Supporting Information for Palladium-Catalyzed Enantioselective Decarboxylative Allylic Alkylation of Acyclic α-N-Pyrrolyl/Indolyl Ketones.

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Materials and Methods

Unless otherwise stated, reactions were performed in flame-dried glassware under an argon or nitrogen atmosphere using dry, deoxygenated solvents. Solvents were dried by passage through an activated alumina column under argon.¹ Reaction progress was monitored by thinlayer chromatography (TLC) or Agilent 1290 UHPLC-MS. TLC was performed using E. Merck silica gel 60 F254 precoated glass plates (0.25 mm) and visualized by UV fluorescence quenching, *p*-anisaldehyde, or KMnO₄ staining. Silicycle Silia*Flash*® P60 Academic Silica gel (particle size 40–63 µm) was used for flash chromatography. ¹H NMR spectra were recorded on Varian Inova 500 MHz and Bruker 400 MHz spectrometers and are reported relative to residual CHCl₃ (δ 7.26 ppm). ¹³C NMR spectra were recorded on a Varian Inova 500 MHz spectrometer (125 MHz) and Bruker 400 MHz spectrometers (100 MHz) and are reported relative to $CHCl_3$ (δ 77.16 ppm). Data for ¹H NMR are reported as follows: chemical shift (δ ppm) (multiplicity, coupling constant (Hz), integration). Multiplicities are reported as follows: s = singlet, d =doublet, t = triplet, g = quartet, p = pentet, sept = septuplet, m = multiplet, br s = broad singlet, br d = broad doublet. Data for ¹³C NMR are reported in terms of chemical shifts (δ ppm). IR spectra were obtained by use of a Perkin Elmer Spectrum BXII spectrometer or Nicolet 6700 FTIR spectrometer using thin films deposited on NaCl plates and reported in frequency of absorption (cm⁻¹). Optical rotations were measured with a Jasco P-2000 polarimeter operating on the sodium D-line (589 nm), using a 100 mm path-length cell. Analytical SFC was performed with a Mettler SFC supercritical CO₂ analytical chromatography system utilizing Chiralpak (AD-H, AS-H or IC) or Chiralcel (OD-H, OJ-H, or OB-H) columns (4.6 mm x 25 cm) obtained from Daicel Chemical Industries, Ltd. High resolution mass spectra (HRMS) were obtained from Agilent 6200 Series TOF with an Agilent G1978A Multimode source in electrospray ionization (ESI+), atmospheric pressure chemical ionization (APCI+), or mixed ionization mode (MM: ESI-APCI+).

Reagents were purchased from Sigma-Aldrich, Combi-Blocks, or Strem and used as received unless otherwise stated. Ligands² and bromoacetophenone derivatives³ were prepared by known methods. Ketones **SI-1**⁴, **SI-6**⁵ and **SI-10**⁴ are all known compounds. ¹H-NMR spectral data matched those reported in the literature.

List of Abbreviations:

ee – enantiomeric excess, SFC – supercritical fluid chromatography, TLC – thin-layer chromatography, IPA – isopropanol

General Procedure for Pd-Catalyzed Allylic Alkylation Reactions



In a nitrogen-filled glovebox, a solution of $Pd_2(dba)_3$ (0.69 mg/mL) and L (1.06 mg/mL) in toluene was stirred for 30 minutes at 25 °C, then 0.67 mL of the resulting catalyst solution was transferred to a one dram vial containing allyl enol carbonate substrate (0.2 mmol) dissolved in hexanes (1.33 mL). The vial was sealed with a Teflon-lined cap, removed from the glovebox, and stirred at 25 °C for 12 h. The crude reaction mixture was concentrated then purified by silica gel flash chromatography to provide the desired alkylation product.



(S)-2-phenethyl-1-phenyl-2-(1*H*-pyrrol-1-yl)pent-4-en-1-one (2a)

Purified by column chromatography (2% Et₂O in hexanes) to provide a beige solid (65.8 mg, 96% yield); 86% ee, $[\alpha]_D^{25}$ -50.0 (*c* 1.0, CHCl₃); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.50 – 7.43 (m, 1H), 7.32 – 7.25 (m, 2H), 7.25 – 7.13 (m, 5H), 7.00 – 6.92 (m, 2H), 6.80 (t, *J* = 2.2 Hz, 2H), 6.29 – 6.23 (m, 2H), 5.42 (dddd, *J* = 16.9, 10.3, 7.8, 6.7 Hz, 1H), 5.17 – 5.06 (m, 2H), 3.08 – 2.95 (m, 2H), 2.60 – 2.27 (m, 4H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 198.9, 141.1, 136.0, 132.8, 131.5, 128.7, 128.7, 128.6, 128.4, 126.3, 119.9, 118.9, 109.6, 69.9, 39.7, 36.9, 29.6 ; IR (Neat Film, NaCl) 3065, 3024, 2962, 1682, 1646, 1596, 1483, 1455, 1250, 1220, 1181, 1097, 975, 923, 724, 698, 662 cm⁻¹; HRMS (MM:ESI-APCI+) *m/z* calc'd for C₂₃H₂₄NO [M+H]⁺: 330.1852, found



330.1856; SFC Conditions: 5% IPA, 2.5 mL/min, Chiralpak IC column, $\lambda = 210$ nm, t_R (min): major = 5.03, minor = 6.06.



(S)-2-ethyl-1-phenyl-2-(1H-pyrrol-1-yl)pent-4-en-1-one (2b)

Purified by column chromatography (2% Et₂O in hexanes) to provide a colorless oil (49.6 mg, 98% yield); 90% ee, $[\alpha]_D^{25}$ –97.7 (*c* 1.00, CHCl₃); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.45 – 7.39 (m, 1H), 7.29 – 7.22 (m, 2H), 7.19 – 7.13 (m, 2H), 6.77 (t, *J* = 2.2 Hz, 2H), 6.25 (t, *J* = 2.2 Hz, 2H), 5.34 (dddd, *J* = 16.9, 10.2, 7.8, 6.7 Hz, 1H), 5.09 – 4.96 (m, 2H), 2.90 (dq, *J* = 7.7, 1.3 Hz, 2H), 2.36 – 2.10 (m, 2H), 0.75 (t, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 3H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 199.0, 136.0, 132.6, 131.6, 128.7, 128.6, 119.6, 118.9, 109.4, 70.5, 39.0, 27.2, 7.6; IR (Neat Film, NaCl) 3070, 2976, 1683, 1641, 1596, 1484, 1464, 1446, 1266, 1228, 1186, 1048, 1093, 1075, 1003, 976, 922, 722, 692 cm⁻¹; HRMS (MM:ESI-APCI+) *m/z* calc'd for C₁₇H₂₀NO [M+H]⁺: 254.1539, found

254.1540; SFC Conditions:* 10% IPA, 2.5 mL/min, Chiralpak IC column, $\lambda = 210$ nm, t_R (min): major = 4.04, minor = 4.66.



*SFC performed on cross-metathesis product of 2b with methyl acrylate with Grubbs II



(S)-2-allyl-1-phenyl-2-(1*H*-pyrrol-1-yl)heptan-1-one (2c)

Purified by column chromatography (2% Et₂O in hexanes) to provide a colorless oil (57.9 mg, 98% yield); 91% ee, $[\alpha]_D^{25}$ –96.0 (*c* 1.00, CHCl₃); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.45 – 7.39 (m, 1H), 7.29 – 7.23 (m, 2H), 7.19 – 7.14 (m, 2H), 6.76 (t, *J* = 2.2 Hz, 2H), 6.24 (t, *J* = 2.2 Hz, 2H), 5.35 (dddd, *J* = 16.7, 10.2, 8.1, 6.4 Hz, 1H), 5.06 (ddt, *J* = 10.2, 2.0, 1.0 Hz, 1H), 5.00 (ddt, *J* = 16.9, 2.1, 1.3 Hz, 1H), 3.00 – 2.81 (m, 2H), 2.22 (ddd, *J* = 13.3, 12.2, 4.0 Hz, 1H), 2.16 – 2.04 (m, 1H), 1.24 – 1.08 (m, 5H), 1.08 – 0.95 (m, 1H), 0.78 (t, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 3H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 199.1, 136.0, 132.6, 131.7, 128.7, 128.5, 119.6, 118.9, 109.3, 70.1, 39.8, 34.2, 32.0, 22.7, 22.3, 14.0; IR (Neat Film, NaCl) 3102, 3069, 2956, 2931, 2870, 1682, 1641, 1596, 1578, 1483, 1467, 1446, 1418, 1379, 1268, 1252, 1219, 1203, 1185, 1150, 1095, 1073, 1002, 971, 920, 867, 783, 725, 692, 665 cm⁻¹; HRMS (MM:ESI-APCI+) *m/z* calc'd for C₂₀H₂₆NO [M+H]⁺:

296.2009, found 296.2022; SFC Conditions: 5% IPA, 2.5 mL/min, Chiralcel AD-H column, $\lambda = 210$ nm, t_R (min): minor = 2.88, major = 3.23.





(S)-2-isobutyl-1-phenyl-2-(1H-pyrrol-1-yl)pent-4-en-1-one (2d)

Purified by column chromatography (2% Et₂O in hexanes) to provide a white solid (55.1 mg, 99% yield); 94% ee, $[\alpha]_D^{25}$ -33.1 (*c* 1.00, CHCl₃); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.45 – 7.38 (m, 1H), 7.28 – 7.22 (m, 2H), 7.21 – 7.16 (m, 2H), 6.78 – 6.73 (m, 2H), 6.25 – 6.20 (m, 2H), 5.36 (dddd, *J* = 16.8, 10.2, 7.8, 6.5 Hz, 1H), 5.06 (ddt, *J* = 10.2, 2.0, 1.0 Hz, 1H), 4.97 (dq, *J* = 17.0, 1.6 Hz, 1H), 3.07 – 2.91 (m, 2H), 2.25 – 2.06 (m, 2H), 1.68 – 1.57 (m, 1H), 0.74 (d, *J* = 1.3 Hz, 3H), 0.72 (d, *J* = 1.2 Hz, 3H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 198.9, 136.1, 132.5, 131.5, 128.7, 128.4, 119.8, 118.7, 109.2, 70.1, 42.8, 40.0, 24.4, 23.9, 23.6; IR (Neat Film, NaCl) 3070, 2957, 2870, 1682, 1642, 1596, 1483, 1470, 1446, 1388, 1367, 1273, 1258, 1219, 1186, 1148, 1095, 1026, 1002, 921, 900, 724, 691, 666 cm⁻¹; HRMS (MM:ESI-APCI+) *m/z* calc'd for C₁₉H₂₄NO [M+H]⁺: 282.1852, found 252.1857; SFC Conditions: 2% IPA, 2.5 mL/min, Chiralpak IC column, $\lambda = 210$ nm, t_R (min): minor = 4.40, major = 4.93.





(*R*)-2-benzyl-1-phenyl-2-(1*H*-pyrrol-1-yl)pent-4-en-1-one (2e)

Purified by column chromatography (2% Et₂O in hexanes) to provide a colorless oil (61.8 mg, 98% yield); 84% ee, $[\alpha]_D^{25}$ +82.353 (*c* 1.00, CHCl₃); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.45 (ddt, *J* = 8.6, 6.8, 1.5 Hz, 1H), 7.31 – 7.12 (m, 7H), 6.66 (t, *J* = 2.2 Hz, 2H), 6.63 – 6.56 (m, 2H), 6.24 (t, *J* = 2.2 Hz, 2H), 5.61 (ddt, *J* = 17.3, 10.2, 7.1 Hz, 1H), 5.13 (dq, *J* = 10.2, 1.3 Hz, 1H), 4.93 (dq, *J* = 17.0, 1.6 Hz, 1H), 3.43 (s, 2H), 2.88 – 2.75 (m, 2H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 198.1, 136.0, 135.5, 132.8, 130.8, 130.5, 129.0, 128.6, 128.1, 127.0, 120.7, 119.1, 109.6, 70.4, 41.7, 38.4; IR (Neat Film, NaCl) 3064, 1686, 1645, 1487, 1443, 1276, 1256, 1214, 1188, 1141, 1100, 1027, 1000, 934, 905, 808, 756, 737, 701, 692, 667, 643 cm⁻¹; HRMS (MM:ESI-APCI+) *m/z* calc'd for C₂₂H₂₂NO [M+H]⁺: 316.1696, found 316.1696; SFC Conditions: 5% IPA, 2.5 mL/min, Chiralpak IC column, λ = 210 nm, t_R (min): major = 5.35, minor = 6.14.





(S)-2-methyl-1-phenyl-2-(1H-pyrrol-1-yl)pent-4-en-1-one (2f)

Purified by column chromatography (2% Et₂O in hexanes) to provide a white solid (47.0 mg, 98% yield); 90% ee, $[\alpha]_D^{25}$ –163.0 (*c* 1.00, CHCl₃); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.45 – 7.39 (m, 1H), 7.29 – 7.19 (m, 4H), 6.74 (d, *J* = 2.2 Hz, 2H), 6.23 (t, *J* = 2.2 Hz, 2H), 5.40 (dddd, *J* = 16.7, 10.3, 8.2, 6.3 Hz, 1H), 5.10 – 5.00 (m, 2H), 2.97 – 2.89 (m, 1H), 2.83 (ddt, *J* = 13.9, 8.2, 1.0 Hz, 1H), 1.75 (s, 3H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 199.4, 135.5, 132.7, 132.1, 128.8, 128.5, 119.9, 118.8, 109.5, 67.2, 43.9, 23.4; IR (Neat Film, NaCl) 3070, 2982, 1682, 1641, 1596, 1484, 1446, 1378, 1280, 1255, 1152, 1092, 1073, 974, 951, 922, 794, 719, 693 cm⁻¹; HRMS (MM:ESI-APCI+) *m/z* calc'd for C₁₆H₁₇NONa [M+Na]⁺: 262.1202, found 262.1210; SFC Conditions: 0.5% IPA, 2.5 mL/min, Chiralcel OB-H column, λ = 210 nm, t_R (min): minor = 3.52, major = 3.89.

Substrate rerun on 5.08 mmol scale to provide 2f (1.14 g, 94% yield) in 90% ee.





(S)-2-ethyl-2-(1H-pyrrol-1-yl)-1-(p-tolyl)pent-4-en-1-one (2g)

Purified by column chromatography (2% Et₂O in hexanes) to provide a colorless oil (50.4 mg, 95% yield); 95% ee, $[\alpha]_D^{25}$ –90.8 (*c* 1.00, CHCl₃); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.16 – 7.09 (m, 2H), 7.10 – 7.02 (m, 2H), 6.75 (t, *J* = 2.2 Hz, 2H), 6.23 (t, *J* = 2.2 Hz, 2H), 5.41 – 5.27 (m, 1H), 5.09 – 4.97 (m, 2H), 2.90 (dt, *J* = 7.7, 1.2 Hz, 2H), 2.31 (s, 3H), 2.30 – 2.14 (m, 2H), 0.74 (t, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 3H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 198.4, 143.4, 133.3, 131.8, 129.3, 128.9, 119.5, 118.9, 109.2, 70.5, 39.2, 27.4, 21.6, 7.6; IR (Neat Film, NaCl) 3070, 2976, 2881, 1681, 1641, 1606, 1484, 1459, 1265, 1236, 1187, 1149, 1093, 1075, 1003, 917, 846, 827, 792, 756, 724 cm⁻¹; HRMS (MM:ESI-APCI+) *m/z* calc'd for C₁₈H₂₂NO [M+H]⁺: 268.1696, found 268.1693; SFC Conditions: 2% IPA, 2.5 mL/min, Chiralcel OB-H column, λ = 210 nm, t_R (min): minor = 2.80, major = 3.20.





