

Intramolecular [2 + 2] and [4 + 2] Cycloaddition Reactions of Cinnamylamides of Ethenetricarboxylate in Sequential Processes

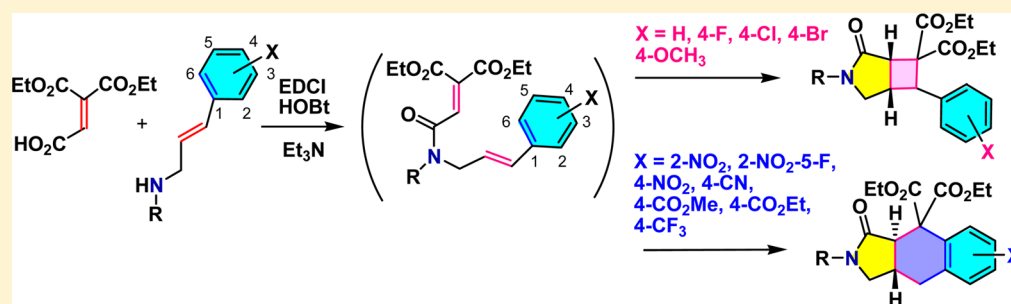
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ABSTRACT: Intramolecular [2 + 2] and [4 + 2] cycloaddition reactions of cinnamylamides of ethenetricarboxylate in sequential processes have been studied. Reaction of 1,1-diethyl 2-hydrogen ethenetricarboxylate and *trans*-cinnamylamines in the presence of EDCI/HOBt/Et₃N led to pyrrolidine products in one pot, via intramolecular [2 + 2], [4 + 2], and some other cyclizations. The types of the products depend on the substituents on the benzene ring and the reaction conditions. Reaction of cinnamylamines without substituents on the benzene ring and with halogens and OMe on the *para* position at room temperature gave cyclobutane-fused pyrrolidines as major products via [2 + 2] cycloaddition. The reaction at 80 °C in 1,2-dichloroethane gave δ -lactone fused pyrrolidines as major products, probably via ring-opening of the cyclobutanes. Interestingly, reaction of 1,1-diethyl 2-hydrogen ethenetricarboxylate and cinnamylamines bearing electron-withdrawing groups such as NO₂, CN, CO₂Me, CO₂Et, and CF₃ on *ortho* and *para* positions in the presence of EDCI/HOBt/Et₃N at room temperature or at 60–80 °C gave tetrahydrobenzofisindolines via [4 + 2] cycloaddition as major products. DFT studies have been performed to explain the observed [2 + 2]/[4 + 2] selectivity.

INTRODUCTION

Sequential reactions allow multiple bond formations in one-pot and thus lead to high efficiency.¹ Intramolecular cycloaddition reactions are used for formation of various multicyclic systems. Intramolecular photochemical,² thermal,³ and catalyzed [2 + 2] cycloadditions⁴ have been reported. The reaction gives cyclobutane-fused cyclic skeletons. The reaction of substrates bearing styrene moiety also gave intramolecular [2 + 2] cycloadducts.^{2a,4b}

The intramolecular [4 + 2] cycloaddition (Diels–Alder reaction) between alkenes and dienes leads to facile formation of multicyclic skeletons.⁵ Furan is effectively utilized as diene moiety in intramolecular Diels–Alder reaction. Vinyl heterocycles such as vinyl furans,⁶ pyrroles,^{6a} imidazoles,⁷ and benzothiofenenes⁸ have also been used as dienes. The intramolecular Diels–Alder reaction of vinylbenzene (styrene) as a diene requires relatively high temperature because it involves dearomatization of the benzene ring.⁹

Thus, styrenes work as alkene or diene components in intramolecular [2 + 2] or [4 + 2] cycloadditions with electron-deficient

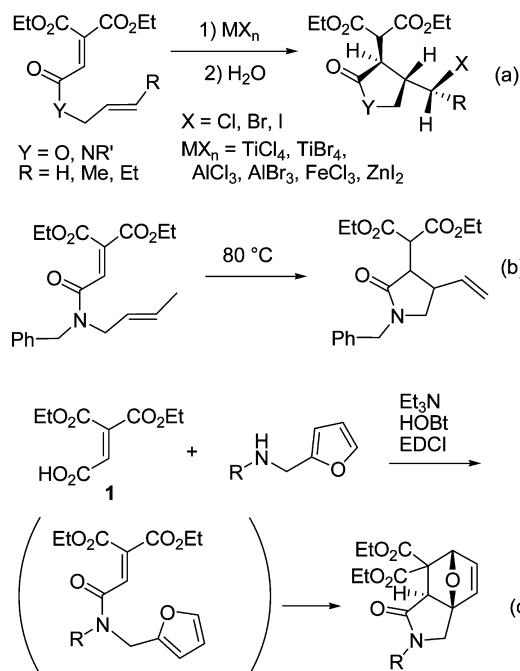
alkenes. The both reactions may be useful for the construction of multicyclic skeletons and the question is how to control the selectivity.

Ethenetricarboxylate derivatives have been employed as highly electrophilic C=C components in various bond-forming reactions.¹⁰ Ethenetricarboxylates allow facile derivatization at the 2-carboxyl group. Snider and Roush reported FeCl₃-promoted intramolecular reactions of alkenyl ethenetricarboxylates to give chlorinated γ -lactones.¹¹ Recently, we have developed Lewis acid (MX_n)-promoted cyclization/halogenation of alkenyl ethenetricarboxylates to give 3,4-*trans* five-membered rings stereoselectively with high generality (part a in Scheme 1).¹² 2-Alkenyl amides of ethenetricarboxylates also undergo facile intramolecular ene reactions (part b).^{12c} In addition, reaction of 1,1-diethyl 2-hydrogen ethenetricarboxylate **1** and 2-furyl-methylamines in the presence of EDCI/HOBt/Et₃N at room

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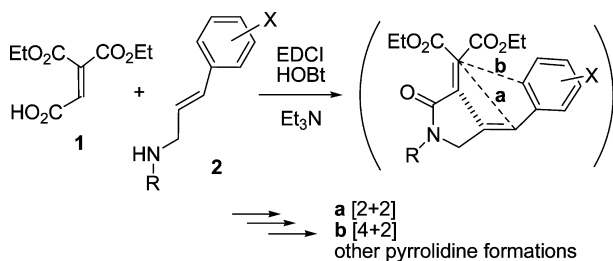
Scheme 1



temperature led directly to intramolecular Diels–Alder adducts (part c).¹³

It is of interest to examine the reaction of the highly electrophilic ethenetetracarboxylates bearing aryl-substituted alkenyl groups as an extension of the alkene moiety and to examine the selectivity of styrenes. In this work, sequential intramolecular reactions of 1,1-diethyl 2-hydrogen ethenetetracarboxylate **1** with *trans*-cinnamylamines **2** under amide formation conditions have been studied (Scheme 2). Reaction of **1** and **2** in the presence of

Scheme 2



EDCI/HOBT/ Et_3N led to pyrrolidine products in one pot, via intramolecular [2 + 2], [4 + 2], and some other cyclizations. The types of the products depend on the substituents on the benzene ring and the reaction conditions.

RESULTS AND DISCUSSION

Reaction of Cinnamylamines with *p*-H, Halogen, and MeO Groups: [2 + 2] Cycloaddition. Reactions of 1,1-diethyl 2-hydrogen ethenetetracarboxylate **1** and *trans*-cinnamylamines ($\text{X} = \text{H}$) **2a–c** in the presence of EDCI/HOBT/ Et_3N have been examined first. It was found that the reaction gave cyclobutane-fused pyrrolidines **3a–c** in 41–51% yield as isolable major products (eq 1, Table 1). The products may be formed via amide formation/intramolecular [2 + 2] cycloaddition. Reaction of $\text{RHNCH}_2-\text{CH}=\text{CH}-\text{C}_6\text{H}_4-\text{X}$ ($\text{X} = 4\text{-halogen, } 4\text{-OCH}_3$) **2d–i** also gave cyclobutane-fused pyrrolidines **3d–i** in 39–51% yield

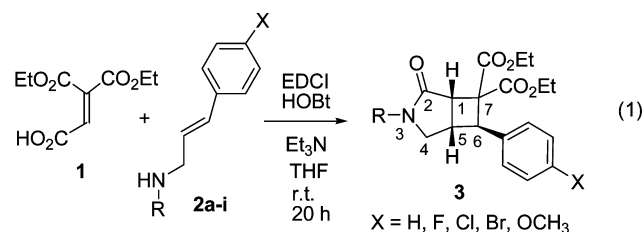


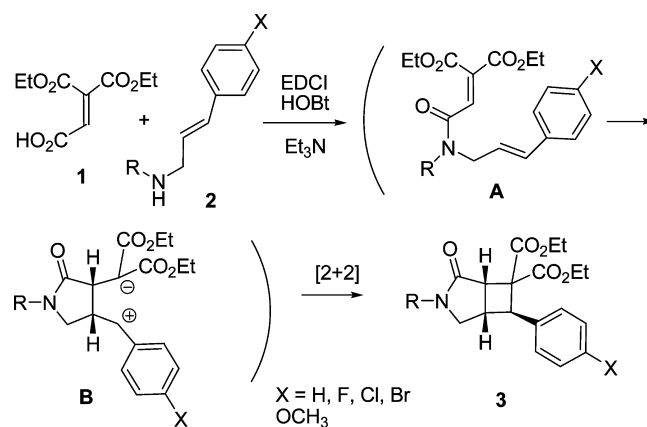
Table 1. Reactions of 1,1-Diethyl Ethenetracarboxylate **1** and Cinnamylamines **2**

entry	2	R	X	product	3 yield (%)
1	2a	CH_2Ph	H	3a	43
2	2b	$\text{CH}_2\text{-cyclohexyl}$	H	3b	51
3	2c	$\text{CH}_2\text{C}_6\text{H}_4\text{-4-CF}_3$	H	3c	41
4	2d	$\text{CH}_2\text{CH}=\text{CH}_2$	H	3d	42
2	2e	CH_2Ph	F	3e	39
3	2f	$\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_3$	F	3f	51
4	2g	CH_2Ph	Cl	3g	40
5	2h	CH_2Ph	Br	3h	40
6	2i	CH_2Ph	OCH_3	3i	48

as isolable major products. The relative configuration of **3** was determined as shown in eq 1 by NOESY experiment (NOEs between C5–H and C1–H, Ar–H, etc.).

The intermediate amide **A** was not observed under the reaction conditions of amide formation (Scheme 3). The amide

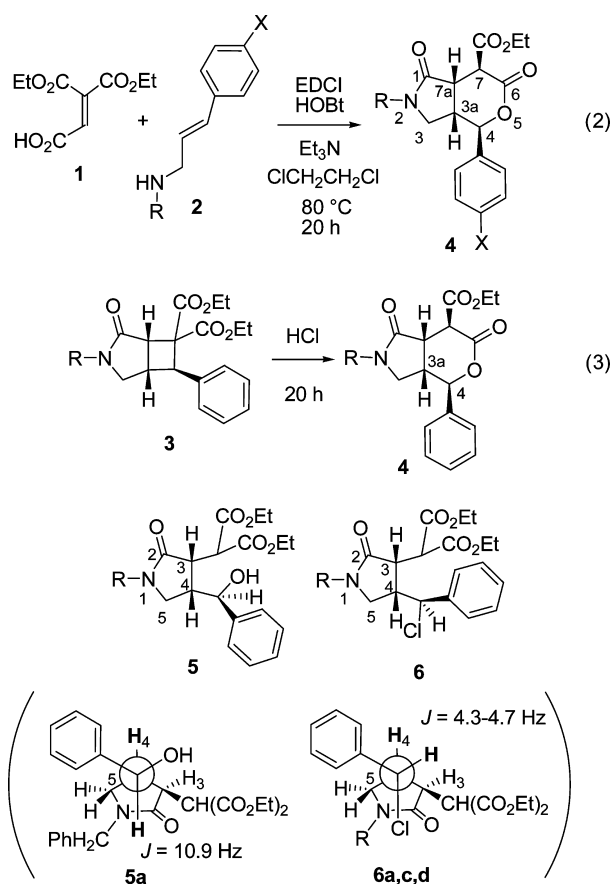
Scheme 3



undergoes the first C–C bond formation to give a zwitterionic intermediate **B**, which is stabilized by the phenyl group. The second C–C bond formation proceeds, affording a highly strained cyclobutane-fused bicyclic compound **3**.

When the reaction of **1** and **2a** was carried out at 80°C in 1,2-dichloroethane¹⁴ or in α,α,α -trifluorotoluene, δ -lactone-fused pyrrolidine **4a** was obtained as a major product in 69% and 50% yields, respectively (eq 2, Table 2). The reaction of **1** and **2b,e–i** at 80°C in 1,2-dichloroethane gave δ -lactone-fused pyrrolidines **4b,e–i** as major products. The relative configuration of **4** was determined as shown in eq 2 by NOEs.

Formation of **4** from **3** under the reaction conditions is likely. The reaction conditions may produce a small amount of HCl from EDCI along with formation of the byproducts $\text{EtOCH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}$ and $\text{EtOCH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{OEt}$.¹⁴ Reaction of cyclobutane products **3** with HCl was next examined (eq 3). After examining various ring-opening conditions, the reaction of

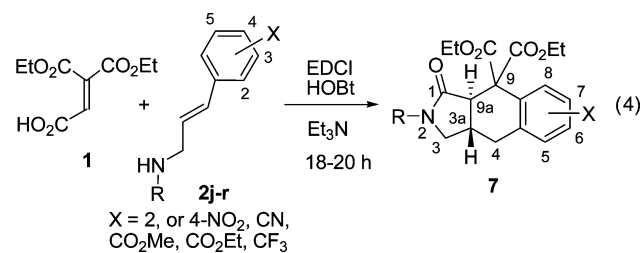


cyclobutane **3a** with 1 equiv of HCl/ether and 1 equiv of H₂O in ClCH₂CH₂Cl at 80 °C for 20 h was found to give **4a** efficiently in 70% yield (Table 3, entry 1). The reaction of **3a** with 1 equiv of HCl/H₂O in THF at room temperature gave the mixture of alcohol **5a** and **4a** (entry 2). Treatment of alcohol **5a** with 1 equiv of HCl/ether in CH₂Cl₂ at room temperature overnight gave **4a** quantitatively. On the other hand, the reaction of **4** with 1 equiv of HCl/ether in CH₂Cl₂ or HCl/AcOEt at room temperature gave Cl-adduct **6** as a single diastereomer along with **4** (entries 3–5). The stereochemistries of **5a** and **6a,c,d** could be deduced as follows. The 3,4-*cis* stereochemistries of **5a** and **6a,c,d** were determined by NOEs. Preferred conformations of **5a** and **6a,c,d** may be as depicted in eq 3 from the coupling constants and consideration of steric effects, respectively. The coupling constant between CH(OH)Ph and C4–H of **5a** ($J = 10.9 \text{ Hz}$) and those between CHClPh and C4–H of **6a,c,d** ($J = 4.3\text{--}4.7 \text{ Hz}$) suggest the configurations of the side chains as shown.

The similarity in the coupling constant between CHOHPH and C4–H of **5a** and that between C4–H and C3a–H of **4a** ($J = 11.3 \text{ Hz}$) supports the assignment of the configuration of **5a**.

Thus, δ -lactone **4** may form from cyclobutane **3** via intermediate **B–H⁺** and alcohol **5**, followed by transesterification (Scheme 4). Formation of **5** may proceed in two steps and formation of Cl-adducts **6** may proceed in one step ring opening based on their suggested stereochemistries.

Reaction of Cinnamylamines with *o,p*-Electron-Withdrawing Groups: [4 + 2] Cycloaddition. Next, the reaction of 1,1-diethyl 2-hydrogen ethenetricarboxylate **1** and cinnamylamines bearing electron-withdrawing groups on *ortho* and *para* positions in the presence of the amide condensation reagents was examined. Interestingly, reaction of **1** and RHNCH₂–CH=CH–C₆H₄–X ($X = 2\text{- or }4\text{-NO}_2, \text{CN, CO}_2\text{Me, CO}_2\text{Et, or CF}_3$) **2j–r** with EDCI/HOBt/Et₃N at room temperature, 60 °C, and 80 °C gave tetrahydrobenz[*f*]isoindolines **7** as major products via [4 + 2] cycloaddition (eq 4, Table 4 and Table S1 of Supporting Information). The *trans*-fused pyrrolidine stereochemistry of **7** was determined by NOEs (in C₆D₆, CD₃CN, or (CD₃)₂CO, for some products).



Formation of the zwitterionic intermediate **B** corresponding to that in Scheme 3 may be strongly destabilized by the resonance and inductive effects of *ortho* and *para* electron-withdrawing group on the benzene ring (Scheme 5). Instead, the interaction between a styrene moiety and an alkene moiety of ethenetricarboxylate may lead to the intramolecular Diels–Alder adduct **C**. The 1,3-H transfer isomerization of **C** to the products **7** may proceed by a stepwise process via intermediate **D–H⁺**.

Reaction of Cinnamylamines with *m*-CF₃ and F Groups: [2 + 2] or [4 + 2] Cycloaddition. It is interesting to examine the chemoselectivity of the *meta*-electron-withdrawing groups. Reaction of **1** and benzyl cinnamylamine ($X = 3\text{-CF}_3$) **2s** with EDCI/HOBt/Et₃N at room temperature gave tetrahydrobenz[*f*]isoindoline **7s** in 53% and cyclobutane-fused pyrrolidine

Table 2. Reactions of 1,1-Diethyl Ethenetricarboxylate **1** and Cinnamylamines **2**

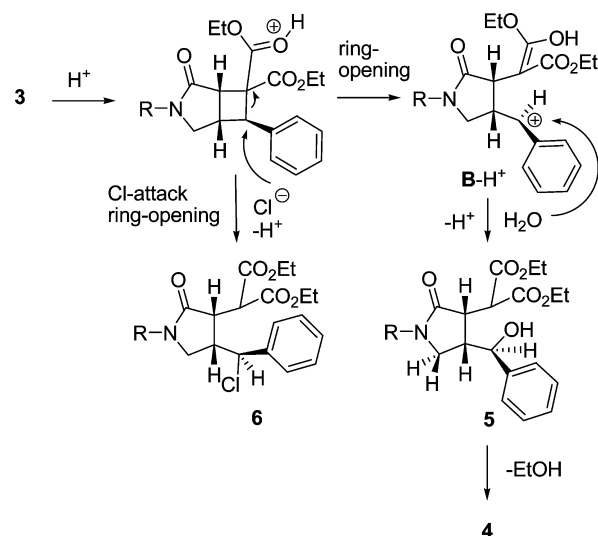
entry	2	solvent	R	X	product	4 yield (%)
1	2a	ClCH ₂ CH ₂ Cl ^a	CH ₂ Ph	H	4a	69
2	2a	C ₆ H ₅ –CF ₃	CH ₂ Ph	H	4a	50
3	2b	ClCH ₂ CH ₂ Cl ^a	CH ₂ –cyclohexyl	H	4b	75
4	2e	ClCH ₂ CH ₂ Cl ^a	CH ₂ Ph	F	4e	55
5	2f	ClCH ₂ CH ₂ Cl ^a	CH ₂ CH ₂ CH ₃	F	4f	38
6	2g	ClCH ₂ CH ₂ Cl ^a	CH ₂ Ph	Cl	4g	53
7	2h	ClCH ₂ CH ₂ Cl ^a	CH ₂ Ph	Br	4h	31
8	2i	ClCH ₂ CH ₂ Cl ^a	CH ₂ Ph	OCH ₃	4i	41
9	2c	ClCH ₂ CH ₂ Cl ^a	CH ₂ C ₆ H ₄ –4–CF ₃	H	<i>b</i>	
10	2d	ClCH ₂ CH ₂ Cl ^a	CH ₂ CH=CH ₂	H	<i>b</i>	

^aThe byproducts were removed by column chromatography.¹⁴ ^bComplex mixtures containing **4** and small amounts of **3**.

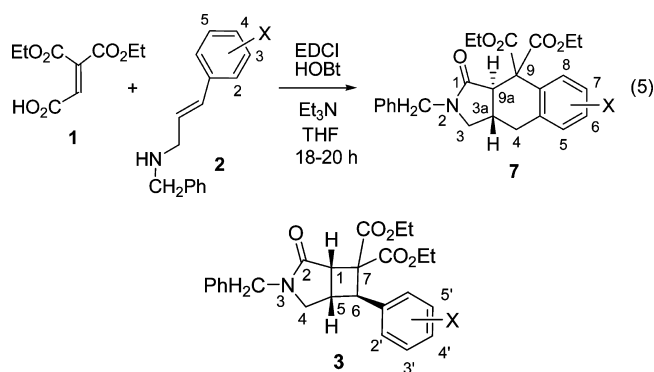
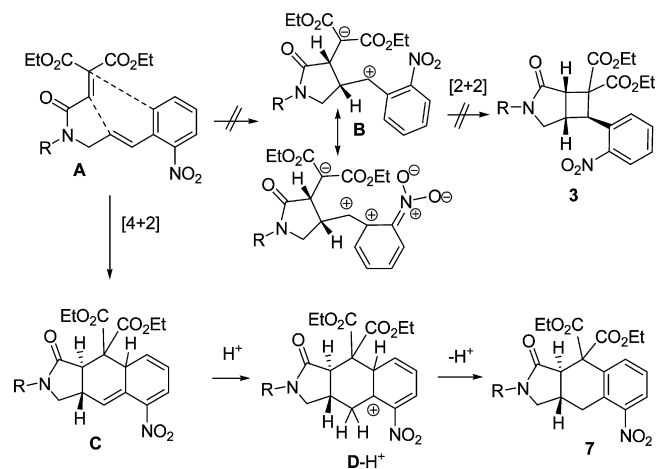
Table 3. Ring-Opening Reactions of Cyclobutane-Fused Pyrrolidines 3

entry	3	R	conditions	product (yield)
1	3a	CH ₂ Ph	1 equiv of 1 M HCl/ether, 1 equiv of H ₂ O, ClCH ₂ CH ₂ Cl 80 °C	4a (70%)
2	3a	CH ₂ Ph	1 equiv of 1 M HCl/H ₂ O, THF, rt	5a (42%), 4a (47%)
3	3a	CH ₂ Ph	1 equiv of 1 M HCl/ether, CH ₂ Cl ₂ , rt	6a (60%), 4a (27%)
4	3c	CH ₂ C ₆ H ₄ -4-CF ₃	1 equiv of 1 M HCl/AcOEt, rt	6c (62%), 4c (18%)
5	3d	CH ₂ CH=CH ₂	1 equiv of 1 M HCl/ether, CH ₂ Cl ₂ , rt	6d (53%), 4d (18%)

Scheme 4



Scheme 5



3s in 24% yields, respectively (eq 5, Table 5 and Table S2 of Supporting Information). The reaction of 1 and cinnamylamine (X = 3,5-diCF₃) 2t at 60 °C gave cyclobutane-fused pyrrolidine 3t as an isolable product in 13–30% yield and product 7 was not formed. One *meta*-CF₃ worked as an electron-withdrawing group by the inductive effect, and the reaction preferred [4 + 2] adduct 7s to [2 + 2] adduct 3s. The [4 + 2] adduct 7s was obtained regioselectively. Cinnamylamine with two *meta*-CF₃ groups 2t only gave cyclobutane 3t, probably because steric hindrance of *meta*-CF₃ group interferes with [4 + 2] cycloaddition (Scheme 6).

Although the reaction of cinnamylamines with 4-F group 2e,f gave cyclobutanes 3e,f regioselectively (Table 1), reaction of 1 and cinnamylamine with 3-F group 2u gave a mixture of 6-F- and 8-F-regioisomers of 7u and cyclobutane-fused pyrrolidine 3u.

Table 4. Reactions of 1,1-Diethyl Ethenetricarboxylate 1 and Cinnamylamines 2j–r^a

entry	2	X	solvent	temp	R	7 yield (%)	X	3 yield (%)
1	2j	2-NO ₂	THF	rt	CH ₂ Ph	7j (75)	5-NO ₂	
2	2k	2-NO ₂	benzene	80 °C	CH ₂ -cyclohexyl	7k (73)	5-NO ₂	
3	2l	2-NO ₂	THF	rt	CH ₂ CH=CH ₂	7l (74)	5-NO ₂	
4	2m	2-NO ₂ -5-F	THF	rt	CH ₂ Ph	7m (78)	5-NO ₂ -8-F	
5	2n	4-NO ₂	THF	60 °C	CH ₂ Ph	7n (68)	7-NO ₂	
6	2o	4-CN	THF	rt	CH ₂ Ph	7o (75)	7-CN	
7	2p	4-CO ₂ Me	THF	rt	CH ₂ Ph	7p (71)	7-CO ₂ Me	^b
8	2q	4-CO ₂ Et	THF	rt	CH ₂ Ph	7q (57)	7-CO ₂ Et	^b
9	2r	4-CF ₃	benzene	80 °C	CH ₂ Ph	7r (51)	7-CF ₃	3r (6)

^aThe best conditions for each compound are shown in this table, and the other conditions are described in Table S1 of Supporting Information.

^bA small amount of cyclobutane-fused pyrrolidine 3 was detected but could not be isolated.

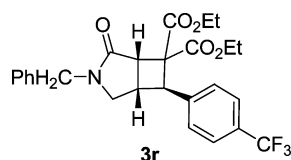


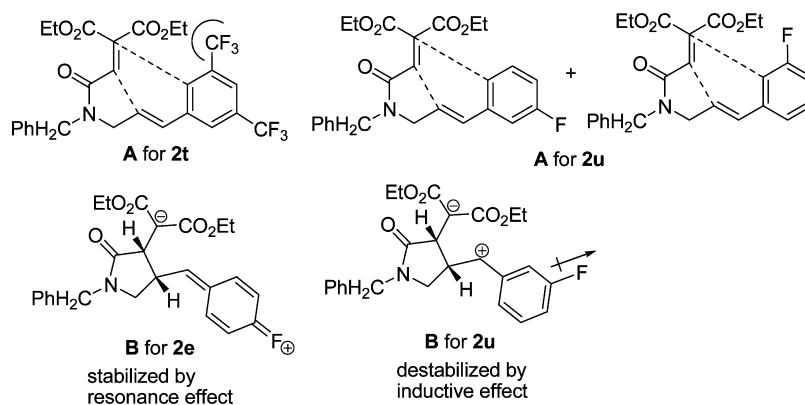
Table 5. Reactions of 1,1-Diethyl Ethenetricarboxylate **1** and Cinnamylamines **2s–u**^a

entry	2	X	solvent	temp	7 yield (%)	X	3 yield (%)	X
1	2s	3-CF ₃	THF	rt	7s (53)	6-CF ₃	3s (24%) ^b	3'-CF ₃
2	2t	3,5-diCF ₃	THF	60 °C			3t (30%)	3',5'-diCF ₃
3	2u	3-F	THF	rt	6-F- 7u , 8-F- 7u (2.5:1, 37) ^c	6-F, 8-F	3u (29%)	3'-F

^aThe best conditions for each compound are shown in this table, and the other conditions are described in Table S2 of Supporting Information.

^bReaction for 1 h at room temperature gave a complex mixture possibly containing intermediate **A**, which could not be isolated. ^c6-F-**7u** and 8-F-**7u** could not be separated by column chromatography. The ratio was determined by ¹H NMR.

Scheme 6



F substituents destabilize **B** by inductive effect with high electronegativity, but *para*-F stabilizes benzylic cation intermediate **B** by resonance effect (Scheme 6). The steric hindrance of F is smaller than CF₃; therefore both 6-F- and 8-F-regioisomers of **7u** may be formed.

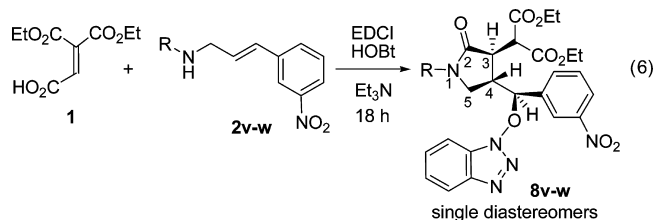
Thus, the reaction of **1** and cinnamylamines with *meta*-CF₃ and F groups **2s,t,u** gave [2 + 2] and [4 + 2] cycloadducts.

Reaction of Cinnamylamines with *m*-Nitro Group: Stereoselective Formation of HOBt-Incorporated Pyrrolidines. Reaction of cinnamylamines with *meta*-NO₂ group was carried out as examination of the inductive effect of a strong electron-withdrawing group. Unexpectedly, reaction of **1** and cinnamylamines (X = 3-NO₂) **2v,w** with EDCI/HOBt/Et₃N at room temperature, 60 °C, and 80 °C gave HOBt-incorporated 3,4-*trans*-pyrrolidines **8v,w** as single diastereomers in 53–75% yield selectively (eq 6, Table 6). The structure of **8w** was determined by X-ray analysis (Figure S1 of Supporting Information).¹⁵

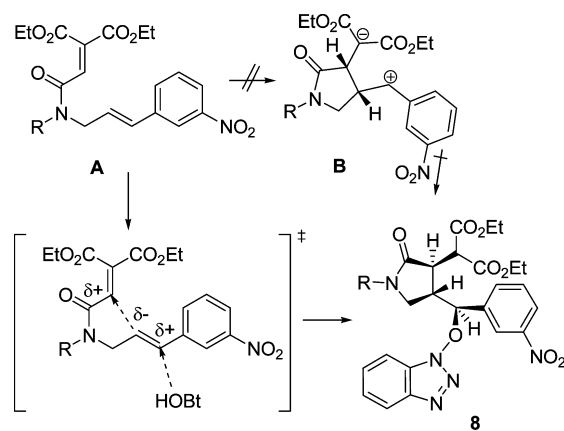
Table 6. Reactions of 1,1-Diethyl Ethenetricarboxylate **1** and Cinnamylamines **2v–w**

entry	2	R	solvent	temp	8 yield (%)
1	2v	CH ₂ Ph	THF	rt	8v (53)
2	2v	CH ₂ Ph	THF	60 °C	8v (62)
3	2v	CH ₂ Ph	benzene	80 °C	8v (55)
4	2w	CH ₂ -cyclohexyl	THF	rt	8w (75)
5	2w	CH ₂ -cyclohexyl	THF	60 °C	8w (61)
6	2w	CH ₂ -cyclohexyl	benzene	80 °C	8w (61)

Stereospecific formation of **8v,w** is proposed as shown in Scheme 7. Formation of the zwitterionic intermediate **B** may be destabilized by the inductive effect of *meta*-NO₂ group on the benzene ring. Instead, the O–C bond formation and C–C bond formation from **A** occurred concertedly to lead to cyclized



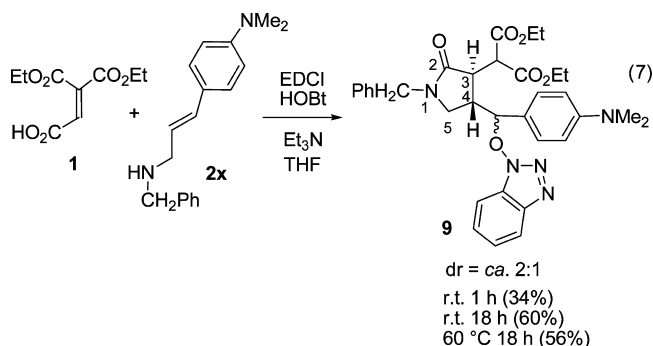
Scheme 7



products **8v–w**. Intermolecular HOBt nucleophilic attack from outside leading to 3,4-*trans* cyclized product **8v,w** is proposed for steric reasons.

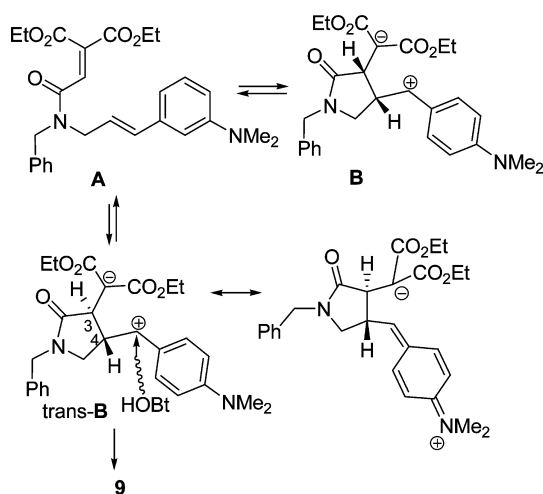
Reaction of Cinnamylamines with *p*-NMe₂ Group: Formation of HOBt-Incorporated Pyrrolidines. Reaction of cinnamylamine (X = 4-NMe₂ group) **2x** as a strong electron-donating group in *para* position was also examined. The reaction of **1** and **2x** with EDCI/HOBt/Et₃N at room temperature or 60 °C for 1 to 18 h gave HOBt-incorporated pyrrolidine **9** as ca. 2:1 diastereomer mixture in 34–60% yield and as an isolable product (eq 7). The 3,4-*trans*-stereochemistry of **9** was deduced

by the absence of NOEs between C3–H and C4–H and between CH(CO₂Et)₂ and CH(Ar)O.



Formation of **9** could be explained by the intervention of the strongly stabilized zwitterionic intermediate *trans*-**B** by the resonance effect of *para*-NMe₂ group (Scheme 8). *trans*-**B** is a

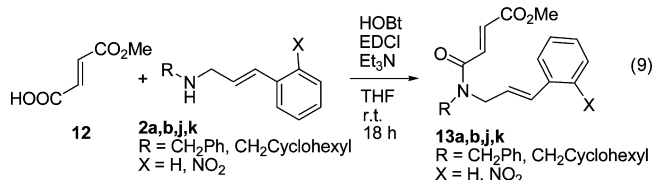
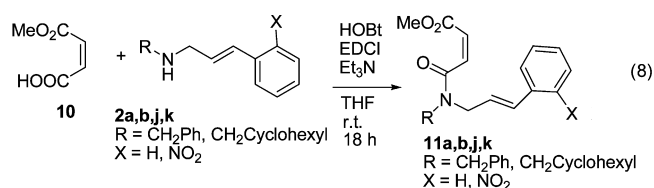
Scheme 8



3,4-*trans* isomer of intermediate **B**. The stabilized zwitterionic intermediates **B** may cause isomerization to sterically more stable intermediate *trans*-**B**. Stepwise nucleophilic attack of HOBT to zwitterionic intermediate *trans*-**B** gives product **9** with loss of stereochemistry at the side chain, 4-CH(OBt)C₆H₄-4-NMe₂.

The difference in reactivity may be related to the Hammett constants σ_p .¹⁶ For [2 + 2] cycloaddition, σ_p ranges from –0.27 (*p*-OMe) to +0.23 (*p*-Cl, *p*-Br). For [4 + 2] cycloaddition, σ_p ranges from +0.78 (*p*-NO₂) to +0.45 (*p*-CO₂Et). σ_m +0.45 (*m*-CF₃) and +0.34 (*m*-F) gave [2 + 2] and [4 + 2] mixtures. Large negative value σ_p –0.83 (*p*-NMe₂) and large positive value σ_m +0.71 (*m*-NO₂) gave exceptional results, respectively.

