# Induced Circularly Polarized Luminescence for Revealing DNA Binding with Fluorescent Dyes 

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Fig. S1 ECD and CPL (left) and absorption and fluorescence (right) spectra of DNA/TO $=1: 1$ system $\left(\mathrm{C}_{\mathrm{TO}}=1.0 \times 10^{-5} \mathrm{M}\right)$ in 0.1 M NaCl and 0.01 M NaCac buffer $(\mathrm{pH}$ 7.0). ECD and absorption spectra were divided into 2 in order to report obtained results with CPL/PL spectra which were recorded in the 1 cm path length cell.


Fig. S2 Left: $\mathrm{CD}_{\text {term }}$ and $\mathrm{CPL}_{\text {term }}$ reported together with the corrected and observed CPL spectra (see main text or Ref. 1 or 2); Right: the observed and corrected PL spectra for DNA/TO $=1: 1$ system ( $\mathrm{C}_{\mathrm{TO}}=1.0 \times 10^{-5} \mathrm{M}$ ) in 0.1 M NaCl and $0.01 \mathrm{M} \mathrm{NaCac} \mathrm{buffer} \mathrm{( } \mathrm{pH}$ 7.0).


Fig. S3 Portion of the ${ }^{1} H$-NMR aromatic resonances of DAPI: top in $\mathrm{CD}_{3} \mathrm{OD}$; bottom in $\mathrm{D}_{2} \mathrm{O}$, displaying the expected sharp resonances of the dye.

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