(S)-2-ethyl-1-(4-methoxyphenyl)-2-(1H-pyrrol-1-yl)pent-4-en-1-one (2h)

Purified by column chromatography (5% Et₂O in hexanes) to provide a colorless oil (55.9 mg, 99% yield); 94% ee, $[\alpha]_D^{25}$ –80.0 (*c* 1.00, CHCl₃); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.27 – 7.22 (m, 2H), 6.76 – 6.70 (m, 4H), 6.22 (t, *J* = 2.2 Hz, 2H), 5.33 (dddd, *J* = 16.8, 10.3, 7.9, 6.6 Hz, 1H), 5.08 – 4.96 (m, 2H), 3.78 (s, 3H), 2.95 – 2.81 (m, 2H), 2.35 – 2.12 (m, 2H), 0.74 (t, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 3H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 197.2, 163.1, 131.9, 131.2, 128.6, 119.5, 118.9, 113.7, 109.2, 70.6, 55.5, 39.4, 27.7, 7.7; IR (Neat Film, NaCl) 3076, 2974, 2839, 1673, 1645, 1600, 1574, 1508, 1484, 1459, 1418, 1306, 1263, 1242, 1178, 1149, 1092, 1074, 1032, 917, 847, 726 cm⁻¹; HRMS (MM:ESI-APCI+) *m/z* calc'd for C₁₈H₂₂NO₂ [M+H]⁺: 284.1645, found 284.1644; SFC Conditions: 1% IPA, 2.5 mL/min, Chiralcel OB-H column, λ = 210 nm, t_R (min): minor = 4.11, major = 4.62.





(S)-1-(4-chlorophenyl)-2-ethyl-2-(1H-pyrrol-1-yl)pent-4-en-1-one (2i)

Purified by column chromatography (2% Et₂O in hexanes) to provide a colorless oil (54.8 mg, 95% yield); 93% ee, $[\alpha]_D^{25}$ –86.8 (*c* 1.00, CHCl₃); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.25 – 7.20 (m, 2H), 7.12 – 7.06 (m, 2H), 6.74 (t, *J* = 2.2 Hz, 2H), 6.26 – 6.23 (m, 2H), 5.33 (dddd, *J* = 16.8, 10.3, 7.9, 6.5 Hz, 1H), 5.14 – 4.94 (m, 2H), 2.97 – 2.79 (m, 2H), 2.28 (dq, *J* = 13.6, 7.5 Hz, 1H), 2.14 (dqd, *J* = 13.7, 7.4, 0.8 Hz, 1H), 0.74 (t, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 3H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 197.8, 139.1, 134.2, 131.4, 130.2, 128.9, 119.8, 118.9, 109.6, 70.6, 39.0, 27.3, 7.6; IR (Neat Film, NaCl) 3074, 2980, 1682, 1644, 1586, 1486, 1398, 1280, 1266, 1224, 1184, 1147, 1116, 1093, 1075, 1003, 926, 914, 845, 824, 750, 726, 707 cm⁻¹; HRMS (MM:ESI-APCI+) *m/z* calc'd for C₁₇H₁₉CINO [M+H]⁺: 288.1150, found 288.1150; SFC Conditions: 3% IPA, 2.5 mL/min, Chiralpak AD-H column, λ = 210 nm, t_R (min): minor = 6.42, major = 7.10.





(S)-2-ethyl-1-(4-fluorophenyl)-2-(1H-pyrrol-1-yl)pent-4-en-1-one (2j)

Purified by column chromatography (4% Et₂O in hexanes) to provide a colorless oil (53.9 mg, 99% yield); 92% ee, $[\alpha]_D^{25}$ –93.7 (*c* 1.00, CHCl₃); ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.23 – 7.16 (m, 2H), 6.96 – 6.89 (m, 2H), 6.74 (t, *J* = 2.2 Hz, 2H), 6.25 (t, *J* = 2.2 Hz, 2H), 5.34 (dddd, *J* = 16.9, 10.2, 7.8, 6.6 Hz, 1H), 5.07 (ddt, *J* = 10.1, 1.9, 1.0 Hz, 1H), 5.01 (dq, *J* = 16.9, 1.5 Hz, 1H), 2.89 (ddt, *J* = 7.9, 2.3, 1.1 Hz, 2H), 2.29 (dq, *J* = 13.6, 7.5 Hz, 1H), 2.22 – 2.11 (m, 1H), 0.75 (t, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 3H); ¹⁹F NMR (282 MHz, CDCl₃) δ -105.6 – -105.7 (m); ¹³C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 197.4, 165.3 (d, *J* = 254.7 Hz), 132.3 (d, *J* = 3.6 Hz), 131.5 (d, *J* = 9.5 Hz), 131.5, 119.7, 118.9, 115.6 (d, *J* = 21.5 Hz), 109.5, 70.6, 39.1, 27.4, 7.6; IR (Neat Film, NaCl) 3078, 2977, 2882, 1682, 1642, 1598, 1504, 1484, 1463, 1266, 1235, 1161, 1093, 1075, 1006, 921, 853, 841, 759, 726cm⁻¹; HRMS (MM:ESI-APCI+) *m/z* calc'd for C₁₇H₁₉FNO [M+H]⁺: 272.1445, found 272.1446; SFC Conditions: 5% IPA, 2.5 mL/min, Chiralpak AD-H column, λ = 210 nm, t_R (min): major = 2.74, minor = 3.02.





(S)-1-(4-bromophenyl)-2-ethyl-2-(1*H*-pyrrol-1-yl)pent-4-en-1-one (2k)

Purified by column chromatography (2% Et₂O in hexanes) to provide a colorless oil (60.0 mg, 90% yield); 97% ee, $[\alpha]_D^{25}$ -73.6 (*c* 1.00, CHCl₃); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.44 – 7.36 (m, 2H), 7.04 – 6.97 (m, 2H), 6.73 (t, *J* = 2.2 Hz, 2H), 6.24 (t, *J* = 2.2 Hz, 2H), 5.33 (dddd, *J* = 16.8, 10.2, 8.0, 6.5 Hz, 1H), 5.06 (ddt, *J* = 10.2, 2.0, 1.0 Hz, 1H), 5.04 – 4.98 (m, 1H), 2.95 – 2.79 (m, 2H), 2.27 (dq, *J* = 13.6, 7.6 Hz, 1H), 2.19 – 2.08 (m, 1H), 0.74 (t, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 3H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 198.0, 134.6, 131.9, 131.3, 130.3, 127.9, 119.8, 118.9, 109.6, 70.6, 38.9, 27.2, 7.6; IR (Neat Film, NaCl) 3074, 2975, 1682, 1642, 1582, 1483, 1462, 1394, 1266, 1227, 1384, 1150, 1093, 1074, 1004, 979, 918, 844, 818, 751, 725 cm⁻¹; HRMS (MM:ESI-APCI+) *m/z* calc'd for C₁₇H₁₉BrNO [M+H]⁺: 332.0645, found 332.0640; SFC Conditions: 2% IPA, 2.5 mL/min, Chiralpak IC column, $\lambda = 210$ nm, t_R (min): minor = 5.80, major = 6.29.





(S)-2-ethyl-2-(1H-pyrrol-1-yl)-1-(m-tolyl)pent-4-en-1-one (2l)

Purified by column chromatography (2% Et₂O in hexanes) to provide a colorless oil (53.4 mg, 99% yield); 93% ee, $[\alpha]_D^{25}$ –96.6 (*c* 1.00, CHCl₃); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.24 (dt, *J* = 7.7, 1.3 Hz, 1H), 7.11 (t, *J* = 7.7 Hz, 1H), 7.04 (s, 1H), 6.86 (dt, *J* = 7.9, 1.3 Hz, 1H), 6.76 (t, *J* = 2.2 Hz, 2H), 6.24 (t, *J* = 2.2 Hz, 2H), 5.35 (ddt, *J* = 17.2, 10.2, 7.3 Hz, 1H), 5.11 – 4.97 (m, 2H), 2.94 – 2.84 (m, 2H), 2.26 (s, 3H), 2.32 – 2.12 (m, 2H), 0.75 (t, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 3H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 199.3, 138.2, 136.0, 133.3, 131.7, 129.4, 128.4, 125.6, 119.5, 118.9, 109.3, 70.5, 39.0, 27.2, 21.4, 7.6; IR (Neat Film, NaCl) 3067, 2977, 2942, 2882, 1682, 1642, 1601, 1584, 1484, 1462, 1266, 1251, 1190, 1140, 1093, 923, 790, 724, 694 cm⁻¹; HRMS (MM:ESI-APCI+) *m/z* calc'd for C₁₈H₂₂NO [M+H]⁺: 268.1696, found 268.1699; SFC Conditions: 3% IPA, 2.5 mL/min, Chiralcel OJ-H column, λ = 210 nm, t_R (min): minor = 2.63, major = 2.84.





(S)-2-ethyl-2-(1H-pyrrol-1-yl)-1-(o-tolyl)pent-4-en-1-one (2m)

Purified by column chromatography (2% Et₂O in hexanes) to provide a white solid (45.6 mg, 85% yield); 90% ee, $[\alpha]_D^{25}$ -67.5 (*c* 1.00, CHCl₃); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.25 – 7.17 (m, 2H), 6.96 – 6.89 (m, 1H), 6.79 (t, *J* = 2.2 Hz, 2H), 6.23 (t, *J* = 2.2 Hz, 2H), 6.12 (dd, *J* = 7.9, 1.3 Hz, 1H), 5.44 (dddd, *J* = 16.7, 10.3, 8.0, 6.3 Hz, 1H), 5.12 – 5.00 (m, 2H), 2.98 (ddq, *J* = 14.4, 6.3, 1.3 Hz, 1H), 2.92 – 2.83 (m, 1H), 2.36 (s, 3H), 2.31 – 2.21 (m, 1H), 2.20 – 2.09 (m, 1H), 0.80 (t, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 3H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 202.3, 138.1, 136.5, 131.8, 131.7, 130.6, 126.6, 125.5, 119.6, 118.8, 109.3, 70.4, 38.3, 26.9, 21.1, 7.4; IR (Neat Film, NaCl) 3071, 2972, 2932, 2875, 1688, 1645, 1485, 1456, 1383, 1318, 1289, 1262, 1121, 1084, 999, 965, 917, 755, 748, 723 cm¹; HRMS (MM:ESI-APCI+) *m/z* calc'd for C₁₈H₂₂NO [M+H]⁺: 268.1696, found 268.1705; SFC Conditions: 3% IPA, 2.5 mL/min, Chiralpak AD-H column, λ = 210 nm, t_R (min): major = 4.38, minor = 4.80.





(S)-2-ethyl-2-(2-methyl-1H-pyrrol-1-yl)-1-phenylpent-4-en-1-one (2n)

Purified by column chromatography (2% Et₂O in hexanes) to provide a colorless oil (48.7 mg, 91% yield); 90% ee, $[\alpha]_D^{25}$ -105.4 (*c* 1.00, CHCl₃); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.46 – 7.40 (m, 1H), 7.30 – 7.21 (m, 4H), 6.93 (dd, *J* = 3.1, 1.9 Hz, 1H), 6.16 (t, *J* = 3.2 Hz, 1H), 5.91 (ddq, *J* = 3.6, 1.8, 0.9 Hz, 1H), 5.30 (dddd, *J* = 16.6, 10.2, 8.3, 6.1 Hz, 1H), 5.11 – 4.97 (m, 2H), 3.03 – 2.93 (m, 1H), 2.89 (ddt, *J* = 14.3, 8.3, 0.9 Hz, 1H), 2.39 – 2.27 (m, 1H), 2.17 (dqd, *J* = 13.5, 7.4, 1.2 Hz, 1H), 1.98 (s, 3H), 0.71 (t, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 3H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 199.2, 135.7, 132.9, 131.8, 129.5, 129.2, 128.7, 119.6, 118.0, 110.4, 107.6, 70.6, 37.8, 27.2, 14.0, 7.6; IR (Neat Film, NaCl) 3070, 2977, 1683, 1596, 1446, 1417, 1268, 1228, 1146, 1085, 1006, 920, 840, 780, 724, 692 cm⁻¹; HRMS (MM:ESI-APCI+) *m/z* calc'd for C₁₈H₂₁NONa [M+Na]⁺: 290.1515, found 290.1516; SFC Conditions: 2% IPA, 2.5 mL/min, Chiralcel OD-H column, λ = 210 nm, t_R (min): major = 6.13, minor = 6.59.





(S)-2-ethyl-2-(1H-indol-1-yl)-1-phenylpent-4-en-1-one (20)

Purified by column chromatography (2% Et₂O in hexanes) to provide a colorless oil (54.1 mg, 89% yield); 92% ee, $[\alpha]_D^{25}$ -115.2 (*c* 1.00, CHCl₃); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.63 – 7.59 (m, 1H), 7.48 (d, *J* = 3.4 Hz, 1H), 7.33 (ddt, *J* = 8.6, 7.0, 1.3 Hz, 1H), 7.29 – 7.26 (m, 2H), 7.21 – 7.11 (m, 3H), 7.07 – 6.97 (m, 2H), 6.68 (dd, *J* = 3.3, 0.9 Hz, 1H), 5.23 (dddd, *J* = 16.5, 10.1, 8.5, 6.0 Hz, 1H), 5.02 (ddd, *J* = 10.2, 2.3, 1.1 Hz, 1H), 4.96 (ddt, *J* = 16.9, 1.9, 1.2 Hz, 1H), 3.29 (ddq, *J* = 14.3, 6.0, 1.4 Hz, 1H), 3.00 (dd, *J* = 14.3, 8.4 Hz, 1H), 2.57 (dq, *J* = 13.3, 7.5 Hz, 1H), 2.31 (dqd, *J* = 13.4, 7.4, 1.3 Hz, 1H), 0.76 (t, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 3H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 200.3, 135.8, 135.7, 132.9, 131.5, 129.7, 128.6, 128.6, 124.5, 122.2, 121.3, 120.1, 119.8, 111.8, 102.8, 70.6, 36.7, 26.8, 7.6; IR (Neat Film, NaCl) 3069, 2980, 1681, 1596, 1512, 1457, 1311, 1296, 1226, 1185, 1142, 1005, 925, 742, 721, 691 cm⁻¹; HRMS (MM:ESI-APCI+) *m/z* calc'd for

 $C_{21}H_{22}NO [M+H]^+$: 304.1696, found 304.1706; SFC Conditions: 5% IPA, 2.5 mL/min, Chiralcel OJ-H column, $\lambda = 210$ nm, t_R (min): minor = 5.19, major = 5.71.





(*R*)-2-(cyclopropylmethyl)-2-(1*H*-indol-1-yl)-1-phenylpent-4-en-1-one (2p)

Performed on 0.1 mmol scale. Purified by column chromatography (4% Et₂O in hexanes) to provide a colorless oil (33.1 mg, 94% yield); 92% ee, $[\alpha]_D^{25}$ –49.9 (*c* 1.00, CHCl₃); ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.64 – 7.58 (m, 1H), 7.47 (d, *J* = 3.4 Hz, 1H), 7.37 – 7.30 (m, 3H), 7.20 – 7.11 (m, 3H), 7.06 – 6.97 (m, 2H), 6.68 (dd, *J* = 3.3, 0.9 Hz, 1H), 5.29 (q, *J* = 9.1, 8.2 Hz, 1H), 5.10 – 4.92 (m, 2H), 3.50 (dd, *J* = 14.1, 6.0 Hz, 1H), 3.21 (dd, *J* = 14.0, 8.2 Hz, 1H), 2.54 (dd, *J* = 13.8, 6.0 Hz, 1H), 2.23 (dd, *J* = 13.8, 6.7 Hz, 1H), 0.53 – 0.27 (m, 3H), -0.10 (s, 2H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 200.1, 135.8, 135.6, 132.9, 131.6, 129.6, 128.7, 128.5, 124.4, 122.2, 121.2, 120.1, 120.0, 111.8, 102.8, 71.0, 38.3, 38.2, 5.4, 5.0, 4.0; IR (Neat Film, NaCl) 3076, 3003, 2362, 2341, 1678, 1595, 1457, 1309, 1229, 1019, 922, 764, 743, 724, 692 cm⁻¹; HRMS (MM:ESI-APCI+) *m/z* calc'd for C₂₃H₂₄NO [M+H]⁺: 330.1858, found 330.1861; SFC



Conditions: 5% IPA, 2.5 mL/min, Chiralpak AD-H column, $\lambda = 210$ nm, t_R (min): minor = 10.38, major = 11.27.



