## Supporting Information

# $\mathbf{R h}$ (III)-catalyzed $\mathbf{C}-\mathbf{C}$ coupling of unactivated $\mathbf{C}\left(\mathbf{s p}^{3}\right)-\mathbf{H}$ bonds with iodonium ylides for access to all-carbon quaternary carbon centers 

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## 1. General Information

All chemicals were obtained from commercial sources and were used as received unless otherwise noted. All the reactions were carried out under Ar atmosphere. The ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR spectra were recorded on a 400 MHz or 600 MHz NMR spectrometer. The ${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}$ NMR spectra were recorded at 100 MHz or 150 MHz . The ${ }^{19} \mathrm{~F}$ NMR spectra were recorded at 376 MHz . Chemical shifts were expressed in parts per million ( $\delta$ ) downfield from the internal standard tetramethylsilane (TMS), and were reported as $s$ (singlet), d (doublet), t (triplet), dd (doublets of doublet), dt (doublets of triplet), and m (multiplet). The residual solvent signals were used as references and the chemical shifts were converted to the TMS scale ( $\mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ : $\left.\delta \mathrm{H}=7.26 \mathrm{ppm}, \delta \mathrm{C}=77.16 \mathrm{ppm}, \mathrm{DMSO}-d_{6}: \delta \mathrm{H}=2.50 \mathrm{ppm}, \delta \mathrm{C}=39.52 \mathrm{ppm}\right)$. The coupling constants $J$ were given in Hz. High resolution mass spectra (HRMS) were obtained via ESI mode by using a MicroTOF mass spectrometer. The conversion of starting materials was monitored by thin layer chromatography (TLC) using silica gel plates (silica gel 60 F 2540.25 mm ), and components were visualized by observation under UV light ( 254 and 365 nm ). Column chromatography was performed on silica gel 200-300 mesh.

Pyridine derivatives ${ }^{1}$ and iodonium ylides ${ }^{2}$ were prepared according to the published procedures.

## 2. Experimental Section

## (1) General procedures for pyridine-assisted fuctionalization of unactivated $\mathbf{C}\left(\mathbf{s p}^{\mathbf{3}}\right)-\mathbf{H}$ bonds

A Schlenk tube with a magnetic stir bar was charged with pyridine derivatives ( 0.10 mmol ), iodonium ylides $(0.15 \mathrm{mmol}),\left[\mathrm{Cp} * \mathrm{RhCl}_{2}\right]_{2}(0.004 \mathrm{mmol}, 4.0 \mathrm{~mol} \%), \mathrm{AgSbF}_{6}(16 \mathrm{~mol} \%), 2,2$-Dimethylbutyric acid $(0.10 \mathrm{mmol}), \mathrm{K}_{2} \mathrm{CO}_{3}(0.10 \mathrm{mmol}), \mathrm{NaOAc}(0.10 \mathrm{mmol})$ and $\mathrm{HFIP}(0.5 \mathrm{~mL})$ under an $\mathrm{N}_{2}$ atmosphere. The resulting mixture was stirred at $100{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ for 12 h . After the solvent was removed under reduced pressure, the residue was purified by column chromatography on silica gel to provide the desired product.

## (2) Scale-up Synthesis of 3



A Schlenk tube with a magnetic stir bar was charged with pyridine derivatives ( 3.00 mmol ), iodonium ylides $(4.50 \mathrm{mmol}),\left[\mathrm{Cp} * \mathrm{RhCl}_{2}\right]_{2}(0.120 \mathrm{mmol}, 4.0 \mathrm{~mol} \%), \mathrm{AgSbF}_{6}(16 \mathrm{~mol} \%), 2,2$-Dimethylbutyric acid ( 3.0 mmol ), $\mathrm{K}_{2} \mathrm{CO}_{3}(3.0 \mathrm{mmol}), \mathrm{NaOAc}(3.0 \mathrm{mmol})$ and HFIP $(15 \mathrm{~mL})$ under an $\mathrm{N}_{2}$ atmosphere. The resulting mixture was stirred at $100{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ for 12 h . Afterwards, it was evaporated under reduced pressure, and the residue was purified by silica gel chromatography (petroleum ether:Acetone $=5: 1$ ) to afford 3a(724.6 mg, 75\%).

## (3) Diversification of the Products



Compound $\mathbf{3}(0.1 \mathrm{mmol})$ was dissolved in oxalyl chloride $(0.1 \mathrm{~mL})$ and the reaction mixture was stirred at room temperature for 3 h . Then the reaction mixture was diluted with diethyl ether ( 3.0 mL ) and washed with water $(3.0 \mathrm{~mL})$ and brine $(3.0 \mathrm{~mL})$. The filtrate was concentrated in vacuo, and the crude product was purified by silica gel chromatography (petroleum ether: ethyl acetate $=10: 1$ ).


To a solution of the $\mathbf{3}(0.1 \mathrm{mmol})$ in benzene ( 2 mL ) was dropwise added trimethylsilyldiazomethane (TMSCHN $2,0.15 \mathrm{~mL}, 0.3 \mathrm{mmol}, 2.0 \mathrm{M}$ solution in hexane) at r.t.. The resulting mixture was stirred at room temperature for 12 h . The reaction was quenched by the addition of $\mathrm{AcOH}(10 \mu \mathrm{~L})$, and the solvent was removed by vaporation, and the crude product was purified by silica gel chromatography (petroleum ether:ethyl acetate $=1: 1)$ to afford $5(27.4 \mathrm{mg}, 82 \%)$.


A Schlenk tube with a magnetic stir bar was charged with $3(0.1 \mathrm{mmol}), \mathrm{Cu}\left(\mathrm{ClO}_{4}\right)_{2}(0.15 \mathrm{mmol})$ and $\mathrm{MeCN}(0.5 \mathrm{~mL})$ under an $\mathrm{O}_{2}$ atmosphere. The resulting mixture was stirred at room temperature for 12 h. Afterwards, it was evaporated under reduced pressure, and the residue was purified by silica gel chromatography ( $\mathrm{MeOH}: \mathrm{DCM}=1: 20)$ to afford $6(22.9 \mathrm{mg}, 90 \%)$.

## (4) Mechanistic Studies

Synthesis of rhodacycle [Rh-Py] complex


A Schlenk tube with a magnetic stir bar was charged with $\left[\mathrm{RhCp}^{*} \mathrm{Cl}_{2}\right]_{2}(31.3 \mathrm{mg}, 0.05 \mathrm{mmol}), \mathrm{AgSbF}_{6}$ ( $70.4 \mathrm{mg}, 0.20 \mathrm{mmol}, 4$ equiv), 2-(tert-butyl)pyridine ( $67.6 \mu \mathrm{~L}, 0.50 \mathrm{mmol}, 10$ equiv), and $\mathrm{CH}_{2} \mathrm{Cl}_{2}$ ( 0.75 mL ) under an $\mathrm{N}_{2}$ atmosphere. The resulting mixture was stirred at room temperature for 24 h and then diluted with 3 mL of dichloromethane. The solution was filtered through a celite pad and washed with
$10-20 \mathrm{~mL}$ of dichloromethane. The filtrate was concentrated and the residue was purified by column chromatography on alumina to provide the complex as a orange solid.
[Rh-Py] complex catalyzed alkylation of 2-(tert-butyl)pyridine


A Schlenk tube with a magnetic stir bar was charged with 2-(tert-butyl)pyridine ( 0.10 mmol ), iodonium ylides ( 0.15 mmol ), $[\mathrm{Rh}-\mathrm{Py}]$ complex ( $0.013 \mathrm{mmol}, 13.0 \mathrm{~mol} \%$ ), $\mathrm{AgSbF}_{6}(13 \mathrm{~mol} \%), 2,2-$ Dimethylbutyric acid ( 0.10 mmol ), $\mathrm{K}_{2} \mathrm{CO}_{3}(0.10 \mathrm{mmol}), \mathrm{NaOAc}(0.10 \mathrm{mmol})$ and HFIP $(0.5 \mathrm{~mL})$ under an $\mathrm{N}_{2}$ atmosphere. The resulting mixture was stirred at $100^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ for 12 h . After the solvent was removed under reduced pressure, the residue was purified by column chromatography on silica gel to provide the desired product.

