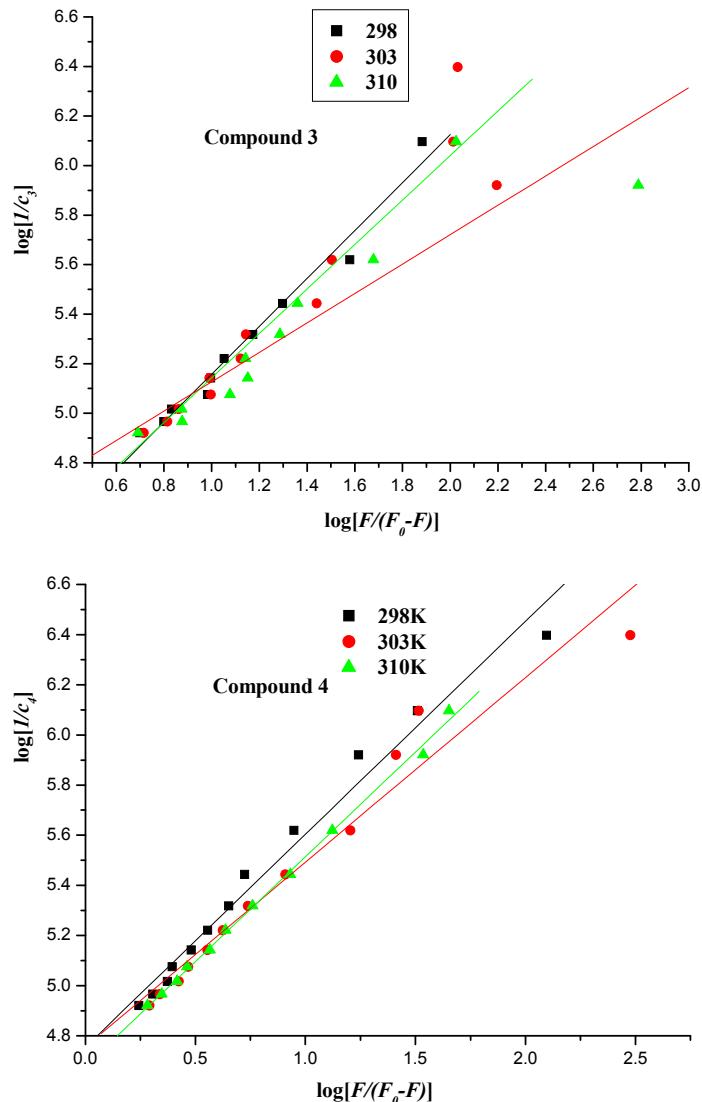
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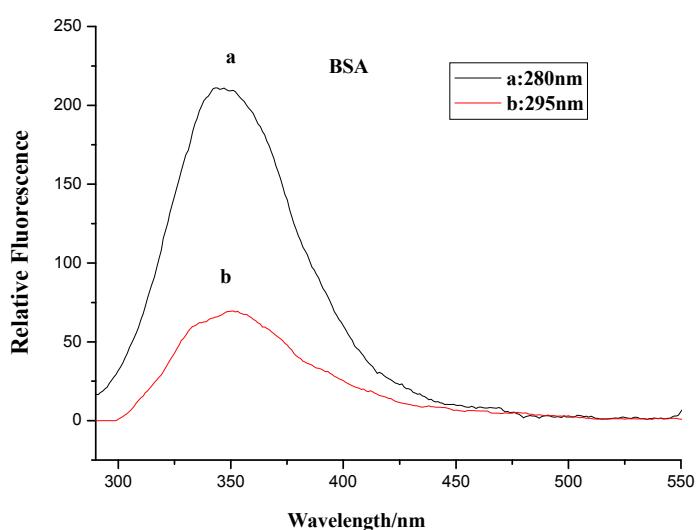
**Figure S3.** Stern-Volmer linear plot of fluorescence quenching of BSA by compounds 1–4 at different temperatures ( $\text{Ex} = 295 \text{ nm}$ ).