(S)-2-allyl-2-(1H-indol-1-yl)-1-phenylheptan-1-one (2q)

Purified by column chromatography (2% Et₂O in hexanes) to provide a colorless oil (48.6 mg, 70% yield); 90% ee, $[\alpha]_D^{25}$ –94.5 (*c* 1.00, CHCl₃); ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.65 – 7.59 (m, 1H), 7.50 (d, *J* = 3.3 Hz, 1H), 7.33 (tt, *J* = 7.3, 1.3 Hz, 1H), 7.31 – 7.27 (m, 2H), 7.21 (dq, *J* = 7.1, 1.1 Hz, 1H), 7.17 – 7.12 (m, 2H), 7.03 (tt, *J* = 7.1, 5.5 Hz, 2H), 6.69 (dd, *J* = 3.4, 0.9 Hz, 1H), 5.23 (ddd, *J* = 16.3, 9.6, 4.6 Hz, 1H), 5.13 – 4.91 (m, 2H), 3.38 – 3.25 (m, 1H), 3.02 (dd, *J* = 14.2, 8.6 Hz, 1H), 2.52 (td, *J* = 13.1, 3.9 Hz, 1H), 2.33 – 2.18 (m, 1H), 1.26 – 1.02 (m, 6H), 0.89 – 0.77 (m, 3H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 200.3, 135.7, 135.6, 132.8, 131.7, 129.7, 128.5, 124.4, 122.2, 121.2, 120.1, 119.7, 111.8, 102.8, 70.2, 37.4, 33.9, 32.0, 22.7, 22.3, 14.0; IR (Neat Film, NaCl) 2956, 2929, 2870, 1679, 1596, 1457, 1313, 1225, 922, 764, 743, 692 cm⁻¹; HRMS (MM:ESI-APCI+) *m/z* calc'd for C₂₄H₂₈NO [M+H]⁺: 346.2171, found 346.2168; SFC



Conditions: 5% IPA, 2.5 mL/min, Chiralcel OJ-H column, $\lambda = 210$ nm, t_R (min): major = 3.55,



(S)-2-ethyl-2-(1H-indol-1-yl)-1-(p-tolyl)pent-4-en-1-one (2r)

Performed on 0.107 mmol scale. Purified by column chromatography (3% Et₂O in hexanes) to provide a colorless oil (23.3 mg, 73% yield); 95% ee, $[\alpha]_D^{25}$ -87.8 (c 1.00, CHCl₃); ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.64 – 7.58 (m, 1H), 7.49 (d, J = 3.4 Hz, 1H), 7.24 – 7.16 (m, 3H), 7.02 (tt, J = 7.0, 5.5 Hz, 2H), 6.95 (d, J = 8.1 Hz, 2H), 6.68 (dd, J = 3.3, 0.9 Hz, 1H), 5.23 (dg, J = 16.6, 10.58.5 Hz, 1H), 5.08 – 4.90 (m, 2H), 3.38 – 3.23 (m, 1H), 3.02 (dd, J = 14.2, 8.5 Hz, 1H), 2.58 (dq, J = 13.3, 7.5 Hz, 1H), 2.33 (dtd, J = 14.6, 8.6, 8.0, 6.8 Hz, 1H), 2.23 (s, 3H), 0.78 (t, J = 7.4 Hz, 3H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 199.7, 143.7, 135.6, 133.1, 131.7, 129.6, 129.3, 128.7, 124.4, 122.1, 121.2, 120.0, 119.6, 111.8, 102.7, 70.6, 36.8, 27.0, 21.6, 7.7; IR (Neat Film, NaCl) 2978, 2360, 1674, 1605, 1457, 1295, 1226, 1186, 1142, 922, 742 cm⁻¹; HRMS (MM:ESI-





General Procedure for Preparation of Allyl Enol Carbonate Substrates



To a flame-dried flask was added LiHMDS (335 mg, 2 mmol) followed by toluene (3.0 mL) and N,N-dimethylethylamine (0.213 mL), and the resulting mixture stirred at 25 °C for 5 minutes. A solution of ketone (1 mmol) in toluene (2.0 mL) was then added, and the reaction continued at 25 °C for an additional 30 minutes. The flask was then submerged in a room temperature water bath and allyl chloroformate (0.217 mL, 2 mmol) was added slowly, and the reaction continued until no starting material remained by TLC (typically less than 30 minutes). The crude reaction mixture was diluted with Et₂O and quenched with water. The layers were separated, and the aqueous layer was extracted with Et₂O twice. The combined organic layers were dried over Na₂SO₄ and concentrated. The crude product was purified by silica gel flash chromatography to

afford the desired enol carbonate. The E/Z ratio of enol carbonates was determined by ¹H NMR and is >95:5 unless stated otherwise.



(E)-allyl (1,4-diphenyl-2-(1H-pyrrol-1-yl)but-1-en-1-yl) carbonate (1a)

Run on 1.0 mmol scale. Purified by column chromatography (10% Et₂O in hexanes) to provide a yellow oil (363.1 mg, 97% yield); ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.31 – 7.26 (m, 2H), 7.23 – 7.16 (m, 6H), 6.99 – 6.95 (m, 2H), 6.50 (t, *J* = 2.1 Hz, 2H), 6.16 (t, *J* = 2.2 Hz, 2H), 5.92 (ddt, *J* = 17.2, 10.5, 5.8 Hz, 1H), 5.36 (dq, *J* = 17.2, 1.5 Hz, 1H), 5.29 (dq, *J* = 10.4, 1.2 Hz, 1H), 4.65 (dt, *J* = 5.8, 1.4 Hz, 2H), 2.93 – 2.84 (m, 2H), 2.78 – 2.63 (m, 2H); ¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 153.0, 142.7, 140.9, 133.0, 131.6, 131.1, 128.7, 128.5, 128.5, 128.4, 127.1, 126.3, 121.1, 119.6, 109.8, 69.4, 33.9, 32.7; IR (Neat Film, NaCl) 1762, 1482, 1348, 1228, 1138, 1080, 1040, 942, 729, 696 cm⁻¹; HRMS (MM:ESI-APCI+) *m*/*z* calc'd for C₂₄H₂₄NO₃ [M+H]⁺: 374.1751, found 374.1745.



(E)-allyl (1-phenyl-2-(1H-pyrrol-1-yl)but-1-en-1-yl) carbonate (1b)

Run on a 1.47 mmol scale. Purified by column chromatography (10% Et₂O in hexanes) to provide a colorless oil (380.2 mg, 87% yield); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.24 – 7.15 (m, 3H), 7.04 – 6.95 (m, 2H), 6.52 (t, *J* = 2.1 Hz, 2H), 6.16 (t, *J* = 2.2 Hz, 2H), 5.94 (ddt, *J* = 17.4, 10.5, 5.8 Hz, 1H), 5.38 (dq, *J* = 17.2, 1.5 Hz, 1H), 5.30 (dq, *J* = 10.5, 1.3 Hz, 1H), 4.67 (dt, *J* = 5.8, 1.4 Hz, 2H), 2.61 (q, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 2H), 1.00 (t, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 3H); ¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 153.1, 141.9, 133.7, 133.1, 131.1, 128.6, 128.3, 127.0, 121.2, 119.6, 109.6, 69.4, 25.2, 11.1; IR (Neat Film, NaCl) 3060, 2977, 2938, 2877, 1766, 1494, 1483, 1458, 1446, 1364, 1347, 1320, 1292, 1260, 1224, 1145, 1121, 1085, 1039, 990, 946, 922, 901, 843, 775, 730, 696 cm⁻¹; HRMS (MM:ESI-APCI+) *m/z* calc'd for C₁₈H₂₀NO₃ [M+H]⁺: 298.1438, found 298.1442.



(E)-allyl (1-phenyl-2-(1H-pyrrol-1-yl)hept-1-en-1-yl) carbonate (1c)

Run on a 1.31 mmol scale. Purified by column chromatography (5% Et₂O in hexanes) to provide a slightly brown oil (421.4 mg, 95% yield); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.23 – 7.16 (m, 3H), 7.02 – 6.94 (m, 2H), 6.51 (t, *J* = 2.1 Hz, 2H), 6.14 (t, *J* = 2.2 Hz, 2H), 5.93 (ddt, *J* = 17.2, 10.5, 5.8 Hz, 1H), 5.37 (dq, *J* = 17.2, 1.5 Hz, 1H), 5.30 (dq, *J* = 10.5, 1.2 Hz, 1H), 4.66 (dt, *J* = 5.7, 1.4 Hz, 2H), 2.56 (dd, *J* = 8.0, 6.5 Hz, 2H), 1.44 – 1.22 (m, 5H), 0.92 – 0.83 (m, 3H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 153.1, 142.4, 133.2, 132.6, 131.2, 128.6, 128.3, 127.1, 121.1, 119.5, 109.5, 69.3, 31.8, 31.5, 26.1, 22.5, 14.1; IR (Neat Film, NaCl) 3061, 3026, 2957, 2931, 2861, 1767, 1494, 1483, 1446, 1380, 1363, 1347, 1292, 1229 (br), 1144, 1125, 1087, 1071, 1040, 988, 944, 862, 774, 729, 696 cm⁻¹; HRMS (MM:ESI-APCI+) *m/z* calc'd for C₂₁H₂₆NO₃ [M+H]⁺: 340.1907, found 340.1893.



(E)-allyl (4-methyl-1-phenyl-2-(1H-pyrrol-1-yl)pent-1-en-1-yl) carbonate (1d)

Run on a 1.22 mmol scale. Purified by column chromatography (7% Et₂O in hexanes) to provide a white solid (324.2 mg, 82% yield); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.22 – 7.16 (m, 3H), 7.03 – 6.95 (m, 2H), 6.50 (t, J = 2.2 Hz, 2H), 6.12 (t, J = 2.1 Hz, 2H), 5.91 (ddt, J = 17.2, 10.5, 5.8 Hz, 1H), 5.35 (dq, J = 17.1, 1.5 Hz, 1H), 5.28 (dq, J = 10.5, 1.2 Hz, 1H), 4.64 (dt, J = 5.8, 1.4 Hz, 2H), 2.46 (d, J = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 1.62 – 1.51 (m, 1H), 0.94 (s, 3H), 0.92 (s, 3H); ¹³C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-d) δ 153.0, 143.0, 133.3, 131.7, 131.2, 128.6, 128.3, 127.1, 121.1, 119.5, 109.5, 69.3, 40.5, 26.0, 22.4; IR (Neat Film, NaCl) 2959, 2367, 1753, 1541, 1226, 1068, 1039, 785, 730 cm⁻¹; HRMS (MM:ESI-APCI+) m/z calc'd for C₂₀H₂₃NO₃Na [M+Na]⁺: 348.1570, found 348.1564.



(E)-allyl (1,3-diphenyl-2-(1H-pyrrol-1-yl)prop-1-en-1-yl) carbonate (1e)

Run on a 1.58 mmol scale. Purified by column chromatography (8% Et₂O in hexanes) to provide a white solid (461.7 mg, 81% yield); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.28 – 7.13 (m, 8H), 7.06 – 6.97 (m, 2H), 6.38 (t, *J* = 2.2 Hz, 2H), 6.05 (t, *J* = 2.2 Hz, 2H), 5.91 (ddt, *J* = 17.2, 10.4, 5.8 Hz, 1H), 5.36 (dq, *J* = 17.2, 1.4 Hz, 1H), 5.29 (dq, *J* = 10.5, 1.2 Hz, 1H), 4.65 (dt, *J* = 5.8, 1.4 Hz, 2H), 3.89 (s, 2H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 153.0, 143.1, 137.0, 132.9, 131.1, 130.9, 128.9, 128.9, 128.7, 128.4, 127.1, 126.8, 121.3, 119.7, 109.6, 69.5, 38.3; IR (Neat Film, NaCl) 3028, 1763, 1481, 1454, 1346, 1230, 1136, 1070, 1038, 987, 937, 772, 729, 696 cm⁻¹; HRMS (MM:ESI-APCI+) *m/z* calc'd for C₂₃H₂₂NO₃ [M+H]⁺: 360.1594, found 360.1589.



(E)-allyl (1-phenyl-2-(1H-pyrrol-1-yl)prop-1-en-1-yl) carbonate (1f)

Run on a 1.36 mmol scale. Purified by column chromatography (10% Et₂O in hexanes) to provide a colorless oil (372.2 mg, 97% yield); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.23 – 7.18 (m, 3H), 7.02 – 6.96 (m, 2H), 6.54 (t, *J* = 2.2 Hz, 2H), 6.14 (t, *J* = 2.2 Hz, 2H), 5.94 (ddt, *J* = 17.1, 10.3, 5.7 Hz, 1H), 5.38 (dq, *J* = 17.1, 1.5 Hz, 1H), 5.34 – 5.27 (m, 1H), 4.67 (dt, *J* = 5.7, 1.4 Hz, 2H), 2.24 (s, 3H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 152.9, 141.9, 133.1, 131.1, 128.6, 128.4, 128.3, 127.2, 120.8, 119.5, 109.6, 69.4, 18.4; IR (Neat Film, NaCl) 3060, 2951, 1763, 1484, 1446, 1381, 1364, 1345, 1316, 1292, 1230, 1143, 1118, 1081, 1037, 998, 978, 940, 773, 729, 697, 623 cm⁻¹; HRMS (MM:ESI-APCI+) *m/z* calc'd for C₁₇H₁₈NO₃ [M+H]⁺: 284.1281, found 284.1285.



(E)-2-(1H-pyrrol-1-yl)-1-(p-tolyl)but-1-en-1-yl allyl carbonate (1g)

Run on a 0.736 mmol scale. Purified by column chromatography (7% EtOAc in hexanes) to provide a yellow oil (196.0 mg, 86% yield); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.02 – 6.97 (m, 2H), 6.89 – 6.83 (m, 2H), 6.53 (t, *J* = 2.2 Hz, 2H), 6.16 (t, *J* = 2.1 Hz, 2H), 5.94 (ddt, *J* = 17.2, 10.4, 5.8 Hz, 1H), 5.38 (dq, *J* = 17.1, 1.5 Hz, 1H), 5.30 (dq, *J* = 10.4, 1.2 Hz, 1H), 4.66 (dt, *J* = 5.8, 1.4 Hz, 2H), 2.58 (q, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 2H), 2.27 (s, 3H), 0.98 (t, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 3H); ¹³C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 153.1, 142.1, 138.6, 133.0, 131.2, 130.2, 129.1, 126.9, 121.2, 119.5, 109.5, 69.3, 25.3, 21.4, 11.1; IR (Neat Film, NaCl) 3028, 2976, 2938, 2878, 1766, 1651, 1613, 1513, 1484, 1456, 1363, 1346, 1320, 1292, 1228, 1188, 1146, 1119, 1084, 1057, 1040, 990, 945, 903, 848, 824, 795, 782, 727 cm⁻¹; HRMS (MM:ESI-APCI+) *m/z* calc'd for C₁₉H₂₂NO₃ [M+H]⁺: 312.1594, found 312.1578.



(E)-allyl (1-(4-methoxyphenyl)-2-(1H-pyrrol-1-yl)but-1-en-1-yl) carbonate (1h)

Run on a 0.955 mmol scale. Reaction washed three times with 1M HCl beforehand to remove an overlapping by-product resulting from the addition of LHMDS onto allyl chloroformate. Purified by column chromatography (10% EtOAc in hexanes) to provide a beige oil (253.8 mg, 81% yield); ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 6.92 – 6.86 (m, 2H), 6.75 – 6.67 (m, 2H), 6.53 (t, *J* = 2.1 Hz, 2H), 6.16 (t, *J* = 2.1 Hz, 2H), 5.94 (ddt, *J* = 17.2, 10.4, 5.8 Hz, 1H), 5.38 (dq, *J* = 17.2, 1.5 Hz, 1H), 5.30 (dq, *J* = 10.4, 1.2 Hz, 1H), 4.66 (dt, *J* = 5.7, 1.4 Hz, 2H), 3.75 (s, 3H), 2.57 (q, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 2H), 0.98 (t, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 3H); ¹³C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 159.6, 153.1, 142.0, 132.3, 131.2, 128.4, 125.5, 121.2, 119.5, 113.8, 109.5, 69.3, 55.2, 25.2, 11.2; IR (Neat Film, NaCl) 2972, 2938, 2838, 1763, 1608, 1576, 1540, 1512, 1483, 1459, 1364, 1345, 1297, 1254, 1227, 1179, 1146, 1120, 1084, 1038, 990, 942, 836, 783, 730 cm⁻¹; HRMS (MM:ESI-APCI+) *m/z* calc'd for C₁₉H₂₂NO₄ [M+H]⁺: 328.1543, found 328.1535.



