



Figure S3. Qualitative microscopic analysis of (EIS)₂-RGD6 distribution at 7 days post-injury. Representative images of whole spinal cord sections processed for the visualization of biotinylated (EIS)₂-RGD6 and glial fibrillary acidic protein (GFAP) at 7 days post-injury in experiment (EIS)₂-RGD6 II. The following rostro-caudal spinal cord levels are shown: (A) 7.2 mm rostral; (B) 5.4 mm rostral; (C) 3.6 mm rostral; (D) 1.8 mm rostral; (E) 0 mm; (F) 1.8 mm caudal; (G) 3.6 mm caudal; (H) 5.4 mm caudal; and (I) 7.2 mm caudal from epicentre. Scale bars, 500 μm. Please note that higher magnification images corresponding to the areas highlighted with squares in (A-I) can be found in Figure S7.