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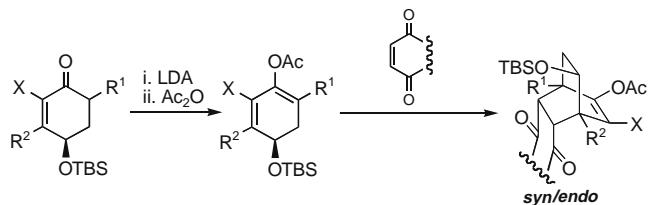
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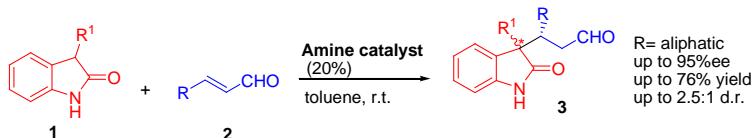


1,3-Dienes derived from (*R*)-4-*t*-butyldimethylsilyloxy-2-cyclohexen-1-one react with activated dienophiles to form predominately (or sometimes exclusively) *syn/endo* products. These controlled [4+2] cycloadditions increase the asymmetric complexity from one asymmetric center in the starting material to five asymmetric centers in the products in a single step, and provide a powerful approach for the asymmetric synthesis of compounds containing the bicyclo[2.2.2]octanone carbon skeleton.

Enantioselective addition of oxindoles to aliphatic α,β -unsaturated aldehydes

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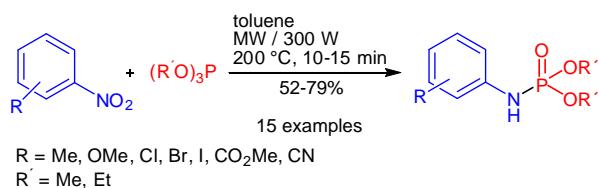


An enantioselective organocatalytic oxindole addition to aliphatic α,β -unsaturated aldehydes is reported. The reaction is catalyzed by simple and commercially available secondary amines yielding the corresponding adducts with moderate yields and diastereoselectivities, and with good enantioselectivities.

Practical and reliable synthesis of dialkyl N-arylphosphoramides with nitroarenes as substrates

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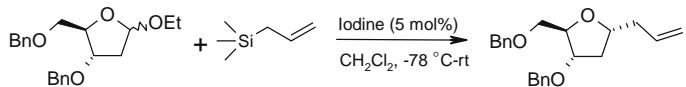


The efficient synthesis of dialkyl N-arylphosphoramides by reaction of nitroarenes with trialkyl phosphites under thermal as well as under microwave conditions is reported.

Highly diastereoselective allylation of lactols and their ethers using molecular iodine

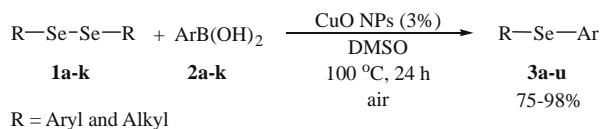
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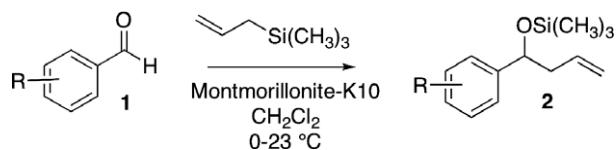
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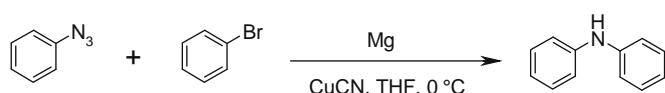
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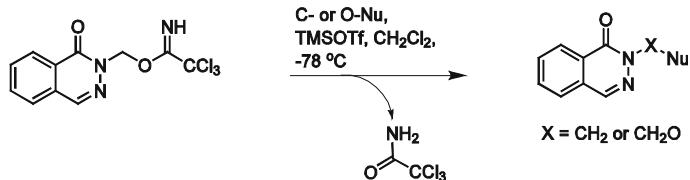
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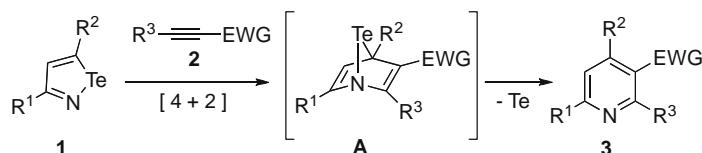
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tert-Alcohol-functionalized imidazolium ionic liquid: catalyst for mild nucleophilic substitution reactions at room temperature

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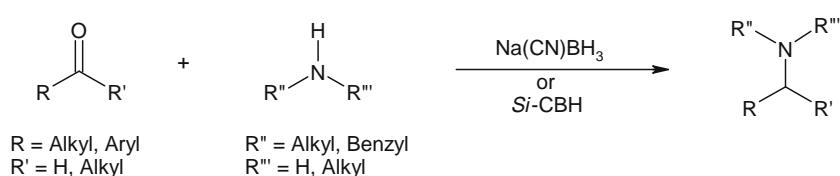
R-O-CH2-CH2-OMs R = estrone	KCN, IL acetone rt, 22 h	R-O-CH2-CH2-CN	IL	yield
[mim- ^t OH][OMs]			97%	
[bmim][OMs]			no reaction	
[bmim][BF ₄]				28%

Tertiary alcohol containing [mim-^tOH][OMs] exhibited excellent phase transfer catalytic activity and good product yield compared to [bmim] salts.