The reaction of stoichiometric amounts of [Rh-Py] complex with iodonium ylides


A Schlenk tube with a magnetic stir bar was charged with [Rh-Py] complex ( 0.05 mmol ), iodonium ylides ( 0.075 mmol ), $\mathrm{AgSbF}_{6}(16 \mathrm{~mol} \%), 2,2$-Dimethylbutyric acid ( 0.05 mmol ), $\mathrm{K}_{2} \mathrm{CO}_{3}(0.05 \mathrm{mmol})$, $\mathrm{NaOAc}(0.05 \mathrm{mmol})$ and HFIP $(0.25 \mathrm{~mL})$ under an $\mathrm{N}_{2}$ atmosphere. The resulting mixture was stirred at $100^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ for 12 h . After the solvent was removed under reduced pressure, the residue was purified by column chromatography on silica gel to provide the desired product.

## H/D Exchange experiment



A Schlenk tube with a magnetic stir bar was charged with $\mathbf{1 a}(0.10 \mathrm{mmol}), \mathbf{2 a}(0.15 \mathrm{mmol}),\left[\mathrm{Cp} * \mathrm{RhCl}_{2}\right]_{2}$ ( $0.004 \mathrm{mmol}, 4.0 \mathrm{~mol} \%$ ), $\mathrm{AgSbF}_{6}\left(16 \mathrm{~mol} \%\right.$ ), $\mathrm{AdCOOD}(0.10 \mathrm{mmol}), \mathrm{K}_{2} \mathrm{CO}_{3}(0.10 \mathrm{mmol}), \mathrm{NaOAc}$ $(0.10 \mathrm{mmol})$ and HFIP- $d_{2}(0.5 \mathrm{~mL})$ under an $\mathrm{N}_{2}$ atmosphere. The resulting mixture was stirred at $100^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ for 8 h . After the solvent was removed under reduced pressure, the residue was purified by column chromatography on silica gel to provide the desired product, giving the product in $80 \%$ yield.

${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR of product $\mathbf{3 a -} \boldsymbol{d}_{\boldsymbol{n}}$ in the $\mathrm{H} / \mathrm{D}$ Exchange experiment

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## 4. Characterization Data



3-hydroxy-2-(2-methyl-3-phenyl-2-(pyridin-2-yl)propyl)cyclohex-2-en-1-one (3a).
Yellow solid ( $28.2 \mathrm{mg}, 88 \%$, m.p. $78-79{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ ), eluent: PE/Acetone $=5: 1 .{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR $(600 \mathrm{MHz}$, Chloroform- $d$ ) $\delta 14.26(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 8.76-8.00(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.64(\mathrm{td}, J=7.8,1.9 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.23$ (ddd, $J=7.4$, $5.1,1.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.13(\mathrm{~d}, J=8.2 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.10-7.06(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.03(\mathrm{dd}, J=8.2,6.6 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 2.99-$ $2.77(\mathrm{~m}, 4 \mathrm{H}), 2.55-2.29(\mathrm{~m}, 4 \mathrm{H}), 1.92-1.89(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 1.45(\mathrm{~s}, 3 \mathrm{H}) .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}$ NMR ( 150 MHz , Chloroformd) $\delta 199.5,176.0,166.7,145.9,137.9,137.6,130.3,127.6,126.2,123.4,121.9,112.8,50.4,46.7,37.2$, 32.0, 30.4, 26.4, 21.1. HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z: $[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$Calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{21} \mathrm{H}_{24} \mathrm{NO}_{2}{ }^{+} 322.1802$, Found: 322.1804 .


3-hydroxy-2-(2-methyl-2-(pyridin-2-yl)-3-(p-tolyl)propyl)cyclohex-2-en-1-one (3b).
Red oil ( $24.1 \mathrm{mg}, 72 \%$ ), eluent: PE/Acetone $=5: 1 .{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( 400 MHz , Chloroform $-d$ ) $\delta 8.43$ (dd, $J=$ $5.1,1.7 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.64(\mathrm{td}, J=7.8,1.9 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.23(\mathrm{ddd}, J=7.5,5.0,1.0 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.15(\mathrm{~d}, J=8.1 \mathrm{~Hz}$, $1 \mathrm{H}), 6.85(\mathrm{~d}, J=7.7 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 6.42(\mathrm{~d}, J=7.9 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 2.97-2.78(\mathrm{~m}, 4 \mathrm{H}), 2.39(\mathrm{~m}, 4 \mathrm{H}), 2.23(\mathrm{~s}, 3 \mathrm{H})$, $1.95-1.85(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 1.43(\mathrm{~s}, 3 \mathrm{H}) .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}$ NMR ( 100 MHz , Chloroform- $d$ ) $\delta 199.5,176.0,166.9,145.9,137.5$, 135.6, 134.7, 130.2, 128.3, 123.5, 121.9, 112.9, 50.1, 46.7, 37.2, 31.8, 30.4, 26.4, 21.1. HRMS (ESITOF) m/z: $[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$Calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{22} \mathrm{H}_{26} \mathrm{NO}_{2}{ }^{+}$336.1958, Found: 336.1961.


2-(3-(4-(tert-butyl)phenyl)-2-methyl-2-(pyridin-2-yl)propyl)-3-hydroxycyclohex-2-en-1-one (3c).
Colorless oil (26.4 mg, 70\%), eluent: PE/Acetone $=5: 1 .{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( 400 MHz , Chloroform- $d$ ) $\delta 14.27(\mathrm{~s}$, 1 H ), 8.43 (ddd, $J=5.1,1.9,0.9 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.68-7.62(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.26-7.22(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.19(\mathrm{~d}, J=8.2 \mathrm{~Hz}$, $1 \mathrm{H}), 7.07-7.03(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 6.50-6.42(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 2.93-2.81(\mathrm{~m}, 4 \mathrm{H}), 2.46-2.33(\mathrm{~m}, 4 \mathrm{H}), 1.93-1.87(\mathrm{~m}$, 2H), 1.44 (s, 3H), 1.23 (s, 9H). ${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}$ NMR ( 150 MHz , Chloroform- $d$ ) $\delta 199.5,175.9,166.9,149.0,145.8$, 137.6, 134.7, 129.9, 124.5, 123.5, 121.9, 112.9, 50.1, 46.8, 37.2, 34.4, 31.7, 31.4, 30.4, 26.6, 21.1. HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z: $[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$Calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{25} \mathrm{H}_{32} \mathrm{NO}_{2}{ }^{+}$378.2428, Found: 378.2425.


