

Supporting Information

Preparation of biomass-based carbon dots with aggregation luminescence enhancement from hydrogenated rosin for biological imaging and detection of Fe³⁺

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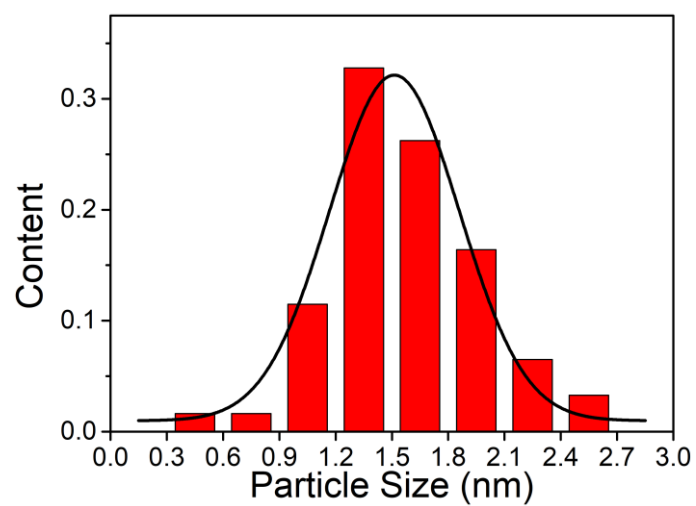


Figure S1. Size distribution histograms of hr-CDs.

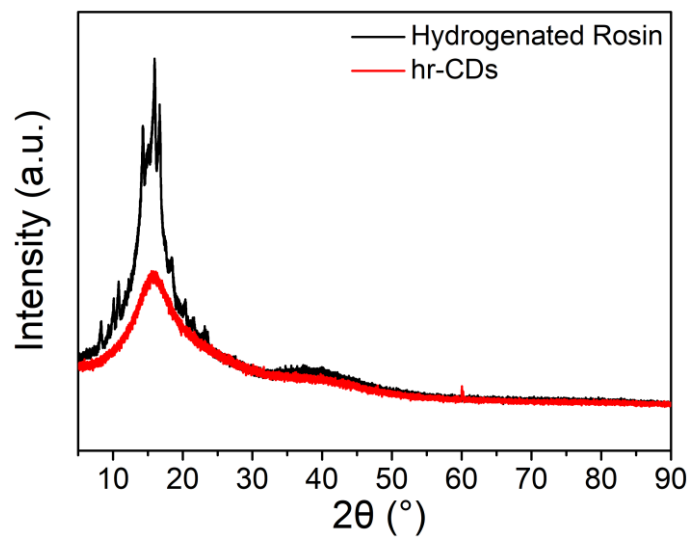


Figure S2. XRD of hr-CDs and hydrogenated rosin.

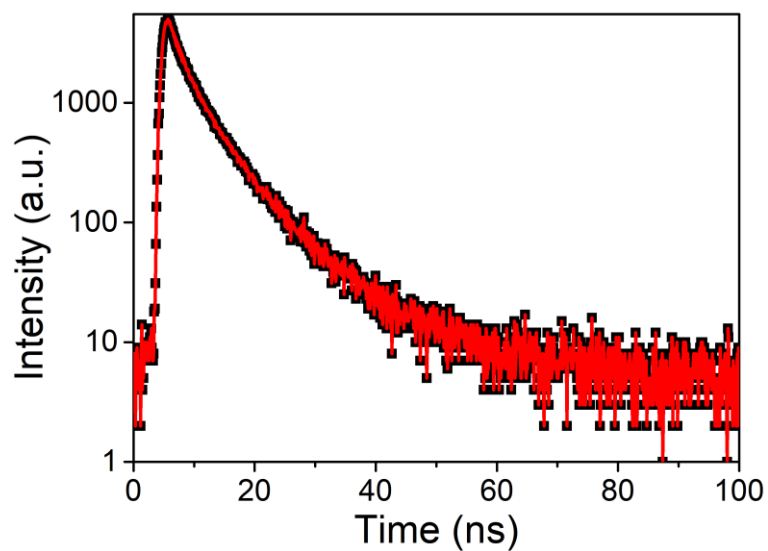


Figure S3. FL decay spectrum and fitted curves of hr-CDs solutions.