Reaction of Other Electron-Deficient Olefins and Cinnamylamines with *o*-NO₂ Group: [4 + 2] Cycloaddition. In order to examine the effects of electron-withdrawing group in [4 + 2] cycloaddition of styrene moiety and the generality of the reaction, the reactions of other electron-deficient olefins with carboxyl group and cinnamylamines without substituents **2a,b** and with *o*-NO₂ group **2j,k** were carried out. Reaction of monomethyl maleate **10** and **2a,b** or **2j,k** with EDCI/HOBT/Et₃N at room temperature gave amides **11a,b** and **11j,k** as isolable products along with the corresponding *trans* isomers **13** (eq 8, Table 7). Formation of byproducts **13** may arise from partial isomerization of **10** to **12** under the reaction

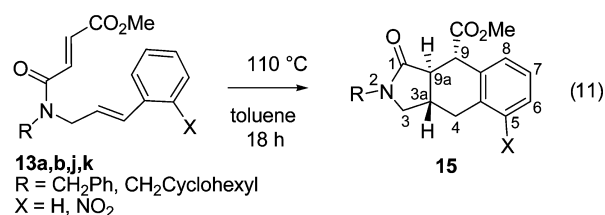
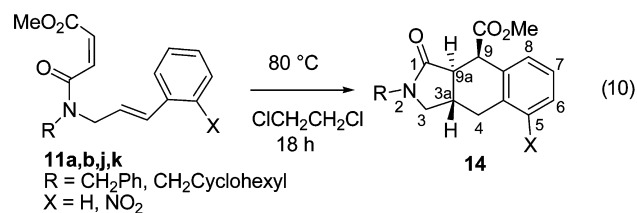
Table 7. Reactions of **10/12** and Cinnamylamines **2**

entry	10/12	2	R	X	yield (%)	isolated byproduct
1	10	2a	CH ₂ Ph	H	11a (40) ^a	b
2	10	2b	CH ₂ -cyclohexyl	H	11b (18)	13b (35)
3	10	2j	CH ₂ Ph	2-NO ₂	11j (40)	13j (11)
4	10	2k	CH ₂ -cyclohexyl	2-NO ₂	11k (31)	13k (39)
5	12	2a	CH ₂ Ph	H	13a (89) ^a	
6	12	2b	CH ₂ -cyclohexyl	H	13b (61) ^a	
7	12	2j	CH ₂ Ph	2-NO ₂	13j (72) ^a	
8	12	2k	CH ₂ -cyclohexyl	2-NO ₂	13k (63)	

^aA small amount of impurity could not be removed. ^b**13a** could be formed but not confirmed.

conditions. Reaction of monomethyl fumarate **12** and **2a,b** or **2j,k** gave amides **13a,b** and **13j,k**, respectively (eq 9, Table 7).

Compound **11j,k** gradually changes to **14j,k** at room temperature. Heating **11j,k** at 80 °C in ClCH₂CH₂Cl for 18 h gave **14j,k** via [4 + 2] cycloaddition/H-transfer (eq 10, Table 8).



On the other hand, heating **11a,b** at 80 °C in ClCH₂CH₂Cl for 18 h gave complex mixtures. Heating *trans* isomer **13k** at 80 °C in ClCH₂CH₂Cl for 18 h did not change. The reaction of **13j,k** at 110 °C in toluene for 18 h gave **15j,k** as isolable products (eq 11, Table 8). Reaction of **13a,b** at 80 °C in ClCH₂CH₂Cl for 18 h gave remained starting materials, and the reaction at 110 °C in toluene for 18 h gave complex mixtures. The stereochemistries of **14j,k** and **15j,k** were determined by NOEs. The pyrrolidine ring junction is *trans*. Thermal [4 + 2] cycloaddition reaction of **11j,k** and **13j,k** proceeded stereospecifically, and the products

Table 8. Thermal Reactions of **11** and **13**

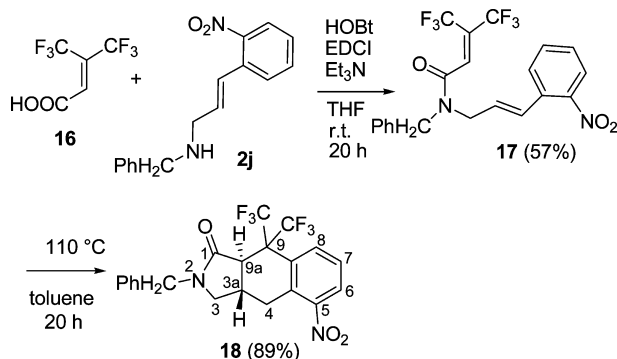
entry	11/13	R	X	temp (°C)	Yield (%)
1	11a	CH ₂ Ph	H	80	14a (0) ^a
2	11b	CH ₂ -cyclohexyl	H	80	14b (0) ^a
3	11j	CH ₂ Ph	2-NO ₂	80	14j (33)
4	11k	CH ₂ -cyclohexyl	2-NO ₂	80	14k (55)
5	13a	CH ₂ Ph	H	110	15a (0) ^a
6	13b	CH ₂ -cyclohexyl	H	110	15b (0) ^a
7	13j	CH ₂ Ph	2-NO ₂	110	15j (31)
8	13k	CH ₂ -cyclohexyl	2-NO ₂	110	15k (46)

^aComplex mixtures.

retained the original *cis* and *trans* stereochemistries of C=C double bonds.

Furthermore, reaction of 4,4,4-trifluoro-3-(trifluoromethyl)-crotonic acid **16** and cinnamylamine with *o*-NO₂ group **2j** was examined. Reaction of **16** and **2j** with EDCI/HOBt/Et₃N at room temperature gave amide **17** in 57% yield (Scheme 9).

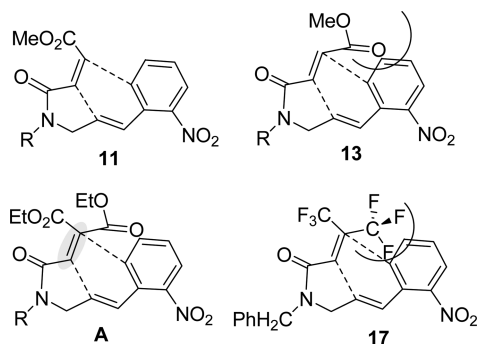
Scheme 9



Thermal reaction of **17** at 80 °C in ClCH₂CH₂Cl for 22 h gave ca. 1:1 mixture of **17** and **18**. Heating **17** at 110 °C in toluene for 20 h completed the conversion, and **18** was obtained in 89% yield.

Higher reactivity of **11** than that of **13** may arise from preferable steric overlap on the transition states of [4 + 2] cycloaddition (Scheme 10). Much higher reactivity of ethenetetracarboxylate

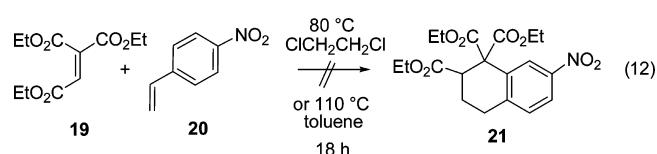
Scheme 10



intermediates **A** compared to **11** and **13** may arise from activation of C=C double bond by three electron-withdrawing carbonyl groups. Lower reactivity of **17** than that of **A** could be due to the steric effect of CF₃ groups.

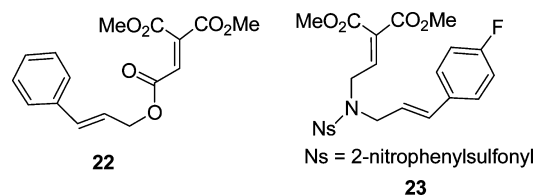
Finally, intermolecular reaction of ethenetetracarboxylate triester **19** and nitrophenylstyrene **20** was attempted in order to examine the effect of electron-deficient substituents on the benzene ring

on [4 + 2] cycloaddition of styrene as a diene component. However, heating **19** and **20** at 80 °C in ClCH₂CH₂Cl or 110 °C in toluene did not produce any reaction, and only starting materials were recovered (eq 12).



Additional comparison with the results in the literature is discussed as follows. The difference in stability between **A** (in Scheme 3) and compound **22**, the oxygen analogue of **A**, is noteworthy (Scheme 11). Compound **22** was isolated as

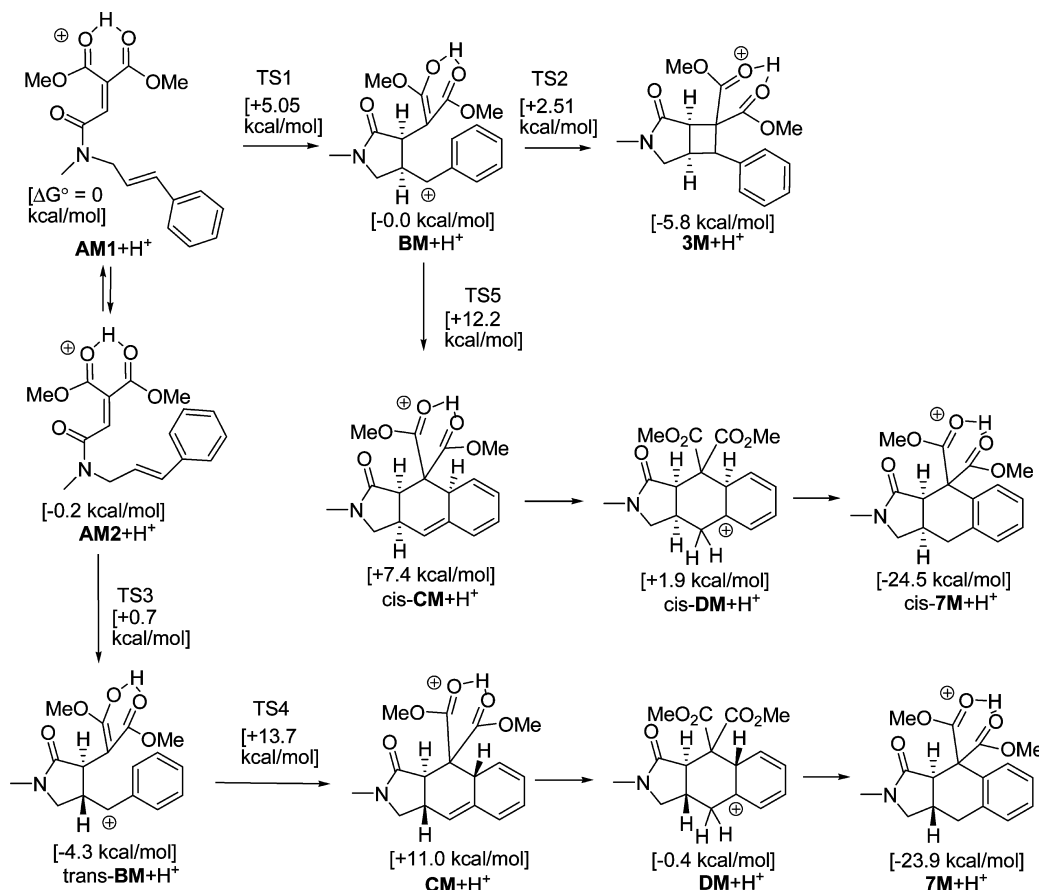
Scheme 11



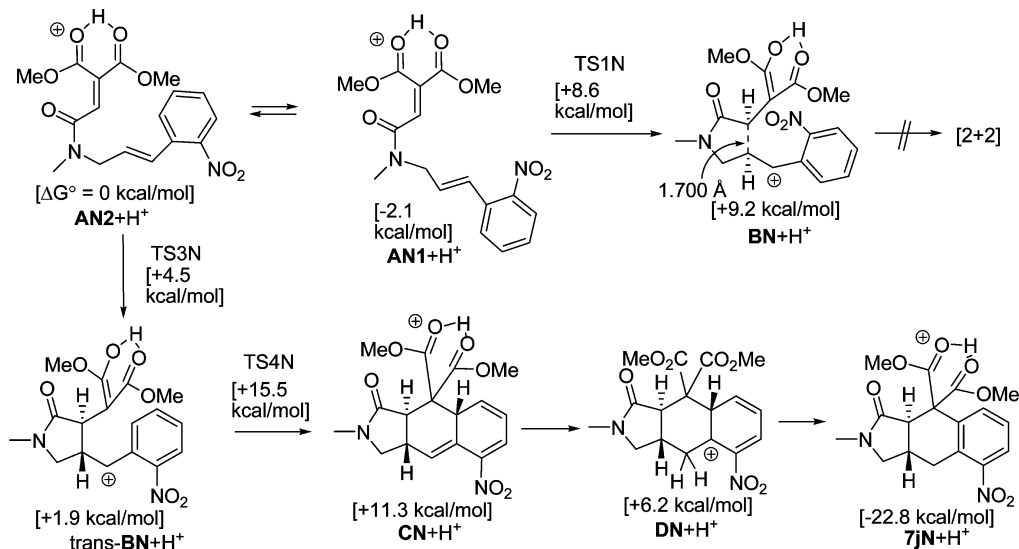
reported by Snider and his co-workers.¹⁷ Heating compound **22** at 85 or 115 °C led to an equilibrium mixture of **22** and hetero-Diels–Alder adduct. They also reported that treatment of **22** with FeCl₃ underwent intramolecular reactions to give chlorinated γ -lactone with loss of stereochemistry on the side chain.¹¹ The difference in stability can be explained, similar to the cyclization of other ethenetetracarboxylate derivatives.^{12,13} Triester **22** may be more stable in *s-cis* conformation of O=C–O–CH₂ as shown in Scheme 11, probably because of the steric repulsion. In diester amide **A** (in Scheme 3), the energy differences of *s-cis* and *s-trans* conformations of O=C–NR–CH₂ may be small. The facile intramolecular reaction of amide probably originates from higher ratio of the reactive *s-trans* conformer. Amide-tethered alkylidene malonate **23** is also a stable compound, and scandium-catalyzed [2 + 2] cyclization to produce cyclobutane-fused pyrrolidine was reported.^{5b} Higher reactivity of **A** compared to **23** may arise from the electron-withdrawing effect of the 2-carboxyl group and the steric effect of the restricted rotation of the C–N amide bond.

Theoretical Study. Understanding the detailed mechanism of the cycloadditions is important to find the factor to control the selectivity. In order to explain the observed [2 + 2]/[4 + 2] selectivity, the reaction mechanism was examined using B3LYP/6-31G*^{18,19} calculations including the PCM²⁰ solvent effect (solvent = THF). TS geometry was characterized by vibrational analysis, which checked whether the obtained geometry has single imaginary frequencies (ν^\ddagger). From TSs, reaction paths were traced by the intrinsic reaction coordinate (IRC) method²¹ to obtain the energy-minimum geometries. Relative Gibbs free energies are of RB3LYP/6-31G* SCRF (PCM, solvent = THF) ($T = 298.15$ K, $P = 1$ atm).

Possible [2 + 2] cycloaddition paths could not be obtained using the neutral model systems. Alternatively, acid-catalyzed intramolecular [2 + 2] cycloaddition reaction models for **AM1** + H⁺ were calculated (Scheme 12). The protonated six-membered ring intermediates with hydrogen bonding were assumed in models for **AM1** + H⁺.²² The acid *in situ*, possibly generated from EDCI (1-[3-(dimethylamino)propyl]-3-ethylcarbodiimide hydrochloride) or

Scheme 12. [2 + 2] and [4 + 2] Cycloaddition Reaction Paths of Protonated Intermediate Amides, AM1 + H⁺ and AM2 + H⁺^a

^aGibbs free energies ($T = 298.15$ K, $P = 1$ atm) were obtained at the RB3LYP/6-31G* SCRF (PCM, solvent = THF) level and are relative to AM1 + H⁺.

Scheme 13. Acid-Catalyzed Reaction Path of *ortho*-Nitro Models^a

^aGibbs free energies are relative to AN2 + H⁺.

starting material **1**, may catalyze the cycloaddition reactions. Stepwise [2 + 2] cycloaddition mechanism via benzylic cation intermediates **BM** + H⁺ leads to cyclobutane-fused product **3M** + H⁺. Stepwise [4 + 2] cycloaddition path via *trans* intermediate *trans*-**BM** + H⁺ leading to **CM** + H⁺ was also obtained. Intermolecular proton

transfer of **CM** + H⁺ to **DM** + H⁺ possibly leads to rearomatized product **7M** + H⁺. The path leading to the corresponding pyrrolidine *cis*-fused product *cis*-**7M** + H⁺ via TSS was also calculated.

The activation energies, ΔG[‡], of both TS4 and TS5 (13.7 and 12.2 kcal/mol) for [4 + 2] cycloadditions are higher than that of

TS1 (5.1 kcal/mol) for [2 + 2] cycloaddition. Thus, for cinnamylamine without electron-withdrawing group, [2 + 2] cycloaddition is more favorable than [4 + 2] cycloaddition.

Next, the effect of ortho electron-withdrawing group to [4 + 2] cycloaddition was examined. Acid-catalyzed reaction of *ortho*-nitro models were first calculated, and the results are shown in Scheme 13. The [2 + 2] cycloaddition path from unstable benzylic cation intermediate **BN** + H⁺ could not be obtained. Alternatively, intermediate *trans*-**BN** + H⁺ leads to [4 + 2] cycloaddition path.

Concerted [4 + 2] cycloadditions without acid catalyst for cinnamyl and *ortho*-nitrocinnamyl amide models were also calculated, and the result is shown in Scheme 14. The concerted process of *ortho*-nitrocinnamyl amide (TSNa) is slightly energetically favored over that of cinnamyl amide (TSa). Substitution of a nitro group at one carbon away from the diene moiety may give little electronic effect to [4 + 2] cycloaddition. Thus, the [4 + 2] cycloaddition occurs in either acid-catalyzed path or concerted path under the one-pot reaction conditions.

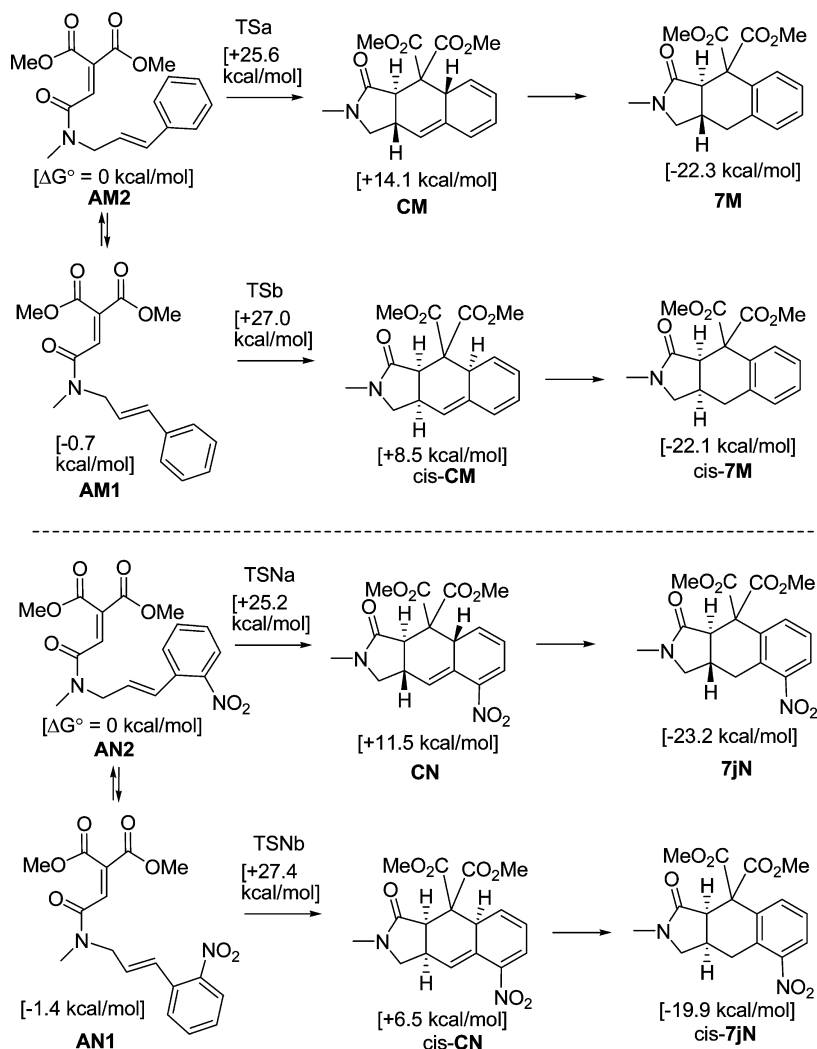
The calculated results of the concerted path are also in agreement with observed preferable formation of *trans*-fused pyrrolidine ring to that of *cis*-fused pyrrolidine ring (TSNa < TSNb).

The experimental result is similar to that reported for intramolecular [4 + 2] cycloaddition involving styrenes giving *trans*-fused heterocyclic five-membered rings mainly.^{9e,f} The intramolecular [4 + 2] cycloaddition reaction may be governed by steric requirements.

These results suggest that an electron-withdrawing group on the benzene ring destabilizes the [2 + 2] cycloaddition path and alternatively the [4 + 2] cycloaddition path proceeds. The [4 + 2] cycloaddition of the styrene moiety involves dearomatization and rearomatization. Acceleration of dearomatization by nitro-substitution is reported in the reactions of the C=C component of a benzene ring.²³ However, whether there is any acceleration is unclear yet in the [4 + 2] cycloaddition of electron deficient olefin by substitution of an ortho NO₂ group to the styrene moiety as diene. Further mechanistic study is under investigation.

In summary, intramolecular [2 + 2] and [4 + 2] cycloaddition reactions of cinnamylamides and ethenetricarboxylate in sequential processes have been studied. Reaction of cinnamylamines without substituents on the benzene ring and with halogens and OMe on *para* positions at room temperature gave cyclobutane-fused pyrrolidines as major products via [2 + 2] cycloaddition. The reaction at 80 °C in 1,2-dichloroethane gave δ -lactone-fused

Scheme 14. [4 + 2] Cycloaddition Reaction Paths of AM2, AM1, and *ortho*-Nitro Models AN2 and AN1^a



^aGibbs free energies are relative to AM2 and AN2, respectively.

pyrrolidines as major products, possibly via ring-opening of the cyclobutanes. Interestingly, reaction of 1,1-diethyl 2-hydrogen ethenetricarboxylate and cinnamylamines bearing electron-withdrawing groups such as NO₂, CN, CO₂Me, CO₂Et, or CF₃ on *ortho* and *para* positions in the presence of EDCI/HOBt/Et₃N at room temperature or at 60–80 °C gave tetrahydrobenz-[f]isindolines via [4 + 2] cycloaddition as major products. Diversity of the reaction pattern depending on the substituents of the benzene ring was found. Further transformation of the highly functionalized heterocyclic products to useful compounds are under investigation.

EXPERIMENTAL SECTION

General Methods. ¹H Chemical shifts are reported in ppm relative to Me₄Si. ¹³C Chemical shifts are reported in ppm relative to CDCl₃ (77.1 ppm). ¹⁹F Chemical shifts are reported in ppm relative to CFCl₃. ¹³C Multiplicities were determined by DEPT and HSQC. Mass spectra were recorded at an ionizing voltage of 70 eV by EI, FAB, CI, or ESI. Mass analyzer type used for EI, FAB, and CI is double-focusing and that for ESI is TOF in the HRMS measurements. All reactions were carried out under a nitrogen atmosphere. Column chromatography was performed on silica gel (75–150 μm).

Ethenetricarboxylate **1** was prepared according to the literature.²⁴ Cinnamylamines **2a–x** were prepared from the corresponding cinnamaldehydes and amines by reductive amination in methanol (for **2a–p**, **2r–x**) or ethanol (for **2q**) according to the literature procedure.²⁵ ¹H NMR of **2a** was in accord with the reported data.²⁶

5-Fluoro-2-nitrocinnamaldehyde (90%), 4-cyanocinnamaldehyde (86%), and 3-nitrocinnamaldehyde (47%) were prepared from the corresponding benzaldehydes and acetaldehyde according to the literature procedure.²⁷ ¹H NMR spectra of 4-cyanocinnamaldehyde and 3-nitrocinnamaldehyde were in accord with the reported data.²⁸ 4-(Methoxycarbonyl)cinnamaldehyde (59%) was prepared by the palladium-catalyzed reaction of the corresponding aryl iodides with acrolein diethyl acetal.²⁸ ¹H NMR spectra of 4-(methoxycarbonyl)cinnamaldehyde were in accord with the reported data.²⁹ 4-(Ethoxycarbonyl)cinnamaldehyde and 3-fluorocinnamaldehyde were prepared according to the literature.²⁸ 4-(Trifluoromethyl)cinnamaldehyde (58%), 3-(trifluoromethyl)cinnamaldehyde (56%), 3,5-bis(trifluoromethyl)cinnamaldehyde (81%) were prepared from the corresponding benzaldehydes and formylmethylenetriphenylphosphorane according to the literature procedure.³⁰ ¹H NMR of 3-(trifluoromethyl)cinnamaldehyde was in accord with the reported data.²⁸

4-(Trifluoromethyl)cinnamaldehyde. (8.2 mmol scale, 0.951 g, 58%); *R*_f = 0.6 (hexane–ether = 1:1); pale yellow crystals; mp 60 °C; ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) 6.78 (dd, *J* = 16.0, 7.6 Hz, 1H), 7.52 (d, *J* = 16.0 Hz, 1H), 7.69 (s, 4H), 9.76 (d, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 1H); ¹³C NMR (100.6 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) 123.7 (C, *q*, *J*_{CF} = 272 Hz), 126.0 (CH, *q*, *J*_{CF} = 3.8 Hz), 128.6 (CH), 130.5 (CH), 132.4 (C, *q*, *J*_{CF} = 33 Hz), 137.3 (C, *q*, *J*_{CF} = 1.5 Hz), 150.3 (CH), 193.2 (CH); ¹⁹F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) –63.05; IR (KBr) 2817, 2733, 1680, 1324, 1172, 1122, 1066 cm⁻¹; MS (EI) *m/z* 200 (M⁺, 38), 199 (32), 151 (47), 131 (100%); HRMS (EI) *m/z* M⁺ 200.0448 (calcd for C₁₀H₇F₃O 200.0449).

3,5-Bis(trifluoromethyl)cinnamaldehyde. (10 mmol scale, 2.17 g, 81%); *R*_f = 0.7 (hexane–ether = 1:1); pale yellow crystals; mp 80–81 °C; ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) 6.85 (dd, *J* = 16.1, 7.4 Hz, 1H), 7.56 (d, *J* = 16.1 Hz, 1H), 7.94 (s, 1H), 8.02 (d, *J* = 0.4 Hz, 2H), 9.80 (d, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 1H); ¹³C NMR (100.6 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) 123.0 (C, *q*, *J*_{CF} = 273 Hz), 124.2 (CH, *q*, *J*_{CF} = 3.8 Hz), 128.1 (CH, *q*, *J*_{CF} = 3.1 Hz), 131.5 (CH), 132.8 (C, *q*, *J*_{CF} = 34 Hz), 136.2 (C), 148.1 (CH), 192.6 (CH); ¹⁹F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) –63.27; IR (KBr) 3088, 2834, 2749, 1696, 1379, 1279, 1178, 1123, 1107 cm⁻¹; MS (FAB) *m/z* 269 ([M + H]⁺), 267 ([M – H]⁺); HRMS (FAB) *m/z* [M – H]⁺ 267.0245 (calcd for C₁₁H₅F₆O 267.0245), [M + H]⁺ 269.0402 (calcd for C₁₁H₇F₆O 269.0401).

5-Fluoro-2-nitrocinnamaldehyde was prepared from 5-fluoro-2-nitrobenzaldehyde and acetaldehyde according to the literature procedure.²⁸

5-Fluoro-2-nitrocinnamaldehyde. (5.9 mmol scale, 1.04 g, 90%); colorless crystals; mp 139–140 °C; ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) 6.61 (dd, *J* = 15.8, 7.6 Hz, 1H), 7.30 (ddd, *J*_{CH} = 9.1, 2.7 Hz, *J*_{FH} = 7.0 Hz, 1H), 7.35 (dd, *J*_{CH} = 2.7 Hz, *J*_{FH} = 8.6 Hz, 1H), 8.06 (d, *J* = 15.8 Hz, 1H), 8.21 (dd, *J*_{CH} = 9.1 Hz, *J*_{FH} = 5.0 Hz, 1H), 9.80 (d, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 1H); ¹³C NMR (100.6 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) 116.1 (CH, d, *J*_{CF} = 25 Hz), 118.0 (CH, d, *J*_{CF} = 23 Hz), 128.3 (CH, d, *J*_{CF} = 10 Hz), 133.42 (CH), 133.43 (C, d, *J*_{CF} = 10 Hz), 144.1 (C), 146.2 (CH, d, *J*_{CF} = 1.5 Hz), 165.0 (C, d, *J*_{CF} = 258 Hz), 192.7 (CH); ¹⁹F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) –101.91 (ddd, *J* = 8.6, 7.0, 5.0 Hz); IR (KBr) 3082, 2849, 1695, 1584, 1521, 1344, 1278, 1119, 979 cm⁻¹; MS (EI) *m/z* 195 (M⁺, 1.3), 166 (100), 145 (86), 120 (52), 110 (69%); HRMS (EI) *m/z* M⁺ 195.0327 (calcd for C₉H₆FNO₃ 195.0332).

Typical Experimental Procedure for Preparation of Cinnamylamines 2. A solution of *trans*-cinnamaldehyde (0.834 g, 10 mmol) and cyclohexylmethylamine (1.01 g, 8.9 mmol) in methanol (6.8 mL) was heated under reflux for 30 min, followed by the portionwise addition of NaBH₄ (567 mg, 15 mmol) in ice-cooled bath. The mixture was stirred overnight at room temperature. Excess sodium borohydride was quenched by the addition of acetone (3.7 mL). The mixture was concentrated, and the residue was dissolved in CH₂Cl₂ and water. The organic layer was washed with water, dried over Na₂SO₄ and concentrated. The residue was purified by column chromatography over silica gel eluting with hexane–Et₂O to give **2b** (1.82 g, 89%).

Cinnamyl Cyclohexylmethylamine (2b). *R*_f = 0.4 (hexane–ether = 2:1); pale yellow oil; ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) 0.863–0.963 (m, 2H), 1.10–1.30 (m, 3H), 1.42–1.52 (m, 2H), 1.64–1.77 (m, 5H), 2.47 (d, *J* = 6.6 Hz, 2H), 3.37 (dd, *J* = 6.3, 1.5 Hz, 2H), 6.29 (dt, 15.9, 6.3 Hz, 1H), 6.51 (d, *J* = 15.9 Hz, 1H), 7.17–7.21 (m, 1H), 7.26–7.32 (m, 2H), 7.34–7.39 (m, 2H); ¹³C NMR (100.6 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) 26.1 (CH₂), 26.7 (CH₂), 31.5 (CH₂), 38.1 (CH), 52.1 (CH₂), 56.3 (CH₂), 126.2 (CH), 127.2 (CH), 128.5 (CH), 128.8 (CH), 131.0 (CH), 137.2 (C); IR (neat) 3339, 3025, 2925, 2850, 1652, 1599, 1495, 1448, 1348, 1125, 966 cm⁻¹; MS (EI) *m/z* 229 (M⁺, 17), 146 (26), 117 (100%); HRMS (EI) M⁺ 229.1832 (calcd for C₁₆H₂₃N 229.1830).

Cinnamyl 4-(Trifluoromethyl)benzylamine (2c). (8.9 mmol scale, 2.45 g, 95%); pale yellow oil; ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) 1.51 (bs, 1H), 3.42 (dd, *J* = 6.3, 1.5 Hz, 2H), 3.88 (s, 2H), 6.29 (dt, *J* = 15.9, 6.3 Hz, 1H), 6.53 (d, *J* = 15.9 Hz, 1H), 7.20–7.24 (m, 1H), 7.28–7.32 (m, 2H), 7.36–7.38 (m, 2H), 7.46 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 7.58 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H); ¹³C NMR (100.6 MHz, CDCl₃) 51.3 (CH₂), 52.7 (CH₂), 124.3 (C, *q*, *J*_{CF} = 272 Hz), 125.4 (CH, *q*, *J*_{CF} = 3.8 Hz), 126.3 (CH), 127.5 (CH), 128.1 (CH), 128.4 (CH), 128.6 (CH), 128.8 (C, *q*, *J*_{CF} = 32 Hz), 131.7 (CH), 137.0 (C), 144.5 (C); ¹⁹F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) –62.38; IR (neat) 3313, 3027, 2827, 1619, 1495, 1449, 1418, 1329, 1164, 1120, 1066, 1018, 967 cm⁻¹; MS (FAB) *m/z* 290 ([M – H]⁺); HRMS (FAB) [M – H]⁺ 290.1158 (calcd for C₁₇H₁₅F₃N 290.1157).

Allyl Cinnamylamine (2d). (8.9 mmol scale, 1.48 g, 95%); pale yellow oil; ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) 1.23 (bs, 1H), 3.30 (ddd, *J* = 6.0, 1.6, 1.4 Hz, 2H), 3.41 (dd, *J* = 6.3, 1.5 Hz, 2H), 5.11 (ddt, *J* = 10.3, 1.6, 1.4 Hz, 1H), 5.20 (ddt, *J* = 17.1, 1.6, 1.6 Hz, 1H), 5.93 (ddt, *J* = 17.1, 10.3, 6.0 Hz, 1H), 6.29 (dt, *J* = 15.8, 6.3 Hz, 1H), 6.52 (d, *J* = 15.8 Hz, 1H), 7.19–7.23 (m, 1H), 7.27–7.32 (m, 2H), 7.35–7.38 (m, 2H); ¹³C NMR (100.6 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) 51.2 (CH₂), 51.9 (CH₂), 116.0 (CH₂), 126.3 (CH), 127.4 (CH), 128.4 (CH), 128.6 (CH), 131.4 (CH), 136.8 (CH), 137.1 (C); IR (neat) 3316, 3025, 2816, 1643, 1598, 1494, 1448, 1114, 967 cm⁻¹; MS (FAB) *m/z* 174 ([M + H]⁺); HRMS (FAB) *m/z* [M + H]⁺ 174.1285 (calcd for C₁₂H₁₆N 174.1283), [M – H]⁺ 172.1130 (calcd for C₁₂H₁₄N 172.1126).