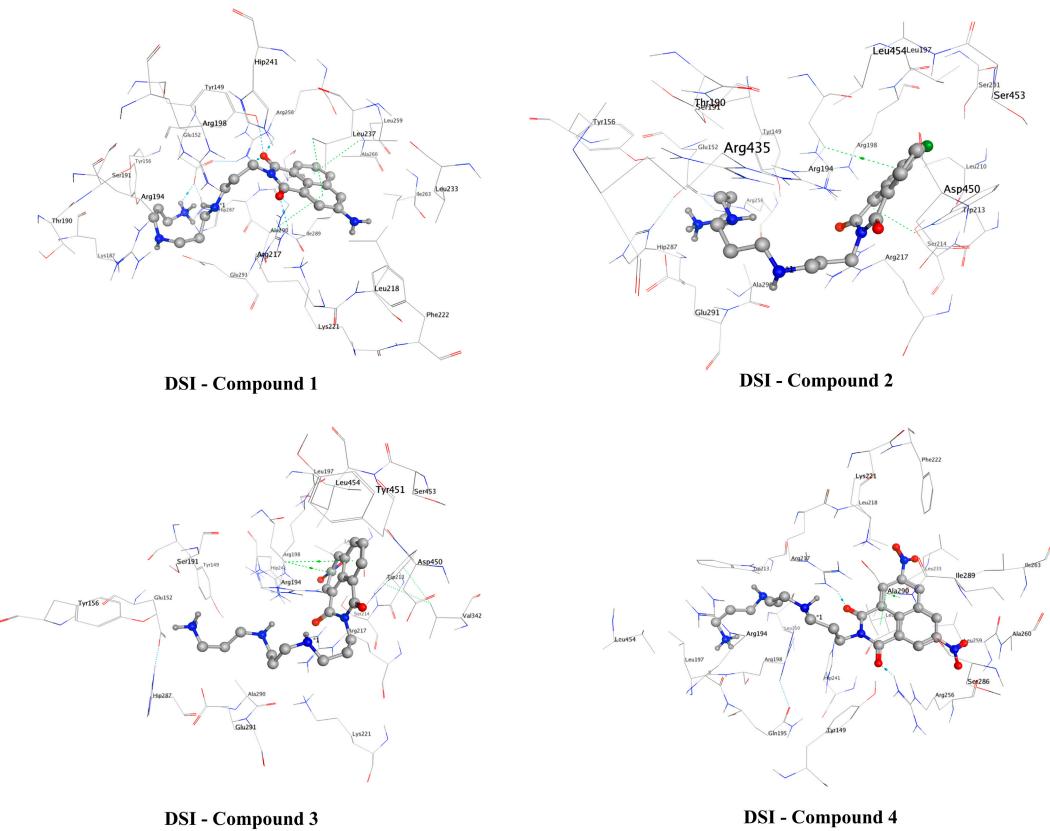
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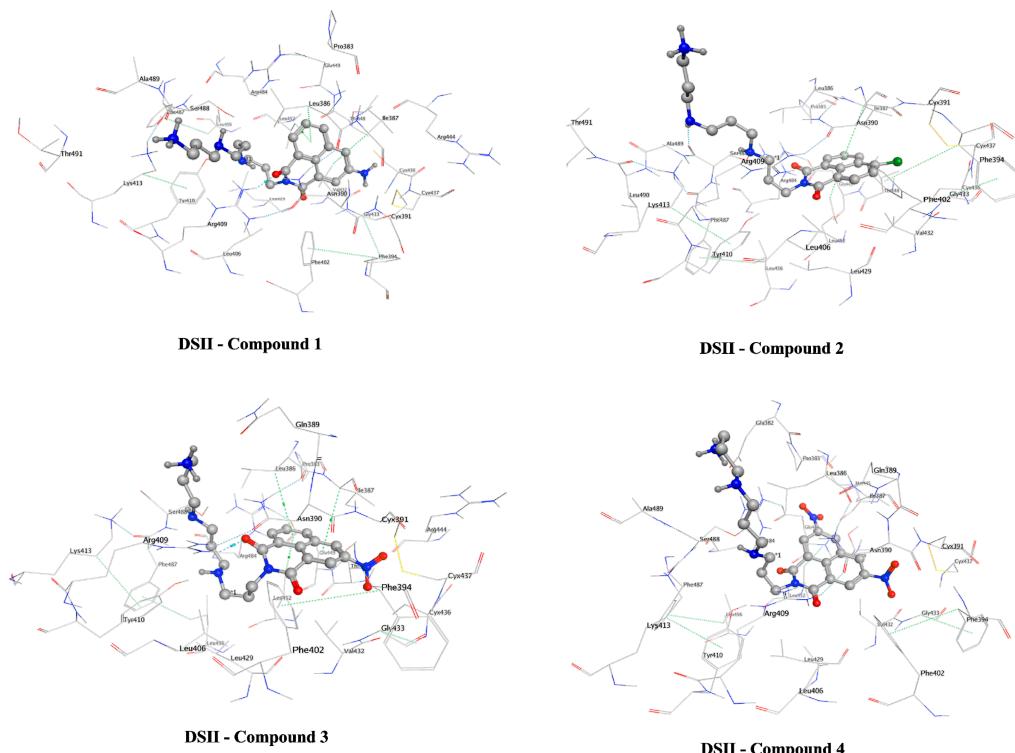
**Figure S4.** Linear plot of  $\log [1/c_{comp.}]$  vs.  $\log [F/(F_0 - F)]$  of the interaction between compounds **1–4** and BSA at different temperatures (Ex = 295 nm).