(E)-allyl (1-(4-chlorophenyl)-2-(1H-pyrrol-1-yl)but-1-en-1-yl) carbonate (1i)

Run on a 0.758 mmol scale. Purified by column chromatography (6% EtOAc in hexanes) to provide a yellow oil (227.8 mg, 91% yield); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.21 – 7.12 (m, 2H), 6.94 – 6.84 (m, 2H), 6.50 (t, *J* = 2.2 Hz, 2H), 6.17 (t, *J* = 2.2 Hz, 2H), 5.93 (ddt, *J* = 17.1, 10.4, 5.8 Hz, 1H), 5.38 (dq, *J* = 17.2, 1.4 Hz, 1H), 5.31 (dq, *J* = 10.4, 1.2 Hz, 1H), 4.66 (dt, *J* = 5.8, 1.4 Hz, 2H), 2.58 (q, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 2H), 0.98 (t, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 3H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 153.0, 141.0, 134.4, 134.3, 131.7, 131.0, 128.7, 128.3, 121.0, 119.8, 109.9, 69.5, 25.2, 11.0; IR (Neat Film, NaCl) 3101, 2977, 2938, 2878, 1765, 1594, 1490, 1482, 1458, 1364, 1346, 1319, 1255, 1224, 1146, 1120, 1092, 1057, 1039, 1014, 990, 944, 903, 836, 785, 728 cm⁻¹; HRMS (MM:ESI-APCI+) *m/z* calc'd for C₁₈H₁₉CINO₃ [M+H]⁺: 332.1048, found 332.1044.



(E)-allyl (1-(4-fluorophenyl)-2-(1H-pyrrol-1-yl)but-1-en-1-yl) carbonate (1j)

Run on a 0.902 mmol scale. Purified by column chromatography (6% EtOAc in hexanes) to provide a slightly yellow oil (258.8 mg, 91% yield); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.01 – 6.81 (m, 4H), 6.50 (t, *J* = 2.2 Hz, 2H), 6.16 (t, *J* = 2.2 Hz, 2H), 5.93 (ddt, *J* = 17.2, 10.4, 5.8 Hz, 1H), 5.38 (dq, *J* = 17.2, 1.5 Hz, 1H), 5.31 (dq, *J* = 10.5, 1.2 Hz, 1H), 4.66 (dt, *J* = 5.8, 1.3 Hz, 2H), 2.58 (q, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 2H), 0.98 (t, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 3H); ¹⁹F NMR (282 MHz, CDCl₃) δ -112.1 (dddd, *J* = 13.9, 8.4, 5.6, 1.6 Hz); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 162.4 (d, *J* = 249.1 Hz), 152.9, 141.0, 133.6, 130.9, 129.1 (d, *J* = 3.5 Hz), 128.9 (d, *J* = 8.2 Hz), 120.9, 119.6, 115.4 (d, *J* = 21.7 Hz), 109.7, 69.4, 25.1, 11.0; IR (Neat Film, NaCl) 2976, 1764, 1604, 1509, 1483, 1460, 1364, 1346, 1293, 1256, 1226, 1162, 1145, 1120, 1084, 1039, 990, 945, 904, 842, 780, 727 cm⁻¹; HRMS (MM:ESI-APCI+) *m/z* calc'd for C₁₈H₁₉FNO₃ [M+H]⁺: 316.1343, found 316.1346.



(E)-allyl (1-(4-bromophenyl)-2-(1H-pyrrol-1-yl)but-1-en-1-yl) carbonate (1k)

Run on a 0.669 mmol scale. Purified by column chromatography (6% EtOAc in hexanes) to provide a yellow oil (195.7 mg, 78% yield); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.35 – 7.28 (m, 2H), 6.86 – 6.78 (m, 2H), 6.50 (t, J = 2.2 Hz, 2H), 6.17 (t, J = 2.1 Hz, 2H), 5.93 (ddt, J = 17.2, 10.4, 5.8 Hz, 1H), 5.38 (dq, J = 17.2, 1.5 Hz, 1H), 5.31 (dq, J = 10.1, 1.0 Hz, 1H), 4.66 (dt, J = 5.8, 1.3 Hz, 2H), 2.58 (q, J = 7.5 Hz, 2H), 0.98 (t, J = 7.5 Hz, 3H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 153.0, 141.0, 134.4, 132.1, 131.6, 131.0, 128.6, 122.8, 121.0, 119.8, 110.0, 69.5, 25.3, 11.0; IR (Neat Film, NaCl) 2977, 2937, 1765, 1588, 1483, 1460, 1364, 1346, 1254, 1225, 1145, 1120, 1084, 1072, 1039, 990, 945, 902, 831, 784, 729 cm⁻¹; HRMS (MM:ESI-APCI+) *m/z* calc'd for C₁₈H₁₉BrNO₃ [M+NH₄]⁺: 376.0543, found 376.0540.



(E)-2-(1H-pyrrol-1-yl)-1-(m-tolyl)but-1-en-1-yl allyl carbonate (11)

Run on a 1.0 mmol scale. Purified by column chromatography (6% EtOAc in hexanes) to provide a yellow oil (294.0 mg, 94% yield); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.12 – 6.96 (m, 2H), 6.81 – 6.75 (m, 2H), 6.51 (t, *J* = 2.2 Hz, 2H), 6.15 (t, *J* = 2.2 Hz, 2H), 5.94 (ddt, *J* = 17.2, 10.5, 5.8 Hz, 1H), 5.38 (dq, *J* = 17.2, 1.5 Hz, 1H), 5.34 – 5.27 (m, 1H), 4.67 (dt, *J* = 5.7, 1.4 Hz, 2H), 2.59 (q, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 2H), 2.21 (s, 3H), 0.99 (t, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 3H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 153.1, 142.1, 137.9, 133.5, 132.9, 131.2, 129.4, 128.1, 127.6, 124.1, 121.2, 119.5, 109.5, 69.3, 25.2, 21.5, 11.1; IR (Neat Film, NaCl) 2975, 1764, 1484, 1364, 1346, 1234, 1190, 1120, 1085, 1040, 988, 942, 874, 784, 727, 698 cm⁻¹; HRMS (MM:ESI-APCI+) *m/z* calc'd for C₁₉H₂₂NO₃ [M+H]⁺: 312.1594, found 312.1593.



(E)-2-(1*H*-pyrrol-1-yl)-1-(*o*-tolyl)but-1-en-1-yl allyl carbonate (1m)

Run on a 0.546 mmol scale. Purified by column chromatography (6% EtOAc in hexanes) to provide a colorless oil (138.7 mg, 82% yield); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.25 – 7.22 (m, 1H), 7.19 – 7.14 (m, 1H), 7.12 – 7.06 (m, 2H), 6.42 (t, *J* = 2.2 Hz, 2H), 6.01 (t, *J* = 2.2 Hz, 2H), 5.89 (ddt, *J* = 17.2, 10.5, 5.8 Hz, 1H), 5.33 (dq, *J* = 17.2, 1.5 Hz, 1H), 5.27 (dq, *J* = 10.4, 1.2 Hz, 1H), 4.60 (dt, *J* = 5.8, 1.3 Hz, 2H), 2.66 (q, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 2H), 2.08 (s, 3H), 1.03 (t, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 3H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 153.0, 140.2, 137.9, 134.7, 132.8, 131.2, 130.1, 129.8, 129.0, 125.7, 121.0, 119.5, 109.0, 69.2, 24.3, 19.5, 11.7; IR (Neat Film, NaCl) 2974, 1761, 1482, 1458, 1346, 1292, 1254, 1225, 1147, 1122, 1084, 1038, 990, 945, 725 cm⁻¹; HRMS (MM:ESI-APCI+) *m/z* calc'd for C₁₉H₂₂NO₃ [M+H]⁺: 312.1594, found 312.1601.



(E)-allyl (2-(2-methyl-1H-pyrrol-1-yl)-1-phenylbut-1-en-1-yl) carbonate (1n)

Run on a 0.532 mmol scale. Purified by column chromatography (7% EtOAc in hexanes) to provide a colorless oil (156.6 mg, 95% yield); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.22 – 7.13 (m, 3H), 6.91 – 6.84 (m, 2H), 6.56 (dd, J = 2.9, 1.7 Hz, 1H), 6.15 (t, J = 3.1 Hz, 1H), 5.95 (ddt, J = 17.2, 10.4, 5.8 Hz, 1H), 5.86 (ddq, J = 3.5, 1.8, 0.9 Hz, 1H), 5.39 (dq, J = 17.2, 1.5 Hz, 1H), 5.31 (dq, J = 10.5, 1.2 Hz, 1H), 4.69 (dt, J = 5.8, 1.4 Hz, 2H), 2.57 (q, J = 7.5 Hz, 2H), 1.89 (d, J = 0.9 Hz, 3H), 0.99 (t, J = 7.5 Hz, 3H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 153.1, 144.0, 133.0, 132.1, 131.1, 129.2, 128.6, 128.4, 126.7, 119.6, 119.6, 109.1, 107.9, 69.4, 25.8, 12.1, 10.7; IR (Neat Film, NaCl) 2976, 2940, 1764, 1481, 1445, 1420, 1363, 1343, 1260, 1224, 1183, 1132, 1110, 1042, 988, 947, 776, 698 cm⁻¹; HRMS (MM:ESI-APCI+) *m/z* calc'd for C₁₉H₂₂NO₃ [M+H]⁺: 312.1594, found 312.1597.



(E)-2-(1H-indol-1-yl)-1-phenylbut-1-en-1-yl allyl carbonate (10)

Run on a 0.647 mmol scale. Purified by column chromatography (8% EtOAc in hexanes) to provide a beige oil (213.9 mg, 95% yield); ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.59 (dt, *J* = 7.5, 0.9 Hz, 1H), 7.28 (dt, *J* = 8.1, 1.0 Hz, 1H), 7.15 – 7.05 (m, 5H), 6.99 – 6.94 (m, 3H), 6.56 (dd, *J* = 3.3, 0.9 Hz, 1H), 5.98 (ddt, *J* = 17.1, 10.4, 5.8 Hz, 1H), 5.43 (dq, *J* = 17.1, 1.4 Hz, 1H), 5.34 (dq, *J* = 10.4, 1.2 Hz, 1H), 4.73 (dt, *J* = 5.8, 1.4 Hz, 2H), 2.74 (q, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 2H), 0.94 (t, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 3H); ¹³C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 153.2, 145.0, 136.2, 133.1, 131.8, 131.3, 128.9, 128.9, 128.4, 128.0, 126.8, 122.4, 121.0, 120.3, 119.7, 111.1, 103.9, 69.6, 24.7, 11.2; IR (Neat Film, NaCl) 3058, 2976, 2940, 1764, 1513, 1494, 1474, 1458, 1363, 1335, 1292, 1260, 1224, 1144, 1012, 988, 946, 846, 764, 743, 694 cm⁻¹; HRMS (MM:ESI-APCI+) *m/z* calc'd for C₂₂H₂₂NO₃ [M+H]⁺: 348.1594, found 348.1601.



(E)-allyl (3-cyclopropyl-2-(1H-indol-1-yl)-1-phenylprop-1-en-1-yl) carbonate (1p)

Run on a 0.514 mmol scale. Purified by column chromatography (7% EtOAc in hexanes) to provide a brown oil (164.8 mg, 86% yield); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.58 (dt, *J* = 7.4, 0.9 Hz, 1H), 7.28 (dq, *J* = 8.4, 0.9 Hz, 1H), 7.15 – 7.04 (m, 5H), 7.03 – 6.97 (m, 3H), 6.54 (dd, *J* = 3.2, 0.9 Hz, 1H), 5.96 (ddt, *J* = 17.2, 10.4, 5.8 Hz, 1H), 5.40 (dq, *J* = 17.2, 1.5 Hz, 1H), 5.32 (dq, *J* = 10.4, 1.2 Hz, 1H), 4.71 (dt, *J* = 5.7, 1.4 Hz, 2H), 2.57 (d, *J* = 7.0 Hz, 2H), 0.72 – 0.56 (m, 1H), 0.35 – 0.25 (m, 2H), -0.03 (dt, *J* = 6.0, 4.6 Hz, 2H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 153.0, 145.3, 136.1, 132.9, 131.1, 130.5, 128.8, 128.8, 128.3, 128.1, 126.8, 122.2, 120.9, 120.1, 119.6, 111.0, 103.6, 69.5, 35.7, 8.7, 4.3; IR (Neat Film, NaCl) 3081, 3004, 2956, 1766, 1514, 1494, 1475, 1459, 1426, 1383, 1362, 1335, 1293, 1249, 1223, 1158, 1132, 1020, 966, 946, 831, 763,

743, 721, 695 cm⁻¹; HRMS (MM:ESI-APCI+) m/z calc'd for C₂₄H₂₄NO₃ [M+H]⁺: 374.1751, found 374.1748.



(*E*)-2-(1*H*-indol-1-yl)-1-phenylhept-1-en-1-yl allyl carbonate (1q)

Run on a 0.89 mmol scale. Purified by column chromatography (7% EtOAc in hexanes) to provide a beige oil (325.5 mg, 94% yield); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.62 – 7.52 (m, 1H), 7.30 – 7.20 (m, 1H), 7.17 – 7.00 (m, 5H), 7.00 – 6.90 (m, 3H), 6.59 – 6.50 (m, 1H), 5.97 (ddt, *J* = 16.5, 11.0, 5.7 Hz, 1H), 5.41 (dd, *J* = 17.2, 1.6 Hz, 1H), 5.33 (dt, *J* = 10.5, 1.3 Hz, 1H), 4.75 – 4.66 (m, 2H), 2.74 – 2.64 (m, 2H), 1.28 (ddt, *J* = 20.1, 13.5, 6.0 Hz, 6H), 0.83 (t, *J* = 6.9 Hz, 3H); ¹³C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 153.1, 145.2, 136.0, 133.0, 131.2, 130.8, 128.8, 128.7, 128.3, 127.9, 126.8, 122.3, 120.9, 120.1, 119.5, 111.0, 103.8, 69.4, 31.6, 31.2, 26.2, 22.4, 14.0; IR (Neat Film, NaCl) 3057, 2957, 2929, 2860, 1764, 1513, 1494, 1475, 1458, 1381, 1363, 1334, 1293, 1225, 1158, 1143, 1130, 1012, 992, 958, 764, 742, 696 cm⁻¹; HRMS (MM:ESI-APCI+) *m/z* calc'd for C₂₅H₂₈NO₃ [M+H]⁺: 390.2064, found 390.2064.



(E)-2-(1H-indol-1-yl)-1-(p-tolyl)but-1-en-1-yl allyl carbonate (1r)

Run on a 0.14 mmol scale. Purified by column chromatography (10% EtOAc in hexanes) to provide a brown oil (51.0 mg, 99% yield); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.61 – 7.54 (m, 1H), 7.28 (dd, J = 8.2, 1.1 Hz, 1H), 7.16 – 7.05 (m, 2H), 6.93 (d, J = 3.3 Hz, 1H), 6.90 – 6.81 (m, 4H), 6.54 (dd, J = 3.2, 0.9 Hz, 1H), 5.97 (ddt, J = 17.2, 10.4, 5.8 Hz, 1H), 5.41 (dq, J = 17.2, 1.5 Hz, 1H), 5.33 (dq, J = 10.5, 1.2 Hz, 1H), 4.71 (dt, J = 5.8, 1.4 Hz, 2H), 2.70 (q, J = 7.5 Hz, 2H), 2.17 (s, 3H), 0.90 (t, J = 7.5 Hz, 3H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 153.1, 145.0, 138.8, 136.1,

131.2, 131.0, 130.0, 129.1, 128.8, 128.1, 126.6, 122.3, 120.9, 120.1, 119.6, 111.0, 103.6, 69.4, 24.6, 21.3, 11.2; IR (Neat Film, NaCl) 2976, 1764, 1610, 1512, 1475, 1459, 1381, 1361, 1335, 1293, 1259, 1226, 1187, 1145, 1013, 989, 946, 822, 764, 742 cm⁻¹; HRMS (MM:ESI-APCI+) m/z calc'd for C₂₃H₂₄NO₃ [M+H]⁺: 362.1752, found 362.1749.