Benzyl 4-Fluorocinnamylamine (2e). (6.9 mmol scale, 1.32 g, 79%); *R*_f = 0.4 (ether); pale yellow oil; ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) 1.70 (bs, 1H), 3.41 (dd, *J* = 6.3, 1.4 Hz, 2H), 3.82 (s, 2H), 6.22 (dt, *J* = 15.8, 6.3 Hz, 1H), 6.49 (d, *J* = 15.8 Hz, 1H), 6.98 (dd-like, *J*_{HH} = 8.8 Hz, *J*_{FH} = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 7.23–7.35 (m, 7H); ¹³C NMR (100.6 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) 51.1 (CH₂), 53.4 (CH₂), 115.4 (CH, d, *J*_{CF} = 21 Hz), 127.1 (CH), 127.8 (CH, d, *J*_{CF} = 7.7 Hz), 128.1 (CH, d, *J*_{CF} = 1.5 Hz), 128.2

(CH), 128.5 (CH), 130.3 (CH), 132.8 (C, d, $J_{CF} = 3.1$ Hz), 140.2 (C), 162.2 (C, d, $J_{CF} = 246$ Hz); ^{19}F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) -114.86 (tt, $J = 8.8, 5.7$ Hz); IR (neat) 3312, 3028, 2819, 1602, 1508, 1453, 1228, 1158, 968 cm^{-1} ; MS (EI) m/z 241 (M^+ , 21), 196 (11), 132 (38), 106 (35), 91 (100%); HRMS (EI) m/z M^+ 241.1273 (calcd for $\text{C}_{16}\text{H}_{16}\text{FN}$ 241.1267).

4-Fluorocinnamyl Propylamine (2f). (8.9 mmol scale, 1.24 g, 72%); $R_f = 0.2$ (ether); pale yellow oil; ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) 0.935 (t, $J = 7.4$ Hz, 3H), 1.31 (bs, 1H), 1.55 (tq, $J = 7.4, 7.4$ Hz, 2H), 2.62 (t, $J = 7.4$ Hz, 2H), 3.39 (dd, $J = 6.3, 1.4$ Hz, 2H), 6.22 (dt, $J = 15.8, 6.3$ Hz, 1H), 6.48 (d, $J = 15.8$ Hz, 1H), 6.98 (dd-like, $J_{\text{HH}} = 8.8$ Hz, $J_{\text{FH}} = 8.8$ Hz, 2H), 7.32 (dd-like, $J_{\text{HH}} = 8.8$ Hz, $J_{\text{FH}} = 5.5$ Hz, 2H); ^{13}C NMR (100.6 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) 11.8 (CH_3), 23.3 (CH_2), 51.5 (CH_2), 51.9 (CH_2), 115.4 (CH, d, $J_{CF} = 22$ Hz), 127.7 (CH, d, $J_{CF} = 7.7$ Hz), 128.4 (CH, d, $J_{CF} = 2.3$ Hz), 129.9 (CH), 133.4 (C, d, $J_{CF} = 3.1$ Hz), 162.2 (C, d, $J_{CF} = 246$ Hz); ^{19}F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) -115.04 (tt, $J = 8.8, 5.5$ Hz); IR (neat) 3308, 2961, 1602, 1508, 1458, 1228, 1158, 1128, 967 cm^{-1} ; MS (EI) m/z 193 (M^+ , 29), 164 (20), 135 (100%); HRMS (EI) m/z M^+ 193.1272 (calcd for $\text{C}_{12}\text{H}_{16}\text{FN}$ 193.1267).

Benzyl 4-Chlorocinnamylamine (2g). (4.5 mmol scale, 0.794 g, 68%); $R_f = 0.3$ (hexane–ether = 2:1); pale yellow oil; ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) 1.62 (bs, 1H), 3.42 (dd, $J = 6.3, 1.3$ Hz, 2H), 3.82 (s, 2H), 6.23 (dt, $J = 15.8, 6.3$ Hz, 1H), 6.45 (dt, $J = 15.8, 1.3$ Hz, 1H), 7.23–7.28 (m, 5H), 7.32–7.33 (m, 4H); ^{13}C NMR (100.6 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) 51.1 (CH_2), 53.4 (CH_2), 127.1 (CH), 127.5 (CH), 128.2 (CH), 128.5 (CH), 128.7 (CH), 129.2 (CH), 130.1 (CH), 132.9 (C), 135.7 (C), 140.2 (C); IR (neat) 3311, 3027, 2818, 1491, 1453, 1404, 1360, 1091, 1012, 968 cm^{-1} ; MS (EI) m/z 259 (M^+ , 9.1), 257 (M^+ , 22), 166 (16), 132 (52), 91 (100%); HRMS (EI) m/z M^+ 257.0971, 259.0980 (calcd for $\text{C}_{16}\text{H}_{16}\text{ClN}$ 257.0971, 259.0942).

Benzyl 4-Bromocinnamylamine (2h). (4.5 mmol scale, 1.15 g, 85%); pale yellow oil; ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) 1.60 (bs, 1H), 3.40 (dd, $J = 6.2, 1.5$ Hz, 2H), 3.82 (s, 2H), 6.28 (dt, $J = 15.9, 6.2$ Hz, 1H), 6.46 (d, $J = 15.9$ Hz, 1H), 7.20 (d-like, $J = 8.5$ Hz, 2H), 7.23–7.28 (m, 1H), 7.30–7.35 (m, 4H), 7.40 (d-like, $J = 8.5$ Hz, 2H); ^{13}C NMR (100.6 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) 51.1 (CH_2), 53.4 (CH_2), 127.1 (CH), 127.8 (CH), 128.2 (CH), 128.5 (CH), 129.4 (CH), 130.1 (CH), 131.7 (CH), 136.1 (C), 140.1 (C); IR (neat) 3354, 3026, 2920, 2824, 1652, 1486, 1455, 1401, 1361, 1116, 1071, 1008, 967 cm^{-1} ; MS (EI) m/z 303 (M^+ , 4.5), 301 (M^+ , 4.5), 196 (19), 132 (18), 106 (54), 91 (100%); HRMS (EI) m/z M^+ 301.0470, 303.0451 (calcd for $\text{C}_{16}\text{H}_{16}\text{BrN}$ 301.0466, 303.0446).

Benzyl 4-Methoxycinnamylamine (2i). (8.9 mmol scale, 2.13 g, 94%); pale yellow oil; ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) 1.78 (bs, 1H), 3.40 (dd, $J = 6.4, 1.0$ Hz, 2H), 3.77 (s, 3H), 3.82 (s, 2H), 6.17 (dt, $J = 15.8, 6.4$ Hz, 1H), 6.47 (d, $J = 15.8$ Hz, 1H), 6.83 (d-like, $J = 8.6$ Hz, 2H), 7.22–7.34 (m, 7H); ^{13}C NMR (100.6 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) 51.3 (CH_2), 53.3 (CH_2), 55.3 (CH_3), 114.0 (CH), 126.1 (CH), 127.0 (CH), 127.4 (CH), 128.2 (CH), 128.4 (CH), 129.9 (C), 131.0 (CH), 140.2 (C), 159.1 (C); IR (neat) 3313, 3028, 2932, 2834, 1607, 1511, 1453, 1249, 1174, 1107, 1034, 968 cm^{-1} ; MS (EI) m/z 253 (M^+ , 3.3), 196 (18), 162 (18), 106 (56), 91 (100%); HRMS (EI) m/z M^+ 253.1471 (calcd for $\text{C}_{17}\text{H}_{19}\text{NO}$ 253.1467).

Benzyl 2-Nitrocinnamylamine (2j). (8.9 mmol scale, 1.35 g, 56%); $R_f = 0.4$ (CH_2Cl_2 –ether = 1:4); yellow oil; ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) 1.77 (bs, 1H), 3.47 (dd, $J = 6.3, 1.6$ Hz, 2H), 3.84 (s, 2H), 6.29 (dt, $J = 15.6, 6.3$ Hz, 1H), 7.01 (d, $J = 15.6$ Hz, 1H), 7.23–7.28 (m, 1H), 7.31–7.37 (m, 5H), 7.50–7.58 (m, 2H), 7.89 (dd, $J = 8.2, 1.0$ Hz, 1H); ^{13}C NMR (100.6 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) 51.0 (CH_2), 53.3 (CH_2), 124.5 (CH), 126.5 (CH), 127.1 (CH), 127.9 (CH), 128.3 (CH), 128.5 (CH), 128.7 (CH), 132.8 (C), 133.0 (CH), 134.1 (CH), 140.0 (C), 147.8 (C); IR (neat) 3329, 3063, 3027, 2820, 1606, 1571, 1523, 1454, 1347, 1120, 966 cm^{-1} ; MS (EI) m/z 269 ($[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$, 1.5), 268 (M^+ , 0.7), 267 ($[\text{M} - \text{H}]^+$, 2.8), 250 (13), 146 (28), 120 (48), 91 (100%); HRMS (EI) m/z $[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$ 269.1284 (calcd for $\text{C}_{16}\text{H}_{17}\text{N}_2\text{O}_2$ 269.1290), M^+ 268.1179 (calcd for $\text{C}_{16}\text{H}_{16}\text{N}_2\text{O}_2$ 268.1212), $[\text{M} - \text{H}]^+$ 267.1138 (calcd for $\text{C}_{16}\text{H}_{15}\text{N}_2\text{O}_2$ 267.1134).

Cyclohexylmethyl 2-Nitrocinnamylamine (2k). (8.9 mmol scale, 1.76 g, 72%); $R_f = 0.4$ (CH_2Cl_2 –ether = 1:4); yellow oil; ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) 0.891–0.981 (m, 2H), 1.10–1.30 (m, 3H),

1.43–1.53 (m, 1H), 1.55 (bs, 1H), 1.65–1.78 (m, 5H), 2.50 (d, $J = 6.6$ Hz, 2H), 3.44 (dd, $J = 6.2, 1.5$ Hz, 2H), 6.30 (dt, $J = 15.8, 6.2$ Hz, 1H), 6.99 (d, $J = 15.8$ Hz, 1H), 7.35 (ddd, $J = 8.2, 7.4, 1.2$ Hz, 1H), 7.53 (ddd, $J = 7.8, 7.4, 1.0$ Hz, 1H), 7.60 (dd, $J = 7.8, 1.2$ Hz, 1H), 7.87 (dd, $J = 8.2, 1.0$ Hz, 1H); ^{13}C NMR (100.6 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) 26.0 (CH_2), 26.6 (CH_2), 31.3 (CH_2), 38.0 (CH), 51.8 (CH_2), 56.2 (CH_2), 124.3 (CH), 125.9 (CH), 127.7 (CH), 128.5 (CH), 132.7 (C), 132.8 (CH), 134.4 (CH), 147.6 (C); IR (neat) 2924, 2850, 1606, 1570, 1522, 1448, 1348, 1125, 966 cm^{-1} ; MS (CI) m/z 275 ($[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$); HRMS (CI) m/z $[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$ 275.1759 (calcd for $\text{C}_{16}\text{H}_{23}\text{N}_2\text{O}_2$ 275.1760).

Allyl 2-Nitrocinnamylamine (2l). (8.9 mmol scale, 1.33 g, 69%); $R_f = 0.3$ (CH_2Cl_2 –ether = 1:4); yellow oil; ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) 1.36 (bs, 1H), 3.32 (ddd, $J = 4.5, 1.4, 1.4$ Hz, 2H), 3.47 (dd, $J = 6.1, 1.6$ Hz, 2H), 5.13 (ddt, $J = 10.4, 1.5, 1.5$ Hz, 1H), 5.22 (ddt, $J = 17.2, 1.5, 1.5$ Hz, 1H), 5.93 (ddt, $J = 17.2, 10.4, 6.1$ Hz, 1H), 6.29 (dt, $J = 15.8, 6.1$ Hz, 1H), 7.00 (d, $J = 15.8$ Hz, 1H), 7.37 (ddd, $J = 8.2, 7.3, 1.6$ Hz, 1H), 7.53–7.57 (m, 1H), 7.60 (dd, $J = 7.8, 1.6$ Hz, 1H), 7.89 (dd, $J = 8.2, 1.0$ Hz, 1H); ^{13}C NMR (100.6 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) 50.9 (CH_2), 51.7 (CH_2), 116.2 (CH_2), 124.4 (CH), 126.3 (CH), 127.8 (CH), 128.6 (CH), 132.7 (C), 133.0 (CH), 134.1 (CH), 136.5 (CH), 147.7 (C); IR (neat) 3325, 3072, 2817, 1643, 1606, 1571, 1522, 1442, 1350, 1307, 1144, 1115, 994, 967 cm^{-1} ; MS (EI) m/z 218 (M^+ , 1.2), 217 (6.8), 200 (26), 170 (42), 146 (84), 130 (43), 116 (100%); HRMS (EI) m/z M^+ 218.1046 (calcd for $\text{C}_{12}\text{H}_{14}\text{N}_2\text{O}_2$ 218.1055).

Benzyl 5-Fluoro-2-nitrocinnamylamine (2m). (5 mmol scale, 0.479 g, 33%); $R_f = 0.2$ (hexane–ether = 1:4); yellow oil; ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) 1.75 (bs, 1H), 3.48 (dd, $J = 6.1, 1.6$ Hz, 2H), 3.85 (s, 2H), 6.29 (dt, $J = 15.8, 6.1$ Hz, 1H), 7.03 (ddd, $J_{\text{FH}} = 7.2$ Hz, $J_{\text{HH}} = 9.1, 2.7$ Hz, 1H), 7.06 (bd, $J = 15.8$ Hz, 1H), 7.23 (dd, $J_{\text{FH}} = 9.6$ Hz, $J_{\text{HH}} = 2.7$ Hz, 1H), 7.24–7.28 (m, 1H), 7.32–7.36 (m, 4H), 7.99 (dd, $J_{\text{HH}} = 9.1$ Hz, $J_{\text{FH}} = 5.2$ Hz, 1H); ^{13}C NMR (100.6 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) 50.8 (CH_2), 53.4 (CH_2), 115.0 (CH, d, $J_{CF} = 23$ Hz), 115.3 (CH, d, $J_{CF} = 24$ Hz), 125.9 (CH, d, $J_{CF} = 1.5$ Hz), 127.2 (CH), 127.5 (CH, d, $J_{CF} = 10$ Hz), 128.3 (CH), 128.5 (CH), 135.5 (CH), 136.4 (C, d, $J_{CF} = 9.2$ Hz), 134.0 (C), 143.8 (C, d, $J_{CF} = 3.1$ Hz), 164.7 (C, d, $J_{CF} = 256$ Hz); ^{19}F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) -104.13 (ddd, $J_{\text{FH}} = 9.6, 7.2, 5.2$ Hz); IR (neat) 3324, 3028, 2821, 1645, 1616, 1581, 1520, 1345, 1273, 1221, 1132, 1075, 966 cm^{-1} ; MS (CI) m/z 287 ($[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$); HRMS (CI) m/z 287.1190 (calcd for $\text{C}_{16}\text{H}_{16}\text{FN}_2\text{O}_2$ $[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$ 287.1196).

Benzyl 4-Nitrocinnamylamine (2n). (8.9 mmol scale, 1.08 g, 45%); $R_f = 0.2$ (hexane–ether = 1:4); yellow oil; ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) 1.68 (bs, 1H), 3.49 (dd, $J = 5.9, 1.4$ Hz, 2H), 3.85 (s, 2H), 6.50 (dt, $J = 16.0, 5.9$ Hz, 1H), 6.62 (d, $J = 16.0$ Hz, 1H), 7.24–7.30 (m, 1H), 7.31–7.35 (m, 4H), 7.47 (d-like, $J = 8.9$ Hz, 2H), 8.15 (d-like, $J = 8.9$ Hz, 2H); ^{13}C NMR (100.6 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) 50.9 (CH_2), 53.5 (CH_2), 124.0 (CH), 126.7 (CH), 127.2 (CH), 128.2 (CH), 128.5 (CH), 129.1 (CH), 133.8 (CH), 134.0 (C), 143.7 (C), 146.8 (C); IR (neat) 3328, 3027, 2833, 1651, 1595, 1520, 1494, 1454, 1346, 1110, 971 cm^{-1} ; MS (EI) m/z 268 (M^+ , 6.9), 196 (16), 132 (23), 91 (100%); HRMS (EI) m/z M^+ 268.1207 (calcd for $\text{C}_{16}\text{H}_{16}\text{N}_2\text{O}_2$ 268.1212).

Benzyl 4-Cyanocinnamylamine (2o). (6.4 mmol scale, 0.837 g, 53%); $R_f = 0.2$ (hexane–ether = 1:4); yellow oil; ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) 1.55 (bs, 1H), 3.47 (dd, $J = 5.9, 1.4$ Hz, 2H), 3.84 (s, 2H), 6.44 (dt, $J = 15.9, 5.9$ Hz, 1H), 6.56 (d, $J = 15.9$ Hz, 1H), 7.24–7.30 (m, 1H), 7.32–7.35 (m, 4H), 7.42 (d-like, $J = 8.4$ Hz, 2H), 7.57 (d-like, $J = 8.4$ Hz, 2H); ^{13}C NMR (100.6 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) 50.9 (CH_2), 53.5 (CH_2), 110.5 (C), 119.0 (C), 126.7 (CH), 127.2 (CH), 128.2 (CH), 128.5 (CH), 129.5 (CH), 132.4 (CH), 132.8 (CH), 140.0 (C), 141.7 (C); IR (neat) 3315, 3028, 2821, 2224, 1651, 1604, 1495, 1453, 1412, 1360, 1175, 1118, 971 cm^{-1} ; MS (EI) m/z 248 (M^+ , 13), 196 (10), 146 (32), 106 (34), 91 (100%); HRMS (EI) m/z M^+ 248.1317 (calcd for $\text{C}_{17}\text{H}_{16}\text{N}_2$ 248.1313).

Benzyl 4-(Methoxycarbonyl)cinnamylamine (2p). (5 mmol scale, 0.625 g, 44%); $R_f = 0.2$ (hexane–ether = 1:4); pale yellow oil; ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) 1.52 (bs, 1H), 3.46 (dd, $J = 6.1, 1.4$ Hz, 2H), 3.85 (s, 2H), 3.90 (s, 3H), 6.44 (dt, $J = 15.9, 6.1$ Hz, 1H), 6.58 (d, $J = 15.9$ Hz, 1H), 7.22–7.29 (m, 1H), 7.31–7.35 (m, 4H), 7.41 (d, $J = 8.3$ Hz, 2H), 7.97 (d-like, $J = 8.3$ Hz, 2H); ^{13}C NMR (100.6 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) 51.1 (CH_2), 52.1 (CH_3), 53.5 (CH_2), 126.2 (CH),

127.1 (CH), 128.2 (CH), 128.5 (CH), 128.8 (C), 130.0 (CH), 130.4 (CH), 131.5 (CH), 140.2 (C), 141.7 (C), 167.0 (C); IR (neat) 3326, 3028, 2950, 1721, 1606, 1454, 1435, 1281, 1178, 1109, 1017, 971 cm^{-1} ; MS (EI) m/z 281 (M^+ , 14), 132 (35), 106 (25), 91 (100%); HRMS (EI) m/z M^+ 281.1417 (calcd for $C_{18}H_{19}NO_2$ 281.1416).

Benzyl 4-(Ethoxycarbonyl)cinnamylamine (2q). (6 mmol scale, 0.832 g, 47%); R_f = 0.2 (hexane–ether = 1:4); pale yellow oil; ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) 1.39 (t, J = 7.1 Hz, 3H), 1.56 (bs, 1H), 3.46 (dd, J = 6.1, 1.4 Hz, 2H), 3.85 (s, 2H), 4.36 (q, J = 7.1 Hz, 2H), 6.43 (dt, J = 15.9, 6.1 Hz, 1H), 6.58 (d, J = 15.9 Hz, 1H), 7.24–7.29 (m, 1H), 7.31–7.36 (m, 4H), 7.41 (d-like, J = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 7.98 (d-like, J = 8.4 Hz, 2H); ^{13}C NMR (100.6 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) 14.4 (CH_3), 51.2 (CH_2), 53.5 (CH_2), 60.9 (CH_2), 126.1 (CH), 127.1 (CH), 128.2 (CH), 128.5 (CH), 129.2 (C), 129.9 (CH), 130.4 (CH), 131.3 (CH), 140.2 (C), 141.6 (C), 166.5 (C); IR (neat) 3316, 2980, 1713, 1607, 1495, 1453, 1413, 1366, 1275, 1178, 1105, 1020, 972 cm^{-1} ; MS (EI) m/z 295 (M^+ , 31), 204 (20), 132 (71), 91 (100%); HRMS (EI) m/z M^+ 295.1581 (calcd for $C_{19}H_{21}NO_2$ 295.1572).

Benzyl 4-(Trifluoromethyl)cinnamylamine (2r). (3.6 mmol scale, 0.996 g, 96%); R_f = 0.5 (hexane–ether = 1:1); pale yellow oil; ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) 1.55 (bs, 1H), 3.46 (dd, J = 6.1, 1.4 Hz, 2H), 3.84 (s, 2H), 6.41 (dt, J = 15.8, 6.1 Hz, 1H), 6.58 (d, J = 15.8 Hz, 1H), 7.25–7.30 (m, 1H), 7.32–7.35 (m, 4H), 7.44 (d, J = 8.2 Hz, 2H), 7.55 (d, J = 8.2 Hz, 2H); ^{13}C NMR (100.6 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) 51.1 (CH_2), 53.5 (CH_2), 124.1 (C, q , J_{CF} = 272 Hz), 125.6 (CH, q , J_{CF} = 3.8 Hz), 126.5 (CH), 127.2 (CH), 128.3 (CH), 128.6 (CH), 129.2 (C, q , J = 32 Hz), 130.0 (CH), 131.4 (CH), 140.2 (C), 140.7 (C); ^{19}F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) –62.50; IR (neat) 3310, 3029, 2823, 1652, 1615, 1495, 1455, 1415, 1327, 1163, 1120, 1067, 1016, 970 cm^{-1} ; MS (EI) m/z 291 (M^+ , 100), 200 (11), 185 (35), 132 (67), 91 (100%); HRMS (EI) m/z M^+ 291.1235 (calcd for $C_{17}H_{16}F_3N$ 291.1235).

Benzyl 3-(Trifluoromethyl)cinnamylamine (2s). (2.7 mmol scale, 0.656 g, 83%); R_f = 0.6 (hexane–ether = 1:1); pale yellow oil; ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) 1.55 (bs, 1H), 3.45 (dd, J = 6.2, 1.5 Hz, 2H), 3.84 (s, 2H), 6.38 (dt, J = 15.8, 6.2 Hz, 1H), 6.56 (d, J = 15.8 Hz, 1H), 7.24–7.29 (m, 1H), 7.31–7.36 (m, 4H), 7.40 (dd, J = 7.6, 7.4 Hz, 1H), 7.51 (d, J = 7.6 Hz, 1H), 7.52 (d, J = 7.4 Hz, 1H), 7.60 (s, 1H); ^{13}C NMR (100.6 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) 51.0 (CH_2), 53.5 (CH_2), 123.0 (CH, q , J_{CF} = 3.8 Hz), 123.9 (CH, q , J_{CF} = 3.8 Hz), 124.2 (C, q , J_{CF} = 272 Hz), 127.1 (CH), 128.2 (CH), 128.5 (CH), 129.0 (CH), 129.4 (CH), 129.9 (CH), 130.7 (CH), 131.0 (C, q , J_{CF} = 32 Hz), 138.0 (C), 140.2 (C); ^{19}F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) –62.79; IR (neat) 3307, 3028, 2821, 1657, 1605, 1591, 1495, 1453, 1332, 1201, 1165, 1126, 1072, 966 cm^{-1} ; MS (EI) m/z 291 (M^+ , 24), 200 (14), 132 (42), 91 (100%); HRMS (EI) M^+ 291.1250 (calcd for $C_{17}H_{16}F_3N$ 291.1235).

Benzyl 3-(Trifluoromethyl)cinnamylamine (2t). (5.8 mmol scale, 1.84 g, 88%); R_f = 0.6 (hexane–ether = 1:1); pale yellow oil; ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) 1.63 (bs, 1H), 3.49 (dd, J = 5.9, 1.4 Hz, 2H), 3.86 (s, 2H), 6.47 (dt, J = 15.8, 5.9 Hz, 1H), 6.62 (d, J = 15.8 Hz, 1H), 7.25–7.29 (m, 1H), 7.30–7.37 (m, 4H), 7.71 (s, 1H), 7.76 (s, 2H); ^{13}C NMR (100.6 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) 50.8 (CH_2), 53.5 (CH_2), 120.8 (CH, septet, J_{CF} = 3.8 Hz), 123.4 (C, q , J_{CF} = 273 Hz), 126.1 (CH), 127.2 (CH), 128.2 (CH), 128.4 (CH), 128.6 (CH), 131.9 (C, q , J_{CF} = 33 Hz), 133.1 (CH), 139.3 (C), 140.0 (C); ^{19}F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) –63.09; IR (neat) 3296, 3030, 2832, 1657, 1616, 1496, 1455, 1382, 1276, 1135, 1028, 968 cm^{-1} ; MS (EI) m/z 359 (M^+ , 22), 132 (36), 91 (100%); HRMS (EI) M^+ 359.1131 (calcd for $C_{18}H_{15}F_6N$ 359.1109).

Benzyl 3-Fluorocinnamylamine (2u). (2.2 mmol scale, 0.221 g, 42%); R_f = 0.3 (ether); pale yellow oil; ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) 1.47 (bs, 1H), 3.44 (dd, J = 6.2, 1.5 Hz, 2H), 3.84 (s, 2H), 6.32 (dt, J = 16.0, 6.2 Hz, 1H), 6.51 (d, J = 16.0 Hz, 1H), 6.91 (ddd, J_{FH} = 8.6, J_{HH} = 8.6, 0.9 Hz, 1H), 7.06 (ddd, J_{FH} = 10.4, J_{HH} = 2.1, 2.1 Hz, 1H), 7.12 (d, J = 7.6 Hz, 1H), 7.22–7.28 (m, 2H), 7.23–7.35 (m, 4H); ^{13}C NMR (100.6 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) 51.1 (CH_2), 53.5 (CH_2), 112.8 (CH, d, J_{CF} = 21 Hz), 114.2 (CH, d, J_{CF} = 21 Hz), 122.2 (CH, d, J_{CF} = 3.1 Hz), 127.1 (CH), 128.3 (CH), 128.5 (CH), 130.0 (CH, d, J_{CF} = 3.8 Hz), 130.0 (CH, d, J_{CF} = 4.6 Hz), 130.3 (CH, d, J_{CF} = 3.1 Hz), 139.6 (C, d, J_{CF} = 7.7 Hz), 140.2 (C), 163.2 (C, d, J_{CF} = 245 Hz); ^{19}F NMR

(376 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) –113.66 (ddd, J_{FH} = 10.5, 8.6, 5.7 Hz); IR (neat) 3309, 3062, 3028, 2821, 1656, 1611, 1582, 1489, 1446, 1268, 1144, 965 cm^{-1} ; MS (EI) m/z 241 (M^+ , 66), 150 (33), 132 (62), 91 (100%); HRMS (EI) m/z M^+ 241.1261 (calcd for $C_{16}H_{16}FN$ 241.1267).

Benzyl 3-Nitrocinnamylamine (2v). (3.5 mmol scale, 0.723 g, 78%); R_f = 0.4 (ether); yellow oil; ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) 1.50 (bs, 1H), 3.48 (dd, J = 6.1, 1.4 Hz, 2H), 3.85 (s, 2H), 6.46 (dt, J = 15.8, 6.1 Hz, 1H), 6.60 (d, J = 15.8 Hz, 1H), 7.25–7.30 (m, 1H), 7.32–7.35 (m, 4H), 7.46 (dd, J = 8.2, 7.6 Hz, 1H), 7.65 (d, J = 7.6 Hz, 1H), 8.05 (ddd, J = 8.2, 2.2, 1.0 Hz, 1H), 8.20 (dd, J = 2.2, 2.0 Hz, 1H); ^{13}C NMR (100.6 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) 50.9 (CH_2), 53.5 (CH_2), 120.9 (CH), 121.9 (CH), 127.1 (CH), 128.2 (CH), 128.5 (CH), 128.9 (CH), 129.5 (CH), 132.06 (CH), 132.10 (CH), 139.0 (C), 140.1 (C), 148.6 (C); IR (neat) 3329, 3028, 1656, 1522, 1453, 1350, 1119, 1028, 967 cm^{-1} ; MS (FAB) m/z 269 ($[M + H]^+$), 268 (M^+), 267 ($[M - H]^+$); HRMS (FAB) m/z $[M + H]^+$ 269.1286 (calcd for $C_{16}H_{17}N_2O_2$ 269.1290), $[M - H]^+$ 267.1132 (calcd for $C_{16}H_{15}N_2O_2$ 267.1134).

Benzyl 3-Nitrocinnamylamine (2w). (4.2 mmol scale, 0.756 g, 66%); R_f = 0.2 (CH_2Cl_2 –ether = 1:4); yellow oil; ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) 0.887–0.988 (m, 2H), 1.11–1.32 (m, 4H), 1.43–1.54 (m, 1H), 1.65–1.79 (m, 5H), 2.50 (d, J = 6.6 Hz, 2H), 3.44 (dd, J = 6.0, 1.4 Hz, 2H), 6.45 (dt, J = 15.8, 6.0 Hz, 1H), 6.59 (d, J = 15.8 Hz, 1H), 7.47 (dd, J = 8.2, 7.6 Hz, 1H), 7.67 (d, J = 7.6 Hz, 1H), 8.06 (ddd, J = 8.2, 2.1, 1.0 Hz, 1H), 8.21 (dd, J = 2.1, 2.0 Hz, 1H); ^{13}C NMR (100.6 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) 26.1 (CH_2), 26.7 (CH_2), 31.5 (CH_2), 38.2 (CH), 51.8 (CH_2), 56.5 (CH_2), 120.9 (CH), 121.9 (CH), 128.6 (CH), 129.4 (CH), 132.1 (CH), 132.5 (CH), 139.1 (C), 148.6 (C); IR (neat) 3329, 2924, 2850, 1656, 1531, 1447, 1350, 1127, 966 cm^{-1} ; MS (FAB) m/z 275 ($[M + H]^+$); HRMS (FAB) m/z $[M + H]^+$ 275.1765 (calcd for $C_{16}H_{23}N_2O_2$ 275.1760), M^+ 274.1678 (calcd for $C_{16}H_{22}N_2O_2$ 274.1681), $[M - H]^+$ 273.1606 (calcd for $C_{16}H_{21}N_2O_2$ 273.1603).

Benzyl 4-Dimethylaminocinnamylamine (2x). (4.5 mmol scale, 1.19 g, 98%); yellow crystals; mp 30–32 °C; ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) 1.58 (bs, 1H), 2.93 (s, 6H), 3.40 (dd, J = 6.6, 1.4 Hz, 2H), 3.82 (s, 2H), 6.11 (dt, J = 15.8, 6.6 Hz, 1H), 6.44 (d, J = 15.8 Hz, 1H), 6.66 (d-like, J = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 7.22–7.28 (m, 3H), 7.30–7.34 (m, 4H); ^{13}C NMR (100.6 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) 40.6 (CH_3), 51.6 (CH_2), 53.3 (CH_2), 112.5 (CH), 124.0 (CH), 125.7 (C), 126.9 (CH), 127.2 (CH), 128.3 (CH), 128.4 (CH), 131.6 (CH), 140.4 (C), 150.0 (C); IR (neat) 3326, 3024, 2801, 1609, 1521, 1452, 1353, 1222, 1186, 1166, 1126, 1062, 965 cm^{-1} ; MS (EI) m/z 266 (M^+ , 63), 175 (73), 160 (51), 134 (100%); HRMS (EI) m/z M^+ 266.1793 (calcd for $C_{18}H_{22}N_2$ 266.1783).

Typical experimental procedure for eq 1, 4–9 and preparation of 17 in Scheme 8 (eq 1, Table 1, entry 1). To a solution of 1,1-diethyl 2-hydrogen ethenetricarboxylate (1) (prepared from 1,1-diethyl 2-*tert*-butyl ethenetricarboxylate (272 mg, 1 mmol) upon treatment with $\text{CF}_3\text{CO}_2\text{H}$ (4 mL))²⁴ in THF (0.7 mL) were added benzyl cinnamylamine (2a) (223 mg, 1 mmol) in THF (0.7 mL), Et_3N (0.14 mL, 102 mg, 1 mmol), HOBT (1-hydroxybenzotriazole) (270 mg, 2 mmol) and EDCI (1-[3-(dimethylamino)propyl]-3-ethylcarbodiimide hydrochloride) (199 mg, 1.04 mmol) at 0 °C. The reaction mixture was stirred for 1 h at 0 °C, and was allowed to warm to room temperature and stirred for 20 h. The reaction mixture was concentrated under reduced pressure and the residue was diluted with CH_2Cl_2 . The organic phase was washed with saturated aqueous NaHCO_3 solution, 2M aqueous citric acid, saturated aqueous NaHCO_3 and water, dried (Na_2SO_4), and evaporated *in vacuo*. The residue was purified by column chromatography over silica gel eluting with hexane– Et_2O to give 3a (180 mg, 43%).

3a: R_f = 0.1 (hexane–ether = 1 : 8); colorless crystals; mp 137–138.5 °C; ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) 1.29 (t, J = 7.0 Hz, 3H), 1.34 (t, J = 7.1 Hz, 3H), 2.39 (ddd, J = 10.7, 7.0, 5.9 Hz, 1H), 2.67 (d, J = 10.7 Hz, 1H), 3.31 (dd, J = 10.7, 5.9 Hz, 1H), 3.89 (d, J = 7.0 Hz, 1H), 3.89 (d, J = 14.3 Hz, 1H), 4.03–4.17 (m, 2H), 4.22–4.36 (m, 3H), 4.89 (d, J = 14.3 Hz, 1H), 6.75 (d-like, J = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 7.22–7.42 (m, 8H). Selected NOEs are between δ 2.39 (C5-H) and δ 3.31 (C4-HH), 6.75 (Ar-H), 3.89 (C1-H). Atom numbering is shown in eq 1.; ^{13}C NMR (100.6 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) 14.5 (CH_3), 15.0 (CH_3), 36.1 (CH), 41.1 (CH), 44.8 (CH_2), 46.4 (CH_2), 59.9 (CH_2), 64.8 (CH_2), 79.2 (C),

79.8 (CH), 127.4 (CH), 127.9 (CH), 128.7 (CH), 128.9 (CH), 129.05 (CH), 129.11 (CH), 136.6 (C), 136.8 (C), 163.0 (C), 167.3 (C), 173.1 (C). Selected HMBC correlations are between δ 2.39 (C5-H), 2.67 (C4-HH), 3.89 (C1-H) and δ 173.1 (C2), between δ 2.39 (C5-H), 2.67 (C4-HH), 3.31 (C4-HH), 3.89 (C1-H) and δ 79.8 (C6), between δ 2.67 (C4-HH) and δ 41.1 (C1) and between δ 2.67 (C4-HH), 3.31 (C4-HH), 3.89 (C1-H) and δ 36.1 (C5); IR (KBr) 2981, 1699, 1634, 1285, 1079 cm^{-1} ; MS (EI) m/z 421 (M^+ , 14), 222 (42), 199 (58), 132 (63), 91 (100%); HRMS m/z M^+ 421.1886 (calcd for $C_{25}H_{27}NO_5$, 421.1889).