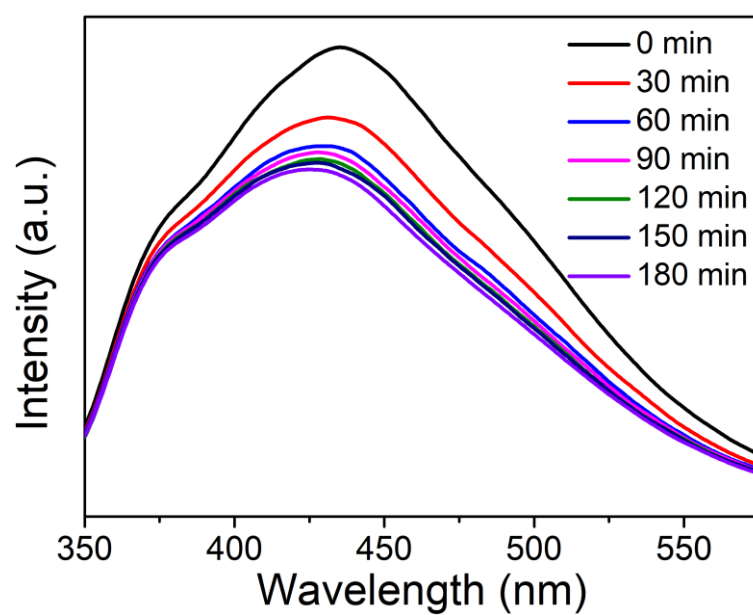


Figure S4. Fluorescence spectra and fluorescence intensity of aqueous solution of hr-CDs (10 $\mu\text{g/mL}$) after irradiation with UV lamp (200 mW/cm^2) for different periods of time.

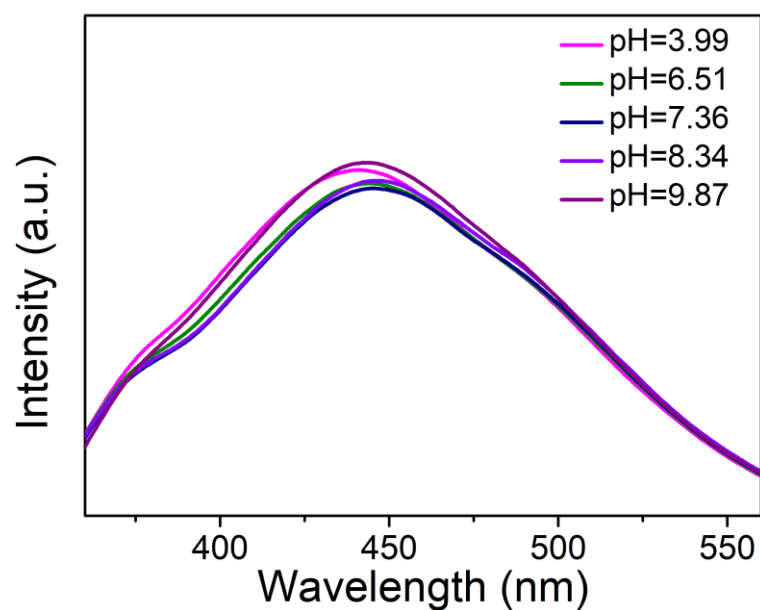


Figure S5. Fluorescence spectra of aqueous solutions of hr-CDs (10 $\mu\text{g/mL}$) at different pH.