**Figure S5.** The Fluorescence of BSA at Ex = 280 and 295 nm, respectively; slits of both Ex and Em were 5 nm;  $c$  (BSA) =  $1.04 \times 10^{-6}$  mol·L<sup>-1</sup>.



**Figure S6.** The 3D diagram of the best binding mode for the docking of DS1 and compounds 1–4 according to the scoring.



**Figure S7.** The 3D diagram of the best binding mode for the docking of DSII and compounds 1–4 according to the scoring.

**Table S1.** The fluorescence lifetimes of BSA and compounds **1–4**-BSA complex.

Medium	B <sub>1</sub>	τ <sub>1</sub> (ns)	B <sub>2</sub>	τ <sub>2</sub> (ns)	τ <sub>0</sub> (ns)	x <sup>2</sup> (%)
BSA	0.010	1.647	0.033	6.282	5.941	1.090
BSA + compound <b>1</b>	0.007	2.626	0.031	6.308	5.993	1.244
BSA + compound <b>2</b>	0.009	1.671	0.032	6.231	5.912	1.180
BSA + compound <b>3</b>	0.008	2.859	0.031	6.403	6.037	1.201
BSA + compound <b>4</b>	0.009	2.937	0.030	6.377	5.753	1.294

Note:  $c(\text{BSA}) = 1.04 \times 10^{-6} \text{ mol} \cdot \text{L}^{-1}$ ;  $c(\text{compounds } \mathbf{1–4}) = 12.0 \times 10^{-6} \text{ mol} \cdot \text{L}^{-1}$ .

**Table S2.** Quenching constant of the interaction between compounds **1–4** and BSA at different temperatures (Ex = 295 nm).

Compound	T(K)	K <sub>sv</sub> (L·mol <sup>-1</sup> )	K <sub>q</sub> (L·mol <sup>-1</sup> )	r
<b>1</b>	298	$1.950 \times 10^4$		0.994
	303	$1.970 \times 10^4$	$3.282 \times 10^{12}$	0.987
	310	$1.810 \times 10^4$		0.975
<b>2</b>	298	$1.440 \times 10^4$		0.995
	303	$1.230 \times 10^4$	$2.424 \times 10^{12}$	0.993
	310	$1.210 \times 10^4$		0.984
<b>3</b>	298	$1.650 \times 10^4$		0.989
	303	$1.510 \times 10^4$	$2.777 \times 10^{12}$	0.987
	310	$1.500 \times 10^4$		0.963
<b>4</b>	298	$4.660 \times 10^4$		0.998
	303	$4.320 \times 10^4$	$7.844 \times 10^{12}$	0.997
	310	$4.450 \times 10^4$		0.998

**Table S3.** Binding constants and thermodynamic parameters of the interaction between compounds **1–4** and BSA at different temperatures (Ex = 295 nm).

Compound	T(K)	K <sub>b</sub> (L·mol <sup>-1</sup> )	ΔG°(L·mol <sup>-1</sup> )	ΔH°(kJ·mol <sup>-1</sup> )	ΔS°(kJ·mol <sup>-1</sup> )	r
<b>1</b>	298	$4.556 \times 10^4$	-26.576	4.580	0.105	0.950
	303	$3.261 \times 10^4$	-26.179	4.580	0.105	0.977
	310	$4.894 \times 10^4$	-27.831	4.580	0.105	0.938
<b>2</b>	298	$3.526 \times 10^4$	-25.941	26.781	0.177	0.964
	303	$6.488 \times 10^4$	-27.912	26.781	0.177	0.887
	310	$5.358 \times 10^4$	-28.064	26.781	0.177	0.945
<b>3</b>	298	$1.554 \times 10^4$	-23.911	50.430	0.250	0.989
	303	$1.754 \times 10^4$	-24.618	50.430	0.250	0.957
	310	$3.417 \times 10^4$	-26.905	50.430	0.250	0.917
<b>4</b>	298	$5.688 \times 10^4$	-27.126	-11.158	0.0536	0.990
	303	$5.709 \times 10^4$	-27.591	-11.158	0.0536	0.988
	310	$4.778 \times 10^4$	-27.769	-11.158	0.0536	0.999