3b: (1 mmol scale, 224 mg, 51%); $R_f = 0.3$ (ether); yellow oil; ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) 0.908-1.01 (m, 2H), 1.14-1.26 (m, 3H), 1.29 (t, $J = 7.0$ Hz, 3H), 1.31 (t, $J = 7.1$ Hz, 3H), 1.48-1.78 (m, 6H), 2.55 (ddd, $J = 10.9, 7.0, 6.1$ Hz, 1H), 2.86 (d, $J = 10.7$ Hz, 1H), 3.02 (dd, $J = 13.6, 6.7$ Hz, 1H), 3.13 (dd, $J = 13.6, 7.7$ Hz, 1H), 3.43 (dd, $J = 10.7, 6.1$ Hz, 1H), 3.84 (d, $J = 7.0$ Hz, 1H), 4.04-4.17 (m, 2H), 4.22-4.34 (m, 2H), 4.58 (d, $J = 10.9$ Hz, 1H), 7.30-7.32 (m, 2H), 7.42-7.48 (m, 3H). Selected NOEs are between δ 2.55 (C5-H) and δ 3.43 (C4-HH), 7.30-7.32 (Ar-H), 3.84 (C1-H) and between δ 4.58 (C6-H) and δ 2.86 (C4-HH); ^{13}C NMR (100.6 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) 14.4 (CH_3), 14.9 (CH_3), 25.7 (CH_2), 26.3 (CH_2), 30.7 (CH_2), 31.0 (CH_2), 35.7 (CH), 36.0 (CH), 41.1 (CH), 47.0 (CH_2), 49.1 (CH_2), 59.8 (CH_2), 64.8 (CH_2), 79.9 (C), 80.2 (CH), 127.7 (CH), 129.0 (CH), 129.4 (CH), 137.0 (C), 162.7 (C), 167.3 (C), 173.5 (C). Selected HMBC correlations are between δ 2.55 (C5-H) and δ 3.43 (C4-HH), 7.30-7.32 (Ar-H), 3.84 (C1-H) and δ 4.58 (C6-H) and δ 2.86 (C4-HH); ^{13}C NMR (100.6 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) 14.4 (CH_3), 14.9 (CH_3), 25.7 (CH_2), 26.3 (CH_2), 30.7 (CH_2), 31.0 (CH_2), 35.7 (CH), 36.0 (CH), 41.1 (CH), 47.0 (CH_2), 49.1 (CH_2), 59.8 (CH_2), 64.8 (CH_2), 79.9 (C), 80.2 (CH), 127.7 (CH), 129.0 (CH), 129.4 (CH), 137.0 (C), 162.7 (C), 167.3 (C), 173.5 (C). Selected HMBC correlations are between δ 2.55 (C5-H), 2.86 (C4-HH), 3.84 (C1-H) and δ 173.5 (C2), between δ 2.55 (C5-H), 2.86 (C4-HH), 3.43 (C4-HH), 3.84 (C1-H) and δ 80.2 (C6), between δ 2.86 (C4-HH), 4.58 (C6-H) and δ 41.1 (C1) and between δ 2.86 (C4-HH), 3.43 (C4-HH), 3.84 (C1-H), 4.58 (C6-H) and δ 35.7 (C5); IR (neat) 2978, 2924, 2852, 1699, 1634, 1447, 1377, 1285, 1078, 1026 cm^{-1} ; MS (EI) m/z 427 (23), 268 (29), 228 (87), 117 (100%); HRMS m/z M^+ 427.2346 (calcd for $C_{25}H_{33}NO_5$, 427.2357).

3c: (1 mmol scale, 201 mg, 41%); $R_f = 0.2$ (ether); colorless crystals; mp 64-65 $^\circ\text{C}$; ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) 1.29 (t, $J = 7.1$ Hz, 3H), 1.34 (t, $J = 7.1$ Hz, 3H), 2.45 (ddd, $J = 10.9, 6.8, 6.0$ Hz, 1H), 2.62 (d, $J = 10.6$ Hz, 1H), 3.34 (dd, $J = 10.6, 6.0$ Hz, 1H), 3.90 (d, $J = 6.8$ Hz, 1H), 4.00 (d, $J = 14.4$ Hz, 1H), 4.04-4.17 (m, 2H), 4.24 (d, $J = 10.9$ Hz, 1H), 4.26-4.36 (m, 2H), 4.91 (d, $J = 14.4$ Hz, 1H), 6.76 (d-like, $J = 7.7$ Hz, 2H), 7.24-7.29 (m, 2H), 7.30-7.34 (m, 1H), 7.42 (d, $J = 8.0$ Hz, 2H), 7.66 (d, $J = 8.0$ Hz, 2H). Selected NOEs are between δ 2.45 (C5-H) and δ 3.34 (C4-HH), 6.76 (Ar-H), 3.90 (C1-H) and between δ 4.24 (C6-H) and δ 2.62 (C4-HH); ^{13}C NMR (100.6 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) 14.5 (CH_3), 15.0 (CH_3), 35.9 (CH), 41.0 (CH), 45.0 (CH_2), 46.0 (CH_2), 60.0 (CH_2), 64.8 (CH_2), 79.0 (C), 79.9 (CH), 124.1 (C, q , $J_{\text{CF}} = 272$ Hz), 125.9 (CH, q , $J_{\text{CF}} = 3.8$ Hz), 127.4 (CH), 128.8 (CH), 129.4 (CH), 130.4 (C, q , $J_{\text{CF}} = 32$ Hz), 136.5 (C), 140.7 (C), 163.1 (C), 167.3 (C), 173.2 (C). Selected HMBC correlations are between δ 2.45 (C5-H), 2.62 (C4-HH), 3.90 (C1-H) and δ 173.2 (C2), between δ 2.45 (C5-H), 2.62 (C4-HH), 3.34 (C4-HH), 3.90 (C1-H) and δ 79.9 (C6), between δ 2.62 (C4-HH), 4.24 (C6-H) and δ 41.0 (C1) and between δ 2.62 (C4-HH), 3.34 (C4-HH), 3.90 (C1-H), 4.24 (C6-H) and δ 35.9 (C5); ^{19}F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) -62.59; IR (KBr) 2983, 1701, 1618, 1416, 1326, 1167, 1125, 1066 cm^{-1} ; MS (FAB) m/z 512 ($[\text{M}+\text{Na}]^+$), 490 ($[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$); HRMS (FAB) m/z $[\text{M}+\text{Na}]^+$ 512.1657 (calcd for $C_{26}H_{26}F_3NO_5Na$ 512.1661).

3d: (1 mmol scale, 155 mg, 42%); $R_f = 0.3$ (ether); yellow oil; ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) 1.29 (t, $J = 7.0$ Hz, 3H), 1.32 (t, $J = 7.1$ Hz, 3H), 2.54 (ddd, $J = 11.1, 7.0, 6.1$ Hz, 1H), 2.85 (d, $J = 10.8$ Hz, 1H), 3.38 (dd, $J = 10.8, 6.1$ Hz, 1H), 3.70 (dd, $J = 14.9, 6.9$ Hz, 1H), 3.86 (d, $J = 7.0$ Hz, 1H), 4.02 (dd, $J = 14.9, 6.1$ Hz, 1H), 4.06-4.18 (m, 2H), 4.28 (q, $J = 7.1$ Hz, 2H), 4.55 (d, $J = 11.1$ Hz, 1H), 5.20 (ddd, $J = 17.0, 1.4, 1.2$ Hz, 1H), 5.23 (dd, $J = 10.0, 1.2$ Hz, 1H), 5.73 (dddd, $J = 17.0, 10.0, 6.9, 6.1$ Hz, 1H), 7.29-7.32 (m, 2H), 7.41-7.45 (m, 3H). Selected NOEs are between δ 2.54 (C5-H) and δ 3.38 (C4-HH), 7.29-7.32 (Ar-H), 3.86 (C1-H) and between δ 4.55 (C6-H) and δ 2.85 (C4-HH); ^{13}C NMR (100.6 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) 14.5 (CH_3), 15.0 (CH_3), 35.7 (CH), 41.1 (CH), 45.3 (CH_2), 45.7 (CH_2), 59.9 (CH_2), 64.9 (CH_2), 79.7 (C), 80.1 (CH), 119.0 (CH_2), 127.7 (CH), 129.0 (CH), 129.4 (CH), 132.3 (CH), 137.0 (C), 162.8 (C), 167.3 (C), 173.1 (C). Selected HMBC correlations are between δ 2.54 (C5-H), 2.85 (C4-HH), 3.86 (C1-H) and δ 173.1 (C2), between δ 2.54 (C5-H),

2.85 (C4-HH), 3.38 (C4-HH), 3.86 (C1-H) and δ 80.1 (C6), between δ 2.85 (C4-HH), 4.55 (C6-H) and δ 41.1 (C1) and between δ 2.85 (C4-HH), 3.38 (C4-HH), 3.86 (C1-H), 4.55 (C6-H) and δ 35.7 (C5); IR (neat) 2982, 1699, 1626, 1489, 1443, 1378, 1285, 1185, 1078, 1027 cm^{-1} ; MS (FAB) m/z 394 ($[\text{M}+\text{Na}]^+$), 372 ($[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$); HRMS (FAB) m/z $[\text{M}+\text{Na}]^+$ 394.1629 (calcd for $C_{21}H_{25}NO_5Na$ 394.1630), $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ 372.1804 (calcd for $C_{21}H_{26}NO_5$, 372.1811).

3e: (1 mmol scale, 172 mg, 39%); $R_f = 0.3$ (ether); colorless crystals; mp 107-108 $^\circ\text{C}$; ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) 1.29 (t, $J = 7.0$ Hz, 3H), 1.33 (t, $J = 7.1$ Hz, 3H), 2.35 (ddd, $J = 10.9, 6.8, 6.1$ Hz, 1H), 2.62 (d, $J = 10.8$ Hz, 1H), 3.32 (dd, $J = 10.8, 6.1$ Hz, 1H), 3.85 (d, $J = 14.3$ Hz, 1H), 3.88 (d, $J = 6.8$ Hz, 1H), 4.03-4.15 (m, 2H), 4.23 (d, $J = 10.9$ Hz, 1H), 4.23-4.36 (m, 2H), 4.93 (d, $J = 14.3$ Hz, 1H), 6.72 (dd-like, $J_{\text{HH}} = 8.6, J_{\text{FH}} = 5.2$ Hz, 2H), 6.92 (dd-like, $J_{\text{HH}} = 8.6, J_{\text{FH}} = 8.6$ Hz, 2H), 7.27-7.30 (m, 2H), 7.37-7.42 (m, 3H). Selected NOEs are between δ 2.35 (C5-H) and δ 3.32 (C4-HH), 6.72 (Ar-H), 3.88 (C1-H) and between δ 4.23 (C6-H) and δ 2.62 (C4-HH); ^{13}C NMR (100.6 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) 14.5 (CH_3), 14.9 (CH_3), 36.2 (CH), 41.1 (CH), 44.6 (CH_2), 46.3 (CH_2), 59.9 (CH_2), 64.8 (CH_2), 79.1 (CH), 79.5 (C), 115.7 (CH, $J_{\text{CF}} = 21$ Hz), 128.0 (CH), 128.9 (CH), 129.1 (CH), 129.1 (CH, $J_{\text{CF}} = 8.4$ Hz), 132.7 (C, $J_{\text{CF}} = 3.1$ Hz), 136.6 (C), 162.8 (C), 163.0 (C, $J_{\text{CF}} = 248$ Hz), 167.2 (C), 172.9 (C). Selected HMBC correlations are between δ 2.35 (C5-H), 2.62 (C4-HH), 3.88 (C1-H) and δ 172.9 (C2), between δ 2.35 (C5-H), 2.62 (C4-HH), 3.32 (C4-HH), 3.88 (C1-H) and δ 79.1 (C6), between δ 2.62 (C4-HH), 4.23 (C6-H) and δ 41.1 (C1) and between δ 2.62 (C4-HH), 3.32 (C4-HH), 3.88 (C1-H), 4.23 (C6-H) and δ 36.2 (C5); ^{19}F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) -112.12 (tt, $J_{\text{FH}} = 8.6, 5.2$ Hz); IR (KBr) 2983, 1701, 1666, 1618, 1512, 1190, 1085 cm^{-1} ; MS (EI) m/z 439 (M^+ , 30), 366 (19), 277 (48), 240 (98), 91 (100%); HRMS (EI) m/z M^+ 439.1793 (calcd for $C_{25}H_{26}FNO_5$, 439.1795).

3f: (1 mmol scale, 201 mg, 51%, including a small amount of impurity); $R_f = 0.3$ (ether); colorless crystals; mp 85-86 $^\circ\text{C}$; ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) 0.909 (t, $J = 7.4$ Hz, 3H), 1.28 (t, $J = 7.1$ Hz, 3H), 1.31 (t, $J = 7.1$ Hz, 3H), 1.51 (qt, $J = 7.4, 7.0$ Hz, 2H), 2.54 (ddd, $J = 11.1, 6.8, 6.1$ Hz, 1H), 2.83 (d, $J = 10.7$ Hz, 1H), 3.14-3.29 (m, 2H), 3.46 (dd, $J = 10.7, 6.1$ Hz, 1H), 3.84 (d, $J = 6.8$ Hz, 1H), 4.03-4.16 (m, 2H), 4.26 (q, $J = 7.1$ Hz, 1H), 4.27 (q, $J = 7.1$ Hz, 1H), 4.55 (d, $J = 11.1$ Hz, 1H), 7.14 (dd-like, $J_{\text{FH}} = 8.8, J_{\text{HH}} = 8.6$ Hz, 2H), 7.32 (dd-like, $J_{\text{HH}} = 8.6, J_{\text{FH}} = 5.3$ Hz, 2H). Selected NOEs are between δ 2.54 (C5-H) and δ 3.46 (C4-HH), 7.32 (Ar-H), 3.84 (C1-H) and between δ 4.55 (C6-H) and δ 2.83 (C4-HH); ^{13}C NMR (100.6 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) 11.3 (CH_3), 14.4 (CH_3), 14.9 (CH_3), 20.6 (CH_2), 35.6 (CH), 41.0 (CH), 44.2 (CH_2), 46.1 (CH_2), 59.8 (CH_2), 64.9 (CH_2), 79.4 (CH), 80.0 (C), 116.0 (CH, $J_{\text{CF}} = 21$ Hz), 129.5 (CH, $J_{\text{CF}} = 7.7$ Hz), 132.9 (C, $J_{\text{CF}} = 3.1$ Hz), 162.6 (C), 163.2 (C, $J_{\text{CF}} = 249$ Hz), 167.2 (C), 173.1 (C). Selected HMBC correlations are between δ 2.54 (C5-H), 2.83 (C4-HH), 3.84 (C1-H) and δ 173.1 (C2), between δ 2.54 (C5-H), 2.83 (C4-HH), 3.46 (C4-HH), 3.84 (C1-H) and δ 79.4 (C6), between δ 2.83 (C4-HH), 4.55 (C6-H) and δ 41.0 (C1) and between δ 2.83 (C4-HH), 3.46 (C4-HH), 3.84 (C1-H), 4.55 (C6-H) and δ 35.6 (C5); ^{19}F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) -116.48 (tt, $J_{\text{FH}} = 8.8, 5.3$ Hz); IR (neat) 2968, 1695, 1628, 1513, 1377, 1227, 1077, 1026 cm^{-1} ; MS (EI) m/z 391 (M^+ , 30), 318 (27), 277 (28), 232 (34), 192 (100%); HRMS (EI) m/z M^+ 391.1793 (calcd for $C_{21}H_{26}FNO_5$, 391.1795).

3g: (1 mmol scale, 182 mg, 40%); $R_f = 0.3$ (ether); colorless crystals; mp 58-59 $^\circ\text{C}$; ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) 1.29 (t, $J = 7.1$ Hz, 3H), 1.33 (t, $J = 7.1$ Hz, 3H), 2.33 (ddd, $J = 10.9, 6.8, 5.9$ Hz, 1H), 2.62 (d, $J = 10.8$ Hz, 1H), 3.30 (dd, $J = 10.8, 5.9$ Hz, 1H), 3.82 (d, $J = 14.2$ Hz, 1H), 3.89 (d, $J = 6.8$ Hz, 1H), 4.02-4.15 (m, 2H), 4.21 (d, $J = 10.9$ Hz, 1H), 4.23-4.35 (m, 2H), 4.96 (d, $J = 14.2$ Hz, 1H), 6.63 (d-like, $J = 8.4$ Hz, 2H), 7.21 (d-like, $J = 8.4$ Hz, 2H), 7.26-7.32 (m, 2H), 7.37-7.41 (m, 3H). Selected NOEs are between δ 2.33 (C5-H) and δ 3.30 (C4-HH), 6.63 (Ar-H), 3.89 (C1-H) and between δ 4.21 (C6-H) and δ 2.62 (C4-HH); ^{13}C NMR (100.6 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) 14.5 (CH_3), 15.0 (CH_3), 36.1 (CH), 41.1 (CH), 44.5 (CH_2), 46.3 (CH_2), 60.0 (CH_2), 64.9 (CH_2), 79.0 (CH), 79.5 (C), 128.0 (CH), 128.7 (CH), 128.9 (CH), 129.0 (CH), 129.1 (CH), 135.1 (C), 135.2 (C), 136.6 (C), 162.8 (C), 167.2 (C), 172.8 (C). Selected HMBC correlations are between δ 2.33 (C5-H), 2.62 (C4-HH), 3.89 (C1-H) and δ 173.8 (C2),

between δ 2.33 (C5-H), 2.62 (C4-HH), 3.30 (C4-HH), 3.89 (C1-H) and δ 79.0 (C6), between δ 2.62 (C4-HH), 4.21 (C6-H) and δ 41.1 (C1) and between δ 2.62 (C4-HH), 3.30 (C4-HH), 3.89 (C1-H), 4.21 (C6-H) and δ 36.1 (C5); IR (KBr) 2980, 1701, 1636, 1493, 1378, 1281, 1249, 1182, 1080 cm^{-1} ; MS (EI) m/z 457 (M^+ , 8.1), 455 (M^+ , 19), 382 (13), 256 (45), 91 (100%); HRMS (EI) m/z M^+ 455.1502, 457.1485 (calcd for $C_{25}H_{26}ClNO_5$, 455.1500, 457.1470).

3h: (1 mmol scale, 202 mg, 40%); R_f = 0.4 (ether); colorless crystals; mp 55–56 °C; ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) 1.28 (t, J = 7.0 Hz, 3H), 1.33 (t, J = 7.1 Hz, 3H), 2.33 (ddd, J = 10.9, 6.6, 6.0 Hz, 1H), 2.62 (d, J = 10.8 Hz, 1H), 3.32 (dd, J = 10.8, 6.0 Hz, 1H), 3.81 (d, J = 14.2 Hz, 1H), 3.88 (d, J = 6.6 Hz, 1H), 4.02–4.15 (m, 2H), 4.19 (d, J = 10.9 Hz, 1H), 4.22–4.35 (m, 2H), 4.96 (d, J = 14.2 Hz, 1H), 6.56 (d-like, J = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 7.27–7.30 (m, 2H), 7.34–7.41 (m, 5H). Selected NOEs are between δ 2.33 (C5-H) and δ 3.32 (C4-HH), 6.56 (Ar-H), 3.88 (C1-H) and between δ 4.19 (C6-H) and δ 2.62 (C4-HH); ^{13}C NMR (100.6 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) 14.5 (CH_3), 14.9 (CH_3), 36.1 (CH), 41.1 (CH), 44.5 (CH_2), 46.3 (CH_2), 60.0 (CH_2), 64.9 (CH_2), 79.1 (CH), 79.4 (C), 123.2 (C), 128.0 (CH), 128.96 (CH), 128.98 (CH), 129.1 (CH), 131.9 (CH), 135.7 (C), 136.6 (C), 162.8 (C), 167.2 (C), 172.8 (C). Selected HMBC correlations are between δ 2.33 (C5-H), 2.62 (C4-HH), 3.88 (C1-H) and δ 172.8 (C2), between δ 2.33 (C5-H), 2.62 (C4-HH), 3.32 (C4-HH), 3.88 (C1-H) and δ 79.1 (C6), between δ 2.62 (C4-HH), 4.19 (C6-H) and δ 41.1 (C1) and between δ 2.62 (C4-HH), 3.32 (C4-HH), 3.88 (C1-H), 4.19 (C6-H) and δ 36.1 (C5); IR (KBr) 2980, 1700, 1624, 1491, 1377, 1280, 1249, 1184, 1075, 1009 cm^{-1} ; MS (EI) m/z 501 (M^+ , 3.8), 499 (3.5), 404 (9.5), 302 (9.4), 277 (80), 91 (100%); HRMS (EI) m/z M^+ 499.0994, 501.0978 (calcd for $C_{25}H_{26}BrNO_5$, 499.0994, 501.0974).

3i: (1 mmol scale, 217 mg, 48%); R_f = 0.4 (ether); colorless crystals; mp 124–125 °C (ether-hexane = 1 : 19); ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) 1.28 (t, J = 7.0 Hz, 3H), 1.34 (t, J = 7.0 Hz, 3H), 2.38 (ddd, J = 10.9, 6.6, 6.0 Hz, 1H), 2.65 (d, J = 10.7 Hz, 1H), 3.31 (dd, J = 10.7, 6.0 Hz, 1H), 3.78 (s, 3H), 3.87 (d, J = 6.6 Hz, 1H), 3.89 (d, J = 14.2 Hz, 1H), 4.04–4.15 (m, 2H), 4.22 (d, J = 10.9 Hz, 1H), 4.24–4.36 (m, 2H), 4.89 (d, J = 14.2 Hz, 1H), 6.69 (d-like, J = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 6.76 (d-like, J = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 7.26–7.29 (m, 2H), 7.36–7.41 (m, 3H). Selected NOEs are between δ 2.38 (C5-H) and δ 3.31 (C4-HH), 6.69 (Ar-H), 3.87 (C1-H) and between δ 4.22 (C6-H) and δ 2.65 (C4-HH); ^{13}C NMR (100.6 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) 14.5 (CH_3), 15.0 (CH_3), 36.0 (CH), 41.1 (CH), 45.0 (CH_2), 46.4 (CH_2), 55.4 (CH_3), 59.9 (CH_2), 64.7 (CH_2), 79.2 (C), 79.6 (CH), 114.0 (CH), 127.9 (CH), 128.8 (CH), 128.9 (CH), 128.9 (C), 129.1 (CH), 136.7 (C), 160.2 (C), 163.1 (C), 167.4 (C), 173.1 (C). Selected HMBC correlations are between δ 2.38 (C5-H), 2.65 (C4-HH), 3.87 (C1-H) and δ 173.1 (C2), between δ 2.38 (C5-H), 2.65 (C4-HH), 3.31 (C4-HH), 3.87 (C1-H) and δ 79.6 (C6), between δ 2.65 (C4-HH), 4.22 (C6-H) and δ 41.1 (C1) and between δ 2.65 (C4-HH), 3.87 (C1-H), 4.22 (C6-H) and δ 36.0 (C5); IR (KBr) 2982, 2901, 1700, 1680, 1646, 1612, 1516, 1249, 1179, 1081, 1028 cm^{-1} ; MS (FAB) m/z 474 ($[\text{M}+\text{Na}]^+$), 452 ($[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$); HRMS (FAB) m/z $[\text{M}+\text{Na}]^+$ 474.1898 (calcd for $C_{26}H_{29}NO_6\text{Na}$ 474.1893). Anal. Calcd for $C_{26}H_{29}NO_6$: C, 69.16; H, 6.47; N, 3.10. Found: C, 69.03; H, 6.56; N, 3.17.

Typical Experimental Procedure for Eq 2 (Table 2, Entry 1). To a solution of 1,1-diethyl 2-hydrogen ethenetetracarboxylate (**1**) (prepared from 1,1-diethyl 2-*tert*-butyl ethenetetracarboxylate (272 mg, 1 mmol) upon treatment with $\text{CF}_3\text{CO}_2\text{H}$ (4 mL))²⁴ in 1,2-dichloroethane (0.7 mL) were added benzyl cinnamylamine (**2a**) (201 mg, 0.90 mmol) in 1,2-dichloroethane (0.7 mL), Et_3N (0.14 mL, 102 mg, 1 mmol), HOBt (1-hydroxybenzotriazole) (270 mg, 2 mmol), and EDCI (1-[3-(dimethylamino)propyl]-3-ethylcarbodiimide hydrochloride) (199 mg, 1.04 mmol) at 0 °C. The reaction mixture was stirred for 1 h at 0 °C, and was allowed to warm to 80 °C and stirred for 20 h. The reaction mixture was diluted with CH_2Cl_2 . The organic phase was washed with saturated aqueous NaHCO_3 solution, 2 M aqueous citric acid, saturated aqueous NaHCO_3 , and water, dried (Na_2SO_4), and evaporated *in vacuo*. The residue was purified by column chromatography over silica gel eluting with hexane– Et_2O to give **4a** (246 mg, 69%).

4a: R_f = 0.1 (hexane–ether = 1:4); colorless crystals; mp 107.5–108 °C; ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) 1.39 (t, J = 7.1 Hz, 3H),

2.78–2.86 (m, 2H), 3.28 (dd, J = 11.2, 7.9 Hz, 1H), 3.26–3.78 (m, 2H), 4.33 (d, J = 14.4 Hz, 1H), 4.40 (q, J = 7.1 Hz, 2H), 4.55 (d, J = 14.4 Hz, 1H), 4.78 (d, J = 11.3 Hz, 1H), 7.07 (d-like, J = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 7.21–7.24 (m, 2H), 7.29–7.39 (m, 6H); ^{13}C NMR (100.6 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) 14.2 (CH_3), 37.2 (CH), 41.1 (CH), 45.9 (CH_2), 46.8 (CH_2), 47.1 (CH), 62.5 (CH_2), 81.4 (CH), 127.6 (CH), 128.2 (CH), 128.5 (CH), 129.0 (CH), 129.1 (CH), 129.7 (CH), 135.2 (C), 135.7 (C), 167.5 (C), 167.6 (C), 172.2 (C); ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CD_3CN) δ (ppm) 1.33 (t, J = 7.1 Hz, 3H), 2.70 (dd, J = 10.8, 1.9 Hz, 1H), 3.00 (dddd, J = 11.7, 10.1, 8.2, 1.9 Hz, 1H), 3.26 (dd, J = 10.8, 8.2 Hz, 1H), 3.65 (dd, J = 10.6, 10.1 Hz, 1H), 3.83 (d, J = 10.6 Hz, 1H), 4.30 (d, J = 14.8 Hz, 1H), 4.317 (q, J = 7.1 Hz, 1H), 4.320 (q, J = 7.1 Hz, 1H), 4.48 (d, J = 14.8 Hz, 1H), 5.10 (d, J = 11.7 Hz, 1H), 7.22–7.26 (m, 4H), 7.30–7.40 (m, 6H). Selected NOEs are between δ 3.00 (C3a–H) and δ 3.26 (C3–HH), 3.65 (C7a–H) and between δ 2.70 (C3–HH) and δ 5.10 (C4–H). Atom numbering is shown in eq 2. ^{13}C NMR (100.6 MHz, CD_3CN) δ (ppm) 14.5 (CH_3), 36.8 (CH), 41.9 (CH), 46.8 (CH_2), 46.9 (CH_2), 48.2 (CH), 62.7 (CH_2), 82.1 (CH), 128.6 (CH), 128.8 (CH), 129.0 (CH), 129.7 (CH), 129.8 (CH), 130.4 (CH), 137.0 (C), 137.4 (C), 169.0 (C), 169.3 (C), 173.2 (C). Selected HMBC correlations are between δ 2.70 (C3–HH), 3.26 (C3–HH), 3.00 (C3a–H), 3.65 (C7a–H) and δ 82.1 (C4), between δ 3.65 (C7a–H) and δ 48.2 (C7), and between δ 2.70 (C3–HH), 5.10 (C4–H) and δ 41.9 (C7a). IR (KBr) 3448, 2929, 1752, 1740, 1691, 1449, 1375, 1266, 1156, 1045, 1021 cm^{-1} ; MS (EI) m/z 393 (M^+ , 16), 186 (30), 91 (61), 57 (100%); HRMS (EI) m/z M^+ 393.1574 (calcd for $C_{23}H_{23}NO_5$, 393.1576).

4b: (1 mmol scale, 298 mg, 75%); R_f = 0.4 (ether); colorless crystals; mp 59–60 °C; ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) 0.882–0.996 (m, 2H), 1.13–1.22 (m, 3H), 1.36 (t, J = 7.1 Hz, 3H), 1.50–1.76 (m, 6H), 2.89–2.97 (m, 2H), 3.04 (dd, J = 13.6, 6.8 Hz, 1H), 3.18 (dd, J = 13.6, 7.5 Hz, 1H), 3.43 (dd, J = 11.2, 8.1 Hz, 1H), 3.69–3.75 (m, 2H), 4.36 (q, J = 7.1 Hz, 2H), 4.94 (d, J = 11.3 Hz, 1H), 7.34–7.36 (m, 2H), 7.42–7.45 (m, 3H); ^{13}C NMR (100.6 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) 14.1 (CH_3), 25.6 (CH_2), 25.7 (CH_2), 26.2 (CH_2), 30.6 (CH_2), 30.8 (CH_2), 35.6 (CH), 36.9 (CH), 41.0 (CH), 47.1 (CH), 47.5 (CH_2), 49.0 (CH_2), 62.3 (CH_2), 81.6 (CH), 127.7 (CH), 129.1 (CH), 129.8 (CH), 135.3 (C), 167.6 (C), 167.7 (C), 172.3 (C); ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CD_3CN) δ (ppm) 0.841–0.960 (m, 2H), 1.15–1.26 (m, 3H), 1.31 (t, J = 7.1 Hz, 3H), 1.47–1.75 (m, 6H), 2.84 (dd, J = 10.7, 1.8 Hz, 1H), 2.98–3.10 (m, 3H), 3.38 (dd, J = 10.7, 8.6 Hz, 1H), 3.58 (dd, J = 10.5, 10.4 Hz, 1H), 3.73 (d, J = 10.5 Hz, 1H), 4.29 (q, J = 7.1 Hz, 2H), 5.17 (d, J = 11.7 Hz, 1H), 7.41–7.50 (m, 5H). Selected NOEs are between δ 2.84 (C3–HH) and δ 5.17 (C4–H), 3.73 (C7–H) and between δ 5.17 (C4–H) and δ 3.73 (C7–H). ^{13}C NMR (100.6 MHz, CD_3CN) δ (ppm) 14.5 (CH_3), 26.4 (CH_2), 26.5 (CH_2), 27.1 (CH_2), 31.3 (CH_2), 31.5 (CH_2), 36.2 (CH), 36.7 (CH), 41.9 (CH), 48.1 (CH_2), 48.3 (CH), 49.4 (CH_2), 62.6 (CH_2), 82.3 (CH), 128.9 (CH), 129.9 (CH), 130.5 (CH), 137.1 (C), 169.0 (C), 169.4 (C), 173.2 (C). Selected HMBC correlations are between δ 2.84 (C3–HH), 3.38 (C3–HH), 3.58 (C7a–H), and δ 82.3 (C4), between δ 3.58 (C7a–H) and δ 48.3 (C7), between δ 5.17 (C4–H) and δ 48.1 (C3) and between δ 2.84 (C3–HH), 5.17 (C4–H) and δ 41.9 (C7a). IR (KBr) 2922, 2850, 1757, 1741, 1688, 1502, 1452, 1375, 1344, 1146, 1037 cm^{-1} ; MS (EI) m/z 399 (M^+ , 48), 317 (22), 149 (32), 117 (65), 84 (100%); HRMS (EI) m/z M^+ 399.2056 (calcd for $C_{23}H_{29}NO_5$, 399.2046).

4e: (1 mmol scale, 228 mg, 55%); R_f = 0.4 (ether); colorless crystals; mp 70–71 °C; ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) 1.38 (t, J = 7.1 Hz, 3H), 2.73–2.82 (m, 2H), 3.29 (dd, J = 11.1, 7.8 Hz, 1H), 3.72–3.78 (m, 2H), 4.28 (d, J = 14.5 Hz, 1H), 4.39 (q, J = 7.1 Hz, 2H), 4.58 (d, J = 14.5 Hz, 1H), 4.77 (d, J = 11.3 Hz, 1H), 6.97–7.06 (m, 4H), 7.21–7.24 (m, 2H), 7.34–7.39 (m, 3H); ^{13}C NMR (100.6 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) 14.1 (CH_3), 37.3 (CH), 41.1 (CH), 45.7 (CH_2), 46.7 (CH_2), 47.0 (CH), 62.5 (CH_2), 80.6 (CH), 116.0 (CH, d_{CF} = 22 Hz), 128.2 (CH), 128.5 (CH), 129.1 (CH), 129.4 (CH, d_{CF} = 8.4 Hz), 131.2 (C, d_{CF} = 3.1 Hz), 135.7 (C), 163.3 (C, d_{CF} = 249 Hz), 167.3 (C), 167.5 (C), 172.0 (C); ^{19}F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) –111.13 (tt, J_{FH} = 8.6, 5.7 Hz); ^1H NMR (400 MHz, $(\text{CD}_3)_2\text{CO}$) δ (ppm) 1.31 (t, J = 7.1 Hz, 3H), 2.83 (dd, J = 10.7, 1.8 Hz, 1H), 3.13 (dddd, J = 11.5, 9.3, 8.2, 1.8 Hz, 1H), 3.40 (dd, J = 10.7, 8.2 Hz, 1H), 3.70 (dd, J = 10.2, 9.9 Hz, 1H), 4.03 (d, J = 10.2 Hz, 1H), 4.25–4.33 (m, 2H), 4.36 (d, J = 14.8 Hz,

1H), 4.51 (d, $J = 14.8$ Hz, 1H), 5.39 (d, $J = 11.5$ Hz, 1H), 7.15 (dd-like, $J_{HH} = 8.8$ Hz, $J_{FH} = 8.8$ Hz, 2H), 7.28–7.32 (m, 2H), 7.34–7.41 (m, 5H). Selected NOEs are between δ 3.13 (C3a–H) and δ 3.40 (C3–HH), 3.70 (C7a–H), 7.34–7.41 (Ar–H), and δ 2.83 (C3–HH), 4.03 (C7–H) and δ 5.39 (C4–H). ^{13}C NMR (100.6 MHz, CD_3CO) δ (ppm) 14.4 (CH_3), 37.0 (CH), 41.6 (CH), 46.5 (CH_2), 46.7 (CH_2), 47.9 (CH), 62.0 (CH_2), 81.0 (CH), 116.3 (CH, d, $J_{CF} = 22$ Hz), 128.4 (CH), 128.9 (CH), 129.5 (CH), 131.0 (CH, d, $J_{CF} = 8.4$ Hz), 133.5 (C, d, $J_{CF} = 3.1$ Hz), 137.4 (C), 163.9 (C, d, $J_{CF} = 247$ Hz), 168.56 (C), 168.61 (C), 172.8 (C). Selected HMBC correlations are between δ 2.83 (C3–HH), 3.40 (C3–HH), 3.13 (C3a–H), 3.70 (C7a–H), and δ 81.0 (C4), between δ 3.70 (C7a–H) and δ 47.9 (C7), and between δ 2.83 (C3–HH), 5.39 (C4–H), and δ 41.6 (C7a). IR (KBr) 2935, 1758, 1735, 1697, 1513, 1233, 1156, 1045 cm^{-1} ; MS (EI) m/z 411 (M^+ , 87), 366 (11), 240 (19), 174 (27), 135 (85), 91 (100%); HRMS (EI) m/z M^+ 411.1492 (calcd for $\text{C}_{23}\text{H}_{22}\text{FNO}_5$, 411.1482).