Synthesis of α-pyrrolyl-acetophenone derivatives:

Method A:



To a flame-dried flask was added freshly distilled pyrrole (2.0 mmol, 1 equiv) and DMF (8 mL), and the resulting mixture was stirred at room temperature for 5 minutes. Then, NaH (4.8 mmol, 2.4 equiv) was slowly added at 0 °C with vigorous stirring until no hydrogen evolution was observed. Afterwards, the bromoacetophenone derivative (2.0 mmol, 1 equiv) was added and the suspension was allowed to warm to room temperature and continued overnight. The reaction was quenched with aqueous NH₄Cl and extracted with Et₂O. The combined organic layers were washed with brine, dried with Na₂SO₄, and filtered. Following concentration, the crude residue was purified by silica gel column chromatography.

Method B:



To a solution of the bromoacetophenone derivative (2.0 mmol) and K_2CO_3 (8.0 mmol, 4 equiv) in MeCN (16 mL) was added 3-pyrroline hydrochloride (2.4 mmol, 1.2 equiv), and the mixture was heated to 50 °C via an oil bath and stirred until TLC analysis showed complete consumption of the starting material. DDQ was then added (2.2 mmol, 1.1 equiv) and the resulting mixture was stirred at the same temperature overnight. The crude reaction mixture was filtered through

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celite (using CH_2Cl_2 as eluent), concentrated and then purified by silica gel flash chromatography to obtain the desired product.



1-phenyl-2-(1*H*-pyrrol-1-yl)ethan-1-one (SI1)

Method A run on a 20.1 mmol scale. Purified by column chromatography (30% Et₂O in hexanes) to provide an orange solid (920 mg, 25% yield); 1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.99 – 7.94 (m, 2H), 7.67 – 7.60 (m, 1H), 7.54 – 7.48 (m, 2H), 6.68 (t, J = 2.1 Hz, 2H), 6.25 (t, J = 2.1 Hz, 2H), 5.32 (s, 2H). Characterization data matched those reported in the literature.⁴



2-(1*H*-indol-1-yl)-1-phenylethan-1-one (SI2)

Method A run on a 2.35 mmol scale. Purified by column chromatography (30% CH₂Cl₂ in hexanes) to provide a slightly yellow solid (127.0 mg, 28% yield); ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.88 – 7.83 (m, 2H), 7.33 – 7.27 (m, 2H), 6.67 (t, *J* = 2.1 Hz, 2H), 6.25 (t, *J* = 2.1 Hz, 2H), 5.29 (s, 2H), 2.44 (s, 3H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 193.1, 145.1, 132.4, 129.7, 128.2, 122.1, 109.1, 55.4, 21.9; IR (Neat Film, NaCl) 3122, 3091, 1703, 1540, 1358, 1065, 815, 745, 734, 712 cm⁻¹; HRMS (MM:ESI-APCI+) *m/z* calc'd for C₁₃H₁₄NO [M+H]⁺: 200.1070, found 200.1070.



1-(4-chlorophenyl)-2-(1*H*-pyrrol-1-yl)ethan-1-one (SI3)

Method A run on a 4.92 mmol scale. Purified by column chromatography (60% CH₂Cl₂ in hexanes) to provide a yellow solid (248.7 mg, 23% yield); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.92 – 7.85 (m, 2H), 7.52 – 7.44 (m, 2H), 6.66 (t, *J* = 2.1 Hz, 2H), 6.25 (t, *J* = 2.1 Hz, 2H), 5.28 (s, 2H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 192.5, 140.6, 133.1, 129.5, 129.4, 122.0, 109.4, 55.6; IR (Neat

Film, NaCl) 1703, 1401, 1358, 1065, 816, 736, 704 cm⁻¹; HRMS (MM:ESI-APCI+) *m/z* calc'd for C₁₂H₁₁ClNO [M+H]⁺: 220.0524, found 220.0520.



1-(4-methoxyphenyl)-2-(1*H*-pyrrol-1-yl)ethan-1-one (SI4)

Method B run on a 3.0 mmol scale. In this case, displacement by chloride counter-anion happened first and addition of Et₃N (12.0 mmol) led to the correct product. Purified by column chromatography (20% EtOAc in hexanes) to provide a brown solid (325.5 mg, 50% yield); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.98 – 7.89 (m, 2H), 6.99 – 6.93 (m, 2H), 6.67 (t, *J* = 2.1 Hz, 2H), 6.24 (t, *J* = 2.1 Hz, 2H), 5.26 (s, 2H), 3.89 (s, 3H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 192.0, 164.2, 130.5, 127.9, 122.1, 114.2, 109.1, 55.7, 55.3; IR (Neat Film, NaCl) 1685, 1601, 1574, 1500, 1420, 1356, 1318, 1293, 1266, 1234, 1186, 1167, 1116, 1092, 1020, 993, 738 cm⁻¹; HRMS (MM:ESI-APCI+) *m/z* calc'd for C₁₃H₁₄NO₂ [M+H]⁺: 216.1019, found 216.1028.



1-(4-fluorophenyl)-2-(1*H*-pyrrol-1-yl)ethan-1-one (SI5)

Method B run on a 2.0 mmol scale. Purified by column chromatography (10% to 20% EtOAc in hexanes) to provide a beige solid (196.8 mg, 46% yield); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.03 – 7.93 (m, 2H), 7.23 – 7.10 (m, 2H), 6.67 (t, *J* = 2.1 Hz, 2H), 6.25 (t, *J* = 2.1 Hz, 2H), 5.28 (s, 2H); ¹⁹F NMR (282 MHz, CDCl₃) δ -103.3 (tt, *J* = 8.4, 5.3 Hz); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 192.0, 166.3 (d, *J* = 256.3 Hz), 131.3 (d, *J* = 3.0 Hz), 130.8 (d, *J* = 9.4 Hz), 122.0, 116.3 (d, *J* = 22.0 Hz), 109.3, 55.5; IR (Neat Film, NaCl) 3098, 1702, 1678, 1598, 1408, 1359, 1097, 1066, 832, 742, 719 cm⁻¹; HRMS (MM:ESI-APCI+) *m/z* calc'd for C₁₂H₁₁FNO [M+H]⁺: 204.0819, found 204.0821.



1-(4-bromophenyl)-2-(1*H*-pyrrol-1-yl)ethan-1-one (SI6)

Method B run on a 1.0 mmol scale. Purified by column chromatography (10% EtOAc in hexanes) to provide a white solid (196.8 mg, 46% yield); ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.80 (d, J = 8.6 Hz, 2H), 7.64 (d, J = 8.5 Hz, 2H), 6.66 (t, J = 2.1 Hz, 2H), 6.25 (t, J = 2.1 Hz, 2H), 5.28 (s, 2H). Characterization data matched those reported in the literature.⁵



2-(1*H*-pyrrol-1-yl)-1-(*m*-tolyl)ethan-1-one (SI7)

Method B run on a 2.0 mmol scale. Purified by column chromatography (10% EtOAc in hexanes) to provide a beige solid (174.8 mg, 44% yield); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.79 – 7.72 (m, 2H), 7.47 – 7.35 (m, 2H), 6.67 (t, J = 2.1 Hz, 2H), 6.25 (t, J = 2.1 Hz, 2H), 5.31 (s, 2H), 2.43 (s, 3H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 193.6, 139.0, 134.9, 134.9, 128.9, 128.6, 125.3, 122.1, 109.2, 55.6, 21.5; IR (Neat Film, NaCl) 3106, 3094, 2923, 1693, 1588, 1488, 1417, 1356, 1297, 1257, 1192, 1096, 1066, 834, 788, 733, 711, 687, 649 cm⁻¹; HRMS (MM:ESI-APCI+) *m/z* calc'd for C₁₃H₁₄NO [M+H]⁺: 200.1070, found 200.1065.



2-(1*H*-pyrrol-1-yl)-1-(*o*-tolyl)ethan-1-one (SI8)

Method B run on a 2.0 mmol scale. Purified by column chromatography (10% EtOAc in hexanes) to provide a low melting point brown solid (164.0 mg, 41% yield); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.68 (dd, J = 8.1, 1.4 Hz, 1H), 7.44 (td, J = 7.4, 1.4 Hz, 1H), 7.31 (dddt, J = 7.9, 7.3, 1.4, 0.7 Hz, 2H), 6.66 (t, J = 2.1 Hz, 2H), 6.24 (t, J = 2.1 Hz, 2H), 5.21 (s, 2H), 2.52 (s, 3H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 196.7, 139.6, 134.8, 132.6, 132.4, 128.3, 126.0, 122.0, 109.2, 57.2,

21.7; IR (Neat Film, NaCl) 3094, 2924, 1696, 1458, 1351, 1290, 1065, 758, 746, 737, 718 cm⁻¹; HRMS (MM:ESI-APCI+) m/z calc'd for C₁₃H₁₄NO [M+H]⁺: 200.1070, found 200.1067.



(2-methyl-1H-pyrrol-1-yl)-1-phenylethan-1-one (SI9)

2-Aminoacetophenone hydrochloride (789.5 mg, 4.60 mmol) and Et₃N (2.56 mL, 18.4 mmol) were added to a mixture of benzene (5 mL) and water (2.5 mL). A solution of 5-chloropent-3en-2-one (4.60 mmol) in benzene (2.5 mL) and then added, and the mixture heated to reflux via an oil bath and stirred for 5 h. Upon completion, the crude reaction mixture was allowed to cool to room temperature, and diluted with EtOAc and water. The layers were separated, and the aqueous layer was extracted with EtOAc. The combined organic layers were washed with 1M HCl and brine, then dried over Na₂SO₄ and concentrated. The crude product was purified by column chromatography (10% EtOAc in hexanes) to provide a light brown solid (110.0 mg, 12% yield); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.01 – 7.94 (m, 2H), 7.68 – 7.59 (m, 1H), 7.57 – 7.47 (m, 2H), 6.57 (dd, *J* = 2.9, 1.8 Hz, 1H), 6.15 (t, *J* = 3.1 Hz, 1H), 5.98 (ddq, *J* = 3.6, 1.8, 0.9 Hz, 1H), 5.24 (s, 2H), 2.14 (d, *J* = 0.9 Hz, 3H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 193.6, 134.9, 134.1, 129.3, 129.1, 128.1, 121.3, 107.9, 107.6, 53.2, 12.0; IR (Neat Film, NaCl) 2914, 1698, 1596, 1489, 1450, 1425, 1354, 1303, 1223, 1078, 1016, 990, 752, 710, 624 cm⁻¹; HRMS (MM:ESI-APCI+) *m/z* calc'd for C₁₃H₁₄NO [M+H]⁺: 200.1070, found 200.1063.

Synthesis of α-indolyl-acetophenone derivatives:



To a solution of the bromoacetophenone derivative (2.0 mmol) and K_2CO_3 (4.0 mmol) in MeCN (20 mL) was added indoline (2.1 mmol), and the mixture was heated to 50 °C via oil bath and stirred until TLC analysis showed complete consumption of the starting material. The mixture was filtered through celite and concentrated. The crude residue was redissolved in toluene (26

mL) and THF (14 mL) and treated with DDQ (2.2 mmol). The resulting mixture was heated to reflux via oil bath and stirred overnight. Following completion, the crude reaction was allowed to cool to room temperature and filtered through celite and concentrated. The crude residue was purified by silica gel flash chromatography to obtain the desired product.



2-(1*H*-indol-1-yl)-1-phenylethan-1-one (SI10)

Run on a 2.0 mmol scale. Purified by column chromatography (15% EtOAc in hexanes) to provide a beige solid (144.1 mg, 31% yield); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.06 – 7.98 (m, 2H), 7.71 – 7.60 (m, 2H), 7.57 – 7.49 (m, 2H), 7.22 – 7.18 (m, 2H), 7.17 – 7.10 (m, 2H), 6.62 (d, *J* = 3.2 Hz, 1H), 5.53 (s, 1H). Characterization data matched those reported in the literature.⁵



2-(1*H*-indol-1-yl)-1-(*p*-tolyl)ethan-1-one (SI11)

Run on a 2.0 mmol scale. Purified by column chromatography (15% EtOAc in hexanes) to provide a beige solid (90.0 mg, 18% yield); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.97 – 7.89 (m, 2H), 7.66 (dt, J = 7.8, 1.0 Hz, 1H), 7.34 – 7.29 (m, 2H), 7.19 (dt, J = 3.9, 1.0 Hz, 2H), 7.14 – 7.09 (m, 2H), 6.61 (dd, J = 3.2, 0.5 Hz, 1H), 5.50 (s, 2H), 2.44 (s, 3H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 192.8, 145.2, 136.8, 132.4, 129.8, 128.8, 128.8, 128.3, 122.1, 121.3, 119.8, 109.1, 102.6, 52.3, 21.9; IR (Neat Film, NaCl) 3054, 2968, 2934, 2877, 1682, 1607, 1574, 1514, 1459, 1307, 1260, 1200, 1183, 763, 739, 720 cm⁻¹; HRMS (MM:ESI-APCI+) *m/z* calc'd for C₁₇H₁₆NO [M+H]⁺: 250.1226, found 250.1227.


Alkylation of α-pyrrolyl-acetophenone and α-indolyl-acetophenone derivatives:

Method A: A flame-dried round bottom flask was charged with NaH (2.4 mmol, 1.2 equiv) and THF (7.5 mL). The suspension was then cooled in a 0 °C ice bath and a solution of ketone (2.0 mmol) in THF (2.5 mL) was added dropwise. The reaction was allowed to warm to room temperature and continued until no more H₂ evolution was observed. The mixture was then treated with the appropriate electrophil (2.4 mmol, 1.2 equiv) and the resulting mixture heated to 50 °C via oil bath and stirred overnight. Following completion, the reaction was allowed to cool to room temperature and then quenched by slow addition of saturated aqueous NH₄Cl and extracted with CH₂Cl₂. The combined organic layers were dried with Na₂SO₄ and concentrated. The crude residue was purified by silica gel flash chromatography to afford the desired alkylated product.

Method B: A flame-dried round bottom flask was charged with LiHMDS (2.2 mmol, 1.1 equiv) and THF (7.5 mL). The solution was then cooled in a 0 °C ice bath for 10 min and a solution of ketone (2.0 mmol) in THF (2.5 mL) was added dropwise. After stirring for 15 min, the electrophile (2.4 mmol, 1.2 equiv) was added dropwise and the reaction heated to 60 °C via oil bath and continued overnight. Following completion, the reaction was allowed to cool to room temperature and then quenched with a slow addition of saturated aqueous NH₄Cl and extracted with EtOAc. The combined organics were dried over Na₂SO₄ and concentrated. The crude residue was purified by silica gel flash chromatography to afford the alkylated product.



1,4-diphenyl-2-(1*H*-pyrrol-1-yl)butan-1-one (SI12)

Method A run on a 2.16 mmol scale. Purified by column chromatography (10% Et₂O in hexanes) to provide a yellow solid (314.7 mg, 50% yield); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.82 – 7.74 (m, 2H), 7.53 (ddt, *J* = 7.9, 6.9, 1.3 Hz, 1H), 7.44 – 7.36 (m, 2H), 7.36 – 7.29 (m, 2H), 7.28 – 7.21 (m, 1H), 7.20 – 7.15 (m, 2H), 6.78 (t, *J* = 2.1 Hz, 2H), 6.21 (t, *J* = 2.1 Hz, 2H), 5.38 (dd, *J* = 9.3, 5.0 Hz, 1H), 2.73 – 2.61 (m, 1H), 2.57 – 2.35 (m, 3H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 195.8, 140.5, 135.2, 133.7, 128.9, 128.8, 128.7, 128.5, 126.5, 120.3, 109.1, 61.5, 34.2, 31.9; IR (Neat Film, NaCl) 3025, 2923, 1687, 1597, 1580, 1488, 1259, 1214, 1092, 1070, 788, 723, 698 cm⁻¹; HRMS (MM:ESI-APCI+) *m/z* calc'd for C₂₀H₁₉NONa [M+Na]⁺: 312.1359, found 312.1357.