2-(3-(4-fluorophenyl)-2-methyl-2-(pyridin-2-yl)propyl)-3-hydroxycyclohex-2-en-1-one (3d).
Yellow oil ( $27.1 \mathrm{mg}, 80 \%$ ), eluent: PE/Acetone $=5: 1 .{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( 400 MHz , Chloroform- $d$ ) $\delta 8.44(\mathrm{~d}, J=$ $3.6 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.65(\mathrm{td}, J=7.8,1.9 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.24(\mathrm{ddd}, J=7.5,5.1,1.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.12(\mathrm{~d}, J=8.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H})$, $6.72(\mathrm{t}, J=8.7 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 6.47(\mathrm{dd}, J=8.5,5.6 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 2.95-2.80(\mathrm{~m}, 4 \mathrm{H}), 2.43-2.36(\mathrm{~m}, 4 \mathrm{H}), 1.95-$ $1.86(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 1.43(\mathrm{~s}, 3 \mathrm{H}) .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}$ NMR ( 100 MHz , Chloroform- $d$ ) $\delta 199.4,176.0,166.5,161.5$ ( $\mathrm{d}, J=244.3$ $\mathrm{Hz}), 146.0,137.6,133.5(\mathrm{~d}, J=3.5 \mathrm{~Hz}), 131.5(\mathrm{~d}, J=7.9 \mathrm{~Hz}), 123.3,122.0,114.4(\mathrm{~d}, J=20.9 \mathrm{~Hz}), 112.6$, 49.4, 46.6, 37.2, 31.9, 30.3, 26.2, 21.0. ${ }^{19} \mathrm{~F}$ NMR ( 377 MHz , Chloroform- $d$ ) $\delta-117.09$. HRMS (ESITOF) $\mathrm{m} / \mathrm{z}:[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$Calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{21} \mathrm{H}_{23} \mathrm{FNO}_{2}{ }^{+}$340.1707, Found: 340.1702.


2-(3-(4-chlorophenyl)-2-methyl-2-(pyridin-2-yl)propyl)-3-hydroxycyclohex-2-en-1-one (3e).
Red oil ( $23.8 \mathrm{mg}, 71 \%$ ), eluent: PE/Acetone $=5: 1 .{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( 600 MHz , Chloroform- $d$ ) $\delta 14.02(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H})$, 8.45 (dd, $J=5.2,1.7 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.66(\mathrm{td}, J=7.8,1.8 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.26-7.23(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.13(\mathrm{~d}, J=8.2 \mathrm{~Hz}$, $1 \mathrm{H}), 7.01(\mathrm{~d}, J=8.4 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 6.44(\mathrm{~d}, J=8.4 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 2.93-2.82(\mathrm{~m}, 4 \mathrm{H}), 2.47-2.34(\mathrm{~m}, 4 \mathrm{H}), 1.94-$ $1.88(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 1.44(\mathrm{~s}, 3 \mathrm{H}) .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}$ NMR ( 150 MHz , Chloroform- $d$ ) $\delta 199.3$, 175.9, 166.3, 146.0, 137.5, 136.2, 132.0, 131.4, 127.6, 123.1, 121.9, 112.5, 49.5, 46.4, 37.1, 31.9, 30.2, 26.1, 20.9. HRMS (ESITOF) m/z: $[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$Calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{21} \mathrm{H}_{23} \mathrm{ClNO}_{2}{ }^{+}$356.1412, Found: 356.1400.


2-(3-(4-bromophenyl)-2-methyl-2-(pyridin-2-yl)propyl)-3-hydroxycyclohex-2-en-1-one (3f).
Colorless oil ( $30.7 \mathrm{mg}, 77 \%$ ), eluent: $\mathrm{PE} /$ Acetone $=5: 1 .{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( 400 MHz , Chloroform- $d$ ) $\delta 14.07$ ( s , $1 \mathrm{H}), 8.45(\mathrm{~d}, J=3.4 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.67(\mathrm{td}, J=7.8,1.9 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.27-7.23(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.17(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.16-$ $7.13(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}) 6.39(\mathrm{~d}, J=8.3 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 2.94-2.82(\mathrm{~m}, 4 \mathrm{H}), 2.47-2.34(\mathrm{~m}, 4 \mathrm{H}), 1.95-1.88(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H})$, $1.44(\mathrm{~s}, 3 \mathrm{H}) .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}$ NMR ( 150 MHz , Chloroform- $d$ ) $\delta 199.4,176.0,166.3,146.1,137.7,136.8,131.9,130.7$, $123.2,122.0,120.2,112.5,49.6,46.4,37.1,31.9,30.3,26.2,21.0$. HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z: $[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$ Calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{21} \mathrm{H}_{24} \mathrm{BrNO}_{2}{ }^{+} 400.0907$, Found: 400.0895 .


3-hydroxy-2-(2-methyl-2-(pyridin-2-yl)-3-(o-tolyl)propyl)cyclohex-2-en-1-one (3g).
Brown oil ( $29.2 \mathrm{mg}, 87 \%$ ), eluent: PE/Acetone $=5: 1 .{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( 400 MHz , Chloroform- $d$ ) $\delta 8.48(\mathrm{~d}, J=$ $3.9 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.53(\mathrm{td}, J=7.9,1.9 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.24(\mathrm{ddd}, J=7.4,5.1,1.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.05-7.00(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 6.96$ (dd, $J=7.7,1.6 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 6.91(\mathrm{td}, J=7.4,1.6 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 6.82(\mathrm{~d}, J=8.2 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 6.49(\mathrm{dd}, J=7.7,1.3$ $\mathrm{Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 3.12-3.08(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.94-2.84(\mathrm{~m}, 3 \mathrm{H}), 2.49-2.33(\mathrm{~m}, 4 \mathrm{H}), 1.96-1.88(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 1.74(\mathrm{~s}$, 3H), 1.46 (s, 3H). ${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}$ NMR ( 100 MHz , Chloroform- $d$ ) $\delta$ 199.3, 175.9, 166.4, 145.9, 137.6, 137.3, 136.1, 131.0, 130.0, 126.2, 124.9, 123.5, 121.9, 112.8, 47.0, 45.1, 37.1, 32.7, 30.2, 26.4, 20.9, 19.4. HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z: $[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$Calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{21} \mathrm{H}_{26} \mathrm{NO}_{2}{ }^{+}$336.1958, Found: 336.1961.


2-(3-(2-fluorophenyl)-2-methyl-2-(pyridin-2-yl)propyl)-3-hydroxycyclohex-2-en-1-one (3h).
Dark red oil ( $24.8 \mathrm{mg}, 73 \%$ ), eluent: PE/Acetone $=5: 1 .{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( 400 MHz , Chloroform- $d$ ) $\delta 14.24(\mathrm{~s}$, $1 \mathrm{H}), 8.45(\mathrm{~d}, J=3.5 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.63(\mathrm{td}, J=7.8,1.8 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.28-7.24(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.12-7.05(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H})$, $6.86(\mathrm{td}, J=7.5,1.2 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 6.79(\mathrm{dd}, J=9.6,8.1,1 \mathrm{H}), 6.62(\mathrm{td}, J=7.6,1.8 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 3.05-2.86(\mathrm{~m}$, 4H), $2.46-2.33(\mathrm{~m}, 4 \mathrm{H}), 1.93-1.87(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 1.45(\mathrm{~s}, 3 \mathrm{H})$. NMR ( 150 MHz , Chloroform-d) $\delta$ 199.2, $175.9,166.2,162.5(\mathrm{~d}, J=242.4 \mathrm{~Hz}), 145.9,140.2(\mathrm{~d}, J=6.9 \mathrm{~Hz}), 137.4,128.8(\mathrm{~d}, J=8.7 \mathrm{~Hz}), 125.8$, $123.0,121.9,116.7(\mathrm{~d}, J=20.8 \mathrm{~Hz}), 112.9(\mathrm{~d}, J=20.8 \mathrm{~Hz}), 112.4,49.9,46.4,37.0,31.7,30.1,26.2$, 20.8. ${ }^{19}$ F NMR ( 565 MHz , Chloroform- $d$ ) $\delta-115.88$. HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z: $[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$Calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{21} \mathrm{H}_{23} \mathrm{FNO}_{2}{ }^{+}$340.1707, Found: 340.1703.


