Supporting information

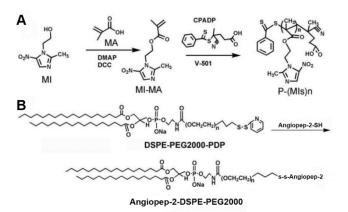


Figure S1. Synthetic routes of (A) P-(MIs)n; (B) Angiopep-2-DSPE-PEG2000.

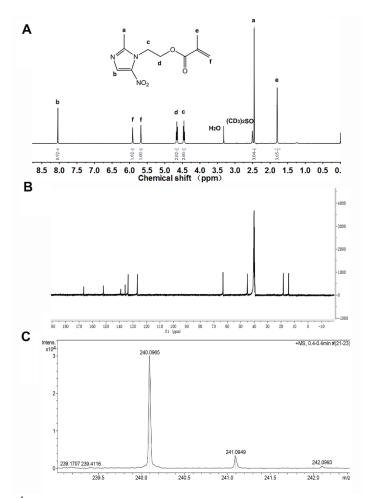


Figure S2. (A) ¹H-NMR spectra of MI-MA. It were solubilized in DMSO-*d*6 for ¹H-NMR analysis (300 MHz). (B)¹³C NMR spectra of MI-MA. (C) The synthesis of MI-MA was further examined by high-resolution mass spectroscopy.

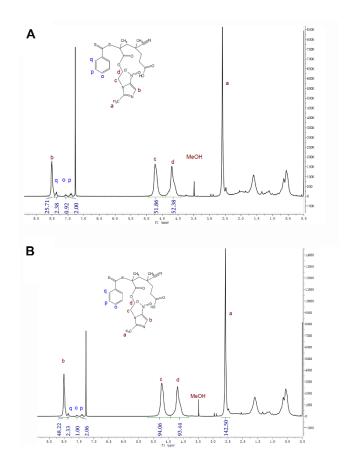


Figure S3. ¹**H-NMR spectra of** a) P-(MIs)25 and b) P-(MIs)48. It were solubilized in CDCl₃ for ¹H-NMR analysis (300 MHz).

Polymer	M _n	$M_{\rm n}^{\rm a}$	PDI ^b
	(design)	$(^{1}H NMR)$	(GPC)
P-(MIs)25	6000	6200	1.12
P-(MIs)48	12000	11800	1.15

^adetermined by ¹H NMR. ^bdetermined byGPC. *Mn and Mw/Mn* was determined by GPC measurements in DMF (0.35 mL min⁻¹, 40 °C, and polystyrene standards).

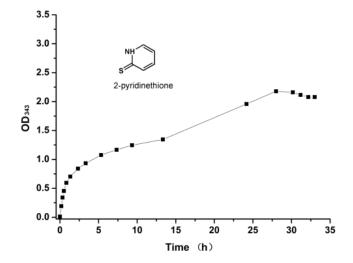


Figure S4. The extent of thiol exchange reaction of angiopep-2-DSPE-PEG2000 conjugates with time measured by UV-vis spectroscopy at 343 nm.

Table S2. The hydrodynamic sizes, and poly dispersion indexes of nanoparticulate

 systems

molar ratio: Lecithin : DSPE-PEG2000 : angiopep-2-DSPE-PEG2000 = 9: 0.8: 0.2
(DSPE-PEG2000: Lecithin: angiopep-2-DSPE-PEG2000)/Polymer mass ratio (%)
= 10%

Nanoparticulate systems	Hydrodynamic size (nm)	Poly dispersion index
ALP-(MIs)25	152.75 ± 2.39	0.31 ± 0.03
ALP-(MIs)48	146.13 ± 3.02	$0.27~\pm~0.11$
AL-PLGA	147.71 ± 1.84	0.32 ± 0.06

Table S3. The hydrodynamic sizes, and poly dispersion indexes of nanoparticulate

 systems

molar ratio: Lecithin : DSPE-PEG2000 : angiopep-2-DSPE-PEG2000 = 9: 0.8: 0.2
(DSPE-PEG2000: Lecithin: angiopep-2-DSPE-PEG2000)/Polymer mass ratio (%)
= 15%

Nanoparticulate systems	Hydrodynamic size (nm)	Poly dispersion index
ALP-(MIs)25	149.63 ± 2.07	0.52 ± 0.21
ALP-(MIs)48	140.14 ± 2.83	0.33 ± 0.20
AL-PLGA	143.69 ± 1.52	0.38 ± 0.12

Table S4. The hydrodynamic sizes, and poly dispersion indexes of nanoparticulate

 systems

molar ratio: Lecithin : DSPE-PEG2000 : angiopep-2-DSPE-PEG2000 = 9: 0.8: 0.2
(DSPE-PEG2000: Lecithin: angiopep-2-DSPE-PEG2000)/Polymer mass ratio (%) = 20%

