



Supplementary Material

Threonine Phosphorylation of an Electrochemical Peptide-Based Sensor to Achieve Improved Uranyl Ion Binding Affinity

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B U-12 Probe



Figure S1. Structures of the (A) U-pT-12 and (B) U-12 peptide probes used in this study.



Figure S2. (A) Schematic illustration of the E-PB U(VI) sensor fabricated using the **U-12** peptide probe. (B) CVs of the sensor recorded at 10 Hz in a Phys2 buffer in the absence and presence of 4 μ M U(VI).



Figure S3. CV scan rate-dependent current responses of the **U-pT-12** sensor in the absence and presence of 4 μ M U(VI) in a Phys2 buffer. The cathodic peak currents were used to obtain this plot; however, the anodic peak currents could also be used, and the results were found to be similar.



Figure S4. ACVs of the **U-pT-12** sensor recorded at 10 Hz in a Phys2 buffer in the absence and presence of 4, 40, 400, 4000 μ M Ca(II), and 4 μ M U(VI).



Figure S5. ACVs of the U-pT-12 sensor fabricated on a gold-plated SPCE in the absence and presence of 4 μ M U(VI), and after sensor regeneration.