2-(3-(2-bromophenyl)-2-methyl-2-(pyridin-2-yl)propyl)-3-hydroxycyclohex-2-en-1-one (3i).
Yellow solid ( $23.5 \mathrm{mg}, 59 \%$, m.p. $75-76{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ ), eluent: PE/Acetone $=5: 1 .{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR $(600 \mathrm{MHz}$, Chloroform-d) $\delta 14.45(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 8.47(\mathrm{~d}, J=3.4 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.55(\mathrm{td}, J=7.8,1.8 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.37(\mathrm{~d}, J=6.6$ $\mathrm{Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.26-7.23(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.06(\mathrm{td}, J=7.5,1.3 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 6.98(\mathrm{td}, J=7.7,1.7 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 6.85(\mathrm{~d}, J=$ $8.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 6.69(\mathrm{dd}, J=7.6,1.7 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 3.11-2.95(\mathrm{~m}, 4 \mathrm{H}), 2.50-2.41(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 2.39-2.34(\mathrm{~m}$, 2H), $1.94-1.89(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 1.49(\mathrm{~s}, 3 \mathrm{H}) .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}$ NMR ( 150 MHz , Chloroform- $d$ ) $\delta 199.4,176.3,165.8,146.0$, 137.7, 137.6, 132.8, 132.3, 127.9, 126.9, 126.6, 123.5, 122.2, 112.6, 47.6, 47.1, 37.2, 32.5, 30.4, 26.5, 21.0. HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z: $[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$Calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{21} \mathrm{H}_{23} \mathrm{BrNO}_{2}{ }^{+}$400.0907, Found: 400.0897.


3-hydroxy-2-(2-methyl-2-(pyridin-2-yl)-3-(2-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl)propyl)cyclohex-2-en-1-one (3j). Yellow solid ( $21.8 \mathrm{mg}, 56 \%$, m.p. $109-110{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ ), eluent: PE/Acetone $=5: 1 .{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( 600 MHz , Chloroform- $d$ ) $\delta 14.38(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 8.54-8.43(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.56-7.50(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 7.30-7.19(\mathrm{~m}, 3 \mathrm{H}), 6.86(\mathrm{~d}, J$ $=8.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 6.76(\mathrm{~d}, J=7.5 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 3.21(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 3.02-2.93(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 2.41(\mathrm{~m}, 4 \mathrm{H}), 1.94-1.90(\mathrm{~m}$, $2 \mathrm{H}), 1.45(\mathrm{~s}, 3 \mathrm{H}) .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}$ NMR ( 150 MHz , Chloroform-d) $\delta 199.3,176.1,166.4,146.0,137.7,137.1,132.0$, $130.8,129.8(\mathrm{q}, J=28.9 \mathrm{~Hz}), 126.4,126.3(\mathrm{q}, J=5.9 \mathrm{~Hz}), 124.3(\mathrm{q}, J=274.2 \mathrm{~Hz}), 123.1,121.5,112.7$, $46.8,44.2,37.2,32.5,30.4,27.8,21.0 .{ }^{19}$ F NMR ( 565 MHz , Chloroform- $d$ ) $\delta-58.44$. HRMS (ESI-TOF) $\mathrm{m} / \mathrm{z}:[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$Calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{22} \mathrm{H}_{23} \mathrm{~F}_{3} \mathrm{NO}_{2}{ }^{+}$390.1675, Found: 390.1674.


3-hydroxy-2-(2-methyl-2-(pyridin-2-yl)-3-(m-tolyl)propyl)cyclohex-2-en-1-one (3k).
Colorless oil ( $29.2 \mathrm{mg}, 87 \%$ ), eluent: PE/Acetone $=5: 1 .{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( 400 MHz , Chloroform- $d$ ) $\delta 14.19(\mathrm{~s}$, $1 \mathrm{H}), 8.44(\mathrm{~d}, J=4.2 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.65(\mathrm{td}, J=7.8,1.9 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.24(\mathrm{ddd}, J=7.4,5.3,1.3 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.15(\mathrm{~d}$, $J=8.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 6.93-6.87(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 6.33(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 6.29(\mathrm{dt}, J=6.9,2.0 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.92-2.81(\mathrm{~m}, 4 \mathrm{H})$, $2.43-2.35(\mathrm{~m}, 4 \mathrm{H}), 2.14(\mathrm{~s}, 3 \mathrm{H}), 1.94-1.87(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 1.44(\mathrm{~s}, 3 \mathrm{H}) .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}$ NMR ( 150 MHz , Chloroformd) $\delta 199.5,176.0,166.9,145.8,137.7,137.4,137.0,131.2,127.4,127.2,126.9,123.5,121.8,112.8,50.4$, 46.7, 37.2, 31.9, 30.4, 26.4, 21.3, 21.1. HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z: $[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$Calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{22} \mathrm{H}_{26} \mathrm{NO}_{2}{ }^{+} 336.1958$, Found: 336.1955.


2-(3-(3-fluorophenyl)-2-methyl-2-(pyridin-2-yl)propyl)-3-hydroxycyclohex-2-en-1-one (31).
Brown solid ( $28.2 \mathrm{mg}, 83 \%$, m.p. $111-112{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ ), eluent: PE/Acetone $=5: 1 .{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR $(600 \mathrm{MHz}$, Chloroform- $d$ ) $\delta 14.11(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 8.46(\mathrm{dd}, J=5.2,1.7 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.68(\mathrm{td}, J=7.8,1.8 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.28-7.25$ $(\mathrm{m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.17(\mathrm{~d}, J=8.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.01(\mathrm{td}, J=8.0,6.2 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 6.79(\mathrm{td}, J=8.5,2.5 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 6.37(\mathrm{~d}, J$ $=7.6 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 6.16(\mathrm{dt}, J=10.3,2.0 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.96-2.83(\mathrm{~m}, 4 \mathrm{H}), 2.49-2.33(\mathrm{~m}, 4 \mathrm{H}), 1.94-1.89(\mathrm{~m}$, $2 \mathrm{H}), 1.46(\mathrm{~s}, 3 \mathrm{H}) .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}$ NMR ( 150 MHz , Chloroform-d) $\delta 199.4,176.0,166.3,162.2(\mathrm{~d}, J=245.3 \mathrm{~Hz}$ ), $146.1,140.4(\mathrm{~d}, J=6.8 \mathrm{~Hz}), 137.7,128.9(\mathrm{~d}, J=8.7 \mathrm{~Hz}), 126.0(\mathrm{~d}, J=2.3 \mathrm{~Hz}), 123.2,122.1,116.8(\mathrm{~d}$, $J=20.9 \mathrm{~Hz}), 113.1(\mathrm{~d}, J=20.9 \mathrm{~Hz}), 112.6,50.0,46.6,37.1,31.9,30.3,26.3,21.0 .{ }^{19}$ F NMR ( 376 MHz , Chloroform- $d$ ) $\delta-114.36$. HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z: $[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$Calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{21} \mathrm{H}_{23} \mathrm{FNO}_{2}{ }^{+} 340.1707$, Found: 340.1707.