Nanoparticulate systems	Hydrodynamic size (nm)	Poly dispersion index
ALP-(MIs)25	144.07 ± 1.83	0.35 ± 0.16
ALP-(MIs)48	138.52 ± 2.44	$0.40~\pm~0.11$
AL-PLGA	129.77 ± 1.12	0.33 ± 0.04

Table S5. The hydrodynamic sizes, and poly dispersion indexes of nanoparticulate

 systems

molar ratio: Lecithin : DSPE-PEG2000 : angiopep-2-DSPE-PEG2000 = 8: 1.8: 0.2 (DSPE-PEG2000: Lecithin: angiopep-2-DSPE-PEG2000)/Polymer mass ratio (%) = 10%

Nanoparticulate systems	Hydrodynamic size (nm)	Poly dispersion index
ALP-(MIs)25	128.41 ± 1.05	0.42 ± 0.01
ALP-(MIs)48	124.25 ± 2.63	$0.30~\pm~0.06$
AL-PLGA	127.09 ± 2.07	0.25 ± 0.08

Table S6. The hydrodynamic sizes, and poly dispersion indexes of nanoparticulate

 systems

molar ratio: Lecithin : DSPE-PEG2000 : angiopep-2-DSPE-PEG2000 = 8: 1.8: 0.2 (DSPE-PEG2000: Lecithin: angiopep-2-DSPE-PEG2000)/Polymer mass ratio (%) = 15%

Nanoparticulate systems	Hydrodynamic size (nm)	Poly dispersion index
ALP-(MIs)25	113.15 ± 1.73	0.21 ± 0.13
ALP-(MIs)48	106.40 ± 2.09	0.18 ± 0.07
AL-PLGA	107.82 ± 3.01	0.29 ± 0.07

Table S7. The hydrodynamic sizes, and poly dispersion indexes of nanoparticulate

 systems

molar ratio: Lecithin : DSPE-PEG2000 : angiopep-2-DSPE-PEG2000 = 8: 1.8: 0.2 (DSPE-PEG2000: Lecithin: angiopep-2-DSPE-PEG2000)/Polymer mass ratio (%) = 20%

Nanoparticulate systems	Hydrodynamic size (nm)	Poly dispersion index
ALP-(MIs)25	99.23 ± 2.14	0.14 ± 0.12
ALP-(MIs)48	95.64 ± 3.12	0.12 ± 0.05
AL-PLGA	96.07 ± 2.15	0.20 ± 0.04

Table S8. The hydrodynamic sizes, and poly dispersion indexes of nanoparticulate

 systems

molar ratio: Lecithin : DSPE-PEG2000 : angiopep-2-DSPE-PEG2000 = 7: 2.8: 0.2 (DSPE-PEG2000: Lecithin: angiopep-2-DSPE-PEG2000)/Polymer mass ratio (%) = 10%

Nanoparticulate systems	Hydrodynamic size (nm)	Poly dispersion index
ALP-(MIs)25	125.08 ± 2.74	0.20 ± 0.11
ALP-(MIs)48	118.23 ± 3.05	0.35 ± 0.09
AL-PLGA	113.74 ± 2.19	0.13 ± 0.06

Table S9. The hydrodynamic sizes, and poly dispersion indexes of nanoparticulate

 systems

molar ratio: Lecithin : DSPE-PEG2000 : angiopep-2-DSPE-PEG2000 = 7: 2.8: 0.2 (DSPE-PEG2000: Lecithin: angiopep-2-DSPE-PEG2000)/Polymer mass ratio (%) = 15%

Nanoparticulate systems	Hydrodynamic size (nm)	Poly dispersion index
ALP-(MIs)25	88.81 ± 0.98	0.15 ± 0.02
ALP-(MIs)48	76.76 ± 2.31	$0.22 ~\pm~ 0.05$
AL-PLGA	80.38 ± 1.07	$0.19~\pm~0.04$

Table S10. The hydrodynamic sizes, and poly dispersion indexes of nanoparticulate

 systems

molar ratio: Lecithin : DSPE-PEG2000 : angiopep-2-DSPE-PEG2000 = 7: 2.8: 0.2

(DSPE-PEG2000: Lecithin: angiopep-2-DSPE-PEG2000)/Polymer mass ratio (%) = 20%

Nanoparticulate systems	Hydrodynamic size (nm)	Poly dispersion index
ALP-(MIs)25	93.41 ± 1.07	0.19 ± 0.02
ALP-(MIs)48	84.23 ± 2.76	0.25 ± 0.03
AL-PLGA	86.71 ± 2.08	0.13 ± 0.07

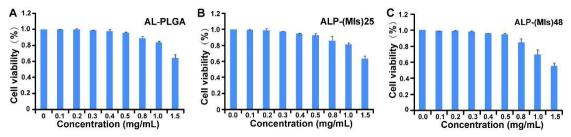


Figure S5. The viability of C6 cells cultured with different concentration of (A) AL-PLGA, (B) ALP-(MIs)25, (C) ALP-(MIs)48 for 48 h by MTT assay. Data are presented as the Mean \pm SD, n = 3.

