

Supplementary Materials

Supplementary Table S1. Temperature dependent hTyr_{tr} activity (V_{initial}) used for the evaluation of the Michaelis-Menten constant.

[L-DOPA], mM	V_{initial} , mM/min			
	25°C	31°C	37°C	43°C
0.09375	0.0036 ± 0.0017	0.00180 ± 0.00065	0.0024 ± 0.00065	0.0062 ± 0.0028
0.1875	0.0073 ± 0.0037	0.0030 ± 0.0012	0.0060 ± 0.0014	0.0096 ± 0.0036
0.375	0.015 ± 0.0082	0.015 ± 0.0072	0.012 ± 0.0053	0.021 ± 0.0097
0.75	0.021 ± 0.012	0.024 ± 0.013	0.022 ± 0.011	0.034 ± 0.017
1.5	0.024 ± 0.014	0.026 ± 0.014	0.029 ± 0.015	0.043 ± 0.022
3.0	0.024 ± 0.015	0.024 ± 0.012	0.028 ± 0.014	0.044 ± 0.021
6.0	0.023 ± 0.013	0.024 ± 0.011	0.026 ± 0.012	0.041 ± 0.019

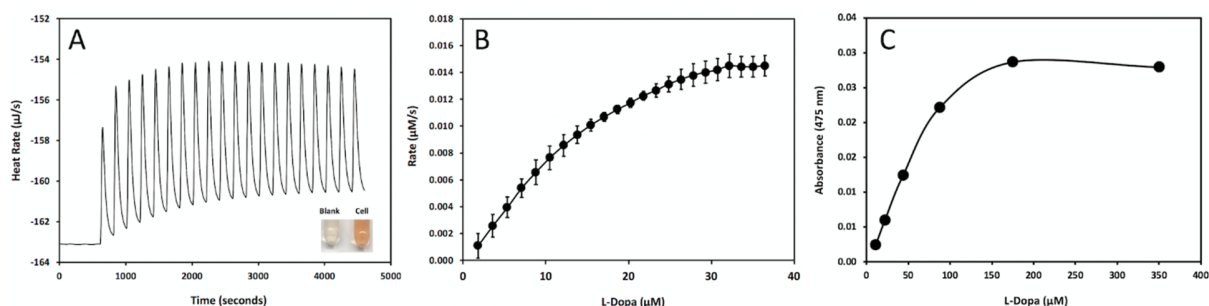


Figure S1. Isothermal Titration Calorimetry Conversion to Michaelis-Menten.

Panel A: Differences between the sample and reference cell containing deionized water. The heat dilution of L-DOPA into 10 mM sodium phosphate buffer has been subtracted. Insert shows tyrosinase oxidation of L-DOPA compared to buffer blank measured at 37°C. **Panel B:** The data from **Panel A** has been transformed into reaction rate ($\mu\text{M/s}$) and plotted against their corresponding L-DOPA concentrations through TA Nano Analyze Software. **Panel C:** UV spectroscopy derived Michaelis-Menten plot of diphenol-oxidase activity of Tyr_{tr} as a function of L-DOPA concentrations. Assay was measured at 37°C using 475 nm for the formation of dopachrome as a metric for enzyme activity.