1-phenyl-2-(1*H*-pyrrol-1-yl)butan-1-one (SI13)

Method A run on a 2.16 mmol scale. Purified by column chromatography (10% Et₂O in hexanes) to provide a yellow solid (315.6 mg, 69% yield); ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.94 – 7.88 (m, 2H), 7.55 (ddt, *J* = 7.8, 6.9, 1.3 Hz, 1H), 7.49 – 7.40 (m, 2H), 6.76 (t, *J* = 2.1 Hz, 2H), 6.17 (t, *J* = 2.2 Hz, 2H), 5.34 (dd, *J* = 9.2, 5.6 Hz, 1H), 2.25 – 2.13 (m, 1H), 2.07 (ddq, *J* = 14.6, 9.3, 7.4 Hz, 1H), 0.93 (t, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 3H); ¹³C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 196.0, 135.7, 133.6, 128.9, 128.5, 120.2, 109.0, 64.3, 26.2, 10.7; IR (Neat Film, NaCl) 3100, 3061, 2970, 2934, 2876, 1688, 1597, 1579, 1488, 1458, 1448, 1273, 1263, 1208, 1183, 1095, 1082, 1068, 1002, 988, 902, 813, 725, 688 cm⁻¹; HRMS (MM:ESI-APCI+) *m/z* calc'd for C₁₄H₁₆NO [M+H]⁺: 214.1226, found 214.1235.



1-phenyl-2-(1*H*-pyrrol-1-yl)heptan-1-one (SI14)

Method A run on a 2.16 mmol scale. Purified by column chromatography (10% Et₂O in hexanes) to provide a brown solid (358.5 mg, 65% yield); ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.93 – 7.89 (m, 2H), 7.58 – 7.53 (m, 1H), 7.47 – 7.42 (m, 2H), 6.76 (t, *J* = 2.1 Hz, 2H), 6.17 (t, *J* = 2.1 Hz, 2H), 5.44 (dd, *J* = 9.3, 5.5 Hz, 1H), 2.18 – 1.97 (m, 2H), 1.43 – 1.18 (m, 6H), 0.87 (t, *J* = 6.9 Hz, 3H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 196.1, 135.5, 133.7, 128.9, 128.5, 120.1, 108.9, 62.8, 32.8, 31.5, 25.8, 22.5, 14.1; IR (Neat Film, NaCl) 3064, 2956, 2929, 2859, 1690, 1597, 1580, 1487, 1448, 1267, 1206, 1182, 1090, 1069, 966, 723, 688 cm⁻¹; HRMS (MM:ESI-APCI+) *m/z* calc'd for C₁₇H₂₂NO [M+H]⁺: 256.1696, found 256.1705.



4-methyl-1-phenyl-2-(1*H*-pyrrol-1-yl)pentan-1-one (SI15)

Method A run on a 2.16 mmol scale. Purified by column chromatography (10% Et₂O in hexanes) to provide a brown solid (335.7 mg, 64% yield); ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.95 – 7.89 (m, 2H), 7.60 – 7.53 (m, 1H), 7.49 – 7.42 (m, 2H), 6.77 (t, *J* = 2.1 Hz, 2H), 6.17 (t, *J* = 2.1 Hz, 2H), 5.57 (dd, *J* = 10.0, 5.0 Hz, 1H), 2.03 (ddd, *J* = 14.1, 10.0, 4.9 Hz, 1H), 1.91 (ddd, *J* = 14.1, 8.9, 5.0 Hz, 1H), 1.47 (dddd, *J* = 13.3, 11.5, 8.9, 6.5 Hz, 1H), 1.03 (d, *J* = 6.6 Hz, 3H), 0.91 (d, *J* = 6.7 Hz, 3H); ¹³C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 196.2, 135.4, 133.7, 129.0, 128.5, 120.2, 108.9, 60.9, 41.6, 24.8, 23.2, 21.9; IR (Neat Film, NaCl) 2956, 2929, 2869, 1690, 1596, 1579, 1488, 1448, 1386, 1368, 1279, 1204, 1182, 1091, 1069, 1002, 861, 775, 723, 688 cm⁻¹; HRMS (MM:ESI-APCI+) *m/z* calc'd for C₁₆H₂₀NO [M+H]⁺: 242.1539, found 242.1547.



1,3-diphenyl-2-(1*H*-pyrrol-1-yl)propan-1-one (SI16)

Method A run on a 2.16 mmol scale. Reaction complete after 1 h at room temperature, no additional heating required. Purified by column chromatography (10% Et₂O in hexanes) to provide a white solid (566.5 mg, 95% yield); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.90 – 7.84 (m, 2H), 7.57 – 7.48 (m, 1H), 7.45 – 7.34 (m, 2H), 7.25 – 7.16 (m, 3H), 7.05 – 6.95 (m, 2H), 6.66 (t, *J* = 2.2 Hz, 2H), 6.12 (t, *J* = 2.2 Hz, 2H), 5.57 (dd, *J* = 8.8, 5.7 Hz, 1H), 3.47 (dd, *J* = 13.9, 5.7 Hz, 1H), 3.28 (dd, *J* = 13.9, 8.8 Hz, 1H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 195.2, 137.3, 135.4, 133.8, 129.2, 128.9, 128.6, 128.6, 126.9, 120.1, 109.3, 64.3, 39.3; IR (Neat Film, NaCl) 3027, 2922, 1687, 1596, 1487, 1448, 1271, 1202, 1090, 1070, 967, 874, 725, 700, 688, 665 cm⁻¹; HRMS (MM:ESI-APCI+) *m/z* calc'd for C₁₉H₁₈NO [M+H]⁺: 276.1383, found 276.1371.



1-phenyl-2-(1*H*-pyrrol-1-yl)propan-1-one (SI17)

Method A run on a 2.16 mmol scale. Reaction done after 45 min at room temperature, no additional heating required. Purified by column chromatography (8% Et₂O in hexanes) to provide a white solid (320.2 mg, 74% yield); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.95 – 7.87 (m, 2H), 7.61 – 7.52 (m, 1H), 7.50 – 7.40 (m, 2H), 6.77 (t, *J* = 2.1 Hz, 2H), 6.19 (t, *J* = 2.2 Hz, 2H), 5.65 (q, *J* = 7.0 Hz, 1H), 1.74 (d, *J* = 7.0 Hz, 3H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 196.3, 135.0, 133.7, 128.9, 128.5, 119.8, 109.1, 58.4, 18.8; IR (Neat Film, NaCl) 3097, 2988, 2937, 1693, 1596, 1488, 1449, 1374, 1275, 1250, 1214, 1183, 1093, 1070, 1000, 964, 938, 726, 687, 646 cm⁻¹; HRMS (MM:ESI-APCI+) *m/z* calc'd for C₁₃H₁₄NO [M+H]⁺: 200.1070, found 200.1073.



2-(1*H*-pyrrol-1-yl)-1-(*p*-tolyl)butan-1-one (SI18)

Method B run on a 1.30 mmol scale. Purified by column chromatography (8% EtOAc in hexanes) to provide a white solid (213.6 mg, 73% yield); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.86 – 7.77 (m, 2H), 7.25 – 7.21 (m, 2H), 6.76 (t, *J* = 2.1 Hz, 2H), 6.16 (t, *J* = 2.1 Hz, 2H), 5.31 (dd, *J* = 9.1, 5.7 Hz, 1H), 2.39 (s, 3H), 2.23 – 1.97 (m, 2H), 0.91 (t, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 3H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 195.6, 144.6, 133.0, 129.6, 128.7, 120.2, 108.8, 64.1, 26.2, 21.8, 10.8; IR (Neat Film, NaCl) 3097, 2969, 2931, 2876, 1684, 1606, 1573, 1488, 1459, 1406, 1263, 1205, 1183, 1096, 1068, 982, 901, 860, 779, 725 cm⁻¹; HRMS (MM:ESI-APCI+) *m/z* calc'd for C₁₅H₁₈NO [M+H]⁺: 228.1383, found 228.1392.



1-(4-methoxyphenyl)-2-(1*H*-pyrrol-1-yl)butan-1-one (SI19)

Method B run on a 1.51 mmol scale. Purified by column chromatography (10% EtOAc in hexanes) to provide a yellow oil (264.7 mg, 72% yield); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.95 – 7.87 (m, 2H), 6.96 – 6.85 (m, 2H), 6.77 (t, *J* = 2.2 Hz, 2H), 6.17 (t, *J* = 2.1 Hz, 2H), 5.30 (dd, *J* = 9.0, 5.8 Hz, 1H), 3.85 (s, 3H), 2.26 – 1.94 (m, 2H), 0.91 (t, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 3H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 194.4, 163.9, 130.9, 128.5, 120.1, 114.1, 108.8, 63.9, 55.6, 26.3, 10.8; IR (Neat Film, NaCl) 2968, 1681, 1600, 1574, 1509, 1488, 1456, 1421, 1312, 1260, 1212, 1170, 1095, 1027, 988, 860, 839, 724 cm⁻¹; HRMS (MM:ESI-APCI+) *m/z* calc'd for C₁₅H₁₈NO₂ [M+H]⁺: 244.1332, found 244.1331.



1-(4-chlorophenyl)-2-(1*H*-pyrrol-1-yl)butan-1-one (SI20)

Method B run on a 1.11 mmol scale. Purified by column chromatography (5% EtOAc in hexanes) to provide a yellow oil (212.3 mg, 77% yield); ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.86 – 7.79 (m, 2H), 7.43 – 7.36 (m, 2H), 6.72 (t, *J* = 2.2 Hz, 2H), 6.17 (t, *J* = 2.1 Hz, 2H), 5.25 (dd, *J* = 9.2, 5.6 Hz, 1H), 2.22 – 1.99 (m, 2H), 0.92 (t, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 3H); ¹³C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 194.8, 140.1, 133.9, 129.9, 129.2, 120.1, 109.2, 64.4, 26.0, 10.7; IR (Neat Film, NaCl) 3101, 2970, 2935, 2877, 1688, 1588, 1570, 1488, 1462, 1400, 1307, 1274, 1262, 1230, 1207, 1180, 1094, 1069, 1012, 990, 965, 902, 862, 832, 806, 726, 626 cm⁻¹; HRMS (MM:ESI-APCI+) *m/z* calc'd for C₁₄H₁₅CINO [M+H]⁺: 248.0837, found 248.0842.



11-(4-fluorophenyl)-2-(1*H*-pyrrol-1-yl)butan-1-one (SI21)

Method B run on a 1.34 mmol scale. Purified by column chromatography (5% EtOAc in hexanes) to provide a yellow oil (231.2 mg, 75% yield); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.99 – 7.87 (m, 1H), 7.15 – 7.05 (m, 1H), 6.74 (t, *J* = 2.2 Hz, 1H), 6.17 (t, *J* = 2.2 Hz, 1H), 5.27 (dd, *J* = 9.1, 5.7 Hz, 1H), 2.24 – 1.98 (m, 1H), 0.92 (t, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 2H); ¹⁹F NMR (282 MHz, CDCl₃) δ - 104.0 (ttd, *J* = 8.2, 5.4, 2.4 Hz); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 194.4, 166.0 (d, *J* = 256.0 Hz), 132.0 (d, *J* = 3.1 Hz), 131.2 (d, *J* = 9.4 Hz), 120.1, 116.1 (d, *J* = 22.0 Hz), 109.2, 64.3, 26.1, 10.7; IR (Neat Film, NaCl) 3104, 2971, 2936, 2878, 1688, 1598, 1506, 1488, 1458, 1410, 1302, 1274, 1263, 1231, 1208, 1159, 1096, 1069, 1010, 991, 964, 903, 864, 843, 792, 726 cm⁻¹; HRMS (MM:ESI-APCI+) *m/z* calc'd for C₁₄H₁₅FNO [M+H]⁺: 232.1132, found 232.1144.



1-(4-bromophenyl)-2-(1*H*-pyrrol-1-yl)butan-1-one (SI22)

Method B run on a 0.912 mmol scale. Purified by column chromatography (7% EtOAc in hexanes) to provide an orange solid (204.6 mg, 77% yield); ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.78 – 7.71 (m, 2H), 7.61 – 7.53 (m, 2H), 6.72 (t, *J* = 2.1 Hz, 2H), 6.17 (t, *J* = 2.1 Hz, 2H), 5.24 (dd, *J* = 9.1, 5.6 Hz, 1H), 2.23 – 1.99 (m, 2H), 0.92 (t, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 2H); ¹³C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 195.0, 134.3, 132.3, 130.0, 128.9, 120.1, 109.3, 64.4, 26.0, 10.7; IR (Neat Film, NaCl) 2971, 2936, 1693, 1584, 1553, 1485, 1462, 1396, 1263, 1206, 1180, 1095, 1071, 1007, 989, 902, 862, 806, 727 cm⁻¹; HRMS (MM:ESI-APCI+) *m*/*z* calc'd for C₁₄H₁₅BrNO [M+H]⁺: 292.0332, found 292.0335.



2-(1*H*-pyrrol-1-yl)-1-(*m*-tolyl)butan-1-one (SI23)

Method B run on a 1.46 mmol scale. Purified by column chromatography (5% EtOAc in hexanes) to provide a yellow oil (259.4 mg, 78% yield); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.77 – 7.68 (m, 2H), 7.41 – 7.29 (m, 2H), 6.78 (t, *J* = 2.1 Hz, 2H), 6.18 (t, *J* = 2.1 Hz, 2H), 5.35 (dd, *J* = 9.2, 5.7 Hz, 1H), 2.40 (s, 3H), 2.25 – 1.99 (m, 2H), 0.93 (t, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 2H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 196.2, 138.7, 135.6, 134.4, 129.1, 128.7, 125.6, 120.1, 108.8, 64.2, 26.2, 21.5, 10.7; IR (Neat Film, NaCl) 3099, 2970, 2933, 2876, 1686, 1602, 1585, 1487, 1460, 1381, 1265, 1240, 1164, 1096, 1068, 964, 773, 724, 687 cm⁻¹; HRMS (MM:ESI-APCI+) *m/z* calc'd for C₁₅H₁₈NO [M+H]⁺: 228.1383, found 228.1383.



2-(1*H*-pyrrol-1-yl)-1-(*o*-tolyl)butan-1-one (SI24)

Method B run on a 0.76 mmol scale. Purified by column chromatography (5% EtOAc in hexanes) to provide a yellow oil (139.5 mg, 81% yield); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.48 (dd, J = 8.1, 1.4 Hz, 1H), 7.35 (td, J = 7.5, 1.4 Hz, 1H), 7.25 – 7.20 (m, 2H), 6.72 (t, J = 2.2 Hz, 2H), 6.16 (t, J = 2.2 Hz, 2H), 5.16 (dd, J = 9.3, 5.6 Hz, 1H), 2.40 (s, 3H), 2.18 (dqd, J = 14.7, 7.4, 5.6 Hz, 1H), 2.03 (ddq, J = 14.5, 9.3, 7.3 Hz, 1H), 0.92 (t, J = 7.4 Hz, 3H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 200.3, 138.6, 136.9, 132.0, 131.6, 127.5, 125.7, 120.1, 108.9, 66.8, 25.6, 20.9, 10.8; IR (Neat Film, NaCl) 3100, 3064, 3022, 2967, 2932, 2876, 1695, 1600, 1570, 1487, 1457, 1382, 1272, 1261, 1228, 1210, 1197, 1095, 1082, 1068, 980, 965, 904, 850, 821, 780, 758, 723, 656 cm⁻¹; HRMS (MM:ESI-APCI+) *m/z* calc'd for C₁₅H₁₈NO [M+H]⁺: 228.1383, found 228.1384.