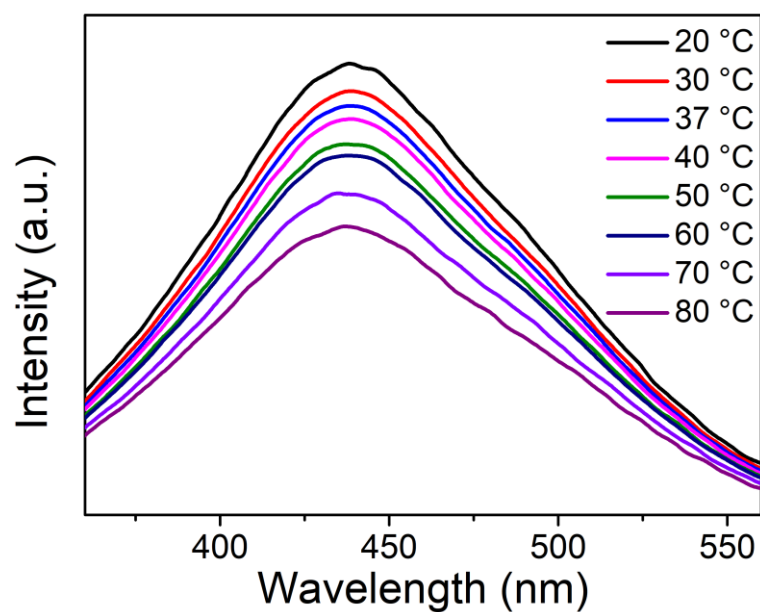


Figure S6. Fluorescence spectra of aqueous solutions of hr-CDs (20 $\mu\text{g/mL}$) at different temperatures.

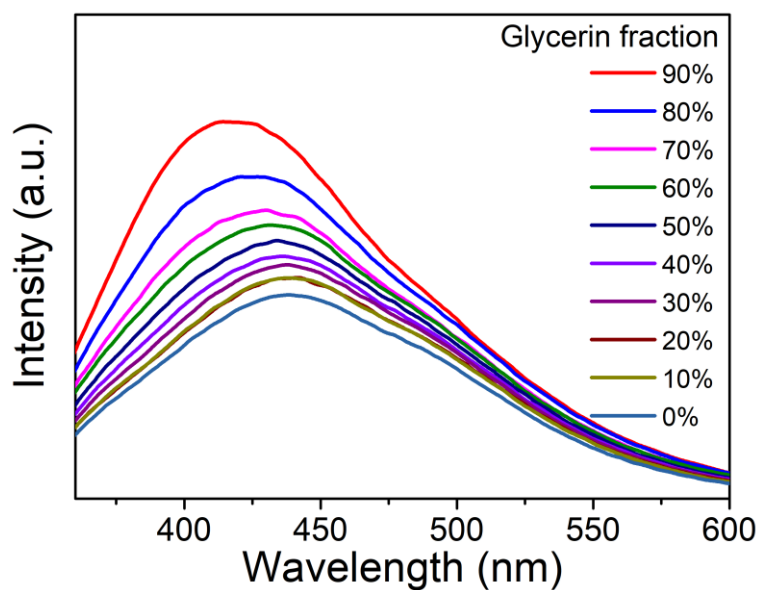


Figure S7. Fluorescence spectra of solutions of hr-CDs (20 µg/mL) in different mixtures of water and glycerol.

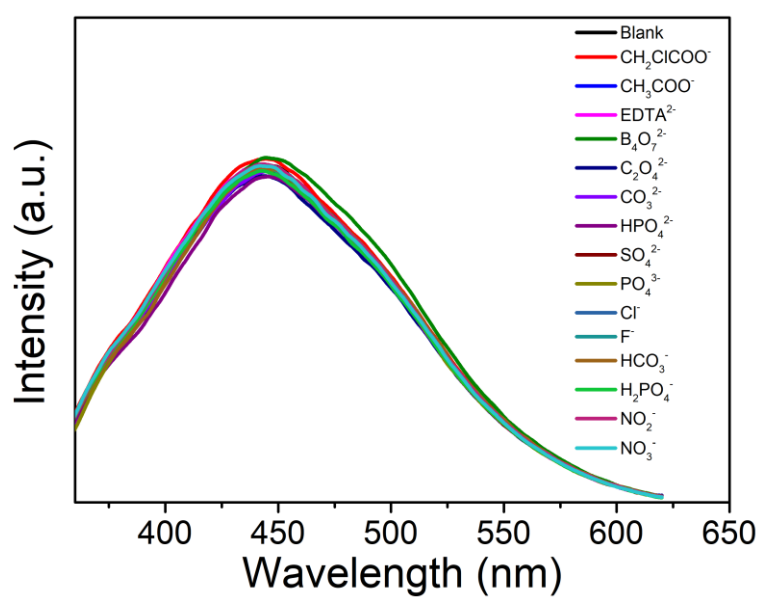


Figure S8. Fluorescence spectra of aqueous solution of hr-CDs (20 µg/mL) on addition of different anionic.

