Novel phenothiazine bridged porphyrin-(hetero)aryl dyads: synthesis, optical properties, *in vitro* cytotoxicity and staining of human ovarian tumor cell lines.

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HRMS spectrum of 5,10,15-triphenyl-20-(8-chloro-10-methyl-10H-phenothiazin-3-yl)-21,23-Cu-porphyrin 5d

(figure S12)

HRMS spectrum of 5,15-diphenyl-10,20-bis(7-bromo-10-methyl-10H-phenothiazin-3-yl)-21,23-Cu-porphyrin 6d

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Correlations between fluorescence intensity and concentration for 9, 13, 15 fluorescent dyes against ovarian adenocarcinoma A2780cis and OVCAR3 cells (figure 14-15)



Figure S1. 1H-NMR 400 MHz spectrum of 3a (CDCl3)



Figure S2. ¹³C-NMR 100 MHz spectrum of compound 3a (CDCl₃)



Figure S3. 1H-NMR 600 MHz spectrum of 5a (CDCl3)



Figure S4.13C-NMR 150 MHz spectrum of 5a (CDCl3)



Figure S5.1H-NMR 400 MHz spectrum of compound 13 (CDCl3)



Figure S6.13C-NMR 100 MHz spectrum of compound 13 (CDCl3)



Figure S8. 2D-NMR (1H-13C) HMQC 400MHz spectrum of compound 13 (CDCl₃,)



Figure S9. HRMS spectrum of 5,15-diphenyl-10,20-bis(7-bromo-10-methyl-10H-phenothiazin-3-yl)-21,23H-porphyrin 3a



Figure S10. HRMS spectrum of 5,10,15-triphenyl-20-(7-bromo-10-methyl-10H-phenothiazin-3-yl)-21,23-Zn-porphyrin 4a



Figure S11. HRMS spectrum of 5,10,15-triphenyl-20-(8-chloro-10-methyl-10H-phenothiazin-3-yl)-21,23-Pd-porphyrin 5b



Figure S12. HRMS spectrum of 5,10,15-triphenyl-20-(8-chloro-10-methyl-10H-phenothiazin-3-yl)-21,23-Cu-porphyrin 5d



Figure S13. HRMS spectrum of 5,15-diphenyl-10,20-bis(7-bromo-10-methyl-10H-phenothiazin-3-yl)-21,23-Cu-porphyrin 6d



Figure S14. Linear regression of the metabolic rate of ovarian cancer cell line A2780cis *versus* the concentration of the fluorescent dyes: **9**, **13**, **15**.



Figure S15. Linear regression of the metabolic rate of ovarian cancer cell line OVCAR-3 *versus* the concentration of the fluorescent dyes: 9, 13, 15.