Single Molecule Spectroelectrochemistry

Single electron transfer events in both immobilized and freely diffusing redox-active molecules can now be studied with some facility using bifunctional nanoelectro-chemical-nanophotonic arrays. High density recessed dual-ring electrode nanopores can moderate the interaction between single electron-transfer events and fluorescence emission, in the zeptoliter optical confinement volume of a zero-mode waveguide. The dual optical-electrochemical functionality makes it possible to perform single molecule spectroelectrochemical measurements under redox cycling conditions – both when the upper electrode is potential-controlled and using self-induced redox cycling.



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