4f: (1 mmol scale, 139 mg, 38%); $R_f = 0.4$ (ether); colorless crystals; mp 78–79 °C; ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) 0.899 (t, $J = 7.3$ Hz, 3H), 1.37 (t, $J = 7.1$ Hz, 3H), 1.52 (qt, $J = 7.3, 7.3$ Hz, 2H), 2.89–2.95 (m, 2H), 3.17–3.34 (m, 2H), 3.45 (dd, $J = 11.1, 8.2$ Hz, 1H), 3.68–3.75 (m, 2H), 4.35–4.40 (m, 2H), 4.93 (d, $J = 11.1$ Hz, 1H), 7.14 (dd, $J_{HH} = 8.5$ Hz, $J_{FH} = 8.5$ Hz, 2H), 7.36 (dd, $J_{HH} = 8.5$ Hz, $J_{FH} = 5.2$ Hz, 2H); ^{13}C NMR (100.6 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) 11.3 (CH_3), 14.1 (CH_3), 20.4 (CH_2), 36.9 (CH), 41.0 (CH), 44.4 (CH_2), 46.8 (CH_2), 47.1 (CH), 62.5 (CH_2), 80.9 (CH), 116.3 (CH, d, $J_{CF} = 22$ Hz), 129.7 (CH, d, $J_{CF} = 8.4$ Hz), 131.4 (C, d, $J_{CF} = 3.1$ Hz), 163.5 (C, d, $J_{CF} = 250$ Hz), 167.5 (C), 172.1 (C); ^{19}F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) –110.83 (tt, $J = 8.5, 5.2$ Hz); ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CD_3CN) δ (ppm) 0.847 (t, $J = 7.2$ Hz, 3H), 1.30 (t, $J = 7.1$ Hz, 3H), 1.47 (qt, $J = 7.2, 7.2$ Hz, 2H), 2.83 (dd, $J = 10.8, 2.1$ Hz, 1H), 3.03 (dddd, $J = 11.5, 10.4, 8.5, 2.1$ Hz, 1H), 3.08–3.26 (m, 2H), 3.39 (dd, $J = 10.8, 8.5$ Hz, 1H), 3.56 (dd, $J = 10.7, 10.4$ Hz, 1H), 3.71 (d, $J = 10.7$ Hz, 1H), 4.25–4.31 (m, 2H), 5.18 (d, $J = 11.5$ Hz, 1H), 7.19 (dd-like, $J_{HH} = 8.8$ Hz, $J_{FH} = 8.8$ Hz, 2H), 7.46 (dd-like, $J_{HH} = 8.8$ Hz, $J_{FH} = 5.3$ Hz, 2H). Selected NOEs are between δ 3.03 (C3a–H) and δ 3.39 (C3–HH), 3.56 (C7a–H), 7.46 (Ar–H), and between δ 2.83 (C3–HH), 3.71 (C7–H), and δ 5.18 (C4–H). ^{13}C NMR (100.6 MHz, CD_3CN) δ (ppm) 11.5 (CH_3), 14.5 (CH_3), 20.9 (CH_2), 36.6 (CH), 41.9 (CH), 44.8 (CH_2), 47.4 (CH_2), 48.3 (CH), 62.6 (CH_2), 81.5 (CH), 116.7 (CH, d, $J_{CF} = 22$ Hz), 131.2 (CH, d, $J_{CF} = 8.4$ Hz), 133.5 (C, d, $J_{CF} = 3.8$ Hz), 164.2 (C, d, $J_{CF} = 247$ Hz), 167.0 (C), 169.3 (C), 172.9 (C). Selected HMBC correlations are between δ 2.83 (C3–HH), 3.39 (C3–HH), 3.03 (C3a–H), 3.56 (C7a–H), and δ 81.5 (C4), between δ 3.56 (C7a–H) and δ 48.3 (C7), between δ 5.18 (C4–H) and 47.4 (C3), and between δ 2.83 (C3–HH), 3.39 (C3–HH), 5.18 (C4–H), and δ 41.9 (C7a). IR (neat) 2968, 2876, 1754, 1689, 1607, 1514, 1492, 1455, 1375, 1348, 1319, 1268, 1233, 1159, 1095, 1041 cm^{-1} ; MS (EI) m/z 363 (M^+ , 45), 318 (17), 277 (100%); HRMS (EI) m/z M^+ 363.1497 (calcd for $\text{C}_{19}\text{H}_{22}\text{FNO}_5$, 363.1482).

4g: (1 mmol scale, 226 mg, 53%); $R_f = 0.3$ (ether); colorless crystals; mp 53–54 °C; ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) 1.38 (t, $J = 7.1$ Hz, 3H), 2.72–2.78 (m, 2H), 3.28 (dd, $J = 11.3, 7.8$ Hz, 1H), 3.72–3.78 (m, 2H), 4.26 (d, $J = 14.5$ Hz, 1H), 4.39 (q, $J = 7.1$ Hz, 2H), 4.60 (d, $J = 14.5$ Hz, 1H), 4.74 (d, $J = 11.3$ Hz, 1H), 6.96 (d-like, $J = 8.4$ Hz, 2H), 7.22–7.24 (m, 2H), 7.28 (d-like, $J = 8.4$ Hz, 2H), 7.35–7.40 (m, 3H); ^{13}C NMR (100.6 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) 14.1 (CH_3), 37.4 (CH), 41.1 (CH), 45.6 (CH_2), 46.7 (CH_2), 47.0 (CH), 62.6 (CH_2), 80.5 (CH), 128.3 (CH), 128.5 (CH), 128.8 (CH), 129.1 (CH), 129.2 (CH), 133.8 (C), 135.66 (C), 135.68 (C), 167.3 (C), 167.5 (C), 172.0 (C); ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CD_3CN) δ (ppm) 1.32 (t, $J = 7.1$ Hz, 3H), 2.68 (dd, $J = 10.9, 1.8$ Hz, 1H), 2.95 (dddd, $J = 11.5, 10.0, 8.3, 1.8$ Hz, 1H), 3.26 (dd, $J = 10.9, 8.3$ Hz, 1H), 3.63 (dd, $J = 10.4, 10.0$ Hz, 1H), 3.80 (d, $J = 10.4$ Hz, 1H), 4.30 (q, $J = 7.1$ Hz, 2H), 4.32 (d, $J = 14.8$ Hz, 1H), 4.44 (d, $J = 14.8$ Hz, 1H), 5.08 (d, $J = 11.5$ Hz, 1H), 7.19 (d-like, $J = 8.4$ Hz, 2H), 7.23–7.25 (m, 2H), 7.30–7.39 (m, 5H). Selected NOEs are between δ 2.95 (C3a–H) and δ 3.26 (C3–HH), 3.63 (C7a–H), 7.19 (Ar–H), and between δ 2.68 (C3–HH), 3.80 (C7–H), and δ 5.08 (C4–H). ^{13}C NMR (100.6 MHz, CD_3CN) δ (ppm) 14.5 (CH_3), 36.9 (CH), 41.8 (CH), 46.7 (CH_2), 46.9 (CH_2), 48.2 (CH), 62.7 (CH_2), 81.2 (CH), 128.6 (CH), 129.0 (CH), 129.7 (CH), 129.8 (CH), 130.5 (CH), 135.7 (C), 135.8 (C), 137.3 (C), 168.9 (C), 169.1 (C), 173.1 (C).

Selected HMBC correlations are between δ 2.68 (C3–HH), 3.26 (C3–HH), 2.95 (C3a–H), 3.63 (C7a–H), and δ 81.2 (C4), between δ 3.63 (C7a–H) and δ 48.2 (C7), between δ 5.08 (C4–H) and 46.7 (C3), and between δ 2.68 (C3–HH), 5.08 (C4–H), and δ 41.8 (C7a). IR (KBr) 2938, 1756, 1733, 1684, 1489, 1452, 1260, 1191, 1051, 1012 cm^{-1} ; MS (EI) m/z 429 (M^+ , 8.9), 427 (M^+ , 24), 345 (15), 271 (20), 256 (21), 151 (47), 91 (100%); HRMS (EI) m/z M^+ 427.1204, 429.1180 (calcd for $\text{C}_{23}\text{H}_{22}\text{ClNO}_5$, 427.1187, 429.1157).

4h: (1 mmol scale, 147 mg, 31%); $R_f = 0.5$ (ether); colorless crystals; mp 68–69 °C; ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) 1.38 (t, $J = 7.1$ Hz, 3H), 2.71–2.78 (m, 2H), 3.28 (dd, $J = 11.2, 7.7$ Hz, 1H), 3.72–3.77 (m, 2H), 4.25 (d, $J = 14.5$ Hz, 1H), 4.39 (q, $J = 7.1$ Hz, 2H), 4.61 (d, $J = 14.5$ Hz, 1H), 4.72 (d, $J = 11.1$ Hz, 1H), 6.89 (d-like, $J = 8.4$ Hz, 2H), 7.22–7.24 (m, 2H), 7.35–7.39 (m, 3H), 7.44 (d-like, $J = 8.4$ Hz, 2H); ^{13}C NMR (100.6 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) 14.1 (CH_3), 37.4 (CH), 41.1 (CH), 45.6 (CH_2), 46.7 (CH_2), 47.0 (CH), 62.6 (CH_2), 80.6 (CH), 123.9 (C), 128.3 (CH), 128.6 (CH), 129.08 (CH), 129.10 (CH), 132.2 (CH), 134.3 (C), 135.7 (C), 167.2 (C), 167.5 (C), 172.0 (C); ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CD_3CN) δ (ppm) 1.32 (t, $J = 7.0$ Hz, 3H), 2.68 (dd, $J = 10.9, 2.0$ Hz, 1H), 2.95 (dddd, $J = 11.5, 10.0, 8.2, 2.0$ Hz, 1H), 3.27 (dd, $J = 10.9, 8.2$ Hz, 1H), 3.62 (dd, $J = 10.4, 10.0$ Hz, 1H), 3.79 (d, $J = 10.4$ Hz, 1H), 4.28–4.33 (m, 3H), 4.45 (d, $J = 14.8$ Hz, 1H), 5.07 (d, $J = 11.5$ Hz, 1H), 7.14 (d-like, $J = 8.4$ Hz, 2H), 7.23–7.25 (m, 2H), 7.30–7.41 (m, 3H), 7.53 (d-like, $J = 8.4$ Hz, 2H). Selected NOEs are between δ 2.95 (C3a–H) and δ 3.27 (C3–HH), 3.62 (C7a–H), 7.14 (Ar–H), and between δ 2.68 (C3–HH), 3.79 (C7–H), and δ 5.07 (C4–H). ^{13}C NMR (100.6 MHz, CD_3CN) δ (ppm) 14.5 (CH_3), 36.8 (CH), 41.8 (CH), 46.7 (CH_2), 46.9 (CH_2), 48.2 (CH), 62.7 (CH_2), 81.3 (CH), 128.6 (CH), 129.0 (CH), 129.7 (CH), 130.7 (CH), 132.8 (CH), 133.9 (C), 136.3 (C), 137.4 (C), 168.9 (C), 169.1 (C), 173.1 (C). Selected HMBC correlations are between δ 2.68 (C3–HH), 3.27 (C3–HH), 3.62 (C7a–H), and δ 81.3 (C4), between δ 3.62 (C7a–H) and δ 48.2 (C7), and between δ 2.68 (C3–HH), 5.07 (C4–H), and δ 41.8 (C7a). IR (KBr) 2938, 1752, 1734, 1685, 1488, 1260, 1191, 1051, 1009 cm^{-1} ; MS (EI) m/z 473 (M^+ , 44), 471 (M^+ , 43), 344 (16), 300 (15), 174 (39), 91 (100%); HRMS (EI) m/z M^+ 471.0688, 473.0667 (calcd for $\text{C}_{23}\text{H}_{22}\text{BrNO}_5$, 471.0681, 473.0661).

4i: (1 mmol scale, 173 mg, 41%); $R_f = 0.5$ (ether); colorless crystals; mp 66–67 °C; ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) 1.38 (t, $J = 7.1$ Hz, 3H), 2.75–2.85 (m, 2H), 3.28 (dd, $J = 11.0, 7.9$ Hz, 1H), 3.70–3.76 (m, 2H), 3.78 (s, 3H), 4.34 (d, $J = 14.5$ Hz, 1H), 4.39 (q, $J = 7.1$ Hz, 2H), 4.51 (d, $J = 14.5$ Hz, 1H), 4.75 (d, $J = 11.1$ Hz, 1H), 6.82 (d-like, $J = 8.8$ Hz, 2H), 7.01 (d-like, $J = 8.8$ Hz, 2H), 7.20–7.23 (m, 2H), 7.31–7.38 (m, 3H); ^{13}C NMR (100.6 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) 14.1 (CH_3), 37.0 (CH), 41.0 (CH), 46.0 (CH_2), 46.7 (CH_2), 47.0 (CH), 55.4 (CH_3), 62.4 (CH_2), 81.2 (CH), 114.3 (CH), 127.2 (C), 128.1 (CH), 128.4 (CH), 128.9 (CH), 129.0 (CH), 135.7 (C), 160.6 (C), 167.6 (C), 167.7 (C), 172.2 (C); ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CD_3CN) δ (ppm) 1.33 (t, $J = 7.1$ Hz, 3H), 2.68 (dd, $J = 10.8, 1.9$ Hz, 1H), 2.99 (dddd, $J = 11.5, 10.0, 8.3, 1.9$ Hz, 1H), 3.27 (dd, $J = 10.8, 8.3$ Hz, 1H), 3.63 (dd, $J = 10.4, 10.0$ Hz, 1H), 3.77 (s, 3H), 3.81 (d, $J = 10.4$ Hz, 1H), 4.28–4.35 (m, 2H), 4.30 (d, $J = 14.8$ Hz, 1H), 4.47 (d, $J = 14.8$ Hz, 1H), 5.05 (d, $J = 11.5$ Hz, 1H), 6.90 (d-like, $J = 8.8$ Hz, 2H), 7.17 (d-like, $J = 8.8$ Hz, 2H), 7.23–7.25 (m, 2H), 7.29–7.39 (m, 3H). Selected NOEs are between δ 2.99 (C3a–H) and δ 3.27 (C3–HH), 3.63 (C7a–H), 7.17 (Ar–H), and between δ 2.68 (C3–HH), 3.81 (C7–H), and δ 5.05 (C4–H). ^{13}C NMR (100.6 MHz, CD_3CN) δ (ppm) 14.5 (CH_3), 36.6 (CH), 41.8 (CH), 46.9 (CH_2), 47.0 (CH_2), 48.2 (CH), 56.0 (CH_3), 62.6 (CH_2), 81.9 (CH), 115.0 (CH), 128.6 (CH), 128.8 (C), 129.0 (CH), 129.7 (CH), 130.3 (CH), 137.4 (C), 161.4 (C), 169.1 (C), 169.2 (C), 173.3 (C). Selected HMBC correlations are between δ 2.68 (C3–HH), 3.27 (C3–HH), 2.99 (C3a–H), 3.63 (C7a–H), and δ 81.9 (C4), between δ 3.63 (C7a–H) and δ 48.2 (C7), between δ 5.05 (C4–H) and 46.9 (C3), and between δ 2.68 (C3–HH), 5.05 (C4–H), and δ 41.8 (C7a). IR (KBr) 2936, 1752, 1735, 1685, 1508, 1262, 1194, 1049 cm^{-1} ; MS (EI) m/z 423 (M^+ , 29), 173 (77), 147 (41), 135 (28), 91 (100%); HRMS (EI) m/z M^+ 423.1687 (calcd for $\text{C}_{24}\text{H}_{25}\text{NO}_6$, 423.1682).

Transformation of 3a to 4a (Table 3, entry 1). To a solution of **3a** (210 mg, 0.5 mmol) in $\text{ClCH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}$ (0.7 mL) were added 1 M HCl/ether (0.5 mL, 0.5 mmol) and H_2O (9 mg, 0.5 mmol). The mixture was

stirred at 80 °C for 20 h. The reaction mixture was concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was purified by column chromatography over silica gel eluting with hexane–Et₂O to give **4a** (139 mg, 70%).

Transformation of 3a to 5a and 4a (Table 3, entry 2). To a solution of **3a** (245 mg, 0.58 mmol) in THF (0.8 mL) was added 1 M HCl/H₂O (0.58 mL, 0.58 mmol). The mixture was stirred at room temperature for 20 h. The reaction mixture was concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was diluted with CH₂Cl₂. The organic phase was washed with water, dried (Na₂SO₄), and evaporated *in vacuo*. The residue was purified by column chromatography over silica gel eluting with hexane–Et₂O to give **5a** (111 mg, 42%) and **4a** (107 mg, 47%).

5a: *R*_f = 0.6 (ether); colorless oil; ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) 1.27 (t, *J* = 7.1 Hz, 3H), 1.35 (t, *J* = 7.1 Hz, 3H), 2.15 (bs, 1H), 2.54 (dd, *J* = 10.3, 2.6 Hz, 1H), 2.87 (dddd, *J* = 10.9, 7.4, 6.6, 2.6 Hz, 1H), 2.97 (dd, *J* = 10.2, 6.6 Hz, 1H), 3.67 (dd, *J* = 10.2, 7.4 Hz, 1H), 4.06 (d, *J* = 14.5 Hz, 1H), 4.08 (d, *J* = 10.2 Hz, 1H), 4.19–4.39 (m, 5H), 4.58 (d, *J* = 14.5 Hz, 1H), 6.87–6.89 (m, 2H), 7.16–7.23 (m, 5H), 7.29–7.35 (m, 3H). Selected NOEs are between δ 3.67 (C3–H) and δ 2.87 (C4–H), 2.97 (C5–HH) and between δ 2.54 (C5–HH), 2.97 (C5–HH), and δ 6.87–6.89 (Ph–H). Atom numbering is shown in eq 3. ¹³C NMR (100.6 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) 14.2 (CH₃), 42.2 (CH), 46.0 (CH), 46.6 (CH₂), 47.5 (CH₂), 51.1 (CH), 61.6 (CH₂), 61.8 (CH₂), 74.0 (CH), 126.7 (CH), 127.8 (CH), 128.4 (CH), 128.69 (CH), 128.76 (CH), 128.77 (CH), 136.4 (C), 142.5 (C), 168.6 (C), 169.4 (C), 172.8 (C). Selected HMBC correlations are between δ 2.54 (C5–HH), 2.87 (C4–H), 3.67 (C3–H), and δ 172.8 (C2), between δ 2.54 (C5–HH), 2.87 (C4–H), 2.97 (C5–HH), and δ 74.0 (CH(OH)Ph), and between δ 2.54 (C5–HH), 2.97 (C5–HH), 3.67 (C3–H), and δ 42.2 (C4). IR (neat) 3419, 2981, 1747, 1732, 1684, 1494, 1455, 1376, 1301, 1032 cm⁻¹; MS (EI) *m/z* 439 (M⁺, 15), 393 (13), 332 (33), 174 (70), 84 (100%); HRMS (EI) *m/z* M⁺ 439.2003 (calcd for C₂₅H₂₉NO₆ 439.1995).

Transformation of 3a to 6a (Table 3, entry 3). To a solution of **3a** (178 mg, 0.42 mmol) in CH₂Cl₂ (0.6 mL) was added 1 M HCl/ether (0.42 mL, 0.42 mmol). The mixture was stirred at room temperature for 20 h. The reaction mixture was concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was purified by column chromatography over silica gel eluting with hexane–Et₂O to give **6a** (117 mg, 60%) and **4a** (45 mg, 27%).

6a: *R*_f = 0.7 (hexane–ether = 1:8); pale yellow oil; ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) 1.28 (t, *J* = 7.1 Hz, 3H), 1.36 (t, *J* = 7.1 Hz, 3H), 3.19 (dd, *J* = 10.4, 2.7 Hz, 1H), 3.24 (dd, *J* = 10.4, 7.1 Hz, 1H), 3.32 (dddd, *J* = 8.7, 7.1, 4.3, 2.7 Hz, 1H), 3.62 (dd, *J* = 10.5, 8.7 Hz, 1H), 3.85 (d, *J* = 10.5 Hz, 1H), 4.15–4.41 (m, 5H), 4.67 (d, *J* = 14.7 Hz, 1H), 4.95 (d, *J* = 4.3 Hz, 1H), 7.26–7.36 (m, 10H). Selected NOEs are between δ 3.62 (C3–H) and δ 3.32 (C4–H), 3.24 (C5–HH) and between δ 3.85 (CH(CO₂Et)₂), 3.19 (C5–HH), and δ 4.95 (CHClPh). ¹³C NMR (100.6 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) 14.1 (CH₃), 14.2 (CH₃), 41.4 (CH), 44.7 (CH), 46.6 (CH₂), 46.9 (CH₂), 49.8 (CH), 61.95 (CH), 61.98 (CH₂), 62.2 (CH₂), 127.0 (CH), 127.8 (CH), 128.5 (CH), 128.66 (CH), 128.72 (CH), 128.8 (CH), 135.8 (C), 138.9 (C), 168.4 (C), 168.5 (C), 171.9 (C). Selected HMBC correlations are between δ 3.19 (C5–HH), 3.24 (C5–HH), 3.62 (C3–H), and δ 171.9 (C2), between δ 3.19 (C5–HH), 3.24 (C5–HH), 3.62 (C3–H), and δ 61.95 (CHClPh), and between δ 3.19 (C5–HH), 3.24 (C5–HH), and δ 41.4 (C4). IR (neat) 2981, 1747, 1732, 1689, 1604, 1495, 1447, 1371, 1028 cm⁻¹; MS (EI) *m/z* 459 (M⁺, 6.3), 457 (M⁺, 17), 332 (33), 198 (52), 72 (100%); HRMS (EI) *m/z* M⁺ 457.1655, 459.1647 (calcd for C₂₅H₂₈ClNO₅ 457.1656, 459.1627).

6c: (0.41 mmol scale, 134 mg, 62%); *R*_f = 0.7 (ether); pale yellow oil; ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) 1.28 (t, *J* = 7.1 Hz, 3H), 1.36 (t, *J* = 7.1 Hz, 3H), 3.19 (dd, *J* = 10.4, 2.9 Hz, 1H), 3.29 (dd, *J* = 10.4, 7.3 Hz, 1H), 3.37 (dddd, *J* = 8.9, 7.3, 4.7, 2.9 Hz, 1H), 3.62 (dd, *J* = 10.3, 8.9 Hz, 1H), 3.84 (d, *J* = 10.3 Hz, 1H), 4.16–4.41 (m, 5H), 4.67 (d, *J* = 14.5 Hz, 1H), 4.96 (d, *J* = 4.7 Hz, 1H), 7.26–7.37 (m, 5H), 7.40 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 7.60 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H). Selected NOEs are between δ 3.62 (C3–H) and δ 3.37 (C4–H), 3.29 (C5–HH), between δ 3.84 (CH(CO₂Et)₂), 3.19 (C5–HH), and δ 4.96 (CHClPh), and between δ 3.19 (C5–HH) and δ 7.26–7.37 (Ph–H). ¹³C NMR (100.6 MHz,

CDCl₃) δ (ppm) 14.0 (CH₃), 14.1 (CH₃), 41.3 (CH), 44.4 (CH), 46.5 (CH₂), 46.8 (CH₂), 49.7 (CH), 61.96 (CH), 62.00 (CH₂), 62.2 (CH₂), 124.1 (q, *J* = 272 Hz), 125.6 (q, *J* = 3.8 Hz), 126.9 (CH), 128.6 (CH), 128.89 (CH), 128.90 (CH), 130.0 (q, *J* = 32 Hz), 138.6 (C), 140.0 (C), 168.30 (C), 168.32 (C), 172.2 (C). Selected HMBC correlations are between δ 3.19 (C5–HH), 3.29 (C5–HH), 3.62 (C3–H), and δ 172.2 (C2), between δ 3.19 (C5–HH), 3.29 (C5–HH), 3.62 (C3–H), and δ 61.96 (CHClPh), and between δ 3.19 (C5–HH), 3.29 (C5–HH), 3.62 (C3–H), and δ 41.3 (C4). ¹⁹F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) –62.57; IR (neat) 2983, 1747, 1732, 1696, 1620, 1486, 1448, 1418, 1372, 1327, 1234, 1165, 1124, 1066, 1019 cm⁻¹; MS (FAB) *m/z* 550 ([M + Na]⁺), 548 ([M + Na]⁺), 528 ([M + H]⁺), 526 ([M + H]⁺); HRMS (FAB) *m/z* [M + H]⁺ 526.1608, 528.1593, (calcd for C₂₆H₂₈ClF₃NO₅ 526.1608, 528.1579), [M + Na]⁺ 548.1430, 550.1421 (calcd for C₂₆H₂₇ClF₃NO₅Na 548.1428, 550.1398).

6d: (0.42 mmol scale, 90 mg, 53%); *R*_f = 0.8 (ether); pale yellow oil; ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) 1.27 (t, *J* = 7.1 Hz, 3H), 1.35 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 3H), 3.28–3.41 (m, 3H), 3.59 (dd, *J* = 10.5, 8.5 Hz, 1H), 3.81 (d, *J* = 10.5 Hz, 1H), 3.87 (dd, *J* = 15.0, 6.4 Hz, 1H), 3.95 (dd, *J* = 15.0, 6.4 Hz, 1H), 4.15–4.38 (m, 2H), 4.96 (d, *J* = 4.3 Hz, 1H), 5.22 (dddd, *J* = 10.1, 1.2, 1.2, 1.2 Hz, 1H), 5.24 (dddd, *J* = 17.1, 1.5, 1.5, 1.2 Hz, 1H), 5.78 (dddd, *J* = 17.1, 10.1, 6.4, 6.4 Hz, 1H), 7.31–7.41 (m, 5H). Selected NOEs are between δ 3.81 (CH(CO₂Et)₂) and δ 4.96 (CHClPh). ¹³C NMR (100.6 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) 14.0 (CH₃), 14.1 (CH₃), 41.4 (CH), 44.6 (CH), 45.5 (CH₂), 46.5 (CH₂), 49.7 (CH), 61.9 (CH₂), 62.0 (CH), 62.1 (CH₂), 118.7 (CH₂), 127.0 (CH), 128.5 (CH), 128.9 (CH), 132.3 (CH), 138.9 (C), 168.3 (C), 168.4 (C), 171.7 (C). Selected HMBC correlations are between δ 3.59 (C3–H) and δ 171.7 (C2), between δ 3.59 (C3–H) and δ 62.0 (CHClPh), between δ 4.96 (CHClPh) and δ 46.5 (C5), and between δ 3.81 (CH(CO₂Et)₂) and δ 41.4 (C4). IR (neat) 2981, 1747, 1726, 1695, 1486, 1448, 1371, 1279, 1186, 1027 cm⁻¹; MS (EI) *m/z* 409 (M⁺, 2.4), 407 (M⁺, 7.1), 362 (5.9), 282 (47), 198 (33), 86 (100%); HRMS (EI) *m/z* M⁺ 407.1493, 409.1480 (calcd for C₂₁H₂₆ClNO₅ 407.1500, 409.1470).

7j: (Table 4, entry 1). (1 mmol scale, 352 mg, 75%); *R*_f = 0.8 (CH₂Cl₂–ether = 1:1); colorless crystals; mp 148–150 °C (ether); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) 1.24 (t, *J* = 7.1 Hz, 3H), 1.36 (t, *J* = 7.1 Hz, 3H), 2.41 (dddd, *J* = 12.9, 11.7, 9.6, 7.5, 5.5 Hz, 1H), 3.05–3.19 (m, 4H), 3.49 (dd, *J* = 9.3, 7.5 Hz, 1H), 4.11–4.19 (m, 1H), 4.27–4.47 (m, 4H), 4.68 (d, *J* = 14.8 Hz, 1H), 7.27–7.37 (m, 5H), 7.41 (dd, *J* = 8.0, 8.0 Hz, 1H), 7.67 (dd, *J* = 8.0, 1.4 Hz, 1H), 7.82 (dd, *J* = 8.0, 1.4 Hz, 1H); ¹³C NMR (100.6 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) 13.9 (CH₃), 14.1 (CH₃), 31.2 (CH₂), 31.8 (CH), 46.5 (CH₂), 49.3 (CH), 50.3 (CH₂), 60.9 (C), 62.5 (CH₂), 63.0 (CH₂), 124.5 (CH), 127.0 (CH), 127.7 (CH), 128.2 (CH), 128.8 (CH), 130.5 (C), 135.6 (CH), 136.5 (C), 136.9 (C), 150.4 (C), 167.7 (C), 170.0 (C), 171.1 (C); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, C₆D₆) δ (ppm) 0.968 (t, *J* = 7.1 Hz, 3H), 1.09 (t, *J* = 7.1 Hz, 3H), 1.95 (dddd, *J* = 13.1, 12.2, 9.4, 8.0, 5.0 Hz, 1H), 2.17 (dd, *J* = 9.4, 8.8 Hz, 1H), 2.40 (dd, *J* = 17.2, 12.2 Hz, 1H), 2.56 (dd, *J* = 17.2, 5.0 Hz, 1H), 2.69 (dd, *J* = 8.8, 8.0 Hz, 1H), 2.87 (d, *J* = 13.1 Hz, 1H), 3.90–3.98 (m, 1H), 4.03 (d, *J* = 14.7 Hz, 1H), 4.06–4.14 (m, 1H), 4.19–4.27 (m, 2H), 4.48 (d, *J* = 14.7 Hz, 1H), 6.75 (dd, *J* = 8.0, 7.8 Hz, 1H), 7.07 (t-like, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 7.12–7.21 (m, 4H), 7.34 (d-like, *J* = 7.8 Hz, 1H), 7.71 (d-like, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 1H). Selected NOEs are between δ 1.95 (C3a–H) and δ 2.69 (C3–HH), 2.56 (C4–HH), between δ 2.17 (C3–HH) and δ 2.40 (C4–HH), 2.87 (C9a–H), and between δ 2.40 (C4–HH) and δ 2.87 (C9a–H). Atom numbering is shown in eq 4. ¹³C NMR (100.6 MHz, C₆D₆) δ (ppm) 13.8 (CH₃), 14.0 (CH₃), 30.9 (CH₂), 31.6 (CH), 46.4 (CH₂), 49.3 (CH), 49.6 (CH₂), 61.2 (C), 62.1 (CH₂), 62.7 (CH₂), 124.1 (CH), 126.7 (CH), 127.6 (CH), 128.4 (CH), 128.8 (CH), 130.8 (C), 135.4 (CH), 137.4 (C), 137.6 (C), 151.0 (C), 167.8 (C), 170.1 (C), 170.4 (C). Selected HMBC correlations are between δ 2.40 (C4–HH), 2.56 (C4–HH), 2.69 (C3–HH), 2.87 (C9a–H), and δ 31.6 (C3a), δ 2.17 (C3–HH), 2.87 (C9a–H), and δ 30.9 (C4), and between δ 2.87 (C9a–H) and δ 61.2 (C9). IR (KBr) 3307, 1745, 1726, 1700, 1528, 1363, 1250, 1198, 1030 cm⁻¹; MS (EI) *m/z* 466 (M⁺, 35), 436 (14), 363 (18), 118 (15), 91 (100%); HRMS (EI) *m/z* M⁺ 466.1747 (calcd for C₂₅H₂₆N₂O₇ 466.1740). Anal. Calcd for C₂₅H₂₆N₂O₇: C, 64.37; H, 5.62; N, 6.01. Found: C, 64.14; H, 5.63; N, 5.94.