2-(2-methyl-1*H*-pyrrol-1-yl)-1-phenylbutan-1-one (SI25)

Method B run on a 0.872 mmol scale. Purified by column chromatography (5% EtOAc in hexanes) to provide a yellow oil (134.8 mg, 68% yield); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.86 – 7.78 (m, 2H), 7.59 – 7.50 (m, 1H), 7.48 – 7.39 (m, 2H), 6.65 (dd, *J* = 3.0, 1.8 Hz, 1H), 6.07 (t, *J* = 3.2 Hz, 1H), 5.91 (ddq, *J* = 3.5, 1.7, 0.9 Hz, 1H), 5.32 (dd, *J* = 8.8, 5.8 Hz, 1H), 2.30 (d, *J* = 0.9 Hz, 3H), 2.28 – 2.16 (m, 1H), 2.08 – 1.95 (m, 1H), 0.95 (t, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 3H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 196.6, 135.9, 133.5, 128.9, 128.4, 128.1, 118.5, 107.9, 107.7, 61.3, 26.0, 12.6, 10.9; IR (Neat Film, NaCl) 2970, 2936, 1689, 1597, 1486, 1448, 1418, 1291, 1211, 1182, 1147, 1068, 964, 907, 815, 773, 698 cm⁻¹; HRMS (MM:ESI-APCI+) *m*/*z* calc'd for C₁₅H₁₈NO [M+H]⁺: 228.1383, found 228.1385.



2-(1*H*-indol-1-yl)-1-phenylbutan-1-one (SI26)

Method B run for 36h on a 0.594 mmol scale. Purified by column chromatography (6% EtOAc in hexanes) to provide a beige solid (130.3 mg, 83% yield); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.95 – 7.88 (m, 2H), 7.63 (dt, *J* = 7.9, 1.0 Hz, 1H), 7.54 – 7.49 (m, 1H), 7.46 (dd, *J* = 8.3, 1.0 Hz, 1H), 7.39 (ddt, *J* = 7.9, 6.7, 1.2 Hz, 2H), 7.27 – 7.21 (m, 2H), 7.13 (ddd, *J* = 8.0, 7.1, 1.0 Hz, 1H), 6.55 (dd, *J* = 3.3, 0.9 Hz, 1H), 5.76 (dd, *J* = 9.0, 5.7 Hz, 1H), 2.38 – 2.25 (m, 1H), 2.25 – 2.12 (m, 1H), 0.92 (t, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 3H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 196.5, 136.2, 135.6, 133.7, 129.0, 128.9, 128.4, 126.0, 122.0, 121.4, 120.0, 109.1, 103.0, 60.8, 25.4, 11.0; IR (Neat Film, NaCl) 3052, 2969, 1685, 1596, 1512, 1475, 1458, 1307, 1202, 1014, 902, 812, 762, 741, 722 cm⁻¹; HRMS (MM:ESI-APCI+) *m/z* calc'd for C₁₈H₁₈NO [M+H]⁺: 264.1383, found 264.1388.



3-cyclopropyl-2-(1*H*-indol-1-yl)-1-phenylpropan-1-one (SI27)

Method B run for 36 h with 1.5 equivalent of electrophile on a 1.28 mmol scale. Purified by column chromatography (5% EtOAc in hexanes) to provide a yellow oil (184.1 mg, 49% yield); ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.95 – 7.91 (m, 2H), 7.62 (dt, *J* = 7.9, 1.0 Hz, 1H), 7.55 – 7.46 (m, 2H), 7.43 – 7.34 (m, 2H), 7.30 – 7.20 (m, 2H), 7.13 (ddd, *J* = 7.9, 7.0, 0.9 Hz, 1H), 6.55 (dd, *J* = 3.3, 0.9 Hz, 1H), 5.96 (dd, *J* = 8.7, 5.7 Hz, 1H), 2.18 (ddd, *J* = 14.7, 8.7, 6.3 Hz, 1H), 2.03 (ddd, *J* = 14.0, 7.8, 5.7 Hz, 1H), 0.56 (qdt, *J* = 7.9, 6.3, 4.9 Hz, 1H), 0.49 – 0.39 (m, 1H), 0.36 (dddd, *J* = 9.3, 7.9, 5.4, 4.3 Hz, 1H), 0.15 (dtd, *J* = 9.2, 5.2, 4.2 Hz, 1H), 0.03 (dtd, *J* = 9.4, 5.3, 4.4 Hz, 1H); ¹³C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 196.5, 136.2, 135.7, 133.7, 129.0, 128.9, 128.4, 126.0, 122.0, 121.4, 119.9, 109.2, 103.0, 59.7, 37.1, 8.2, 4.8, 4.8; IR (Neat Film, NaCl) 3056, 2999, 1686, 1596, 1513, 1476, 1458, 1308, 1275, 1249, 1210, 1163, 1015, 926, 763, 739, 691 cm⁻¹; HRMS (MM:ESI-APCI+) *m/z* calc'd for C₂₀H₂₀NO [M+H]⁺: 290.1539, found 290.1529.



2-(1*H*-indol-1-yl)-1-phenylheptan-1-one (SI28)

Method B run for 36h with 1.5 equivalent of electrophile on a 1.28 mmol scale. Purified by column chromatography (5% EtOAc in hexanes) to provide a beige oil (299.7 mg, 77% yield); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.96 – 7.88 (m, 2H), 7.62 (dt, *J* = 7.8, 1.0 Hz, 1H), 7.56 – 7.48 (m, 1H), 7.47 – 7.36 (m, 3H), 7.28 – 7.19 (m, 2H), 7.12 (ddd, *J* = 7.9, 7.0, 1.0 Hz, 1H), 6.55 (dd, *J* = 3.3, 0.8 Hz, 1H), 5.85 (dd, *J* = 9.1, 5.6 Hz, 1H), 2.26 (ddt, *J* = 14.0, 11.0, 5.5 Hz, 1H), 2.20 – 2.08 (m, 1H), 1.40 – 1.18 (m, 6H), 0.83 (t, *J* = 7.0 Hz, 3H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 196.6, 136.2, 135.6, 133.7, 129.0, 128.9, 128.4, 126.0, 122.0, 121.4, 119.9, 109.1, 102.9, 59.2, 32.0, 31.6, 26.0, 22.5, 14.1; IR (Neat Film, NaCl) 3054, 2955, 2929, 2860, 1688, 1596, 1513, 1478, 1460, 1309, 1227, 1198, 1014, 957, 763, 738, 718, 690 cm⁻¹; HRMS (MM:ESI-APCI+) *m/z* calc'd for C₂₁H₂₄NO [M+H]⁺: 306.1852, found 306.1857.



2-(1*H*-indol-1-yl)-1-(*p*-tolyl)butan-1-one (SI29)

Run on a 0.22 mmol scale. Purified by column chromatography (8% EtOAc in hexanes) to provide a brown oil (43.0 mg, 78% yield); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.85 – 7.81 (m, 2H), 7.62 (dt, J = 7.8, 1.0 Hz, 1H), 7.46 (dd, J = 8.4, 1.0 Hz, 1H), 7.26 – 7.21 (m, 2H), 7.21 – 7.16 (m, 2H), 7.12 (ddd, J = 8.0, 7.0, 1.0 Hz, 1H), 6.55 (dd, J = 3.3, 0.8 Hz, 1H), 5.74 (dd, J = 8.9, 5.7 Hz, 1H), 2.35 (s, 3H), 2.29 (dtd, J = 14.8, 7.3, 5.7 Hz, 1H), 2.17 (ddq, J = 14.6, 9.0, 7.3 Hz, 1H), 0.92 (t, J = 7.4 Hz, 3H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 196.0, 144.7, 136.2, 133.1, 129.6, 128.9, 128.5, 126.0, 122.0, 121.3, 119.9, 109.1, 102.8, 60.6, 25.4, 21.8, 11.0; IR (Neat Film, NaCl) 3054, 2968, 2934, 2877, 1682, 1607, 1574, 1514, 1459, 1307, 1260, 1200, 1183, 763, 739, 720 cm⁻¹; HRMS (MM:ESI-APCI+) *m/z* calc'd for C₁₉H₂₀NO [M+H]⁺: 278.1539, found 278.1542.

Derivatization of Alkylation Products



methyl (*S*,*E*)-5-methyl-6-oxo-6-phenyl-5-(1*H*-pyrrol-1-yl)hex-2-enoate (3)

To an oven-dried 1 dram vial was added α -pyrrolo ketone **2f** (23.9 mg, 0.1 mmol), Hoveyda-Grubbs 2nd generation catalyst (3.2 mg, 0.005 mmol), and toluene (1.0 mL). The resulting mixture was stirred till all solids dissolved, then trated with methyl acrylate (90 µL, 1 mmol) and heated to 45 °C in a metal heating block for 12 h. Following completion, the reaction was allowed to cool to room temperature and concentrated to a crude oil. The crude mixture was purified by column chromatogprahy (10 to 20% Et₂O in hexanes) to afford the desired product as a colorless oil (28.4 mg, 95% yield); ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.44 (tt, *J* = 7.0, 1.5 Hz, 1H), 7.31 – 7.21 (m, 6H), 6.72 (t, *J* = 2.2 Hz, 2H), 6.60 (ddd, *J* = 15.4, 8.3, 6.9 Hz, 1H), 6.25 (t, *J* = 2.1 Hz, 2H), 5.80 (dt, *J* = 15.5, 1.4 Hz, 1H), 3.70 (s, 4H), 3.08 – 2.91 (m, 2H), 1.79 (s, 3H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 198.6, 166.4, 142.6, 134.9, 132.9, 128.9, 128.6, 125.3, 118.7, 110.0, 67.0, 51.6, 42.7, 23.2; IR (Neat Film, NaCl) 3068, 2994, 2950, 1723, 1682, 1659, 1595, 1484, 1436, 1381, 1335, 1278, 1221, 1177, 1132, 1091, 1040, 974, 726 cm ⁻¹; HRMS (MM:ESI-APCI+) *m/z* calc'd for C₁₈H₂₀NO₃ [M+H]⁺: 298.1438, found 298.1442.



(S)-1-(3-methyl-2-phenylhexa-1,5-dien-3-yl)-1H-pyrrole (4)

To an oven-dried 1 dram vial was added methyltriphenylphosphonium bromide (53.6 mg, 0.15 mmol) and Et₂O (0.75 mL). The resulting suspension was cooled in an ice-bath and *n*-BuLi (58 μ L, 0.14 mmol, 2.4 M) added dropwise. After stirring for an additional 30 min, a solution of α -pyrrolo ketone **2f** (23.9 mg, 0.1 mmol) in Et₂O (0.75 mL) was added, and the ice-bath removed. The reaction was allowed to warm to room temperature and continued for 1 h. Following completion, the reaction was diluted with H₂O and extracted with Et₂O. The combined organics

were washed with brine, dried with MgSO₄, then concentrated. The crude product was purified by column chromatography (0 to 5% Et₂O in hexanes) to afford the desired product as a colorless oil (20.0 mg, 84% yield); ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.24 – 7.15 (m, 3H), 6.85 (t, *J* = 2.2 Hz, 2H), 6.59 (dt, *J* = 7.0, 1.5 Hz, 2H), 6.22 (t, *J* = 2.2 Hz, 2H), 5.51 (ddt, *J* = 16.1, 10.9, 7.1 Hz, 1H), 5.39 (s, 1H), 5.22 (s, 1H), 5.14 – 5.02 (m, 2H), 2.89 (dd, *J* = 13.7, 6.6 Hz, 1H), 2.66 (dd, *J* = 13.6, 7.4 Hz, 1H), 1.57 (s, 3H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 153.8, 140.9, 133.1, 128.4, 128.0, 127.4, 119.0, 118.9, 115.4, 108.1, 61.9, 44.3, 25.2; IR (Neat Film, NaCl) 3079, 2981, 1492, 1483, 1442, 1376, 1266, 1243, 1092, 1072, 918, 778, 723, 701 cm⁻¹; HRMS (MM:ESI-APCI+) *m/z* calc'd for C₁₇H₂₀N [M+H]⁺: 238.1590, found 238.1584.



(S)-2-(3-((dimethylamino)methyl)-1*H*-pyrrol-1-yl)-2-methyl-1-phenylpent-4-en-1-one (5)

To an oven-dried 1 dram vial was added α -pyrrolo ketone **2f** (23.9 mg, 0.1 mmol), Escehnmoser's salt (27.8 mg, 0.15 mmol), and MeCN (1.0 mL). The resulting mixture was heated to 55 °C in a metal heating block and stirred for 2 h. Following completion, the reaction was diluted with EtOAc and washed with saturated NaHCO₃ and brine. Following drying with MgSO₄ and concentration, the desired product was obtained as a light-yellow foam (28.1 mg, 93% yield); ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.40 (tt, *J* = 6.8, 1.9 Hz, 1H), 7.29 – 7.20 (m, 4H), 6.68 (dt, *J* = 15.4, 2.3 Hz, 2H), 6.19 (t, *J* = 2.2 Hz, 1H), 5.39 (dddd, *J* = 16.6, 10.1, 8.1, 6.2 Hz, 1H), 5.14 – 4.96 (m, 2H), 3.55 – 3.36 (m, 2H), 2.95 – 2.72 (m, 2H), 2.24 (s, 6H), 1.74 (s, 3H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 199.3, 135.3, 132.7, 131.9, 128.7, 128.5, 119.9, 119.4, 119.1, 119.1, 111.0, 67.3, 56.0, 44.0, 43.7, 23.2; IR (Neat Film, NaCl) 3069, 2977, 2938, 2854, 2811, 2761, 1682, 1488, 1456, 1446, 1320, 1255, 1179, 1166, 968, 924, 774, 718, 692 cm⁻¹; HRMS (MM:ESI-APCI+) *m/z* calc'd for C₁₉H₂₅N₂O [M+H]⁺: 297.1961, found 297.1972.

X-ray crystal structure info for 2e

Low-temperature diffraction data (ϕ -and ω -scans) were collected on a Bruker AXS D8 VENTURE KAPPA diffractometer coupled to a PHOTON II CPAD detector with Cu K_a radiation ($\lambda = 1.54178$ Å) from an I μ S micro-source for the structure of compound V19435. The structure was solved by direct methods using SHELXS⁶ and refined against F^2 on all data by full-matrix least squares with SHELXL-2017⁷ using established refinement techniques.⁸ All non-hydrogen atoms were refined anisotropically. All hydrogen atoms were included into the model at geometrically calculated positions and refined using a riding model. The isotropic displacement parameters of all hydrogen atoms were fixed to 1.2 times the *U* value of the atoms they are linked to (1.5 times for methyl groups).

Compound crystallizes in the hexagonal space group $P6_122$ with one molecule in the asymmetric unit. Sample was prepared via slow evaporation from CHCl₃.



Table 1. Crystal data and structure refinement for 2e, ellipsoid contour at 50% probability.