3-hydroxy-2-(2-methyl-2-(pyridin-2-yl)-3-(3-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl)propyl)cyclohex-2-en-1-one (3m).
Dark red oil ( $26.5 \mathrm{mg}, 68 \%$ ), eluent: PE/Acetone $=5: 1 .{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( 400 MHz , Chloroform- $d$ ) $\delta 8.46$ (dd, $J=5.6,1.6 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.65(\mathrm{td}, J=7.8,1.8 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.37-7.32(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.28-7.24(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.20(\mathrm{t}, J=$ $7.7 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.09(\mathrm{~d}, J=8.2 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 6.87(\mathrm{~d}, J=7.7 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 6.49(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.96-2.84(\mathrm{~m}, 4 \mathrm{H}), 2.44-$ $2.34(\mathrm{~m}, 4 \mathrm{H}), 1.94-1.88(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 1.46(\mathrm{~s}, 3 \mathrm{H}) .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}$ NMR ( 150 MHz , Chloroform-d) $\delta$ 199.5, 176.1, $166.1,146.2,138.8,137.7,133.7,129.8(\mathrm{q}, J=31.8 \mathrm{~Hz}), 128.0,126.6(\mathrm{q}, J=3.4 \mathrm{~Hz}), 124.1(\mathrm{~d}, J=271.7$ Hz ), $123.0(\mathrm{q}, J=3.8 \mathrm{~Hz}), 122.2,112.5,106.1,50.0,46.5,37.1,32.0,30.3,26.1,21.0 .{ }^{19} \mathrm{~F}$ NMR (377 MHz , Chloroform- $d$ ) $\delta-62.80$. HRMS (ESI-TOF) $\mathrm{m} / \mathrm{z}:[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$Calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{22} \mathrm{H}_{23} \mathrm{~F}_{3} \mathrm{NO}_{2}{ }^{+} 390.1675$, Found: 390.1678.


2-(3-(2-bromo-5-methoxyphenyl)-2-methyl-2-(pyridin-2-yl)propyl)-3-hydroxycyclohex-2-en-1-one (3n).
Yellow oil ( $29.1 \mathrm{mg}, 68 \%$ ), eluent: $\mathrm{PE} /$ Acetone $=5: 1 .{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( 400 MHz , Chloroform- $d$ ) $\delta 14.31(\mathrm{~s}$, $1 \mathrm{H}), 8.49$ (ddd, $J=5.1,1.9,0.9 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.65-7.46(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.32-7.17(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 6.93(\mathrm{~d}, J=8.1 \mathrm{~Hz}$, $1 \mathrm{H}), 6.57$ (dd, $J=8.8,3.0 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 6.17(\mathrm{~d}, J=3.0 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 3.60(\mathrm{~s}, 3 \mathrm{H}), 3.14-2.89(\mathrm{~m}, 4 \mathrm{H}), 2.42(\mathrm{~m}$, 4H), $1.94-1.91(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 1.51(\mathrm{~s}, 3 \mathrm{H}) .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}$ NMR ( 100 MHz , Chloroform- $d$ ) $\delta 199.4,176.3,166.0,158.1$, $146.1,138.6,137.8,133.2,123.6,122.2,117.4,117.2,114.4,112.7,55.3,47.9,47.2,37.2,32.6,30.5$, 26.6, 21.1. HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z: [M + H] ${ }^{+}$Calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{22} \mathrm{H}_{25} \mathrm{BrNO}_{3}{ }^{+}$430.1012, Found: 430.1007.


3-hydroxy-2-(2-methyl-3-(naphthalen-1-yl)-2-(pyridin-2-yl)propyl)cyclohex-2-en-1-one (30).
White solid ( $25.2 \mathrm{mg}, 68 \%$, m.p. $49-50^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ ), eluent: PE/Acetone $=5: 1 .{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( 400 MHz , Chloroformd) $\delta 14.51(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 8.48(\mathrm{dd}, J=5.1,1.8 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.71(\mathrm{dd}, J=8.1,1.3 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.63(\mathrm{~d}, J=8.2 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H})$, $7.43(\mathrm{~d}, J=8.6 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.30(\mathrm{ddd}, J=8.1,6.6,1.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.26-7.15(\mathrm{~m}, 3 \mathrm{H}), 7.12(\mathrm{ddd}, J=7.5,5.1$, $1.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 6.73-6.64(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 6.59(\mathrm{~d}, J=8.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 3.31-3.30(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 3.22-3.18(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H})$, $3.00-2.96(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.55-2.34(\mathrm{~m}, 4 \mathrm{H}), 1.97-1.90(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 1.49(\mathrm{~s}, 3 \mathrm{H}){ }^{13} \mathrm{C}$ NMR ( 150 MHz , Chloroform- $d$ ) $\delta 199.4,176.1,166.3,145.9,137.1,134.2,133.4,133.2,128.6,128.3,126.9,125.3,124.9$, 124.6, 124.0, 123.5, 121.8, 112.8, 46.9, 44.1, 37.1, 33.4, 30.3, 26.7, 21.0. HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z: [M + $\mathrm{H}]^{+}$Calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{25} \mathrm{H}_{26} \mathrm{NO}_{2}{ }^{+}$372.1958, Found: 372.1958.


3-hydroxy-2-(2-methyl-2-(pyridin-2-yl)propyl)cyclohex-2-en-1-one (3p).
Yellow oil ( $17.7 \mathrm{mg}, 72 \%$ ), eluent: PE/Acetone $=4: 1 .{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( 400 MHz , Chloroform- $d$ ) $\delta 14.19(\mathrm{~s}$, $1 \mathrm{H}), 8.40(\mathrm{dd}, J=5.1,1.9,1 \mathrm{H}), 7.74(\mathrm{ddd}, J=8.1,7.4,1.9 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.48(\mathrm{dt}, J=8.2,1.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.21$ (dd, $J=7.5,5.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.82(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 2.39(\mathrm{~m}, 4 \mathrm{H}), 1.93-1.87(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 1.31(\mathrm{~s}, 6 \mathrm{H}) .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}$ NMR ( 150 MHz , Chloroform- $d$ ) $\delta 199.5,175.9,169.4,145.6,138.4,122.0,121.7,113.4,42.8,37.2,32.3$, 30.4 , 21.1 .HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z: $[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$Calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{15} \mathrm{H}_{20} \mathrm{NO}_{2}{ }^{+}$246.1489, Found: 246.1491 .


3-hydroxy-2-(2-methyl-2-(pyridin-2-yl)butyl)cyclohex-2-en-1-one (3q).
Yellow solid ( $21.5 \mathrm{mg}, 83 \%$, m.p. $57-58{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ ), eluent: PE/Acetone $=5: 1 .{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( 400 MHz , Chloroform- $d$ ) $\delta 8.43(\mathrm{dd}, J=5.2,1.9 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.75(\mathrm{ddd}, J=8.2,7.4,1.9 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.43(\mathrm{dt}, J=8.2,1.0$ $\mathrm{Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.22(\mathrm{dd}, J=7.4,5.2 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.89-2.79(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 2.43-2.34(\mathrm{~m}, 4 \mathrm{H}), 1.94-1.87(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H})$, $1.84-1.87(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 1.25(\mathrm{~s}, 3 \mathrm{H}), 0.64(\mathrm{t}, J=7.5 \mathrm{~Hz}, 3 \mathrm{H}) .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}$ NMR ( 150 MHz , Chloroform- $d$ ) $\delta 199.4$, $175.8,167.9,145.6,138.1,122.5,121.6,113.1,46.0,37.8,37.2,30.5,29.9,27.3,21.1,8.9$. HRMS (ESITOF) m/z: $[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$Calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{16} \mathrm{H}_{22} \mathrm{NO}_{2}{ }^{+}$260.1645, Found: 260.1640 .