7k: (Table 4, entry 2). (1 mmol scale, 343 mg, 73%); $R_f = 0.8$ (CH_2Cl_2 -ether = 1:1); colorless crystals; mp 118–119 °C (AcOEt-hexane = 1:1); ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) 0.937–1.03 (m, 2H), 1.14–1.27 (m, 3H), 1.24 (t, $J = 7.1$ Hz, 3H), 1.33 (t, $J = 7.1$ Hz, 3H), 1.62–1.81 (m, 6H), 2.42 (dddd, $J = 13.1, 11.7, 9.8, 7.4, 5.5$ Hz, 1H), 3.00–3.30 (m, 6H), 3.62 (dd, $J = 9.2, 7.4$ Hz, 1H), 4.11–4.44 (m, 4H), 7.41 (dd, $J = 8.0, 8.0$ Hz, 1H), 7.65 (dd, $J = 8.0, 1.4$ Hz, 1H), 7.82 (dd, $J = 8.0, 1.4$ Hz, 1H); ^{13}C NMR (100.6 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) 13.9 (CH_3), 14.0 (CH_3), 25.77 (CH_2), 25.80 (CH_2), 26.4 (CH_2), 30.8 (CH_2), 30.9 (CH_2), 31.2 (CH_2), 31.9 (CH), 36.2 (CH), 49.1 (CH_2), 49.3 (CH), 51.9 (CH_2), 60.8 (C), 62.4 (CH_2), 62.9 (CH_2), 124.4 (CH), 126.9 (CH), 130.5 (C), 135.5 (CH), 137.0 (C), 150.4 (C), 167.8 (C), 169.9 (C), 171.2 (C); ^1H NMR (400 MHz, C_6D_6) δ (ppm) 0.807–0.924 (m, 2H), 0.975 (t, $J = 7.1$ Hz, 3H), 1.06 (t, $J = 7.0$ Hz, 3H), 1.03–1.19 (m, 3H), 1.38–1.48 (m, 1H), 1.50–1.68 (m, 5H), 2.00 (dddd, $J = 13.1, 12.0, 9.4, 7.5, 5.2$ Hz, 1H), 2.26 (dd, $J = 9.4, 9.4$ Hz, 1H), 2.54 (dd, $J = 17.3, 12.0$ Hz, 1H), 2.68 (dd, $J = 17.3, 5.2$ Hz, 1H), 2.74–2.80 (m, 2H), 2.88 (d, $J = 13.1$ Hz, 1H), 3.18 (dd, $J = 13.6, 7.5$ Hz, 1H), 3.91–3.99 (m, 1H), 4.02–4.10 (m, 1H), 4.14–4.26 (m, 2H), 6.74 (dd, $J = 8.0, 8.0$ Hz, 1H), 7.34 (dd, $J = 8.0, 1.2$ Hz, 1H), 7.72 (d, $J = 8.0$ Hz, 1H). Selected NOEs are between δ 2.00 (C3a–H) and δ 2.68 (C4–HH), between δ 2.26 (C3–HH) and δ 2.54 (C4–HH), 2.88 (C9a–H), and between δ 2.54 (C4–HH) and δ 2.88 (C9a–H). ^{13}C NMR (100.6 MHz, C_6D_6) δ (ppm) 13.8 (CH_3), 14.0 (CH_3), 26.1 (CH_2), 26.2 (CH_2), 26.7 (CH_2), 30.9 (CH_2), 31.0 (CH_2), 31.1 (CH_2), 31.8 (CH), 36.5 (CH), 48.9 (CH), 49.4 (CH), 51.2 (CH_2), 61.2 (C), 62.0 (CH_2), 62.6 (CH_2), 124.1 (CH), 126.8 (CH), 130.7 (C), 135.5 (CH), 137.6 (C), 151.0 (C), 167.8 (C), 170.1 (C), 170.5 (C). Selected HMBC correlations are between δ 2.54 (C4–HH), 2.68 (C4–HH), and δ 31.8 (C3a), δ 2.26 (C3–HH), 2.88 (C9a–H), and δ 31.1 (C4), and between δ 2.88 (C9a–H) and δ 61.2 (C9). IR (KBr) 2924, 2852, 1743, 1728, 1702, 1529, 1447, 1365, 1249, 1197, 1031 cm^{-1} ; MS (EI) m/z 472 (M^+ , 24), 390 (100), 191 (74), 162 (60%); HRMS (EI) m/z M^+ 472.2210 (calcd for $\text{C}_{25}\text{H}_{32}\text{N}_2\text{O}_7$ 472.2210). Anal. Calcd for $\text{C}_{25}\text{H}_{32}\text{N}_2\text{O}_7$: C, 63.54; H, 6.83; N, 5.93. Found: C, 63.43; H, 6.89; N, 5.92.

7l: (Table 4, entry 3). (1 mmol scale, 307 mg, 74%); $R_f = 0.8$ (CH_2Cl_2 -ether = 1:1); colorless crystals; mp 114–115 °C (AcOEt-hexane = 1:1); ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) 1.24 (t, $J = 7.1$ Hz, 3H), 1.34 (t, $J = 7.1$ Hz, 3H), 2.44 (dddd, $J = 13.1, 11.9, 9.8, 7.4, 5.5$ Hz, 1H), 3.02 (d, $J = 13.1$ Hz, 1H), 3.08–3.25 (m, 3H), 3.60 (dd, $J = 9.4, 7.4$ Hz, 1H), 3.85 (dd, $J = 15.2, 6.1$ Hz, 1H), 4.04–4.16 (m, 2H), 4.25–4.44 (m, 3H), 5.22 (dddd, $J = 10.2, 1.4, 1.4, 1.2$ Hz, 1H), 5.26 (dddd, $J = 17.2, 1.6, 1.4, 1.4$ Hz, 1H), 5.78 (dddd, $J = 17.2, 10.2, 6.1, 5.9$ Hz, 1H), 7.41 (dd, $J = 8.0, 8.0$ Hz, 1H), 7.66 (dd, $J = 8.0, 1.4$ Hz, 1H), 7.83 (dd, $J = 8.0, 1.4$ Hz, 1H); ^{13}C NMR (100.6 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) 13.9 (CH_3), 14.1 (CH_3), 31.3 (CH_2), 31.9 (CH), 45.2 (CH_2), 49.4 (CH), 50.5 (CH_2), 60.9 (C), 62.5 (CH_2), 63.0 (CH_2), 118.2 (CH_2), 124.5 (CH), 127.0 (CH), 130.6 (C), 132.5 (CH), 135.6 (CH), 136.9 (C), 150.5 (C), 167.8 (C), 170.0 (C), 170.9 (C); ^1H NMR (400 MHz, C_6D_6) δ (ppm) 0.951 (t, $J = 7.1$ Hz, 3H), 1.06 (t, $J = 7.1$ Hz, 3H), 1.99 (dddd, $J = 13.1, 11.7, 9.8, 7.4, 5.4$ Hz, 1H), 2.15–2.21 (m, 1H), 2.53 (dd, $J = 17.4, 11.7$ Hz, 1H), 2.61 (dd, $J = 17.4, 5.4$ Hz, 1H), 2.73–2.78 (m, 1H), 2.86 (d, $J = 13.1$ Hz, 1H), 3.42 (dd, $J = 15.4, 6.1$ Hz, 1H), 3.88–3.96 (m, 2H), 4.01–4.09 (m, 1H), 4.14–4.26 (m, 2H), 4.96 (dd, $J = 10.2, 1.4$ Hz, 1H), 5.00 (dd, $J = 17.2, 1.6$ Hz, 1H), 5.52 (dddd, $J = 17.2, 10.2, 6.1, 5.7$ Hz, 1H), 6.70–6.75 (m, 1H), 7.34 (dd, $J = 8.0, 1.4$ Hz, 1H), 7.72 (dd, $J = 8.0, 1.4$ Hz, 1H). Selected NOEs are between δ 1.99 (C3a–H) and δ 2.73–2.78 (C3–HH), 2.61 (C4–HH) and between δ 2.15–2.21 (C3–HH), 2.53 (C4–HH), and δ 2.86 (C9a–H). ^{13}C NMR (100.6 MHz, C_6D_6) δ (ppm) 13.8 (CH_3), 14.0 (CH_3), 31.1 (CH_2), 31.7 (CH), 44.9 (CH_2), 49.4 (CH), 49.8 (CH_2), 61.2 (C), 62.0 (CH_2), 62.6 (CH_2), 117.0 (CH_2), 124.1 (CH), 126.8 (CH), 130.8 (C), 133.3 (CH), 135.5 (CH), 137.5 (C), 151.0 (C), 167.8 (C), 170.0 (C), 170.1 (C). Selected HMBC correlations are between δ 2.53 (C4–HH), 2.61 (C4–HH), 2.73–2.78 (C3–HH), 2.86 (C9a–H), and δ 31.7 (C3a), δ 1.99 (C3a–H), 2.86 (C9a–H), and δ 31.1 (C4), and between δ 2.86 (C9a–H) and δ 61.2 (C9). IR (KBr) 2984, 1743, 1723, 1702, 1644, 1529, 1364, 1251, 1197, 1023 cm^{-1} ; MS (EI) m/z 416 (M^+ , 100), 343 (74), 297 (89%); HRMS (EI) m/z M^+ 416.1588 (calcd for $\text{C}_{21}\text{H}_{24}\text{N}_2\text{O}_7$ 416.1584). Anal. Calcd

for $\text{C}_{21}\text{H}_{24}\text{N}_2\text{O}_7$: C, 60.57; H, 5.81; N, 6.73. Found: C, 60.38; H, 5.84; N, 6.80.

7m: (Table 4, entry 4). (1 mmol scale, 380 mg, 78%); $R_f = 0.4$ (hexane-ether = 1:4); colorless crystals; mp 157–158 °C (AcOEt); ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) 1.25 (t, $J = 7.1$ Hz, 3H), 1.38 (t, $J = 7.1$ Hz, 3H), 2.36 (dddd, $J = 13.1, 12.1, 9.6, 7.5, 5.5$ Hz, 1H), 2.91 (d, $J = 13.1$ Hz, 1H), 3.08 (dd, $J = 9.6, 9.3$ Hz, 1H), 3.11 (dd, $J = 17.8, 12.1$ Hz, 1H), 3.25 (dd, $J = 17.8, 5.5$ Hz, 1H), 3.48 (dd, $J = 9.3, 7.5$ Hz, 1H), 4.14 (dq, $J = 10.7, 7.1$ Hz, 1H), 4.30–4.52 (m, 4H), 4.64 (d, $J = 14.8$ Hz, 1H), 7.14 (dd, $J_{\text{FH}} = 9.2, J_{\text{HH}} = 9.0$ Hz, 1H), 7.27–7.37 (m, 5H), 7.93 (dd, $J_{\text{FH}} = 4.9, J_{\text{HH}} = 9.0$ Hz, 1H). Selected NOEs are between δ 2.36 (C3a–H) and δ 3.48 (C3–HH), 3.25 (C4–HH) and between δ 3.08 (C3–HH), 3.11 (C4–HH), and δ 2.91 (C9a–H). ^{13}C NMR (100.6 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) 13.89 (CH_3), 13.93 (CH_3), 31.6 (CH), 31.8 (CH_2), 46.6 (CH_2), 49.8 (CH), 50.2 (CH_2), 58.3 (C), 62.6 (CH_2), 63.0 (CH_2), 115.0 (CH, d, $J_{\text{CF}} = 26$ Hz), 126.0 (C, d, $J_{\text{CF}} = 16$ Hz), 127.0 (CH, d, $J_{\text{CF}} = 11.5$ Hz), 127.8 (CH), 128.3 (CH), 128.8 (CH), 134.2 (C, d, $J_{\text{CF}} = 4.6$ Hz), 136.4 (C), 146.4 (C), 164.0 (C), 167.1 (C), 169.5 (C), 170.5 (C). Selected HMBC correlations are between δ 3.11 (C4–HH), 3.25 (C4–HH), and δ 50.2 (C3), between δ 3.11 (C4–HH), 3.25 (C4–HH), and δ 49.8 (C9a), and between δ 2.91 (C9a–H) and δ 58.3 (C9). ^{19}F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) –100.82 ($J_{\text{FH}} = 9.2, 4.9$ Hz); IR (KBr) 2983, 1746, 1727, 1699, 1527, 1360, 1268, 1251, 1198, 1023 cm^{-1} ; MS (EI) m/z 484 (M^+ , 53), 454 (31), 381 (31), 337 (18), 310 (20), 119 (23), 91 (100%); HRMS (EI) m/z M^+ 484.1661 (calcd for $\text{C}_{25}\text{H}_{25}\text{FN}_2\text{O}_7$ 484.1646).

7n: (Table 4, entry 5). (1 mmol scale, 317 mg, 68%); $R_f = 0.3$ (hexane-ether = 1:8); colorless crystals; mp 133–134.5 °C (AcOEt); ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) 1.25 (t, $J = 7.1$ Hz, 3H), 1.39 (t, $J = 7.1$ Hz, 3H), 2.55 (dddd, $J = 12.9, 12.1, 9.6, 7.5, 5.1$ Hz, 1H), 2.90 (dd, $J = 17.0, 12.1$ Hz, 1H), 3.04 (d, $J = 12.9$ Hz, 1H), 3.07 (dd, $J = 9.6, 9.3$ Hz, 1H), 3.14 (dd, $J = 17.0, 5.1$ Hz, 1H), 3.48 (dd, $J = 9.3, 7.5$ Hz, 1H), 4.15 (dq, $J = 10.7, 7.1$ Hz, 1H), 4.28–4.51 (m, 4H), 4.68 (d, $J = 14.8$ Hz, 1H), 7.27–7.37 (m, 6H), 8.08 (dd, $J = 8.6, 2.3$ Hz, 1H), 8.30 (d, $J = 2.3$ Hz, 1H); ^{13}C NMR (100.6 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) 13.9 (CH_3), 14.1 (CH_3), 32.3 (CH), 34.4 (CH_2), 46.6 (CH_2), 50.1 (CH), 50.2 (CH_2), 60.4 (C), 62.5 (CH_2), 63.2 (CH_2), 122.8 (CH), 126.2 (CH), 127.7 (CH), 128.2 (CH), 128.8 (CH), 130.7 (CH), 135.9 (C), 136.6 (C), 143.1 (C), 146.6 (C), 167.6 (C), 169.9 (C), 171.0 (C); ^1H NMR (400 MHz, $(\text{CD}_3)_2\text{CO}$) δ (ppm) 1.19 (t, $J = 7.1$ Hz, 3H), 1.31 (t, $J = 7.1$ Hz, 3H), 2.54 (dddd, $J = 12.9, 11.9, 9.6, 7.6, 5.3$ Hz, 1H), 3.06 (dd, $J = 17.8, 11.9$ Hz, 1H), 3.11 (d, $J = 12.9$ Hz, 1H), 3.22 (dd, $J = 9.6, 9.0$ Hz, 1H), 3.26 (dd, $J = 17.8, 5.3$ Hz, 1H), 3.54 (dd, $J = 9.0, 7.6$ Hz, 1H), 4.08–4.42 (m, 5H), 4.69 (d, $J = 15.0$ Hz, 1H), 7.27–7.32 (m, 1H), 7.33–7.37 (m, 4H), 7.50 (d, $J = 8.6$ Hz, 1H), 8.11 (dd, $J = 8.6, 2.3$ Hz, 1H), 8.23 (d, $J = 2.3$ Hz, 1H). Selected NOEs are between δ 2.54 (C3a–H) and δ 3.54 (C3–HH), 3.26 (C4–HH). ^{13}C NMR (100.6 MHz, $(\text{CD}_3)_2\text{CO}$) δ (ppm) 14.1 (CH_3), 14.3 (CH_3), 33.1 (CH), 34.7 (CH_2), 46.6 (CH_2), 50.3 (CH), 50.6 (CH_2), 61.4 (C), 62.6 (CH_2), 63.0 (CH_2), 123.2 (CH), 126.2 (CH), 128.1 (CH), 128.7 (CH), 129.3 (CH), 132.0 (CH), 137.0 (C), 138.4 (C), 145.3 (C), 147.1 (C), 168.2 (C), 170.4 (C), 171.3 (C). Selected HMBC correlations are between δ 3.06 (C4–HH), 3.11 (C9a–H), and δ 50.6 (C3), between δ 3.22 (C3–HH), 3.54 (C3–HH), and δ 50.3 (C9a), between δ 3.06 (C4–HH), 3.26 (C4–HH), 3.11 (C9a–H), 3.54 (C3–HH), and δ 33.1 (C3a), and between δ 3.11 (C9a–H) and δ 61.4 (C9). IR (KBr) 2982, 2936, 1747, 1732, 1699, 1520, 1347, 1255, 1190, 1098, 1029 cm^{-1} ; MS (EI) m/z 466 (M^+ , 96), 363 (53), 91 (100%); HRMS (EI) m/z M^+ 466.1734 (calcd for $\text{C}_{25}\text{H}_{26}\text{N}_2\text{O}_7$ 466.1740). Anal. Calcd for $\text{C}_{25}\text{H}_{26}\text{N}_2\text{O}_7$: C, 64.37; H, 5.62; N, 6.01. Found: C, 64.68; H, 5.34; N, 5.97.

7o: (Table 4, entry 6). (1 mmol scale, 334 mg, 75%); $R_f = 0.2$ (hexane-ether = 1:4); colorless crystals; mp 118.5–119.5 °C (AcOEt); ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) 1.25 (t, $J = 7.1$ Hz, 3H), 1.38 (t, $J = 7.1$ Hz, 3H), 2.52 (dddd, $J = 13.3, 12.1, 9.7, 7.4, 5.3$ Hz, 1H), 2.87 (dd, $J = 16.6, 12.1$ Hz, 1H), 3.01 (d, $J = 13.3$ Hz, 1H), 3.05 (dd, $J = 9.7, 9.4$ Hz, 1H), 3.08 (dd, $J = 16.6, 5.3$ Hz, 1H), 3.47 (dd, $J = 9.4, 7.4$ Hz, 1H), 4.14 (dq, $J = 10.7, 7.1$ Hz, 1H), 4.28–4.49 (m, 4H), 4.67 (d, $J = 14.8$ Hz, 1H), 7.23 (d, $J = 8.0$ Hz, 1H), 7.27–7.37 (m, 5H), 7.50 (dd, $J = 8.0, 1.7$ Hz, 1H), 7.70 (d, $J = 1.7$ Hz, 1H); ^{13}C NMR (100.6 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) 14.0 (CH_3), 14.1 (CH_3), 32.2 (CH), 34.5 (CH_2),

46.5 (CH₂), 50.1 (CH), 50.2 (CH₂), 60.3 (C), 62.5 (CH₂), 63.1 (CH₂), 110.7 (C), 118.6 (C), 127.7 (CH), 128.2 (CH), 128.8 (CH), 130.8 (CH), 131.1 (CH), 134.9 (CH), 135.7 (C), 136.6 (C), 141.3 (C), 167.6 (C), 170.0 (C), 171.2 (C); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CD₃CN) δ (ppm) 1.17 (t, *J* = 7.0 Hz, 3H), 1.28 (t, *J* = 7.1 Hz, 3H), 2.44 (dddd, *J* = 12.9, 11.9, 9.4, 7.6, 5.3 Hz, 1H), 2.91 (dd, *J* = 17.2, 11.9 Hz, 1H), 3.02 (d, *J* = 12.9 Hz, 1H), 3.11 (dd, *J* = 9.4, 9.2 Hz, 1H), 3.11 (dd, *J* = 17.2, 5.3 Hz, 1H), 3.46 (dd, *J* = 9.2, 7.6 Hz, 1H), 4.07 (dq, *J* = 10.7, 7.0 Hz, 1H), 4.19–4.38 (m, 4H), 4.62 (d, *J* = 15.2 Hz, 1H), 7.28–7.39 (m, 6H), 7.60 (dd, *J* = 8.0, 1.6 Hz, 1H), 7.66 (d, *J* = 1.6 Hz, 1H). Selected NOEs are between δ 2.44 (C3a–H) and δ 3.46 (C3–HH), and between δ 2.91 (C4–HH) and δ 3.02 (C9a–H). ¹³C NMR (100.6 MHz, CD₃CN) δ (ppm) 14.2 (CH₃), 14.3 (CH₃), 32.9 (CH), 34.7 (CH₂), 46.7 (CH₂), 50.4 (CH), 51.0 (CH₂), 61.4 (C), 62.9 (CH₂), 63.4 (CH₂), 110.8 (C), 119.3 (C), 128.3 (CH), 128.8 (CH), 129.5 (CH), 132.0 (CH), 132.1 (CH), 135.3 (CH), 136.7 (C), 138.4 (C), 143.3 (C), 168.6 (C), 170.9 (C), 171.9 (C). Selected HMBC correlations are between δ 2.91 (C4–HH) and δ 51.0 (C3), between δ 3.46 (C3–HH) and δ 50.4 (C9a), δ 2.91 (C4–HH), 3.02 (C9a–H), 3.46 (C3–HH), and δ 32.9 (C3a), and between δ 3.02 (C9a–H) and δ 61.4 (C9). IR (KBr) 2981, 2937, 2229, 1742, 1730, 1696, 1496, 1442, 1366, 1252, 1190, 1029 cm⁻¹; MS (EI) *m/z* 446 (M⁺, 100), 343 (58), 149 (60), 91 (92%); HRMS (EI) *m/z* M⁺ 446.1846 (calcd for C₂₆H₂₆N₂O₅ 446.1842). Anal. Calcd for C₂₆H₂₆N₂O₅: C, 69.94; H, 5.87; N, 6.27. Found: C, 69.59; H, 5.96; N, 6.15.

7p: (Table 4, entry 7). (1 mmol scale, 342 mg, 71%); *R*_f = 0.3 (hexane–ether = 1:4); colorless crystals; mp 145–146 °C (AcOEt); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) 1.23 (t, *J* = 7.1 Hz, 3H), 1.37 (t, *J* = 7.1 Hz, 3H), 2.53 (dddd, *J* = 13.2, 12.1, 9.6, 7.4, 5.1 Hz, 1H), 2.86 (dd, *J* = 16.6, 12.1 Hz, 1H), 3.04 (d, *J* = 13.2 Hz, 1H), 3.05 (dd, *J* = 9.6, 9.2 Hz, 1H), 3.08 (dd, *J* = 16.6, 5.1 Hz, 1H), 3.46 (dd, *J* = 9.2, 7.4 Hz, 1H), 3.90 (s, 3H), 4.14 (dq, *J* = 10.7, 7.1 Hz, 1H), 4.26–4.50 (m, 4H), 4.68 (d, *J* = 14.8 Hz, 1H), 7.19 (d, *J* = 8.1 Hz, 1H), 7.26–7.36 (m, 5H), 7.89 (dd, *J* = 8.1, 1.7 Hz, 1H), 8.09 (d, *J* = 1.7 Hz, 1H); ¹³C NMR (100.6 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) 13.9 (CH₃), 14.1 (CH₃), 32.4 (CH), 34.4 (CH₂), 46.5 (CH₂), 50.28 (CH), 50.32 (CH₂), 52.2 (CH₃), 60.4 (C), 62.2 (CH₂), 62.7 (CH₂), 127.6 (CH), 128.2 (CH), 128.6 (C), 128.7 (CH), 128.9 (CH), 129.9 (CH), 132.2 (CH), 134.5 (C), 136.7 (C), 140.8 (C), 166.6 (C), 168.2 (C), 170.4 (C), 171.5 (C); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CD₃CN) δ (ppm) 1.16 (t, *J* = 7.1 Hz, 3H), 1.28 (t, *J* = 7.1 Hz, 3H), 2.44 (dddd, *J* = 13.1, 11.9, 9.8, 7.6, 5.3 Hz, 1H), 2.89 (dd, *J* = 17.0, 11.9 Hz, 1H), 3.04 (d, *J* = 13.1 Hz, 1H), 3.11 (dd, *J* = 17.0, 5.3 Hz, 1H), 3.11 (dd, *J* = 9.8, 9.2 Hz, 1H), 3.47 (dd, *J* = 9.2, 7.6 Hz, 1H), 3.87 (s, 3H), 4.07 (dq, *J* = 10.7, 7.1 Hz, 1H), 4.17–4.38 (m, 5H), 4.62 (d, *J* = 15.0 Hz, 1H), 7.28–7.33 (m, 4H), 7.36–7.39 (m, 2H), 7.86 (dd, *J* = 8.0, 1.8 Hz, 1H), 7.94 (d, *J* = 1.8 Hz, 1H). Selected NOEs are between δ 2.44 (C3a–H) and δ 3.47 (C3–HH). ¹³C NMR (100.6 MHz, CD₃CN) δ (ppm) 14.2 (CH₃), 14.4 (CH₃), 33.1 (CH), 34.6 (CH₂), 46.7 (CH₂), 50.6 (CH), 51.1 (CH₂), 52.8 (CH₃), 61.6 (C), 62.8 (CH₂), 63.1 (CH₂), 128.3 (CH), 128.8 (CH), 129.2 (C), 129.4 (CH), 129.6 (CH), 131.3 (CH), 132.4 (CH), 135.8 (C), 138.4 (C), 142.8 (C), 167.2 (C), 169.1 (C), 171.3 (C), 172.1 (C). Selected HMBC correlations are between δ 2.89 (C4–HH) and δ 51.1 (C3), between δ 3.47 (C3–HH) and δ 50.6 (C9a), between δ 2.89 (C4–HH), 3.47 (C3–HH), and δ 33.1 (C3a), and between δ 3.04 (C9a–H) and δ 61.6 (C9). IR (KBr) 2984, 2918, 1749, 1726, 1686, 1613, 1483, 1431, 1254, 1191, 1138, 1023 cm⁻¹; MS (FAB) *m/z* 502 ([M + Na]⁺), 480 ([M + H]⁺); HRMS (FAB) *m/z* [M + H]⁺ 480.2026 (calcd for C₂₇H₃₀NO₇ 480.2022), [M + Na]⁺ 502.1856 (calcd for C₂₇H₂₉NO₇Na 502.1842). Anal. Calcd for C₂₇H₂₉NO₇: C, 67.63; H, 6.10; N, 2.92. Found: C, 67.58; H, 6.12; N, 2.89.

7q: (Table 4, entry 8). (1 mmol scale, 282 mg, 57%); *R*_f = 0.4 (hexane–ether = 1:8); colorless crystals; mp 128–129.5 °C (AcOEt); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) 1.23 (t, *J* = 7.1 Hz, 3H), 1.37 (t, *J* = 7.1 Hz, 3H), 1.38 (t, *J* = 7.1 Hz, 3H), 2.53 (dddd, *J* = 12.9, 12.1, 9.8, 7.5, 5.1 Hz, 1H), 2.86 (dd, *J* = 16.6, 12.1 Hz, 1H), 3.05 (d, *J* = 12.9 Hz, 1H), 3.05 (dd, *J* = 9.8, 9.3 Hz, 1H), 3.08 (dd, *J* = 16.6, 5.1 Hz, 1H), 3.46 (dd, *J* = 9.3, 7.5 Hz, 1H), 4.13 (dq, *J* = 10.7, 7.1 Hz, 1H), 4.27–4.51 (m, 6H), 4.68 (d, *J* = 14.8 Hz, 1H), 7.19 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 1H), 7.26–7.36 (m, 5H), 7.89 (dd, *J* = 8.0, 1.8 Hz, 1H), 8.10 (d, *J* = 1.8 Hz, 1H); ¹³C NMR (100.6 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) 13.9 (CH₃), 14.1 (CH₃),

14.3 (CH₃), 32.3 (CH), 34.3 (CH₂), 46.5 (CH₂), 50.2 (CH), 50.3 (CH₂), 60.4 (C), 61.0 (CH₂), 62.1 (CH₂), 62.7 (CH₂), 127.6 (CH), 128.2 (CH), 128.7 (CH), 128.85 (CH), 128.92 (C), 129.8 (CH), 132.1 (CH), 134.5 (C), 136.7 (C), 140.6 (C), 166.1 (C), 168.2 (C), 170.4 (C), 171.6 (C); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CD₃CN) δ (ppm) 1.16 (t, *J* = 7.1 Hz, 3H), 1.28 (t, *J* = 7.1 Hz, 3H), 1.35 (t, *J* = 7.0 Hz, 3H), 2.44 (dddd, *J* = 13.1, 11.9, 9.6, 7.4, 5.3 Hz, 1H), 2.89 (dd, *J* = 16.8, 11.9 Hz, 1H), 3.04 (d, *J* = 13.1 Hz, 1H), 3.11 (dd, *J* = 9.6, 9.2 Hz, 1H), 3.11 (dd, *J* = 16.8, 5.3 Hz, 1H), 3.47 (dd, *J* = 9.2, 7.4 Hz, 1H), 4.07 (dq, *J* = 10.7, 7.1 Hz, 1H), 4.18–4.39 (m, 6H), 4.62 (d, *J* = 15.0 Hz, 1H), 7.28–7.33 (m, 4H), 7.35–7.39 (m, 2H), 7.87 (dd, *J* = 8.0, 1.8 Hz, 1H), 7.95 (d, *J* = 1.8 Hz, 1H). Selected NOEs are between δ 2.44 (C3a–H) and δ 3.47 (C3–HH), and between δ 2.89 (C4–HH) and δ 3.04 (C9a–H). ¹³C NMR (100.6 MHz, CD₃CN) δ (ppm) 14.9 (CH₃), 15.0 (CH₃), 15.2 (CH₃), 33.8 (CH), 35.3 (CH₂), 47.4 (CH₂), 51.2 (CH), 51.7 (CH₂), 62.2 (C), 62.5 (CH₂), 63.4 (CH₂), 63.8 (CH₂), 128.9 (CH), 129.4 (CH), 130.0 (CH), 130.2 (CH), 131.9 (CH), 133.0 (CH), 136.4 (C), 139.1 (C), 143.3 (C), 167.3 (C), 169.7 (C), 172.0 (C), 172.8 (C). Selected HMBC correlations are between δ 2.89 (C4–HH) and δ 51.7 (C3), between δ 3.47 (C3–HH), 2.89 (C4–HH), and δ 51.2 (C9a), between δ 2.89 (C4–HH), 3.04 (C9a–H), 3.47 (C3–HH), and δ 33.8 (C3a), and between δ 3.04 (C9a–H) and δ 62.2 (C9). IR (KBr) 2983, 1728, 1611, 1482, 1443, 1366, 1280, 1259, 1193, 1027 cm⁻¹; MS (EI) *m/z* 493 (M⁺, 100), 390 (72), 91 (55%); HRMS (EI) *m/z* M⁺ 493.2094 (calcd for C₂₈H₃₁NO₇ 493.2101).

7r: (Table 4, entry 9). (0.5 mmol scale, 125 mg, 51%); *R*_f = 0.7 (ether); colorless crystals; mp 124–125 °C; ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) 1.23 (t, *J* = 7.1 Hz, 3H), 1.35 (t, *J* = 7.1 Hz, 3H), 2.54 (dddd, *J* = 14.1, 12.2, 9.8, 7.5, 5.3 Hz, 1H), 2.87 (dd, *J* = 16.5, 12.2 Hz, 1H), 3.04 (d, *J* = 14.1 Hz, 1H), 3.06 (dd, *J* = 9.8, 9.3 Hz, 1H), 3.08 (dd, *J* = 16.5, 5.3 Hz, 1H), 3.47 (dd, *J* = 9.3, 7.5 Hz, 1H), 4.13 (dq, *J* = 10.7, 3.1 Hz, 1H), 4.26–4.47 (m, 4H), 4.69 (d, *J* = 14.8 Hz, 1H), 7.24 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 1H), 7.27–7.37 (m, 5H), 7.48 (dd, *J* = 8.0, 1.4 Hz, 1H), 7.67 (bs, 1H); ¹³C NMR (100.6 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) 13.8 (CH₃), 14.1 (CH₃), 32.4 (CH), 34.2 (CH₂), 46.5 (CH₂), 50.2 (CH), 50.3 (CH₂), 60.4 (C), 62.3 (CH₂), 62.8 (CH₂), 124.0 (C, *q*, *J*_{CF} = 272 Hz), 124.7 (CH, *q*, *J*_{CF} = 3.8 Hz), 127.6 (CH), 127.9 (CH, *q*, *J*_{CF} = 3.8 Hz), 128.2 (CH), 128.8 (CH), 128.9 (C, *q*, *J*_{CF} = 33 Hz), 130.3 (CH), 134.9 (C), 136.6 (C), 139.7 (C), 167.9 (C), 170.2 (C), 171.4 (C); ¹⁹F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) –62.71; ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CD₃CN) δ (ppm) 1.16 (t, *J* = 7.0 Hz, 3H), 1.27 (t, *J* = 7.1 Hz, 3H), 2.46 (dddd, *J* = 13.1, 12.1, 9.6, 7.4, 5.1 Hz, 1H), 2.91 (dd, *J* = 16.8, 12.1 Hz, 1H), 3.05 (d, *J* = 13.1 Hz, 1H), 3.12 (dd, *J* = 9.6, 9.2 Hz, 1H), 3.12 (dd, *J* = 16.8, 5.1 Hz, 1H), 3.48 (dd, *J* = 9.2, 7.4 Hz, 1H), 4.07 (dq, *J* = 10.7, 7.0 Hz, 1H), 4.18–4.37 (m, 4H), 4.63 (d, *J* = 15.0 Hz, 1H), 7.28–7.40 (m, 6H), 7.58 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 1H), 7.59 (s, 1H). Selected NOEs are between δ 2.46 (C3a–H) and δ 3.48 (C3–HH), and between δ 2.91 (C4–HH) and δ 3.05 (C9a–H). ¹³C NMR (100.6 MHz, CD₃CN) δ (ppm) 14.1 (CH₃), 14.3 (CH₃), 33.1 (CH), 34.5 (CH₂), 46.7 (CH₂), 50.5 (CH), 51.0 (CH₂), 61.5 (C), 62.9 (CH₂), 63.2 (CH₂), 125.2 (C, *q*, *J*_{CF} = 271 Hz), 125.4 (CH, *q*, *J*_{CF} = 3.8 Hz), 128.2 (CH, *q*, *J*_{CF} = 4.6 Hz), 128.3 (CH), 128.7 (C, *q*, *J*_{CF} = 32 Hz), 128.8 (CH), 129.6 (CH), 131.9 (CH), 136.3 (C), 138.4 (C), 142.2 (C), 168.8 (C), 171.1 (C), 172.0 (C). Selected HMBC correlations are between δ 2.91 (C4–HH) and δ 51.0 (C3), between δ 3.48 (C3–HH), 2.91 (C4–HH), and δ 50.5 (C9a), between δ 2.91 (C4–HH), 3.05 (C9a–H), 3.48 (C3–HH), and δ 33.1 (C3a), and between δ 3.05 (C9a–H) and δ 61.5 (C9). IR (KBr) 2927, 1747, 1726, 1699, 1334, 1261, 1162, 1128 cm⁻¹; MS (EI) *m/z* 489 (M⁺, 25), 386 (15), 333 (14), 242 (29), 226 (36), 200 (100%); HRMS (EI) *m/z* M⁺ 489.1772 (calcd for C₂₆H₂₆F₃NO₅ 489.1763).

7s: (Table 4, entry 9). (0.5 mmol scale, 14 mg, 6%); *R*_f = 0.4 (ether); colorless crystals; mp 164–165 °C; ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) 1.30 (t, *J* = 7.0 Hz, 3H), 1.34 (t, *J* = 7.1 Hz, 3H), 2.36 (ddd, *J* = 10.9, 6.6, 5.9 Hz, 1H), 2.64 (d, *J* = 10.9 Hz, 1H), 3.33 (dd, *J* = 10.9, 5.9 Hz, 1H), 3.82 (d, *J* = 14.3 Hz, 1H), 3.91 (d, *J* = 6.6 Hz, 1H), 4.03–4.16 (m, 2H), 4.24–4.37 (m, 3H), 5.00 (d, *J* = 14.3 Hz, 1H), 6.79 (d, *J* = 8.1 Hz, 2H), 7.30–7.32 (m, 2H), 7.40–7.44 (m, 3H), 7.49 (d, *J* = 8.1 Hz, 2H). Selected NOEs are between δ 2.36 (C5–H) and δ 3.33 (C4–HH), 6.79 (Ar–H), 3.91 (C1–H) and between δ 3.33 (C4–HH) and δ 3.91 (C1–H). ¹³C NMR (100.6 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) 14.5 (CH₃), 15.0 (CH₃), 36.3 (CH), 41.1 (CH), 44.4 (CH₂), 46.3 (CH₂), 60.1 (CH₂),

65.0 (CH₂), 79.0 (CH), 79.7 (C), 123.8 (C, q, $J_{CF} = 272$ Hz), 125.7 (CH, q, $J_{CF} = 3.8$ Hz), 127.7 (CH), 128.1 (CH), 129.1 (CH), 129.2 (CH), 131.3 (C, q, $J_{CF} = 33$ Hz), 136.7 (C), 140.7 (C), 162.7 (C), 167.1 (C), 172.8 (C). Selected HMBC correlations are between δ 2.36 (C5-H), 2.64 (C4-HH), 3.91 (C1-H), and δ 172.8 (C2), between δ 2.36 (C5-H), 2.64 (C4-HH), 3.33 (C4-HH), 3.91 (C1-H), and δ 79.0 (C6), between δ 2.64 (C4-HH) and δ 41.1 (C1), and between δ 2.64 (C4-HH), 3.91 (C1-H), and δ 36.3 (C5). ¹⁹F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) -62.85; IR (KBr) 2984, 2931, 1699, 1668, 1621, 1327, 1164, 1124, 1068, 1020 cm⁻¹; MS (EI) m/z 489 (M⁺, 21), 291 (43), 205 (92), 200 (63), 91 (100%); HRMS (EI) m/z M⁺ 489.1789 (calcd for C₂₆H₂₆F₃NO₅ 489.1763).