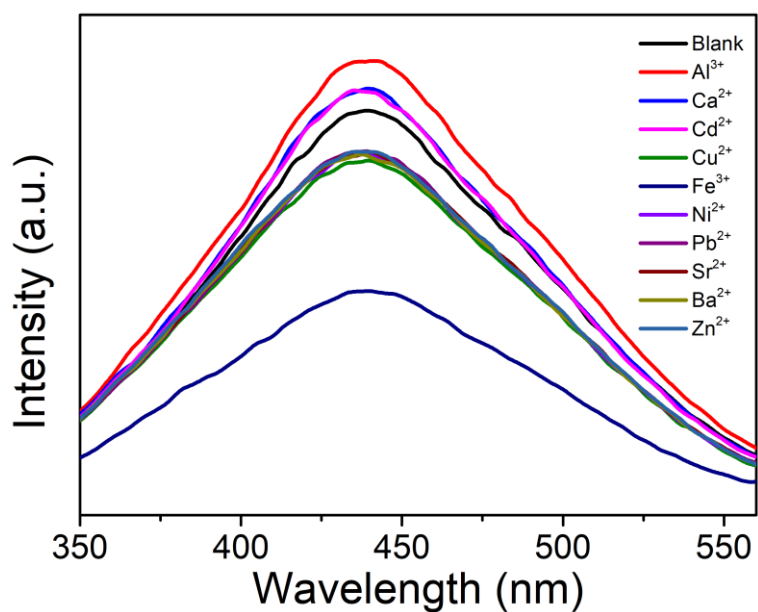


Figure S9. Fluorescence spectra of aqueous solution of hr-CDs (20 µg/mL) on addition of different cationic.

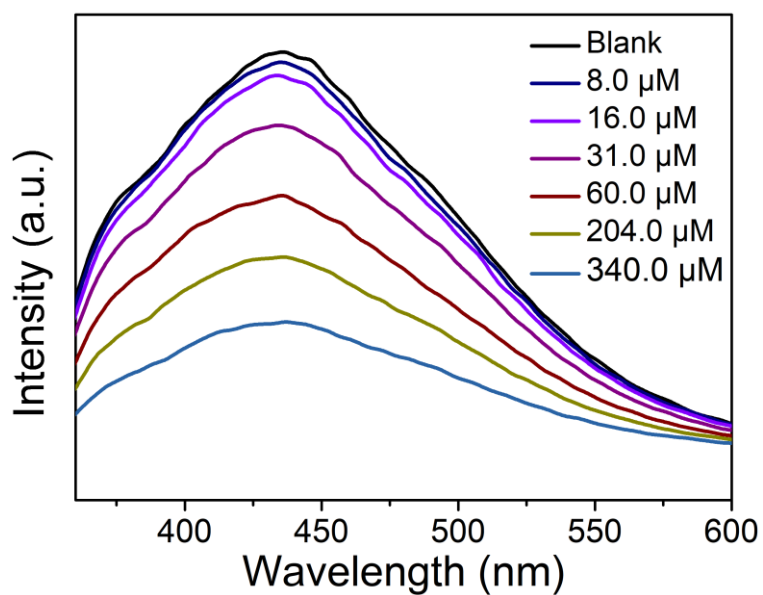


Figure S10. Fluorescence spectra of aqueous solution of hr-CDs (20 µg/mL) in the presence of different concentrations of Fe³⁺.

Table S1. Certificated of Analysis to Hydrogenated Rosin

| No. | Items | | Specification | Analysis Result | Conclusion |
|------------|---------------------------|---------------|---------------------------|-----------------|------------|
| 1 | Coler Lovibond | Yellow Red | ≤ 12.0 ≤ 1.4 | 6 0.7 | passed |
| 2 | Coler Lovibond(R&B), °C | | ≥ 72.0 | 82.1 | passed |
| 3 | Acid Value, mgKOH/g | | ≥ 162.0 | 170.7 | passed |
| 4 | Abietic Acid. % | | ≤ 2.00 | 1.00 | passed |
| 5 | Dehydroabietic Acid. % | | ≤ 10.0 | 7.1 | passed |
| 6 | Tetrahydroabietic Acid. % | | ≥ 30.0 | 39.8 | passed |
| Conclusion | | | passed | | |

The table was provided by the supplier.