3-hydroxy-2-(2-(pyridin-2-yl)propyl)cyclohex-2-en-1-one (3r).
Yellow oil ( $6.9 \mathrm{mg}, 30 \%$ ), eluent: PE/Acetone $=3: 1 .{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( 600 MHz , Chloroform- $d$ ) $\delta 8.42(\mathrm{~d}, J=$ $4.4 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.70(\mathrm{td}, J=7.7,1.8 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.28(\mathrm{~d}, J=8.0 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.22-7.19(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 3.32-3.26(\mathrm{~m}$, $1 \mathrm{H}), 2.84-2.80(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.65-2.62(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.35(\mathrm{~m}, 4 \mathrm{H}), 1.91-1.87(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 1.28(\mathrm{~d}, J=7.2 \mathrm{~Hz}$, 3H). ${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}$ NMR ( 150 MHz , Chloroform- $d$ ) $\delta$ 207.1, 177.2, 165.6, 146.4, 138.1, 124.2, 121.8, 114.4, 40.4, 26.7, 23.3, 20.8. HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z: $[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$Calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{14} \mathrm{H}_{18} \mathrm{NO}_{2}{ }^{+}$232.1332, Found: 232.1333.


3-hydroxy-2-(2-methyl-3-phenyl-2-(quinolin-2-yl)propyl)cyclohex-2-en-1-one (3s).
Yellow solid ( $19.3 \mathrm{mg}, 52 \%$, m.p. $139-140{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ ), eluent: PE/Acetone $=5: 1 .{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR $(600 \mathrm{MHz}$, Chloroform- $d$ ) $\delta 14.37(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 8.12(\mathrm{~d}, J=8.6 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 7.84(\mathrm{dd}, J=8.1,1.4 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.76$ (ddd, $J=$ $8.4,6.8,1.4 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.59(\mathrm{ddd}, J=8.0,6.8,1.0 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.39(\mathrm{~d}, J=8.8 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.09-7.04(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H})$, $6.99(\mathrm{t}, J=7.5 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 6.59(\mathrm{dd}, J=7.8,1.3 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 3.15-3.04(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 3.03-2.97(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 2.39-$ $2.38(\mathrm{~m}, 4 \mathrm{H}), 1.91-1.89(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 1.54(\mathrm{~s}, 3 \mathrm{H}) .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}$ NMR ( 150 MHz , Chloroform-d) $\delta$ 199.3, 175.8, $167.6,144.8,137.6,137.2,130.4,130.1,127.6,127.5,126.8,126.7,126.7,126.1,120.9,112.7,50.9$, 47.6, 37.1, 30.8, 30.2, 26.2, 21.0. HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z: $[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$Calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{25} \mathrm{H}_{26} \mathrm{NO}_{2}{ }^{+}$372.1958, Found: 372.1961.


3-hydroxy-2-(2-methyl-2-(4-methylquinolin-2-yl)-3-phenylpropyl)cyclohex-2-en-1-one (3t).
White solid ( $20.0 \mathrm{mg}, 57 \%$, m.p. $159-160{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ ), eluent: PE/Acetone $=5: 1 .{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( 600 MHz , Chloroform- $d$ ) $\delta 14.82(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 8.12(\mathrm{~d}, J=8.4 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.99(\mathrm{dd}, J=8.5,1.3 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.74$ (ddd, $J=$ $8.3,6.8,1.3 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.60(\mathrm{ddd}, J=8.2,6.9,1.2 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.18(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.10-7.04(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.00(\mathrm{t}, J=$ $7.5 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 6.64-6.55(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 3.16-3.02(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 3.00-2.95(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 2.66(\mathrm{~s}, 3 \mathrm{H}), 2.47-2.35(\mathrm{~m}$, $4 \mathrm{H}), 1.91-1.86(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 1.52(\mathrm{~s}, 3 \mathrm{H}) .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}$ NMR ( 150 MHz , Chloroform- $d$ ) $\delta$ 199.4, 176.1, 167.0, 145.7, 144.6, 137.8, 130.2, 130.1, 127.6, 127.2, 127.8, 126.6, 126.2, 123.8, 121.6, 112.7, 50.9, 47.5, 37.2, 30.7, 30.4, 26.3, 21.1, 19.1. HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z: $[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$Calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{26} \mathrm{H}_{28} \mathrm{NO}_{2}{ }^{+} 386.2115$, Found: 386.2116.


3-hydroxy-5-methyl-2-(2-methyl-3-phenyl-2-(pyridin-2-yl)propyl)cyclohex-2-en-1-one (3u).
Yellow oil ( $25.1 \mathrm{mg}, 75 \%$ ), eluent: PE/Acetone $=5: 1 .{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( 600 MHz , Chloroform- $d$ ) $\delta 14.18(\mathrm{~s}$, $1 \mathrm{H}), 8.42(\mathrm{dd}, J=36.2,5.0 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.63(\mathrm{dt}, J=31.2,7.8 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.24-7.19(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 7.09-7.01(\mathrm{~m}$, $3 \mathrm{H}), 6.52(\mathrm{dd}, J=31.7,7.4 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 2.99-2.80(\mathrm{~m}, 4 \mathrm{H}), 2.48-2.38(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 2.22-2.02(\mathrm{~m}, 3 \mathrm{H}), 1.45$ $-1.42(\mathrm{~m}, 3 \mathrm{H}), 1.04-1.00(\mathrm{~m}, 3 \mathrm{H}) .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}$ NMR ( 150 MHz , Chloroform-d) $\delta 199.4,175.5,166.8,145.9$, $137.8,137.5,130.2,127.6,126.2,123.5,121.9,112.3,51.2,47.0,45.2,38.6,31.3,28.7,26.4,21.0$. HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z: $[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$Calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{22} \mathrm{H}_{26} \mathrm{NO}_{2}{ }^{+} 336.1958$, Found: 336.1959.


3-hydroxy-5,5-dimethyl-2-(2-methyl-3-phenyl-2-(pyridin-2-yl)propyl)cyclohex-2-en-1-one (3v).
Yellow oil ( $28.9 \mathrm{mg}, 83 \%$ ), eluent: PE/Acetone $=5: 1 .{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR $(600 \mathrm{MHz}$, Chloroform- $d$ ) $\delta 14.13(\mathrm{~s}$, $1 \mathrm{H}), 8.44(\mathrm{~d}, J=3.5 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.64(\mathrm{td}, J=7.8,1.9 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.24(\mathrm{ddd}, J=7.5,5.1,1.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.13(\mathrm{~d}$, $J=8.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.10-7.07(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.04(\mathrm{dd}, J=8.2,6.5 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 6.56-6.49(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 2.95-2.86(\mathrm{~m}$, $4 \mathrm{H}), 2.29-2.26(\mathrm{~m}, 4 \mathrm{H}), 1.44(\mathrm{~s}, 3 \mathrm{H}), 1.02(\mathrm{~s}, 6 \mathrm{H}) .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}$ NMR ( 150 MHz , Chloroform- $d$ ) $\delta$ 198.9, 174.0, $166.6,145.8,137.7,137.4,130.1,127.5,126.1,123.3,121.8,111.4,51.0,50.4,46.7,44.0,31.6,28.8$, 28.0, 26.4. HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z: $[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$Calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{23} \mathrm{H}_{28} \mathrm{NO}_{2}{ }^{+} 350.2115$, Found: 350.2116.


5-hydroxy-4-(2-methyl-3-phenyl-2-(pyridin-2-yl)propyl)-1,6-dihydro-[1, 1'-biphenyl]-3(2H)-one (3w).