7s: (Table 5, entry 1). (1 mmol scale, 258 mg, 53%); $R_f = 0.6$ (hexane-ether = 1:8); colorless oil; ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) 1.24 (t, $J = 7.1$ Hz, 3H), 1.35 (t, $J = 7.1$ Hz, 3H), 2.53 (dddd, $J = 13.3, 12.1, 9.6, 7.5, 5.3$ Hz, 1H), 2.88 (dd, $J = 16.3, 12.1$ Hz, 1H), 3.04 (d, $J = 13.3$ Hz, 1H), 3.07 (dd, $J = 9.6, 9.3$ Hz, 1H), 3.09 (dd, $J = 16.3, 5.3$ Hz, 1H), 3.48 (dd, $J = 9.3, 7.5$ Hz, 1H), 4.13 (dq, $J = 10.7, 7.1$ Hz, 1H), 4.26-4.47 (m, 4H), 4.69 (d, $J = 14.8$ Hz, 1H), 7.26-7.37 (m, 5H), 7.39 (bs, 1H), 7.47 (broad d, $J = 8.2$ Hz, 1H), 7.52 (d, $J = 8.2$ Hz, 1H); ¹³C NMR (100.6 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) 13.9 (CH₃), 14.1 (CH₃), 32.3 (CH), 34.1 (CH₂), 46.4 (CH₂), 50.2 (CH), 50.3 (CH₂), 60.5 (C), 62.2 (CH₂), 62.7 (CH₂), 123.1 (CH, q, $J_{CF} = 3.8$ Hz), 123.9 (C, q, $J_{CF} = 272$ Hz), 126.7 (CH, q, $J_{CF} = 3.8$ Hz), 127.6 (CH), 128.2 (CH), 128.7 (CH), 130.2 (C, q, $J_{CF} = 32$ Hz), 131.3 (CH), 136.5 (C), 136.6 (C), 137.8 (C), 167.9 (C), 170.2 (C), 171.4 (C); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CD₃CN) δ (ppm) 1.17 (t, $J = 7.0$ Hz, 3H), 1.28 (t, $J = 7.1$ Hz, 3H), 2.46 (dddd, $J = 13.1, 12.1, 9.2, 7.7, 5.4$ Hz, 1H), 2.91 (dd, $J = 16.6, 12.1$ Hz, 1H), 3.04 (d, $J = 13.1$ Hz, 1H), 3.12 (dd, $J = 9.2, 9.1$ Hz, 1H), 3.13 (dd, $J = 16.6, 5.4$ Hz, 1H), 3.48 (dd, $J = 9.1, 7.7$ Hz, 1H), 4.07 (dq, $J = 10.7, 7.0$ Hz, 1H), 4.19-4.37 (m, 4H), 4.63 (d, $J = 15.0$ Hz, 1H), 7.28-7.39 (m, 5H), 7.50-7.55 (m, 3H). Selected NOEs are between δ 2.46 (C3a-H) and δ 3.48 (C3-HH), and between δ 2.91 (C4-HH) and δ 3.04 (C9a-H). ¹³C NMR (100.6 MHz, CD₃CN) δ (ppm) 14.2 (CH₃), 14.3 (CH₃), 33.1 (CH), 34.4 (CH₂), 46.7 (CH₂), 50.5 (CH), 51.0 (CH₂), 61.7 (C), 62.9 (CH₂), 63.2 (CH₂), 123.6 (CH, q, $J = 3.8$ Hz), 125.1 (C, q, $J = 271$ Hz), 127.7 (CH, q, $J = 3.8$ Hz), 128.3 (CH), 128.8 (CH), 129.6 (CH), 130.3 (C, q, $J = 32$ Hz), 132.4 (CH), 138.4 (C), 138.7 (C), 139.5 (C), 168.8 (C), 171.1 (C), 172.1 (C). Selected HMBC correlations are between δ 2.91 (C4-HH) and δ 51.0 (C3), between δ 3.48 (C3-HH), 2.91 (C4-HH), and δ 50.5 (C9a), between δ 2.91 (C4-HH), 3.04 (C9a-H), 3.48 (C3-HH), and δ 33.1 (C3a), and between δ 3.04 (C9a-H) and δ 61.7 (C9). IR (neat) 2980, 1747, 1733, 1684, 1651, 1426, 1337, 1250, 1164, 1083, 1031 cm⁻¹; MS (FAB) m/z 512 ([M + Na]⁺), 490 ([M + H]⁺); HRMS (FAB) m/z [M + Na]⁺ 512.1661 (calcd for C₂₆H₂₆F₃NO₅Na 512.1661).

3s: (Table 5, entry 1). (1 mmol scale, 119 mg, 24%); $R_f = 0.1$ (hexane-ether = 1:8); colorless crystals; mp 130-131 °C; ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) 1.30 (t, $J = 7.0$ Hz, 3H), 1.34 (t, $J = 7.1$ Hz, 3H), 2.40 (ddd, $J = 10.9, 6.6, 6.0$ Hz, 1H), 2.62 (d, $J = 10.9$ Hz, 1H), 3.35 (dd, $J = 10.9, 6.0$ Hz, 1H), 3.79 (d, $J = 14.3$ Hz, 1H), 3.92 (d, $J = 6.6$ Hz, 1H), 4.03-4.16 (m, 2H), 4.25-4.37 (m, 3H), 5.02 (d, $J = 14.3$ Hz, 1H), 6.90 (d, $J = 7.8$ Hz, 1H), 7.03 (s, 1H), 7.28-7.31 (m, 2H), 7.35-7.43 (m, 4H), 7.57 (d, $J = 7.8$ Hz, 1H). Selected NOEs are between δ 2.40 (C5-H) and δ 3.35 (C4-HH), 6.90 (Ar-H), 7.03 (Ar-H), 3.92 (C1-H) and between δ 3.35 (C4-HH) and δ 3.92 (C1-H). ¹³C NMR (100.6 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) 14.5 (CH₃), 15.0 (CH₃), 36.1 (CH), 41.0 (CH), 44.5 (CH₂), 46.4 (CH₂), 60.1 (CH₂), 65.1 (CH₂), 79.0 (CH), 79.8 (C), 123.7 (C, q, $J_{CF} = 273$ Hz), 124.2 (CH, q, $J_{CF} = 3.8$ Hz), 126.1 (CH, q, $J_{CF} = 3.8$ Hz), 128.2 (CH), 129.0 (CH), 129.1 (CH), 129.3 (CH), 130.8 (CH), 131.3 (C, q, $J_{CF} = 32$ Hz), 136.5 (C), 138.0 (C), 162.6 (C), 167.1 (C), 172.7 (C). Selected HMBC correlations are between δ 2.40 (C5-H), 2.62 (C4-HH), 3.92 (C1-H), and δ 172.7 (C2), between δ 2.40 (C5-H), 2.62 (C4-HH), 3.35 (C4-HH), 3.92 (C1-H), and δ 79.0 (C6), between δ 2.62 (C4-HH) and δ 41.0 (C1), and between δ 2.62 (C4-HH), 3.92 (C1-H), and δ 36.1 (C5). ¹⁹F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) -62.56; IR (KBr) 2983, 2929, 1701, 1666, 1625, 1494, 1413, 1331, 1164, 1083 cm⁻¹; MS (FAB) m/z 512 ([M + Na]⁺), 490 ([M + H]⁺); HRMS (FAB) m/z [M + Na]⁺ 512.1660 (calcd for C₂₆H₂₆F₃NO₅Na 512.1661).

3t: (Table 5, entry 2). (0.5 mmol scale, 85 mg, 30%); $R_f = 0.5$ (ether); colorless crystals; mp 170-171 °C; ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) 1.31 (t, $J = 7.1$ Hz, 3H), 1.35 (t, $J = 7.1$ Hz, 3H), 2.42 (ddd, $J = 11.0, 6.8, 6.1$ Hz, 1H), 2.58 (d, $J = 11.0$ Hz, 1H), 3.39 (dd, $J = 11.0, 6.1$ Hz, 1H), 3.72 (d, $J = 14.2$ Hz, 1H), 3.95 (d, $J = 6.8$ Hz, 1H), 4.03-4.16 (m, 2H), 4.25-4.38 (m, 2H), 5.12 (d, $J = 14.2$ Hz, 1H), 7.21 (s, 2H), 7.29-7.31 (m, 2H), 7.39-7.43 (m, 3H), 7.83 (s, 1H). Selected NOEs are between δ 2.42 (C5-H) and δ 3.39 (C4-HH), 7.21 (Ar-H), 3.95 (C1-H) and between δ 3.39 (C4-HH) and δ 3.95 (C1-H). ¹³C NMR (100.6 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) 14.5 (CH₃), 14.9 (CH₃), 36.2 (CH), 40.9 (CH), 44.2 (CH₂), 46.3 (CH₂), 60.2 (CH₂), 65.4 (CH₂), 78.3 (CH), 80.3 (C), 122.8 (C, q, $J_{CF} = 273$ Hz), 123.2 (CH, septet, $J_{CF} = 3.8$ Hz), 127.6 (CH), 128.5 (CH), 128.8 (CH), 129.1 (CH), 132.3 (C, q, $J_{CF} = 34$ Hz), 136.3 (C), 139.8 (C), 162.1 (C), 166.9 (C), 172.4 (C). Selected HMBC correlations are between δ 2.42 (C5-H), 2.58 (C4-HH), 3.95 (C1-H), and δ 172.4 (C2), between δ 2.42 (C5-H), 2.58 (C4-HH), 3.39 (C4-HH), 3.95 (C1-H), and δ 78.3 (C6), between δ 2.58 (C4-HH) and δ 40.9 (C1), and between δ 2.58 (C4-HH), 3.39 (C4-HH), 3.95 (C1-H), and δ 36.2 (C5). ¹⁹F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) -62.75; IR (KBr) 2989, 2935, 1701, 1680, 1646, 1341, 1279, 1176, 1123, 1087 cm⁻¹; MS (FAB) m/z 580 ([M + Na]⁺), 558 ([M + H]⁺); HRMS (FAB) m/z M⁺ 557.1636 (calcd for C₂₇H₂₅F₆NO₅ 557.1637), [M + H]⁺ 558.1706 (calcd for C₂₇H₂₅F₆NO₅ 558.1715), [M + Na]⁺ 580.1535 (calcd for C₂₇H₂₅F₆NO₅Na 580.1535).

6-F-7u/8-F-7u: (Table 5, entry 3). (0.83 mmol scale, 134 mg, 37%, 2.5:1 regioisomers); $R_f = 0.6$ (ether); pale yellow oil; ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) 1.23 (t, $J = 7.1$ Hz, 3H \times 0.7, major isomer), 1.24 (t, $J = 7.1$ Hz, 3H \times 0.3, minor isomer), 1.35 (t, $J = 7.1$ Hz, 3H \times 0.7), 1.37 (t, $J = 7.1$ Hz, 3H \times 0.3), 2.44-2.56 (m, 1H), 2.81 (dd, $J = 15.8, 12.3$ Hz, 1H), 2.94 (d, $J = 12.9$ Hz, 1H \times 0.3), 2.97-3.10 (m, 4H \times 0.7), 3.42-3.47 (m, 1H), 4.07-4.17 (m, 1H), 4.26-4.51 (m, 4H), 4.64 (d, $J = 14.7$ Hz, 1H \times 0.3), 4.68 (d, $J = 14.8$ Hz, 1H \times 0.7), 6.81 (dd, $J_{FH} = 9.5, J_{HH} = 2.6$ Hz, 1H \times 0.7), 6.91-6.96 (m, 1H + 1H \times 0.3), 7.19-7.38 (m, 5H + 1H \times 0.7 + 1H \times 0.3). Selected NOEs are between δ 2.44-2.56 (C3a-H for 6-F-7u and 8-F-7u) and δ 3.42-3.47 (C3-HH for 6-F-7u and 8-F-7u). ¹³C NMR (100.6 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) 13.89 (CH₃), 13.94 (CH₃), 14.1 (CH₃), 32.28 (CH), 32.31 (CH), 34.0 (CH₂), 34.3 (CH₂), 46.5 (CH₂), 50.3 (CH₂), 50.5 (CH), 50.9 (CH), 57.9 (C), 60.0 (C), 62.00 (CH₂), 62.04 (CH₂), 62.5 (CH₂), 62.6 (CH₂), 113.9 (CH, d, $J_{CF} = 21$ Hz), 114.0 (CH, d, $J_{CF} = 23$ Hz), 115.8 (CH, d, $J_{CF} = 21$ Hz), 123.3 (C, d, $J_{CF} = 15$ Hz), 125.3 (C, d, $J_{CF} = 3.1$ Hz), 127.6 (CH), 128.2 (CH), 128.7 (CH), 129.4 (CH, d, $J_{CF} = 9.2$ Hz), 129.9 (C, d, $J_{CF} = 3.1$ Hz), 132.4 (CH, d, $J_{CF} = 8.4$ Hz), 136.65 (C), 136.69 (C), 138.0 (C, d, $J_{CF} = 7.7$ Hz), 161.8 (C, d, $J_{CF} = 250$ Hz), 162.08 (C, d, $J_{CF} = 248$ Hz), 168.10 (C), 168.5 (C), 170.5 (C), 170.7 (C), 171.4 (C), 171.7 (C). Selected HMBC correlations are between δ 2.81 (C4-HH for 6-F-7u and 8-F-7u), 3.42-3.47 (C3-HH for 6-F-7u and 8-F-7u), and δ 32.28 (C3a for 6-F-7u), 32.31 (C3a for 8-F-7u). ¹⁹F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) -107.29 (dd, $J_{FH} = 10.3, 5.7$ Hz, minor isomer), -114.44 (ddd, $J_{FH} = 9.5, 8.6, 5.7$ Hz, major isomer); IR (neat) 2982, 2935, 1732, 1699, 1683, 1615, 1583, 1495, 1435, 1366, 1298, 1194, 1108, 1030 cm⁻¹; MS (EI) m/z 439 (M⁺, 13), 336 (13), 321 (48), 91 (100%); HRMS (EI) m/z M⁺ 439.1788 (calcd for C₂₅H₂₆FNO₅ 439.1795).

3u: (Table 5, entry 3). (0.83 mmol scale, 107 mg, 29%); $R_f = 0.3$ (ether); colorless crystals; mp 146-147 °C; ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) 1.30 (t, $J = 7.1$ Hz, 3H), 1.34 (t, $J = 7.1$ Hz, 3H), 2.35 (ddd, $J = 10.9, 6.6, 5.9$ Hz, 1H), 2.67 (d, $J = 10.9$ Hz, 1H), 3.33 (dd, $J = 10.9, 5.9$ Hz, 1H), 3.85 (d, $J = 14.2$ Hz, 1H), 3.89 (d, $J = 6.6$ Hz, 1H), 4.04-4.17 (m, 2H), 4.22 (d, $J = 10.9$ Hz, 1H), 4.24-4.36 (m, 2H), 4.95 (d, $J = 14.2$ Hz, 1H), 6.44-6.47 (m, 2H), 7.00 (dddd, $J_{FH} = 8.4, J_{HH} = 8.2, 1.2, 1.2$ Hz, 1H), 7.20 (ddd, $J_{FH} = 5.5, J_{HH} = 8.2, 8.0$ Hz, 1H), 7.28-7.31 (m, 2H), 7.36-7.43 (m, 3H). Selected NOEs are between δ 2.35 (C5-H) and δ 3.33 (C4-HH), 6.44-6.47 (Ar-H), 3.89 (C1-H) and between δ 3.33 (C4-HH) and δ 3.89 (C1-H). ¹³C NMR (100.6 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) 14.5 (CH₃), 15.0 (CH₃), 36.2 (CH), 41.1 (CH), 44.5 (CH₂), 46.3 (CH₂), 60.0 (CH₂), 64.9 (CH₂), 79.0 (CH, d, $J_{CF} = 1.5$ Hz), 79.5 (C), 114.3 (CH, d, $J_{CF} = 22$ Hz), 116.1 (CH, d, $J_{CF} = 21$ Hz), 123.0 (CH, d, $J_{CF} = 3.1$ Hz), 128.1 (CH), 129.0 (CH), 129.1 (CH), 130.3 (CH, d, $J_{CF} = 7.7$ Hz), 136.6 (C), 139.2 (C, d, $J_{CF} = 7.7$ Hz), 162.70 (C),

162.73 (C, d, $J_{CF} = 248$ Hz), 167.2 (C), 172.8 (C). Selected HMBC correlations are between δ 2.35 (C5–H), 2.67 (C4–HH), 3.89 (C1–H), and δ 172.8 (C2), between δ 2.35 (C5–H), 2.67 (C4–HH), 3.33 (C4–HH), 3.89 (C1–H), and δ 79.0 (C6), between δ 2.67 (C4–HH) and δ 41.1 (C1), and between δ 2.67 (C4–HH), 3.33 (C4–HH), 3.89 (C1–H), and δ 36.2 (C5). ^{19}F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) –111.80 (ddd, $J_{FH} = 9.2, 8.4, 5.5$ Hz); IR (KBr) 2980, 2905, 1697, 1649, 1618, 1494, 1435, 1379, 1335, 1278, 1178, 1076, 1028 cm^{-1} ; MS (EI) m/z 439 (M^+ , 19), 240 (S4), 157 (42), 91 (100%); HRMS (EI) m/z M^+ 439.1790 (calcd for $\text{C}_{25}\text{H}_{26}\text{FNO}_5$, 439.1795).

8v: (Table 6, entry 2). (0.5 mmol scale, 188 mg, 62%); $R_f = 0.5$ (ether); colorless crystals; mp 153–154 °C (AcOEt–hexane = 2:1); ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) 1.25 (t, $J = 7.0$ Hz, 3H), 1.28 (t, $J = 7.0$ Hz, 3H), 3.27 (dddd, $J = 9.2, 7.0, 5.7, 5.7$ Hz, 1H), 3.44 (dd, $J = 7.0, 4.1$ Hz, 1H), 3.51 (dd, $J = 10.2, 9.2$ Hz, 1H), 3.81 (dd, $J = 10.2, 5.7$ Hz, 1H), 3.83 (d, $J = 4.1$ Hz, 1H), 4.09–4.28 (m, 4H), 4.52 (d, $J = 14.8$ Hz, 1H), 4.65 (d, $J = 14.8$ Hz, 1H), 5.90 (d, $J = 5.7$ Hz, 1H), 7.27–7.43 (m, 8H), 7.50 (dd, $J = 8.2, 7.8$ Hz, 1H), 7.69 (d, $J = 7.8$ Hz, 1H), 7.91 (d, $J = 9.2$ Hz, 1H), 8.16 (ddd, $J = 8.2, 2.1, 1.0$ Hz, 1H), 8.32 (dd, $J = 2.1, 2.0$ Hz, 1H); ^{13}C NMR (100.6 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) 14.0 (CH_3), 14.1 (CH_3), 39.7 (CH), 44.2 (CH), 45.9 (CH_2), 47.0 (CH_2), 51.2 (CH), 62.1 (CH_2), 62.2 (CH_2), 91.4 (CH), 108.4 (CH), 120.4 (CH), 121.9 (CH), 124.4 (CH), 124.8 (CH), 127.4 (C), 127.9 (CH), 128.2 (CH), 128.5 (CH), 128.9 (CH), 130.2 (CH), 133.5 (CH), 135.7 (C), 138.3 (C), 143.3 (C), 148.4 (C), 167.7 (C), 168.5 (C), 171.7 (C); ^1H NMR (400 MHz, C_6D_6) δ (ppm) 0.896 (t, $J = 7.1$ Hz, 3H), 0.946 (t, $J = 7.0$ Hz, 3H), 3.21 (dddd, $J = 9.0, 7.8, 6.8, 6.2$ Hz, 1H), 3.31 (dd, $J = 7.8, 4.3$ Hz, 1H), 3.41 (dd, $J = 9.9, 9.0$ Hz, 1H), 3.57 (dd, $J = 9.9, 6.2$ Hz, 1H), 3.65 (d, $J = 4.3$ Hz, 1H), 3.86–4.05 (m, 4H), 4.21 (d, $J = 14.8$ Hz, 1H), 4.69 (d, $J = 14.8$ Hz, 1H), 5.59 (d, $J = 6.8$ Hz, 1H), 6.46 (dd, $J = 7.9, 7.9$ Hz, 1H), 6.73 (ddd, $J = 8.4, 7.0, 1.1$ Hz, 1H), 6.87 (ddd, $J = 8.2, 7.0, 0.9$ Hz, 1H), 7.02 (dd, $J = 9.4, 1.0$ Hz, 1H), 7.05–7.09 (m, 2H), 7.16–7.20 (m, 2H), 7.31 (d, $J = 8.4$ Hz, 1H), 7.51 (ddd, $J = 8.2, 2.0, 1.0$ Hz, 1H), 7.67 (d, $J = 8.4$ Hz, 1H), 8.22 (dd, $J = 2.0, 1.9$ Hz, 1H). Selected NOEs are between δ 3.31 (C3–H) and δ 5.59 (CH(Ar)O), between δ 3.21 (C4–H), and δ 3.65 (CH(CO₂Et)₂), 3.41 (C5–HH), and between 3.57 (C5–HH) and δ 5.59 (CH(Ar)O). ^{13}C NMR (100.6 MHz, C_6D_6) δ (ppm) 13.8 (CH_3), 13.9 (CH_3), 39.9 (CH), 44.2 (CH), 46.5 (CH_2), 46.9 (CH_2), 51.5 (CH), 61.8 (CH_2), 61.9 (CH_2), 91.9 (CH), 108.5 (CH), 120.6 (CH), 121.9 (CH), 124.2 (CH), 124.6 (CH), 127.9 (CH), 128.1 (CH), 128.6 (CH), 129.0 (CH), 129.8 (CH), 133.5 (CH), 136.8 (C), 138.3 (C), 143.7 (C), 148.5 (C), 167.9 (C), 168.4 (C), 171.2 (C). Selected HMBC correlations are between δ 3.41 (C5–HH), 3.57 (C5–HH), 3.31 (C3–H), and δ 171.2 (C2), between δ 3.41 (C5–HH), 3.57 (C5–HH), 3.31 (C3–H), and δ 39.9 (C4), and between δ 3.41 (C5–HH), 3.57 (C5–HH), and δ 91.9 (CH(Ar)O). IR (KBr) 3074, 2985, 2939, 1746, 1724, 1697, 1616, 1513, 1489, 1444, 1354, 1256, 1180, 1079, 1027, 958 cm^{-1} ; MS (FAB) m/z 624 ($[M + \text{Na}]^+$), 602 ($[M + \text{H}]^+$); HRMS (FAB) m/z $[M + \text{Na}]^+$ 624.2066 (calcd for $\text{C}_{31}\text{H}_{31}\text{N}_5\text{O}_8\text{Na}$ 624.2070), $[M + \text{H}]^+$ 602.2244 (calcd for $\text{C}_{31}\text{H}_{32}\text{N}_5\text{O}_8$ 602.2251). Anal. Calcd for $\text{C}_{31}\text{H}_{31}\text{N}_5\text{O}_8$: C, 61.89; H, 5.19; N, 11.64. Found: C, 61.75; H, 5.24; N, 11.50.

8w: (Table 6, entry 4). (0.5 mmol scale, 227 mg, 75%); $R_f = 0.8$ (CH_2Cl_2 –ether = 1:1); colorless crystals; mp 134–136 °C (AcOEt–hexane = 1:1); ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) 0.949–1.04 (m, 2H), 1.15–1.31 (m, 3H), 1.25 (t, $J = 7.0$ Hz, 3H), 1.26 (t, $J = 7.0$ Hz, 3H), 1.66–1.75 (m, 6H), 3.23 (d, $J = 7.2$ Hz, 2H), 3.30–3.38 (m, 2H), 3.66 (dd, $J = 10.1, 9.2$ Hz, 1H), 3.83 (d, $J = 3.7$ Hz, 1H), 3.96 (dd, $J = 10.1, 5.2$ Hz, 1H), 4.05–4.24 (m, 4H), 5.93 (d, $J = 5.1$ Hz, 1H), 7.32 (dd, $J = 8.4, 7.1$ Hz, 1H), 7.37 (d, $J = 8.4$ Hz, 1H), 7.43 (dd, $J = 8.4, 7.1$ Hz, 1H), 7.55 (dd, $J = 8.2, 7.6$ Hz, 1H), 7.75 (d, $J = 7.6$ Hz, 1H), 7.93 (d, $J = 8.4$ Hz, 1H), 8.20 (ddd, $J = 8.2, 1.2, 0.8$ Hz, 1H), 8.42 (dd, $J = 1.2, 1.2$ Hz, 1H); ^{13}C NMR (100.6 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) 14.0 (CH_3), 25.71 (CH_2), 25.74 (CH_2), 26.3 (CH_2), 30.7 (CH_2), 30.8 (CH_2), 35.8 (CH), 39.7 (CH), 44.3 (CH), 47.3 (CH_2), 49.5 (CH_2), 51.2 (CH), 61.9 (CH_2), 62.1 (CH_2), 91.6 (CH), 108.4 (CH), 120.4 (CH), 121.9 (CH), 124.4 (CH), 124.8 (CH), 127.4 (C), 128.5 (CH), 130.1 (CH), 133.7 (CH), 138.5 (C), 143.3 (C), 148.4 (C), 167.7 (C), 168.4 (C), 171.6 (C); IR (KBr) 2921, 2852, 1746, 1722, 1695, 1536, 1346, 1251, 1171, 1082, 1027, 957 cm^{-1} ; MS (FAB) m/z 630 ($[M + \text{Na}]^+$),

608 ($[M + \text{H}]^+$); HRMS (FAB) m/z $[M + \text{Na}]^+$ 630.2537 (calcd for $\text{C}_{31}\text{H}_{37}\text{N}_5\text{O}_8\text{Na}$ 630.2540), $[M + \text{H}]^+$ 608.2720 (calcd for $\text{C}_{31}\text{H}_{38}\text{N}_5\text{O}_8$ 608.2720). Anal. Calcd for $\text{C}_{31}\text{H}_{37}\text{N}_5\text{O}_8$: C, 61.27; H, 6.14; N, 11.53. Found: C, 61.14; H, 6.13; N, 11.47.

9: (eq 7, rt, 18 h). (1 mmol scale, 361 mg, 60%, dr = 2:1); $R_f = 0.2$ (CH_2Cl_2 –ether = 1:1); pale yellow crystals; ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) 1.19 (t, $J = 7.1$ Hz, 3H \times 0.33, minor isomer), 1.24 (t, $J = 7.1$ Hz, 6H \times 0.67, major isomer), 1.30 (t, $J = 7.1$ Hz, 3H \times 0.33), 2.91 (s, 6H \times 0.67), 2.93 (s, 6H \times 0.33), 2.96 (d, $J = 3.9$ Hz, 1H \times 0.67), 3.06 (dd, $J = 9.7, 5.4$ Hz, 1H \times 0.67), 3.10 (dd, $J = 7.7, 3.9$ Hz, 1H \times 0.67), 3.16 (dd, $J = 5.7, 4.3$ Hz, 1H \times 0.33), 3.43 (dd, $J = 9.3, 3.2$ Hz, 1H \times 0.33), 3.52–3.64 (m, 2H \times 0.67), 3.98 (d, $J = 4.3$ Hz, 1H \times 0.33), 4.08–4.34 (m, 4H), 4.41–4.51 (m, 2H), 5.37 (d, $J = 9.8$ Hz, 1H \times 0.67), 5.75 (d, $J = 5.9$ Hz, 1H \times 0.33), 6.53 (d, $J = 8.8$ Hz, 2H \times 0.33), 6.59 (d, $J = 8.8$ Hz, 2H \times 0.67), 7.07–7.12 (m, 3H \times 0.33), 7.19–7.36 (m, 6H \times 0.67), 7.44–7.51 (m, 1H), 7.90–7.94 (m, 1H). Selected NOEs are between δ 3.10 (major), 3.16 (minor) (C3–H), and δ 5.37 (major), 5.75 (minor) (CH(Ar)O), and between δ 3.52–3.64 (C4–H, C5–HH) and δ 2.96 (major), 3.98 (minor) (CH(CO₂Et)₂). ^{13}C NMR (100.6 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) 13.97 (CH_3), 14.01 (CH_3), 14.09 (CH_3), 14.12 (CH_3), 38.1 (CH), 39.2 (CH), 40.2 (CH_3), 45.5 (CH), 45.7 (CH), 46.8 (CH_2), 46.9 (CH_2), 47.6 (CH_2), 49.2 (CH_2), 51.7 (CH), 52.3 (CH), 61.6 (CH_2), 61.8 (CH_2), 61.9 (CH_2), 62.1 (CH_2), 65.4 (CH), 67.4 (CH), 110.6 (CH), 111.1 (CH), 112.3 (CH), 112.4 (CH), 115.6 (CH), 115.7 (CH), 121.0 (C), 122.5 (C), 124.5 (CH), 124.6 (CH), 127.6 (CH), 127.7 (CH), 128.0 (CH), 128.2 (CH), 128.3 (CH), 128.65 (CH), 128.73 (CH), 128.9 (CH), 130.3 (CH), 130.43 (C), 130.46 (C), 130.50 (CH), 134.05 (C), 134.10 (C), 135.8 (C), 135.9 (C), 150.7 (C), 150.8 (C), 167.6 (C), 167.8 (C), 168.0 (C), 168.7 (C), 171.8 (C); IR (KBr) 2981, 2906, 1745, 1690, 1612, 1527, 1497, 1460, 1424, 1362, 1256, 1181, 1031 cm^{-1} ; MS (ESI) m/z 622 ($[M + \text{Na}]^+$); HRMS (ESI) m/z $[M + \text{Na}]^+$ 622.2641 (calcd for $\text{C}_{33}\text{H}_{37}\text{N}_5\text{O}_6\text{Na}$ 622.2642).

9 (major): Major diastereoisomer could be isolated by recrystallization. Colorless crystals; mp 152–155 °C (AcOEt–hexane = 1:1); ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) 1.24 (t, $J = 7.1$ Hz, 6H), 2.93 (s, 6H), 3.00 (d, $J = 3.9$ Hz, 1H), 3.06–3.10 (m, 2H), 3.52–3.63 (m, 2H), 4.09–4.24 (m, 4H), 4.43 (d, $J = 14.8$ Hz, 1H), 4.49 (d, $J = 14.8$ Hz, 1H), 5.39 (d, $J = 9.4$ Hz, 1H), 6.65 (broad d, $J = 7.8$ Hz, 2H), 7.21–7.35 (m, 9H), 7.49 (m, 1H), 7.92 (dd, $J = 7.8, 1.4$ Hz, 1H). Selected NOEs are between δ 3.06–3.10 (C3–H, C5–HH) and δ 5.39 (CH(Ar)O) and between δ 3.52–3.63 (C4–H, C5–HH) and δ 3.00 (CH(CO₂Et)₂). ^{13}C NMR (100.6 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) 14.0 (CH_3), 14.2 (CH_3), 39.2 (CH), 40.6 (CH_3), 45.7 (CH), 46.9 (CH_2), 49.1 (CH_2), 51.7 (CH), 61.6 (CH_2), 61.8 (CH_2), 67.3 (CH), 110.6 (CH), 112.9 (CH), 115.8 (CH), 124.7 (CH), 127.7 (CH), 128.1 (CH), 128.3 (CH), 128.8 (CH), 130.5 (C), 130.6 (CH), 134.2 (C), 135.7 (C), 167.7 (C), 168.0 (C), 171.8 (C). Selected HMBC correlations are between δ 3.00 (CH(CO₂Et)₂) and δ 171.8 (C2) and between δ 5.39 (CH(Ar)O) and δ 39.2 (C4). IR (KBr) 2980, 2911, 1740, 1704, 1613, 1527, 1359, 1256, 1194, 1031 cm^{-1} ; MS (ESI) m/z 622 ($[M + \text{Na}]^+$); HRMS (ESI) m/z $[M + \text{Na}]^+$ 622.2641 (calcd for $\text{C}_{33}\text{H}_{37}\text{N}_5\text{O}_6\text{Na}$ 622.2642).

11a: (Table 7, entry 1). (1 mmol scale, 134 mg, 40%, including a small amount of impurity); $R_f = 0.5$ (hexane–ether = 1:4); pale yellow oil; ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) (2 rotamers, ratio 1.2:1) δ (ppm) 3.68 (s, 3H \times 0.55, major rotamer), 3.76 (s, 3H \times 0.45, minor rotamer), 3.97 (dd, $J = 6.0, 1.5$ Hz, 2H \times 0.55), 4.19 (dd, $J = 6.6, 1.2$ Hz, 2H \times 0.45), 4.52 (s, 2H \times 0.45), 4.73 (s, 2H \times 0.55), 6.02 (dt, $J = 16.0, 6.0$ Hz, 1H \times 0.55), 6.05 (d, $J = 11.9$ Hz, 1H \times 0.45), 6.06 (d, $J = 12.0$ Hz, 1H \times 0.55), 6.23 (dt, $J = 15.9, 6.6$ Hz, 1H \times 0.45), 6.42 (ddd, $J = 16.0, 1.5, 1.5$ Hz, 1H \times 0.55), 6.51 (d, $J = 15.9$ Hz, 1H \times 0.45), 6.62 (d, $J = 11.9$ Hz, 1H \times 0.45), 6.66 (d, $J = 12.0$ Hz, 1H \times 0.55), 7.20–7.41 (m, 10H); ^{13}C NMR (100.6 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) 46.0 (CH_2), 47.2 (CH_2), 49.4 (CH_2), 50.9 (CH_2), 51.98 (CH_3), 52.02 (CH_3), 123.5 (CH), 123.7 (CH), 123.8 (CH), 126.46 (CH), 126.52 (CH), 127.2 (CH), 127.6 (CH), 127.8 (CH), 128.0 (CH), 128.1 (CH), 128.63 (CH), 128.67 (CH), 128.74 (CH), 128.8 (CH), 129.0 (CH), 133.0 (CH), 133.7 (CH), 136.1 (C), 136.2 (C), 136.7 (C), 136.8 (C), 137.7 (CH), 137.8 (CH), 165.1 (C), 165.2 (C), 167.2 (C), 167.3 (C); IR (neat) 3028, 2974, 2950, 1728, 1645, 1496, 1451, 1221, 1173 cm^{-1} ; MS (EI) m/z 335 (M^+ , 35),

91 (100%); HRMS (EI) m/z M^+ 335.1515 (calcd for $C_{21}H_{21}NO_3$, 335.1521).