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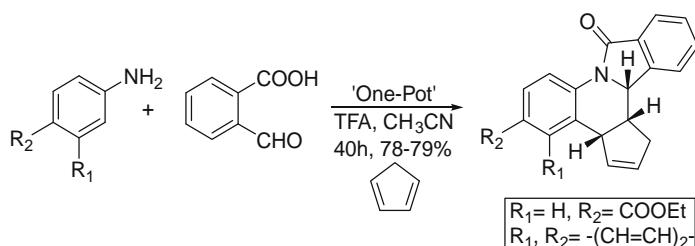
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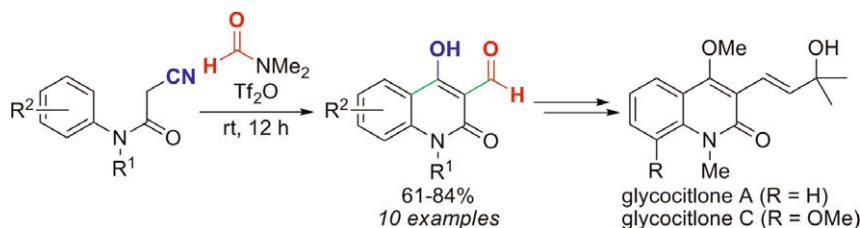
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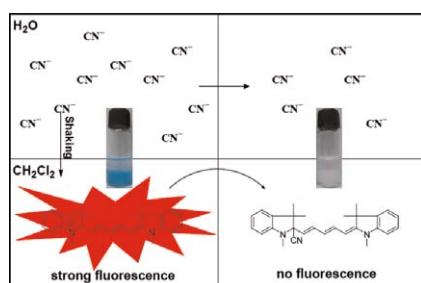
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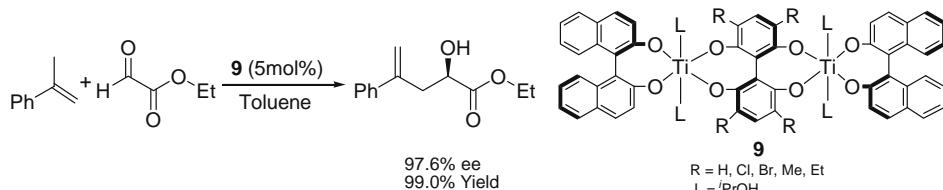
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**Efficient bimetallic titanium catalyst for carbonyl-ene reaction**

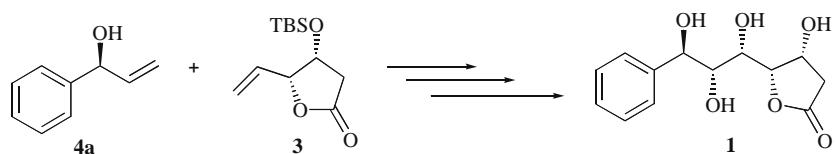
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Olefin cross-metathesis based approach for the stereoselective total synthesis of (+)-cardiobutanolide

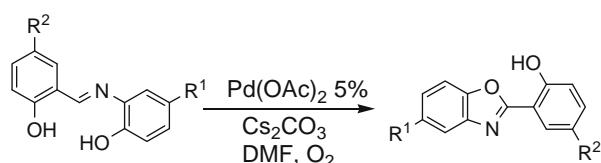
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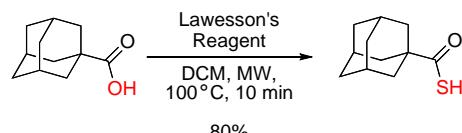
A stereoselective total synthesis of (+)-cardiobutanolide is reported.