Yellow oil ( $21.4 \mathrm{mg}, 54 \%$ ), eluent: PE/Acetone $=5: 1 .{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( 600 MHz , Chloroform- $d$ ) $\delta 14.32(\mathrm{~s}$, $1 \mathrm{H}), 8.43(\mathrm{~d}, J=28.5 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.72-7.55(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.30(\mathrm{t}, J=7.6 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 7.23(\mathrm{dq}, J=14.4,7.5,6.7$ $\mathrm{Hz}, 5 \mathrm{H}), 7.10-7.03(\mathrm{~m}, 3 \mathrm{H}), 6.57-6.57(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 3.30(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.96-2.89(\mathrm{~m}, 4 \mathrm{H}), 2.69-2.64(\mathrm{~m}$, 4H), $1.50-1.47$ (m, 3H). ${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}$ NMR ( 150 MHz , Chloroform- $d$ ) $\delta 198.1,175.0,166.4,145.8,143.5,137.7$, $137.6,130.2,128.6,127.5,126.7,126.7,126.2,123.4,121.9,112.4,51.2,47.1,44.4,39.2,37.8,31.3$, 26.50. HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z: $[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$Calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{27} \mathrm{H}_{28} \mathrm{NO}_{2}{ }^{+}$398.2115, Found: 398.2117.


4-hydroxy-3-(2-methyl-3-phenyl-2-(pyridin-2-yl)propyl)-2H-chromen-2-one (3x).
Yellow solid ( $13.0 \mathrm{mg}, 35 \%$, m.p. $125-126{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ ), eluent: PE/Acetone $=5: 1 .{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( 600 MHz , Chloroform- $d$ ) $\delta 15.50(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 8.51(\mathrm{~d}, J=3.5 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.90(\mathrm{dd}, J=7.9,1.7 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.72(\mathrm{td}, J=7.7$, $1.8 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.46$ (ddd, $J=8.7,7.2,1.7 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.33-7.29(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.28-7.25(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 7.24-7.21$ $(\mathrm{m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.13-7.10(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.07(\mathrm{dd}, J=8.1,6.5 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 6.60-6.56(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 3.25-3.24(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H})$, $3.12-3.10(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 2.98-2.96(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.64(\mathrm{~s}, 3 \mathrm{H}) .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}$ NMR ( 150 MHz , Chloroform- $d$ ) $\delta 165.8$, $165.6,164.5,153.0,145.6,138.1,137.3,131.3,130.2,127.8,126.5,123.8,123.4,122.3,117.6,116.2$, 102.0, 50.9, 47.8, 34.1, 26.7. HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z: $[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$Calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{24} \mathrm{H}_{22} \mathrm{NO}_{3}{ }^{+} 372.1594$, Found: 372.1593.


4-hydroxy-6-methyl-3-(2-methyl-3-phenyl-2-(pyridin-2-yl)propyl)-2H-chromen-2-one (3y).
Yellow solid ( $25.8 \mathrm{mg}, 67 \%$, m.p. $105-106{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ ), eluent: PE/Acetone $=5: 1 .{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( 600 MHz , Chloroform- $d$ ) $\delta 15.41(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 8.52(\mathrm{~d}, J=3.4 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.72(\mathrm{t}, J=6.9 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.70(\mathrm{~d}, J=2.1 \mathrm{~Hz}$, $1 \mathrm{H}), 7.31(\mathrm{dd}, J=7.4,5.3 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.28-7.24(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 7.16(\mathrm{~d}, J=8.4 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.13-7.09(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H})$, 7.07 (dd, $J=8.1,6.5 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 6.60-6.55(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 3.26-3.24(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 3.14-3.09(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 2.99-2.97$ $(\mathrm{m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.39(\mathrm{~s}, 3 \mathrm{H}), 1.63(\mathrm{~s}, 3 \mathrm{H}) .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}$ NMR ( 150 MHz , Chloroform- $d$ ) $\delta 165.7,165.7,164.3,151.0$, $145.5,138.0,137.2,132.9,132.2,130.1,127.6,126.3,123.7,123.4,122.2,117.1,115.9,101.8,50.7$, 47.6, 34.0, 26.5, 20.9. HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z: $[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$Calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{25} \mathrm{H}_{24} \mathrm{NO}_{3}{ }^{+} 386.1751$, Found: 386.1749.


6-chloro-4-hydroxy-3-(2-methyl-3-phenyl-2-(pyridin-2-yl)propyl)-2H-chromen-2-one ( $\mathbf{3 z}$ ).
Yellow solid ( $16.6 \mathrm{mg}, 41 \%$, m.p. $94-95{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ ), eluent: PE/Acetone $=5: 1 .{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR $(600 \mathrm{MHz}$, Chloroform- $d$ ) $\delta 15.67(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 8.50(\mathrm{~d}, J=4.0 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.88(\mathrm{~d}, J=2.6 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.75(\mathrm{td}, J=7.8,1.8$ $\mathrm{Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.39(\mathrm{dd}, J=8.7,2.6 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.34(\mathrm{ddd}, J=7.5,5.2,1.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.28(\mathrm{~d}, J=8.2 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H})$, $7.20(\mathrm{~d}, J=8.7 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.14-7.11(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.10-7.05(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 3.24-3.21(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 3.13-3.08(\mathrm{~m}$,

2H), $2.97-2.95(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.63(\mathrm{~s}, 3 \mathrm{H}) .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}$ NMR ( 150 MHz , Chloroform- $d$ ) $\delta 165.6,165.2,163.7,151.4$, $145.4,138.4,137.1,131.3,130.2,128.9,127.8,126.6,124.0,123.5,122.5,119.0,117.7,102.6,50.8$, 47.9, 34.1, 26.8. HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z: $[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$Calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{24} \mathrm{H}_{21} \mathrm{ClNO}_{3}{ }^{+}$406.1204, Found: 406.1204.


6-bromo-4-hydroxy-3-(2-methyl-3-phenyl-2-(pyridin-2-yl)propyl)-2H-chromen-2-one (3aa).
Yellow solid ( $17.5 \mathrm{mg}, 39 \%$, m.p. $131-132{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ ), eluent: PE/Acetone $=5: 1 .{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( 600 MHz , Chloroform- $d$ ) $\delta 15.59(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 8.50(\mathrm{~d}, J=4.5 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 8.07-8.01(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.75(\mathrm{t}, J=7.3 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H})$, $7.54(\mathrm{~d}, J=8.6 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.37-7.31(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.28(\mathrm{~d}, J=8.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.13(\mathrm{dd}, J=15.2,7.9 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H})$, $7.08(\mathrm{t}, J=7.3 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 6.58(\mathrm{~d}, J=7.3 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 3.24-3.21(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 3.13-3.08(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 2.97-2.95$ $(\mathrm{m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.63(\mathrm{~s}, 3 \mathrm{H}) .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}$ NMR ( 150 MHz , Chloroform- $d$ ) $\delta 165.4,165.0,163.5,151.8,145.3,138.3$, 137.0, 133.9, 130.1, 127.7, 126.4, 123.8, 122.4, 119.3, 117.9, 116.1, 102.5, 50.7, 47.7, 34.0, 26.7. HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z: $[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$Calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{24} \mathrm{H}_{21} \mathrm{BrNO}_{3}{ }^{+} 450.0699$, Found: 450.0700 .