Identification code	V19435	
Empirical formula	C22 H21 N O	
Formula weight	315.40	
Temperature	100(2) K	
Wavelength	1.54178 Å	
Crystal system	Hexagonal	
Space group	P6122	
Unit cell dimensions	a = 10.0004(9) Å	a= 90°.
	b = 10.0004(9) Å	b= 90°.
	c = 60.021(9) Å	g = 120°.
Volume	5198.4(12) Å ³	

Z
Density (calculated)
Absorption coefficient
F(000)
Crystal size
Theta range for data collection
Index ranges
Reflections collected
Independent reflections
Completeness to theta = 67.679°
Absorption correction
Max. and min. transmission
Refinement method
Data / restraints / parameters
Goodness-of-fit on F ²
Final R indices [I>2sigma(I)]
R indices (all data)
Absolute structure parameter
Extinction coefficient
Largest diff. peak and hole

12 1.209 Mg/m³ 0.570 mm⁻¹ 2016 0.400 x 0.300 x 0.250 mm³ 4.420 to 74.784°. -12<=h<=12, -12<=k<=12, -74<=l<=74 52855 3574 [R(int) = 0.0580] 99.9 % Semi-empirical from equivalents 0.7538 and 0.6512 Full-matrix least-squares on F² 3574 / 0 / 217 1.096 R1 = 0.0324, wR2 = 0.0766 R1 = 0.0336, wR2 = 0.07740.07(9) n/a 0.107 and -0.172 e.Å⁻³

	Х	у	Z	U(eq)	
O(1)	3640(1)	3587(2)	799(1)	25(1)	
C(1)	3750(2)	3710(2)	597(1)	18(1)	
C(11)	2319(2)	3021(2)	456(1)	18(1)	
C(12)	962(2)	2749(2)	562(1)	21(1)	
C(13)	-416(2)	2128(2)	444(1)	25(1)	
C(14)	-453(2)	1771(2)	220(1)	26(1)	
C(15)	883(2)	2023(2)	113(1)	24(1)	
C(16)	2270(2)	2652(2)	229(1)	20(1)	
C(2)	5368(2)	4675(2)	489(1)	16(1)	
N(1)	5602(2)	3635(2)	343(1)	16(1)	
C(17)	5208(2)	2152(2)	402(1)	19(1)	
C(18)	5550(2)	1500(2)	227(1)	22(1)	
C(19)	6183(2)	2621(2)	56(1)	23(1)	
C(20)	6214(2)	3928(2)	132(1)	20(1)	
C(3)	5384(2)	6001(2)	354(1)	18(1)	
C(4)	4800(2)	6877(2)	487(1)	23(1)	
C(5)	5550(2)	8380(2)	518(1)	29(1)	
C(6)	6621(2)	5322(2)	674(1)	19(1)	
C(21)	8244(2)	6227(2)	584(1)	19(1)	
C(22)	9002(2)	5484(2)	502(1)	26(1)	
C(23)	10486(2)	6322(2)	415(1)	31(1)	
C(24)	11236(2)	7919(2)	410(1)	31(1)	
C(25)	10506(2)	8677(2)	494(1)	28(1)	
C(26)	9019(2)	7834(2)	580(1)	23(1)	

Table 2. Atomic coordinates $(x \ 10^4)$ and equivalent isotropic displacement parameters $(\text{\AA}^2 x \ 10^3)$ for V19435. U(eq) is defined as one third of the trace of the orthogonalized U^{ij} tensor.

O(1)-C(1)	1.2169(18)
C(1)-C(11)	1.503(2)
C(1)-C(2)	1.551(2)
C(11)-C(12)	1.397(2)
C(11)-C(16)	1.403(2)
C(12)-C(13)	1.388(2)
C(12)-H(12)	0.9500
C(13)-C(14)	1.390(2)
C(13)-H(13)	0.9500
C(14)-C(15)	1.386(2)
C(14)-H(14)	0.9500
C(15)-C(16)	1.390(2)
C(15)-H(15)	0.9500
C(16)-H(16)	0.9500
C(2)-N(1)	1.4668(19)
C(2)-C(3)	1.547(2)
C(2)-C(6)	1.549(2)
N(1)-C(20)	1.3745(19)
N(1)-C(17)	1.377(2)
C(17)-C(18)	1.369(2)
C(17)-H(17)	0.9500
C(18)-C(19)	1.415(2)
C(18)-H(18)	0.9500
C(19)-C(20)	1.371(2)
C(19)-H(19)	0.9500
C(20)-H(20)	0.9500
C(3)-C(4)	1.504(2)
C(3)-H(3A)	0.9900
C(3)-H(3B)	0.9900
C(4)-C(5)	1.314(3)
C(4)-H(4)	0.9500
C(5)-H(5A)	0.9500
C(5)-H(5B)	0.9500
C(6)-C(21)	1.509(2)

 Table 3. Bond lengths [Å] and angles [°] for V19435.

C(6)-H(6A)	0.9900
C(6)-H(6B)	0.9900
C(21)-C(22)	1.390(2)
C(21)-C(26)	1.392(2)
C(22)-C(23)	1.392(3)
С(22)-Н(22)	0.9500
C(23)-C(24)	1.384(3)
C(23)-H(23)	0.9500
C(24)-C(25)	1.385(3)
C(24)-H(24)	0.9500
C(25)-C(26)	1.391(2)
C(25)-H(25)	0.9500
C(26)-H(26)	0.9500
O(1)-C(1)-C(11)	119.94(14)
O(1)-C(1)-C(2)	119.47(14)
C(11)-C(1)-C(2)	120.46(12)
C(12)-C(11)-C(16)	119.18(15)
C(12)-C(11)-C(1)	116.18(13)
C(16)-C(11)-C(1)	124.64(14)
C(13)-C(12)-C(11)	120.43(15)
C(13)-C(12)-H(12)	119.8
С(11)-С(12)-Н(12)	119.8
C(12)-C(13)-C(14)	120.01(16)
С(12)-С(13)-Н(13)	120.0
C(14)-C(13)-H(13)	120.0
C(15)-C(14)-C(13)	120.07(16)
C(15)-C(14)-H(14)	120.0
C(13)-C(14)-H(14)	120.0
C(14)-C(15)-C(16)	120.29(15)
C(14)-C(15)-H(15)	119.9
C(16)-C(15)-H(15)	119.9
C(15)-C(16)-C(11)	120.02(15)
C(15)-C(16)-H(16)	120.0
C(11)-C(16)-H(16)	120.0
N(1)-C(2)-C(3)	110.92(11)

N(1)-C(2)-C(6)	109.91(12)
C(3)-C(2)-C(6)	110.88(13)
N(1)-C(2)-C(1)	107.15(12)
C(3)-C(2)-C(1)	108.26(12)
C(6)-C(2)-C(1)	109.63(12)
C(20)-N(1)-C(17)	109.05(13)
C(20)-N(1)-C(2)	127.78(13)
C(17)-N(1)-C(2)	123.17(12)
C(18)-C(17)-N(1)	107.93(14)
С(18)-С(17)-Н(17)	126.0
N(1)-C(17)-H(17)	126.0
C(17)-C(18)-C(19)	107.53(15)
C(17)-C(18)-H(18)	126.2
C(19)-C(18)-H(18)	126.2
C(20)-C(19)-C(18)	107.53(14)
C(20)-C(19)-H(19)	126.2
C(18)-C(19)-H(19)	126.2
C(19)-C(20)-N(1)	107.95(14)
C(19)-C(20)-H(20)	126.0
N(1)-C(20)-H(20)	126.0
C(4)-C(3)-C(2)	112.32(12)
C(4)-C(3)-H(3A)	109.1
C(2)-C(3)-H(3A)	109.1
C(4)-C(3)-H(3B)	109.1
C(2)-C(3)-H(3B)	109.1
H(3A)-C(3)-H(3B)	107.9
C(5)-C(4)-C(3)	125.02(17)
C(5)-C(4)-H(4)	117.5
C(3)-C(4)-H(4)	117.5
C(4)-C(5)-H(5A)	120.0
C(4)-C(5)-H(5B)	120.0
H(5A)-C(5)-H(5B)	120.0
C(21)-C(6)-C(2)	113.48(12)
C(21)-C(6)-H(6A)	108.9
C(2)-C(6)-H(6A)	108.9
C(21)-C(6)-H(6B)	108.9

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120.62(15)
120.91(17)
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120.16(17)
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119.61(16)
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120.00(17)
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120.0
121.01(16)
119.5
119.5

	U11	U22	U33	U23	U13	U12	
O(1)	24(1)	35(1)	17(1)	4(1)	3(1)	15(1)	
C(1)	20(1)	18(1)	18(1)	2(1)	2(1)	11(1)	
C(11)	18(1)	15(1)	21(1)	4(1)	1(1)	8(1)	
C(12)	20(1)	17(1)	25(1)	2(1)	4(1)	9(1)	
C(13)	18(1)	20(1)	36(1)	1(1)	2(1)	9(1)	
C(14)	18(1)	22(1)	36(1)	-2(1)	-5(1)	9(1)	
C(15)	25(1)	22(1)	24(1)	0(1)	-3(1)	11(1)	
C(16)	18(1)	19(1)	22(1)	3(1)	1(1)	9(1)	
C(2)	18(1)	18(1)	15(1)	0(1)	1(1)	10(1)	
N(1)	18(1)	16(1)	16(1)	1(1)	1(1)	9(1)	
C(17)	19(1)	17(1)	20(1)	3(1)	1(1)	8(1)	
C(18)	23(1)	17(1)	27(1)	-1(1)	2(1)	10(1)	
C(19)	24(1)	24(1)	21(1)	-1(1)	5(1)	11(1)	
C(20)	20(1)	19(1)	18(1)	2(1)	4(1)	8(1)	
C(3)	20(1)	17(1)	17(1)	2(1)	0(1)	9(1)	
C(4)	30(1)	24(1)	20(1)	1(1)	-1(1)	17(1)	
C(5)	39(1)	26(1)	27(1)	-6(1)	-9(1)	20(1)	
C(6)	19(1)	21(1)	16(1)	0(1)	-1(1)	11(1)	
C(21)	19(1)	21(1)	17(1)	0(1)	-3(1)	10(1)	
C(22)	21(1)	21(1)	34(1)	-1(1)	0(1)	10(1)	
C(23)	21(1)	33(1)	37(1)	-4(1)	2(1)	13(1)	
C(24)	19(1)	34(1)	31(1)	4(1)	1(1)	6(1)	
C(25)	24(1)	19(1)	31(1)	2(1)	-7(1)	4(1)	
C(26)	24(1)	21(1)	23(1)	-2(1)	-6(1)	11(1)	

Table 4. Anisotropic displacement parameters ($Å^2x \ 10^3$) for V19435. The anisotropicdisplacement factor exponent takes the form: $-2p^2[h^2 a^{*2}U^{11} + ... + 2h k a^* b^* U^{12}]$

	Х	У	Z	U(eq)	
H(12)	983	2990	715	25	
H(13)	-1334	1947	517	30	
H(14)	-1396	1353	139	31	
H(15)	851	1765	-40	29	
H(16)	3185	2833	155	24	
H(17)	4775	1668	541	23	
H(18)	5392	482	221	27	
H(19)	6525	2490	-86	28	
H(20)	6591	4871	52	24	
H(3A)	6453	6722	304	21	
H(3B)	4734	5566	220	21	
H(4)	3813	6299	555	28	
H(5A)	6541	8997	453	35	
H(5B)	5102	8849	604	35	
H(6A)	6429	5997	773	23	
H(6B)	6527	4451	764	23	
H(22)	8499	4389	505	31	
H(23)	10987	5797	358	37	
H(24)	12245	8491	349	37	
H(25)	11021	9773	494	34	
H(26)	8525	8362	638	27	

Table 5. Hydrogen coordinates ($x \ 10^4$) and isotropic displacement parameters (Å²x 10³) for V19435.

O(1)-C(1)-C(11)-C(12)	21.4(2)
C(2)-C(1)-C(11)-C(12)	-154.28(14)
O(1)-C(1)-C(11)-C(16)	-158.82(15)
C(2)-C(1)-C(11)-C(16)	25.5(2)
C(16)-C(11)-C(12)-C(13)	-0.3(2)
C(1)-C(11)-C(12)-C(13)	179.47(14)
C(11)-C(12)-C(13)-C(14)	0.1(3)
C(12)-C(13)-C(14)-C(15)	0.5(3)
C(13)-C(14)-C(15)-C(16)	-0.8(3)
C(14)-C(15)-C(16)-C(11)	0.6(3)
C(12)-C(11)-C(16)-C(15)	0.0(2)
C(1)-C(11)-C(16)-C(15)	-179.78(15)
O(1)-C(1)-C(2)-N(1)	120.14(15)
C(11)-C(1)-C(2)-N(1)	-64.12(17)
O(1)-C(1)-C(2)-C(3)	-120.17(15)
C(11)-C(1)-C(2)-C(3)	55.57(17)
O(1)-C(1)-C(2)-C(6)	0.9(2)
C(11)-C(1)-C(2)-C(6)	176.64(13)
C(3)-C(2)-N(1)-C(20)	18.9(2)
C(6)-C(2)-N(1)-C(20)	-104.03(17)
C(1)-C(2)-N(1)-C(20)	136.92(15)
C(3)-C(2)-N(1)-C(17)	-160.68(14)
C(6)-C(2)-N(1)-C(17)	76.34(18)
C(1)-C(2)-N(1)-C(17)	-42.71(18)
C(20)-N(1)-C(17)-C(18)	-0.91(18)
C(2)-N(1)-C(17)-C(18)	178.78(14)
N(1)-C(17)-C(18)-C(19)	0.46(19)
C(17)-C(18)-C(19)-C(20)	0.1(2)
C(18)-C(19)-C(20)-N(1)	-0.70(19)
C(17)-N(1)-C(20)-C(19)	1.00(18)
C(2)-N(1)-C(20)-C(19)	-178.67(15)
N(1)-C(2)-C(3)-C(4)	167.14(13)
C(6)-C(2)-C(3)-C(4)	-70.45(17)
C(1)-C(2)-C(3)-C(4)	49.85(17)

 Table 6. Torsion angles [°] for V19435.

C(2)-C(3)-C(4)-C(5)	126.00(17)
N(1)-C(2)-C(6)-C(21)	60.14(17)
C(3)-C(2)-C(6)-C(21)	-62.85(17)
C(1)-C(2)-C(6)-C(21)	177.66(13)
C(2)-C(6)-C(21)-C(22)	-79.89(18)
C(2)-C(6)-C(21)-C(26)	99.92(17)
C(26)-C(21)-C(22)-C(23)	-1.2(2)
C(6)-C(21)-C(22)-C(23)	178.60(15)
C(21)-C(22)-C(23)-C(24)	0.4(3)
C(22)-C(23)-C(24)-C(25)	0.7(3)
C(23)-C(24)-C(25)-C(26)	-1.0(3)
C(24)-C(25)-C(26)-C(21)	0.2(2)
C(22)-C(21)-C(26)-C(25)	0.9(2)
C(6)-C(21)-C(26)-C(25)	-178.88(14)

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¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) of compound **2c**.





 ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) of compound **2d**.







¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) of compound **2e**.





 ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) of compound **2f**.




¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) of compound **2g**.

white





¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) of compound **2h**.





¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) of compound **2i**.





¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) of compound **2j**.



¹⁹F NMR (282 MHz, CDCl₃) of compound **2j**.





¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) of compound **2k**.





¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) of compound **2l**.





¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) of compound **2m**.





¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) of compound **2n**.





¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) of compound **20**.



¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) of compound **2p**.



















¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) of compound 1a.





 13 C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) of compound **1b**.





¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) of compound **1c**.





 ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) of compound 1d.





¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) of compound **1e**.




 ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) of compound 1f.





¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) of compound **1g**.





 ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) of compound 1h.

210





¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) of compound **1i**.





¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) of compound **1j**.





¹⁹F NMR (282 MHz, CDCl₃) of compound 1k.





¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) of compound 1k.





Infrared spectrum (Thin Film, NaCl) of compound 11.



¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) of compound **11**.





¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) of compound **1m**.





 ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) of compound 1n.





 13 C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) of compound **10**.

230





¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) of compound **1p**.





¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) of compound **1q**.





 13 C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) of compound 1r.







¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) of compound **SI2**.



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¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) of compound **SI3**.





¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) of compound **SI4**.



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¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) of compound **SI5**.



¹⁹F NMR (282 MHz, CDCl₃) of compound **SI5.**


SI145





¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) of compound **SI7**.





¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) of compound **SI8**.





¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) of compound **SI9**.







¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) of compound SI11.





¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) of compound **SI12**.





¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) of compound SI13.

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¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) of compound SI14.





¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) of compound SI15.

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¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) of compound SI16.



SI165



¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) of compound SI17.





¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) of compound SI18.





¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) of compound **SI19**.









¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) of compound **SI21**.



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¹⁹F NMR (282 MHz, CDCl₃) of compound **SI21.**












¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) of compound SI24.





¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) of compound SI25.





¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) of compound SI26.





¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) of compound SI27.

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¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) of compound SI28.





¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) of compound SI29.