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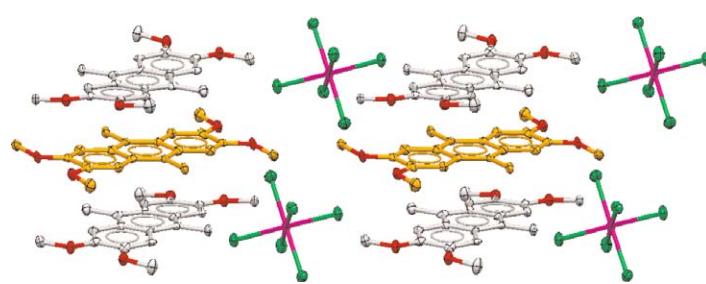
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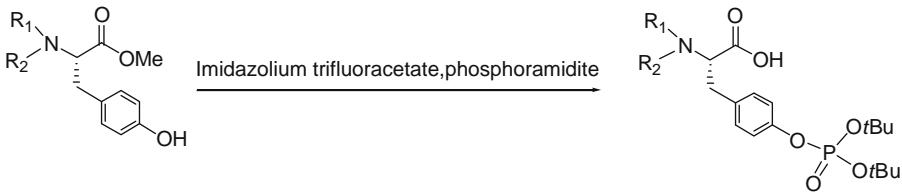
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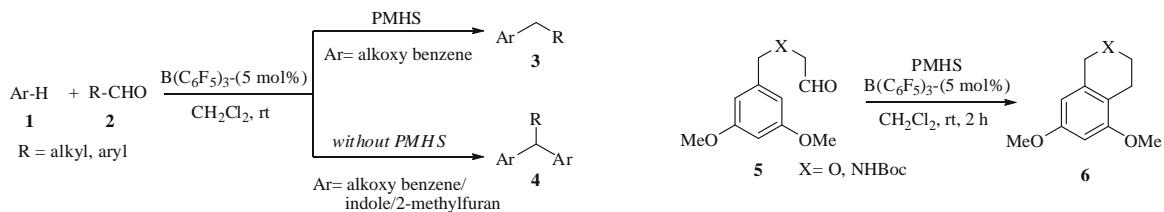
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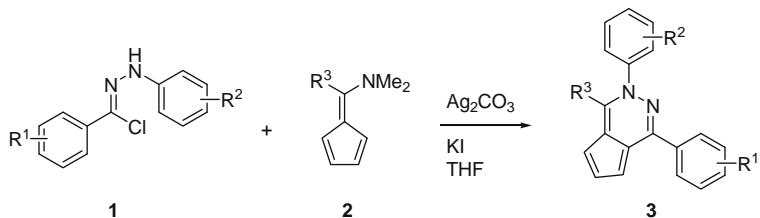
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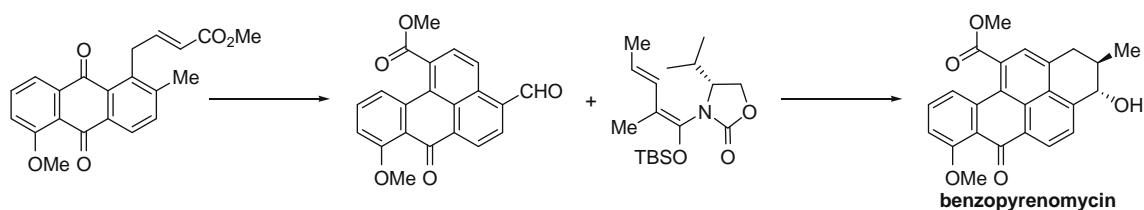
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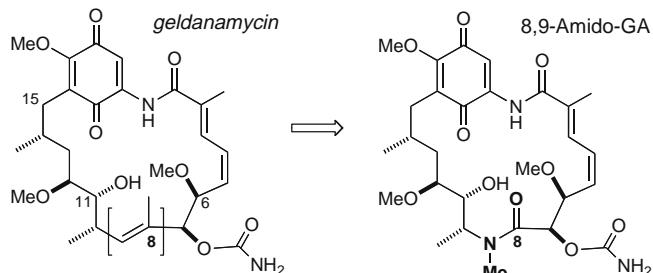
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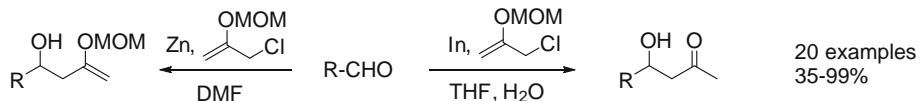
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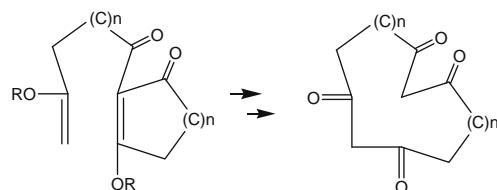
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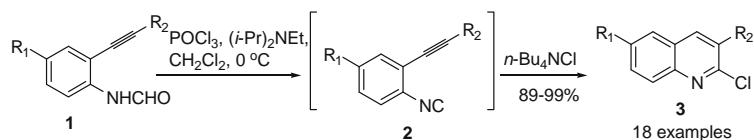
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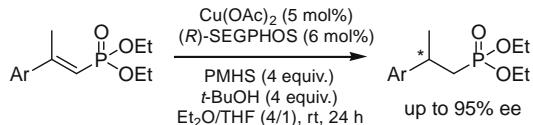
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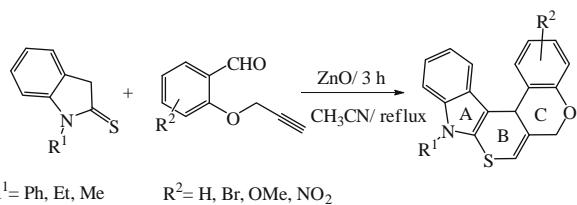
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