11b: (Table 7, entry 2). (1 mmol scale, 60 mg, 18%); R_f = 0.5 (hexane–ether = 1:4); pale yellow oil; 1H NMR (400 MHz, $CDCl_3$) (2 rotamers, ratio 1.1:1) δ (ppm) 0.783–1.05 (m, 2H), 1.12–1.26 (m, 3H), 1.58–1.79 (m, 6H), 3.11 (d, J = 7.4 Hz, 2H \times 0.52, major rotamer), 3.32 (d, J = 7.0 Hz, 2H \times 0.48, minor rotamer), 3.707 (s, 3H \times 0.48), 3.714 (s, 3H \times 0.52), 4.05 (dd, J = 5.9, 1.6 Hz, 2H \times 0.48), 4.22 (dd, J = 6.5, 1.1 Hz, 2H \times 0.52), 6.00 (d, J = 11.9 Hz, 1H \times 0.48), 6.01 (d, J = 11.9 Hz, 1H \times 0.52), 6.07 (dt, J = 16.0, 5.9 Hz, 1H \times 0.48), 6.26 (dt, J = 16.0, 6.5 Hz, 1H \times 0.52), 6.45 (d, J = 16.0 Hz, 1H \times 0.48), 6.58 (d, J = 11.9 Hz, 1H \times 0.52), 6.60 (d, J = 11.9 Hz, 1H \times 0.48), 6.61 (d, J = 16.0 Hz, 1H \times 0.52), 7.21–7.42 (m, 5H); ^{13}C NMR (100.6 MHz, $CDCl_3$) δ (ppm) 25.85 (CH_2), 25.94 (CH_2), 26.4 (CH_2), 26.5 (CH_2), 30.9 (CH_2), 31.0 (CH_2), 36.2 (CH), 36.5 (CH), 46.8 (CH_2), 50.9 (CH_2), 51.1 (CH_2), 51.9 (CH_3), 53.9 (CH_2), 122.8 (CH), 122.9 (CH), 124.3 (CH), 124.4 (CH), 126.4 (CH), 126.5 (CH), 127.7 (CH), 128.0 (CH), 128.6 (CH), 128.7 (CH), 132.4 (CH), 133.0 (CH), 136.2 (C), 136.8 (C), 138.1 (CH), 138.2 (CH), 165.14 (C), 165.17 (C), 167.18 (C), 167.24 (C); IR (neat) 2927, 2852, 1732, 1689, 1633, 1450, 1367, 1217, 1174, 1141, 967 cm^{-1} ; MS (FAB) m/z 364 ($[M + Na]^+$), 342 ($[M + H]^+$); HRMS (FAB) m/z $[M - H]^+$ 340.1915 (calcd for $C_{21}H_{26}NO_3$, 340.1913).

11j: (Table 7, entry 3). (1 mmol scale, 152 mg, 40%); R_f = 0.3 (hexane–ether = 1:4); pale yellow oil; 1H NMR (400 MHz, $CDCl_3$) (2 rotamers, ratio 1.1:1) δ (ppm) 3.69 (s, 3H \times 0.48, minor rotamer), 3.73 (s, 3H \times 0.52, major rotamer), 4.02 (dd, J = 6.2, 1.5 Hz, 2H \times 0.48), 4.21 (dd, J = 6.3, 1.2 Hz, 2H \times 0.52), 4.58 (s, 2H \times 0.52), 4.76 (s, 2H \times 0.48), 5.96 (dt, J = 15.7, 6.2 Hz, 1H \times 0.48), 6.08 (d, J = 11.9 Hz, 1H \times 0.52), 6.10 (d, J = 11.9 Hz, 1H \times 0.48), 6.22 (dt, J = 15.7, 6.3 Hz, 1H \times 0.52), 6.65 (d, J = 11.9 Hz, 1H \times 0.52), 6.70 (d, J = 11.9 Hz, 1H \times 0.48), 6.91 (d, J = 15.7 Hz, 1H \times 0.48), 7.00 (d, J = 15.7 Hz, 1H \times 0.52), 7.25–7.44 (m, 6H + 1H \times 0.48), 7.54–7.62 (m, 1H + 1H \times 0.52), 7.93 (dd, J = 8.1, 1.1 Hz, 1H \times 0.52), 7.97 (dd, J = 8.1, 0.9 Hz, 1H \times 0.48); ^{13}C NMR (100.6 MHz, $CDCl_3$) δ (ppm) 45.6 (CH_2), 47.4 (CH_2), 49.5 (CH_2), 51.0 (CH_2), 51.9 (CH_3), 52.0 (CH_3), 123.4 (CH), 123.8 (CH), 124.5 (CH), 124.7 (CH), 127.4 (CH), 127.6 (CH), 128.60 (CH), 128.69 (CH), 128.76 (CH), 128.79 (CH), 128.99 (CH), 129.07 (CH), 129.09 (CH), 129.4 (CH), 132.3 (C), 132.7 (C), 133.2 (CH), 133.4 (CH), 135.9 (C), 136.7 (C), 137.7 (CH), 137.9 (CH), 147.6 (C), 147.7 (C), 165.07 (C), 165.12 (C), 167.2 (C), 167.3 (C); IR (neat) 3030, 2951, 1728, 1694, 1639, 1570, 1520, 1438, 1345, 1291, 1220, 1173, 1081 cm^{-1} ; MS (EI) m/z 380 (M^+ , 1.1), 205 (9.4), 119 (22), 83 (100%); HRMS (EI) m/z M^+ 380.1384 (calcd for $C_{21}H_{20}N_2O_5$, 380.1372).

11k: (Table 7, entry 4). (1 mmol scale, 119 mg, 31%); R_f = 0.5 (ether); pale yellow oil; 1H NMR (400 MHz, $CDCl_3$) (2 rotamers, ratio 1.8:1) δ (ppm) 0.802–1.32 (m, 5H), 1.62–1.80 (m, 6H), 3.15 (d, J = 7.2 Hz, 2H \times 0.64, major rotamer), 3.35 (d, J = 7.0 Hz, 2H \times 0.36, minor rotamer), 3.70 (s, 3H \times 0.64), 3.71 (s, 3H \times 0.36), 4.10 (dd, J = 6.0, 1.3 Hz, 2H \times 0.36), 4.27 (d, J = 6.0 Hz, 2H \times 0.64), 6.01–6.08 (m, 1H + 1H \times 0.36), 6.28 (dt, J = 15.8, 6.0 Hz, 1H \times 0.64), 6.58 (d, J = 11.9 Hz, 1H \times 0.64), 6.65 (d, J = 12.1 Hz, 1H \times 0.36), 6.94 (d, J = 15.8 Hz, 1H \times 0.36), 7.07 (d, J = 15.8 Hz, 1H \times 0.64), 7.36–7.45 (m, 1H), 7.52–7.61 (m, 1H + 1H \times 0.36), 7.66 (dd, J = 7.8, 0.6 Hz, 1H \times 0.64), 7.93 (d, J = 8.2 Hz, 1H \times 0.64), 7.97 (d, J = 8.4 Hz, 1H \times 0.36); ^{13}C NMR (100.6 MHz, $CDCl_3$) δ (ppm) 25.8 (CH_2), 25.9 (CH_2), 26.3 (CH_2), 26.4 (CH_2), 30.85 (CH_2), 30.90 (CH_2), 36.1 (CH), 36.3 (CH), 46.8 (CH_2), 50.9 (CH_2), 51.0 (CH_2), 51.85 (CH_3), 51.87 (CH_3), 54.1 (CH_2), 122.8 (CH), 122.9 (CH), 124.5 (CH), 124.7 (CH), 128.2 (CH), 128.6 (CH), 129.0 (CH), 129.1 (CH), 129.76 (CH), 129.79 (CH), 132.3 (C), 132.7 (C), 133.2 (CH), 133.4 (CH), 138.1 (CH), 138.4 (CH), 147.6 (C), 147.8 (C), 165.1 (C), 165.2 (C), 167.3 (C), 167.4 (C); IR (neat) 2925, 2852, 1733, 1694, 1645, 1570, 1520, 1447, 1348, 1292, 1217, 1172, 1142 cm^{-1} ; MS (EI) m/z 386 (M^+ , 24), 304 (57), 303 (52), 113 (100%); HRMS (EI) m/z M^+ 386.1843 (calcd for $C_{21}H_{26}N_2O_5$, 386.1842).

11a: (Table 7, entry 5). (1 mmol scale, 299 mg, 89%, including a small amount of impurity); R_f = 0.5 (hexane–ether = 1:4); pale yellow oil; 1H NMR (400 MHz, $CDCl_3$) (2 rotamers, ratio 1.2:1) δ (ppm) 3.76 (s, 3H \times 0.45, minor rotamer), 3.78 (s, 3H \times 0.55, major rotamer), 4.09 (dd, J = 5.5, 1.6 Hz, 2H \times 0.55), 4.21 (dd, J = 6.6, 1.1 Hz, 2H \times 0.45),

4.63 (s, 2H \times 0.45), 4.72 (s, 2H \times 0.55), 6.07 (dt, J = 16.0, 5.5 Hz, 1H \times 0.55), 6.17 (dt, J = 15.9, 6.6 Hz, 1H \times 0.45), 6.45 (d, J = 15.9 Hz, 1H \times 0.45), 6.46 (d, J = 16.0 Hz, 1H \times 0.55), 6.928 (d, J = 15.2 Hz, 1H \times 0.45), 6.933 (d, J = 15.4 Hz, 1H \times 0.55), 7.18–7.39 (m, 10H), 7.41 (d, J = 15.2 Hz, 1H \times 0.45), 7.44 (d, J = 15.4 Hz, 1H \times 0.55); ^{13}C NMR (100.6 MHz, $CDCl_3$) δ (ppm) 47.8 (CH_2), 48.88 (CH_2), 48.93 (CH_2), 50.3 (CH_2), 52.2 (CH_3), 123.5 (CH), 123.6 (CH), 126.48 (CH), 126.54 (CH), 126.7 (CH), 127.7 (CH), 127.9 (CH), 128.0 (CH), 128.2 (CH), 128.4 (CH), 128.6 (CH), 128.7 (CH), 128.8 (CH), 129.1 (CH), 131.7 (CH), 131.8 (CH), 132.7 (CH), 133.89 (CH), 133.96 (CH), 134.00 (CH), 135.9 (C), 136.1 (C), 136.4 (C), 136.8 (C), 165.0 (C), 165.1 (C), 166.06 (C), 166.12 (C); IR (neat) 3028, 2951, 1728, 1652, 1634, 1495, 1435, 1361, 1294, 1166, 1029, 969 cm^{-1} ; MS (EI) m/z 335 (M^+ , 9.8), 303 (21), 244 (26), 218 (34), 77 (100%); HRMS (EI) m/z M^+ 335.1500 (calcd for $C_{21}H_{21}NO_3$, 335.1521).

11b: (Table 7, entry 6). (1 mmol scale, 209 mg, 61%, including a small amount of impurity); R_f = 0.7 (hexane–ether = 1:4); pale yellow oil; 1H NMR (400 MHz, $CDCl_3$) (2 rotamers, ratio 1.2:1) δ (ppm) 0.878–1.04 (m, 2H), 1.18–1.27 (m, 3H), 1.60–1.76 (m, 6H), 3.23 (d, J = 7.2 Hz, 2H \times 0.55, major rotamer), 3.33 (d, J = 7.2 Hz, 2H \times 0.45, minor rotamer), 3.77 (s, 3H \times 0.45), 3.81 (s, 3H \times 0.55), 4.16 (dd, J = 6.4, 1.0 Hz, 2H \times 0.45), 4.21 (dd, J = 5.3, 1.6 Hz, 2H \times 0.55), 6.11 (dt, J = 15.9, 5.3 Hz, 1H \times 0.45), 6.18 (dt, J = 15.9, 6.4 Hz, 1H \times 0.55), 6.46 (d, J = 15.9 Hz, 1H \times 0.45), 6.51 (d, J = 15.9 Hz, 1H \times 0.55), 6.85 (d, J = 15.2 Hz, 1H \times 0.45), 6.88 (d, J = 15.2 Hz, 1H \times 0.55), 7.21–7.38 (m, 5H), 7.40 (d, J = 15.2 Hz, 1H \times 0.45), 7.42 (d, J = 15.2 Hz, 1H \times 0.55); ^{13}C NMR (100.6 MHz, $CDCl_3$) δ (ppm) 25.79 (CH_2), 25.83 (CH_2), 26.2 (CH_2), 26.3 (CH_2), 30.8 (CH_2), 30.9 (CH_2), 36.6 (CH), 37.6 (CH), 48.7 (CH_2), 50.6 (CH_2), 52.07 (CH_3), 52.12 (CH_3), 52.6 (CH_2), 53.6 (CH), 124.0 (CH), 126.4 (CH), 126.5 (CH), 127.7 (CH), 128.0 (CH), 128.6 (CH), 128.7 (CH), 130.9 (CH), 131.0 (CH), 132.1 (CH), 133.0 (CH), 134.2 (CH), 134.3 (CH), 136.0 (C), 136.4 (C), 164.5 (C), 165.0 (C), 166.2 (C), 166.3 (C); IR (neat) 2927, 2852, 1729, 1653, 1626, 1449, 1293, 1165, 970 cm^{-1} ; MS (FAB) m/z 364 ($[M + Na]^+$), 342 ($[M + H]^+$); HRMS (FAB) m/z $[M + Na]^+$ 364.1888 (calcd for $C_{21}H_{27}NO_3Na$, 364.1889), $[M + H]^+$ 342.2070 (calcd for $C_{21}H_{28}NO_3$, 342.2069).

11j: (Table 7, entry 7). (1 mmol scale, 273 mg, 72%, including a small amount of impurity); R_f = 0.6 (hexane–ether = 1:4); pale yellow oil; 1H NMR (400 MHz, $CDCl_3$) (2 rotamers, ratio 1.2:1) δ (ppm) 3.78 (s, 3H \times 0.55, major rotamer), 3.80 (s, 3H \times 0.45, minor rotamer), 4.13 (dd, J = 5.6, 1.5 Hz, 1H \times 0.45), 4.24 (dd, J = 6.4, 1.2 Hz, 1H \times 0.55), 4.70 (s, 2H \times 0.55), 4.76 (s, 2H \times 0.45), 6.05 (dt, J = 15.8, 5.6 Hz, 1H \times 0.45), 6.13 (dt, J = 15.8, 6.4 Hz, 1H \times 0.55), 6.91–7.07 (m, 2H), 7.24–7.60 (m, 9H), 7.96 (dd, J = 8.2, 1.2 Hz, 1H \times 0.55), 7.99 (dd, J = 8.1, 1.1 Hz, 1H \times 0.45); ^{13}C NMR (100.6 MHz, $CDCl_3$) δ (ppm) 47.5 (CH_2), 48.82 (CH_2), 48.84 (CH_2), 50.5 (CH_2), 52.2 (CH_3), 52.3 (CH_3), 124.6 (CH), 124.8 (CH), 126.9 (CH), 127.8 (CH), 128.1 (CH), 128.4 (CH), 128.5 (CH), 128.7 (CH), 128.82 (CH), 128.86 (CH), 128.93 (CH), 129.03 (CH), 129.07 (CH), 129.12 (CH), 129.2 (CH), 131.8 (CH), 132.0 (CH), 132.2 (C), 132.4 (C), 133.35 (CH), 133.41 (CH), 133.7 (CH), 133.8 (CH), 135.9 (C), 136.7 (C), 147.6 (C), 165.96 (C), 165.01 (C), 166.0 (C), 166.1 (C); IR (neat) 3064, 3031, 2951, 1732, 1651, 1634, 1571, 1520, 1455, 1360, 1163, 1115, 1081, 1029, 968 cm^{-1} ; MS (EI) m/z 380 (M^+ , 13), 218 (79), 91 (100%); HRMS (EI) m/z M^+ 380.1375 (calcd for $C_{21}H_{20}N_2O_5$, 380.1372).

11k: (Table 7, entry 8). (1 mmol scale, 245 mg, 63%); R_f = 0.6 (ether); pale yellow oil; 1H NMR (400 MHz, $CDCl_3$) (2 rotamers, ratio 1.9:1) δ (ppm) 0.908–1.06 (m, 2H), 1.12–1.29 (m, 3H), 1.68–1.77 (m, 6H), 3.29 (d, J = 7.0 Hz, 2H \times 0.66, major rotamer), 3.38 (d, J = 7.2 Hz, 2H \times 0.34, minor rotamer), 3.79 (s, 3H \times 0.34), 3.82 (s, 3H \times 0.66), 4.23 (dd, J = 5.4, 1.5 Hz, 2H \times 0.34), 4.27 (dd, J = 6.3, 1.1 Hz, 2H \times 0.66), 6.07 (dt, J = 15.8, 5.5 Hz, 1H \times 0.34), 6.17 (dt, J = 15.8, 6.3 Hz, 1H \times 0.66), 6.85 (d, J = 15.2 Hz, 1H \times 0.34), 6.87 (d, J = 15.2 Hz, 1H \times 0.66), 6.98 (d, J = 15.8 Hz, 1H), 7.39–7.46 (m, 2H), 7.53–7.62 (m, 2H), 7.95 (d, J = 8.1 Hz, 1H \times 0.66), 7.98 (dd, J = 8.2, 1.0 Hz, 1H \times 0.34); ^{13}C NMR (100.6 MHz, $CDCl_3$) δ (ppm) 25.7 (CH_2), 25.8 (CH_2), 26.2 (CH_2), 26.3 (CH_2), 30.7 (CH_2), 30.9 (CH_2), 36.4 (CH), 37.5 (CH), 48.8 (CH_2), 50.5 (CH_2), 52.08 (CH_3), 52.11 (CH_3), 52.5 (CH_2), 54.0 (CH_2), 124.5 (CH), 124.7 (CH), 128.3 (CH),

128.57 (CH), 128.60 (CH), 128.9 (CH), 129.0 (CH), 129.4 (CH), 129.5 (CH), 131.1 (CH), 132.1 (C), 132.4 (C), 133.2 (CH), 133.3 (CH), 133.9 (CH), 134.1 (CH), 147.6 (C), 164.6 (C), 164.9 (C), 166.10 (C), 166.14 (C); IR (neat) 2925, 2848, 1728, 1651, 1572, 1520, 1435, 1344, 1163 cm^{-1} ; MS (EI) m/z 386 (M^+ , 14), 304 (24), 251 (33), 250 (29), 162 (47), 84 (100%); HRMS (EI) m/z M^+ 386.1811 (calcd for $\text{C}_{21}\text{H}_{26}\text{N}_2\text{O}_5$ 386.1842).

Typical Experimental Procedure (Table 8, Entry 3). A solution of 11j (152 mg, 0.40 mmol) in 1,2-dichloroethane (1.0 mL) was heated at 80 °C for 18 h. The mixture was concentrated *in vacuo*. The residue was purified by column chromatography over silica gel with CH_2Cl_2 -ether as eluent to give 14j (69 mg, 45%).

14j: $R_f = 0.5$ (ether); pale yellow crystals; mp 91–93 °C (AcOEt-hexane = 1:1); ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) 2.49 (dd, $J = 12.6, 5.5$ Hz, 1H), 2.92 (dd, $J = 16.4, 11.5$ Hz, 1H), 3.05 (m, 1H), 3.10–3.16 (m, 2H), 3.48 (dd, $J = 8.8, 6.6$ Hz, 1H), 3.76 (s, 3H), 4.35 (d, $J = 5.5$ Hz, 1H), 4.45 (d, $J = 14.9$ Hz, 1H), 4.62 (d, $J = 14.9$ Hz, 1H), 7.25–7.40 (m, 6H), 7.77 (dd, $J = 8.1, 1.3$ Hz, 1H), 7.82 (d, $J = 7.8$ Hz, 1H). Selected NOEs are between δ 3.05 (C3a–H) and δ 3.48 (C3–HH) and between δ 2.92 (C4–HH), 4.35 (C9–H), and δ 2.49 (C9a–H). ^{13}C NMR (100.6 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) 30.5 (CH_2), 31.9 (CH), 43.3 (CH), 45.8 (CH), 46.6 (CH_2), 50.6 (CH_2), 52.6 (CH_3), 123.9 (CH), 127.2 (CH), 127.7 (CH), 128.0 (CH), 128.8 (CH), 131.1 (C), 135.49 (CH), 135.52 (C), 136.5 (C), 150.9 (C), 171.2 (C), 172.7 (C). Selected HMBC correlations are between δ 2.92 (C4–HH) and δ 50.6 (C3), between δ 3.48 (C3–HH) and δ 45.8 (C9a), between δ 2.92 (C4–HH), 3.48 (C3–HH), and δ 31.9 (C3a), and between δ 2.49 (C9a–H) and δ 43.3 (C9). IR (KBr) 2925, 1734, 1695, 1527, 1436, 1346, 1250, 1197, 1166 cm^{-1} ; MS (EI) m/z 380 (M^+ , 36), 149 (34), 84 (100%); HRMS (EI) m/z M^+ 380.1370 (calcd for $\text{C}_{21}\text{H}_{26}\text{N}_2\text{O}_5$ 380.1372).

14k: (Table 8, entry 4). (0.92 mmol scale, 194 mg, 55%); $R_f = 0.5$ (ether); pale yellow crystals; mp 80 °C; ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) 0.934–1.03 (m, 2H), 1.12–1.28 (m, 3H), 1.62–1.75 (m, 6H), 2.47 (dd, $J = 12.7, 5.7$ Hz, 1H), 2.96 (dd, $J = 16.1, 11.8$ Hz, 1H), 3.05 (m, 1H), 3.17–3.27 (m, 4H), 3.59 (dd, $J = 9.2, 6.8$ Hz, 1H), 3.71 (s, 3H), 4.30 (d, $J = 5.7$ Hz, 1H), 4.38 (dd, $J = 7.9, 7.9$ Hz, 1H), 7.77 (d, $J = 7.9$ Hz, 1H), 7.79 (d, $J = 7.9$ Hz, 1H). Selected NOEs are between δ 4.30 (C9–H) and δ 2.47 (C9a–H). ^{13}C NMR (100.6 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) 25.70 (CH_2), 25.72 (CH_2), 26.3 (CH_2), 30.4 (CH_2), 30.60 (CH_2), 30.64 (CH_2), 31.9 (CH), 36.1 (CH_2), 43.1 (CH), 45.7 (CH), 48.9 (CH_2), 51.8 (CH_2), 52.4 (CH_3), 123.7 (CH), 127.0 (CH), 131.0 (C), 135.3 (CH), 135.6 (C), 150.8 (C), 171.2 (C), 172.6 (C). Selected HMBC correlations are between δ 2.96 (C4–HH) and δ 51.8 (C3), between δ 3.59 (C3–HH) and δ 45.7 (C9a), between δ 2.96 (C4–HH), 3.59 (C3–HH), and δ 31.9 (C3a), and between δ 2.47 (C9a–H) and δ 43.1 (C9). IR (KBr) 2926, 2848, 1743, 1695, 1528, 1162 cm^{-1} ; MS (EI) m/z 386 (M^+ , 6.1), 345 (41), 271 (100%); HRMS (EI) m/z M^+ 386.1816 (calcd for $\text{C}_{21}\text{H}_{26}\text{N}_2\text{O}_5$ 386.1842).

15j: (Table 8, entry 7). (0.60 mmol scale, 72 mg, 31%); $R_f = 0.3$ (hexane-ether = 1:1); colorless crystals; mp 133–134 °C; ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) 2.14 (dddd, $J = 13.1, 9.8, 8.2, 8.2, 7.0$ Hz, 1H), 2.91 (dd, $J = 13.1, 11.9$ Hz, 1H), 3.08 (d, $J = 8.2$ Hz, 2H), 3.19 (dd, $J = 9.8, 9.5$ Hz, 1H), 3.40 (dd, $J = 9.5, 7.0$ Hz, 1H), 3.90 (s, 3H), 4.02 (d, $J = 11.9$ Hz, 1H), 4.46 (d, $J = 14.8$ Hz, 1H), 4.51 (d, $J = 14.8$ Hz, 1H), 7.23–7.38 (m, 6H), 7.58 (d, $J = 7.8$ Hz, 1H), 7.77 (d, $J = 8.0$ Hz, 1H). Selected NOEs are between δ 2.14 (C3a–H) and δ 3.40 (C3–HH), 4.02 (C9–H), and between δ 3.19 (C3–HH) and δ 2.91 (C9a–H). ^{13}C NMR (100.6 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) 30.5 (CH_2), 35.6 (CH), 46.2 (CH), 46.6 (CH_2), 47.2 (CH), 50.3 (CH_2), 52.9 (CH_3), 123.7 (CH), 127.6 (CH), 127.8 (CH), 128.2 (CH), 128.8 (CH), 130.8 (C), 132.6 (CH), 136.20 (C), 136.22 (C), 150.9 (C), 172.6 (C), 172.7 (C). Selected HMBC correlations are between δ 3.08 (C4–H₂) and δ 50.3 (C3), between δ 3.19 (C3–HH), 3.40 (C3–HH), and δ 46.2 (C9a), between δ 3.08 (C4–H₂), 3.19 (C3–HH), 3.40 (C3–HH), and δ 35.6 (C3a), and between δ 2.91 (C9a–H) and δ 47.2 (C9). IR (KBr) 2953, 2859, 1736, 1699, 1523, 1427, 1360, 1313, 1245, 1206 cm^{-1} ; MS (FAB) m/z 381 ($[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$); HRMS (FAB) m/z $[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$ 381.1452 (calcd for $\text{C}_{21}\text{H}_{21}\text{N}_2\text{O}_5$ 381.1450), $[\text{M} + \text{Na}]^+$ 403.1270 (calcd for $\text{C}_{21}\text{H}_{20}\text{N}_2\text{O}_5\text{Na}$ 403.1270). Anal. Calcd for $\text{C}_{21}\text{H}_{20}\text{N}_2\text{O}_5$: C, 66.31; H, 5.30; N, 7.36. Found: C, 66.22; H, 5.50; N, 7.07.

15k: (Table 8, entry 8). (0.63 mmol scale, 113 mg, 46%); $R_f = 0.7$ (ether); pale yellow crystals; mp 130–131 °C; ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) 0.910–0.998 (m, 2H), 1.10–1.26 (m, 3H), 1.56–1.74 (m, 6H), 2.17 (dddd, $J = 13.0, 9.8, 8.4, 8.4, 7.0$ Hz, 1H), 2.88 (dd, $J = 13.0, 11.9$ Hz, 1H), 3.09 (dd, $J = 13.8, 6.7$ Hz, 1H), 3.14 (d, $J = 8.4$ Hz, 2H), 3.18 (dd, $J = 13.8, 7.3$ Hz, 1H), 3.33 (dd, $J = 9.8, 9.6$ Hz, 1H), 3.50 (dd, $J = 9.6, 7.0$ Hz, 1H), 3.88 (s, 3H), 3.97 (d, $J = 11.9$ Hz, 1H), 7.36 (dd, $J = 8.0, 7.8$ Hz, 1H), 7.57 (d, $J = 7.8$ Hz, 1H), 7.79 (ddd, $J = 8.0, 1.0, 1.0$ Hz, 1H). Selected NOEs are between δ 2.17 (C3a–H) and δ 3.50 (C3–HH), 3.97 (C9–H), and between δ 3.33 (C3–HH) and δ 2.88 (C9a–H). ^{13}C NMR (100.6 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) 25.8 (CH_2), 26.4 (CH_2), 30.6 (CH_2), 30.9 (CH_2), 31.0 (CH_2), 36.0 (CH), 36.4 (CH), 46.3 (CH), 47.3 (CH), 49.2 (CH_2), 52.0 (CH_2), 52.9 (CH_3), 123.7 (CH), 127.6 (CH), 130.8 (C), 132.7 (CH), 136.5 (C), 151.0 (C), 172.89 (C), 172.92 (C). Selected HMBC correlations are between δ 3.14 (C4–H₂), 3.50 (C3–HH), and δ 46.3 (C9a), δ 3.33 (C3–HH), 3.50 (C3–HH), and δ 36.0 (C3a), and between δ 2.88 (C9a–H) and δ 47.3 (C9). IR (KBr) 2923, 2846, 1739, 1700, 1526, 1362, 1313, 1203, 1157 cm^{-1} ; MS (EI) m/z 386 (M^+ , 5.9), 304 (24), 205 (28), 108 (57), 84 (100%); HRMS (EI) m/z 386.1841 (calcd for $\text{C}_{21}\text{H}_{26}\text{N}_2\text{O}_5$ 386.1842). Anal. Calcd for $\text{C}_{21}\text{H}_{26}\text{N}_2\text{O}_5$: C, 65.27; H, 6.78; N, 7.25. Found: C, 65.14; H, 6.83; N, 7.21.

17: (1 mmol scale, 261 mg, 57%, including a small amount of impurity); $R_f = 0.5$ (hexane-ether = 1:2); colorless oil; ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) (2 rotamers, ratio 1:1) δ (ppm) 3.95 (dd, $J = 6.2, 1.4$ Hz, 2H \times 0.5), 4.20 (dd, $J = 6.6, 1.0$ Hz, 2H \times 0.5), 4.50 (s, 2H \times 0.5), 4.74 (s, 2H \times 0.5), 5.90 (dt, $J = 15.6, 6.2$ Hz, 1H \times 0.5), 6.06 (dt, $J = 15.6, 6.6$ Hz, 1H \times 0.5), 6.95 (d, $J = 15.6$ Hz, 1H \times 0.5), 6.98 (d, $J = 15.6$ Hz, 1H \times 0.5), 7.15 (s, 1H \times 0.5), 7.23–7.54 (m, 7H+1H \times 0.5), 7.58–7.62 (m, 1H), 7.98 (dd, $J = 8.2, 1.2$ Hz, 1H \times 0.5), 8.00 (dd, $J = 8.2, 1.2$ Hz, 1H \times 0.5); ^{13}C NMR (100.6 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) 46.1 (CH_2), 47.7 (CH_2), 49.1 (CH_2), 51.1 (CH_2), 120.1 (C, q , $J_{\text{CF}} = 275$ Hz), 120.3 (C, broad q , $J_{\text{CF}} = 275$ Hz), 124.7 (CH), 123.45–124.46 (C, m), 124.8 (CH), 127.4 (CH), 127.5 (CH), 127.6 (CH), 128.1 (CH), 128.6 (CH), 128.7 (CH), 128.8 (CH), 128.95 (CH), 129.00 (CH), 129.1 (CH), 129.3 (CH), 130.35 (CH), 130.43 (CH), 131.9 (C), 132.3 (C), 133.5 (CH), 133.6 (CH), 134.5 (C), 135.7 (C), 136.0 (CH, m), 136.2 (CH, m), 147.59 (C), 147.63 (C), 162.6 (C), 162.7 (C); ^{19}F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) –66.43 (q , $J_{\text{FF}} = 6.5$ Hz), –66.65 (q , $J_{\text{FF}} = 6.5$ Hz), –69.89 (q , $J_{\text{FF}} = 6.5$ Hz), –69.99 (q , $J_{\text{FF}} = 6.5$ Hz); IR (neat) 3068, 3032, 2931, 1651, 1608, 1524, 1435, 1386, 1348, 1286, 1221, 1166, 985 cm^{-1} ; MS (EI) m/z 458 (M^+ , 3.8), 296 (28), 106 (34), 91 (100%); HRMS (EI) m/z 458.1057 (calcd for $\text{C}_{21}\text{H}_{16}\text{F}_6\text{N}_2\text{O}_3$ 458.1065).

18: (0.57 mmol scale, 231 mg, 89%); $R_f = 0.2$ (hexane-ether = 2:1); colorless crystals; mp 219–220 °C (AcOEt); ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) 2.64 (dddd, $J = 13.5, 12.1, 9.6, 7.2, 4.3$ Hz, 1H), 2.81 (dd, $J = 13.5, 1.2$ Hz, 1H), 2.95 (dd, $J = 17.2, 12.1$ Hz, 1H), 3.06 (dd, $J = 9.6, 9.4$ Hz, 1H), 3.12 (dd, $J = 17.2, 4.3$ Hz, 1H), 3.28 (dd, $J = 9.4, 7.2$ Hz, 1H), 4.44 (d, $J = 14.8$ Hz, 1H), 4.62 (d, $J = 14.8$ Hz, 1H), 7.25 (d-like, $J = 7.4$ Hz, 2H), 7.28–7.37 (m, 3H), 7.51 (dd, $J = 8.4, 8.0$ Hz, 1H), 7.90 (dd, $J = 8.0, 1.2$ Hz, 1H), 8.11 (d, $J = 8.4$ Hz, 1H). Selected NOEs are between δ 2.64 (C3a–H) and δ 3.28 (C3–HH) and between δ 2.95 (C4–HH) and δ 2.81 (C9a–H). ^{13}C NMR (100.6 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) 30.9 (CH_2), 32.4 (CH, q , $J_{\text{CF}} = 2.3$ Hz), 46.6 (CH), 47.2 (CH_2), 48.7 (CH_2), 56.9 (C, septet, $J_{\text{CF}} = 27$ Hz), 123.6 (C, q , $J_{\text{CF}} = 288$ Hz), 124.3 (C, q , $J_{\text{CF}} = 285$ Hz), 125.5 (CH), 127.6 (CH), 128.0 (CH), 128.3 (CH), 129.0 (CH), 129.5 (C), 132.9 (C), 135.5 (CH, septet, $J_{\text{CF}} = 3.8$ Hz), 136.0 (C), 151.1 (C), 167.4 (C). Selected HMBC correlations are between δ 3.28 (C3–HH) and 2.95 (C4–HH), between δ 46.6 (C9a), δ 2.95 (C4–HH), 3.28 (C3–HH), and δ 32.4 (C3a), and between δ 2.81 (C9a–H) and δ 56.9 (C9). ^{19}F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) –66.23 (q , $J_{\text{FF}} = 6.9$ Hz), –70.27 (q , $J_{\text{FF}} = 6.9$ Hz); IR (KBr) 3033, 2929, 1699, 1530, 1431, 1349, 1263, 1245, 1195, 1080 cm^{-1} ; MS (EI) m/z 458 (M^+ , 71), 91 (100%); HRMS (EI) m/z 458.1064 (calcd for $\text{C}_{21}\text{H}_{16}\text{F}_6\text{N}_2\text{O}_3$ 458.1065). Anal. Calcd for $\text{C}_{21}\text{H}_{16}\text{F}_6\text{N}_2\text{O}_3$: C, 55.03; H, 3.52; N, 6.11. Found: C, 55.01; H, 3.55; N, 6.15.

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2D NOESY spectra (PDF)

Crystal structure of **8w** (CIF)

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