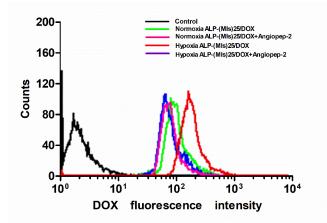


Figure S6. Cellular uptake of ALP-(MIs)25/DOX was analyzed with flow cytometry after 4 h incubation under normoxic, hypoxic, normoxic + angiopep-2 and hypoxic + angiopep-2 conditions.

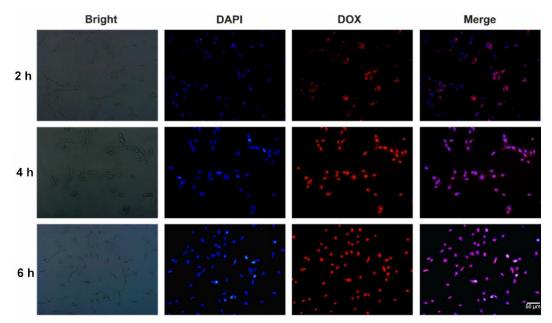


Figure S7. Intracellular release of DOX from ALP-(MIs)25/DOX. Samples were incubated with C6 cells under hypoxic conditions for 2 h, 4 h and 6 h. Scale bar, 50 μ m.

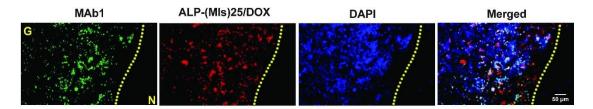


Figure S8. Immunofluorescence assay after MAb1 (HypoxyprobeTM-1 Kit), which could bind to proteins, peptides and amino acid adducts of 2-nitroimidazole in hypoxic cells, in addition to tumor tissue sections: green regions are hypoxic tissues, and red regions are DOX fluorescence of LP-(MIs)25/DOX or ALP-(MIs)25/DOX. Compared with normal brain tissues, glioma cells showed abnormal proliferation, and thus C6-bearing brain tumor tissue was identified based on areas of hypercellularity, as evidenced by the DAPI-stained cell nuclei (blue). Scale bar, 50 µm.

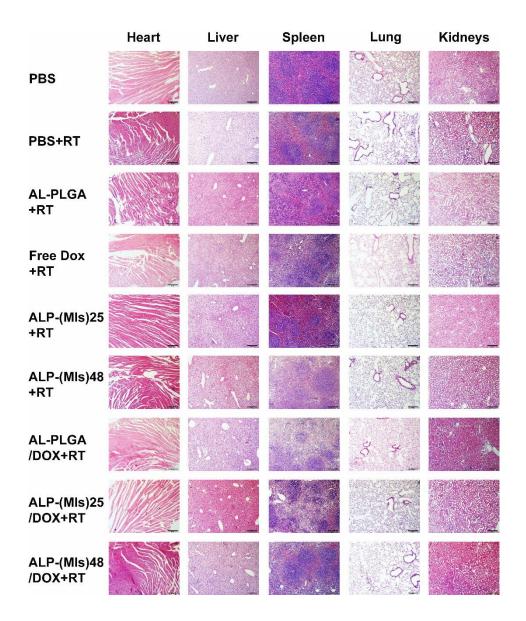


Figure S9. Histopathological examination of major organs collected after treatment on the animals.H&E staining of major organs. No noticeable abnormality was found in the heart, liver, spleen, lung, or kidneys. Scale bar, 200 μ m.

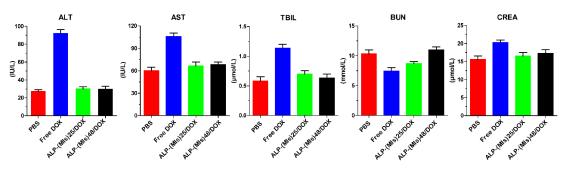


Figure S10. The hemanalysis and biochemical analyses. The hemanalysis and biochemical analyses were performed on blood withdrawn from the mice on 24 h post drug treatment. Data are presented as the Mean \pm SD, n = 3.