4-hydroxy-7-methoxy-3-(2-methyl-3-phenyl-2-(pyridin-2-yl)propyl)-2H-chromen-2-one (3ab).
Yellow solid ( $16.4 \mathrm{mg}, 41 \%$, m.p. $102-103{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ ), eluent: PE/Acetone $=5: 1 .{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR $(600 \mathrm{MHz}$, Chloroform- $d$ ) $\delta 15.28(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 8.50(\mathrm{~d}, J=3.5 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.78(\mathrm{~d}, J=8.8 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.71(\mathrm{td}, J=7.8,1.8$ $\mathrm{Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.30$ (ddd, $J=7.4,5.2,1.0 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.25(\mathrm{~d}, J=7.7 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.13-7.09$ (m, 1H), 7.06 (dd, $J$ $=8.2,6.5 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 6.80(\mathrm{dd}, J=8.7,2.5 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 6.76(\mathrm{~d}, J=2.4 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 6.60-6.56(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 3.84(\mathrm{~s}$, $3 \mathrm{H}), 3.23-3.21(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 3.11-3.06(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 2.98-2.95(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.63(\mathrm{~s}, 3 \mathrm{H}) .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}$ NMR ( 150 MHz , Chloroform- $d$ ) $\delta 166.0,165.9,164.9,162.5,154.7,145.6,138.0,137.4,130.2,127.7,126.4,124.9,123.8$, 122.3, 111.7, 111.0, 100.0, 99.4, 55.7, 50.9, 47.7, 34.0, 26.6. HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z: [M + H] ${ }^{+}$Calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{25} \mathrm{H}_{24} \mathrm{NO}_{4}{ }^{+} 402.1700$, Found: 402.1702.


3-chloro-2-(2-methyl-3-phenyl-2-(pyridin-2-yl)propyl)cyclohex-2-en-1-one (4).
Dark red oil ( $34.0 \mathrm{mg}, 99 \%$ ), eluent: PE/EA $=10: 1 .{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( 400 MHz , Chloroform- $d$ ) $\delta 8.65$ (ddd, $J$ $=4.8,1.9,0.9 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.48(\mathrm{td}, J=7.8,1.9 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.09(\mathrm{ddd}, J=7.6,4.8,1.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.06-7.00$ $(\mathrm{m}, 4 \mathrm{H}), 6.78-6.74(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 3.76-3.73(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 3.11-3.00(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 2.80-2.77(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.72-2.69$ (m, 2H), $2.43-2.30(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 2.04-1.96(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 1.22(\mathrm{~s}, 3 \mathrm{H}) .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}$ NMR ( 100 MHz , Chloroform- $d$ ) $\delta$ 196.2, 165.1, 154.8, 148.4, 139.1, 135.9, 135.7, 130.5, 127.5, 125.8, 121.4, 121.2, 47.5, 46.6, 39.1, 37.3, 35.7, 22.4, 21.9. HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z: $[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$Calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{21} \mathrm{H}_{23} \mathrm{ClNO}^{+} 340.1463$, Found: 340.1460.


3-methoxy-2-(2-methyl-3-phenyl-2-(pyridin-2-yl)propyl)cyclohex-2-en-1-one (5).
Yellow oil ( $27.4 \mathrm{mg}, 82 \%$ ), eluent: PE/EA $=1: 1 .{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( 600 MHz , Chloroform- $d$ ) $\delta 8.67$ (ddd, $J=$ $4.8,1.9,0.9 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.47(\mathrm{td}, J=7.7,1.9 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.08-6.98(\mathrm{~m}, 5 \mathrm{H}), 6.82-6.71(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 3.71-3.68$ $(\mathrm{m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 3.43(\mathrm{~s}, 3 \mathrm{H}), 2.93-2.91(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.85-2.83(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.74-2.71(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.46-2.43(\mathrm{~m}$, 2H), 2.35-2.25(m, 2H), $1.97-1.91(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 1.14(\mathrm{~s}, 3 \mathrm{H}) .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}$ NMR ( 150 MHz , Chloroform-d) $\delta$ 198.2, $173.1,166.5,148.0,140.0,135.3,130.4,127.4,125.5,121.6,120.6,116.5,54.8,47.5,46.5,36.5,34.8$, 25.0, 21.7, 20.7. HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z: $[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$Calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{22} \mathrm{H}_{26} \mathrm{NO}_{2}{ }^{+}$336.1958, Found: 336.1960.


3-methyl-4-phenyl-3-(pyridin-2-yl)butanoic acid (6).
Yellow oil ( $22.9 \mathrm{mg}, 90 \%$ ), eluent: $\mathrm{CH}_{2} \mathrm{Cl}_{2} / \mathrm{MeOH}=20: 1 .{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( 400 MHz , DMSO- $d_{6}$ ) $\delta 11.88(\mathrm{~s}$, $1 \mathrm{H}), 8.60-8.31(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.59(\mathrm{td}, J=7.7,1.9 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.17-7.10(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 7.08-7.01(\mathrm{~m}, 3 \mathrm{H}), 6.69$ $-6.60(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 3.03-3.00(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.93-2.85(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 2.50-2.46(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.33(\mathrm{~s}, 3 \mathrm{H}) .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}$ NMR ( 100 MHz , Chloroform- $d$ ) $\delta 173.3,165.0,146.3,138.3,136.4,130.3,127.9,126.7,122.7,122.6,53.4$, 48.2, 47.2, 43.5, 26.2. HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z: $[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$Calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{16} \mathrm{H}_{18} \mathrm{NO}_{2}{ }^{+}$256.1332, Found: 256.1328 .

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| Analysis Info | Acquisition D 2022-01-17 $22: 13: 30$ |  |
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| Analysis Name F:\gaofenbian(xiepengfei) \GHX MS $\backslash 0114 \_$BB8_01_11125.d |  |  |
| Method | LC_NO UV_P50-150__6MIN.m | Operator Demo User |
| Sample Name 0114 | Instrumen compact | 8255754.2017 |
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| Acquisition Paramet |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Source Type | ESI | Ion Polarity | Positive | Set Nebulizer | 3.0 Bar |
| Focus | Not active | Set Capillary | 4000 V | Set Dry Heater | $200{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |
| Scan Begin | $50 \mathrm{~m} / \mathrm{z}$ | Set End Plate | -500 V | Set Dry Gas | $8.0 \mathrm{l} / \mathrm{min}$ |
| Scan End | $1500 \mathrm{~m} / \mathrm{z}$ | Qefseharging | 2000 V | Set Divert Valve | Waste |
|  |  | 乡ettageona | 0 nA | Set APCI Heater | $0{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |




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Analysis Info
Acquisition D 2022-01-17 22:28:11
Analysis Name F: \gaofenbian(xiepengfei) \GHX MS \0114_BC2_01_11127.d
Method LC_NO UV_P50-1500_6MIN.m Operator Demo User
Sample Name 0114 Instrumen compact 8255754.2017

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| Acquisition Paramet |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Source Type | ESI | Ion Polarity | Positive | Set Nebulizer | 3.0 Bar |
| Focus | Not active | Set Capillary | 4000 V | Set Dry Heater | $200{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |
| Scan Begin | $50 \mathrm{~m} / \mathrm{z}$ | Set End Plate | -500 V | Set Dry Gas | $8.0 \mathrm{l} / \mathrm{min}$ |
| Scan End | $1500 \mathrm{~m} / \mathrm{z}$ | Qefseharging | 2000 V | Set Divert Valve | Waste |
|  |  | Hettageona | 0 nA | Set APCI Heater | $0{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |



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Analysis Info
Acquisition D 2022-01-17 23:28:52
Analysis Name F: \gaofenbian(xiepengfei) \GHX MS \0114_BD2_01_11135.d

| Method | LC_NO UV_P50-1500_6MIN.m | Operator Demo User |
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| Sample Name 0114 | Instrumen compact 8255754.2017 |  |

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| Analysis Info |  | Acquisition D 2022-04-01 9:39:34 |  |
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| Analysis Name F:\gaofenbian(xiepengfei) \0331_RE1_01_12395.d |  |  |  |
| Method | LC_NO UV_P50-1500_6MIN.m | Operator Demo User |  |
| Sample Name | 0331 | Instrumen compact | $\begin{aligned} & 8255754.2017 \\ & 6 \end{aligned}$ |
| Comment |  |  |  |


| Acquisition Paramet |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Source Type | ESI | Ion Polarity | Positive | Set Nebulizer | 3.0 Bar |
| Focus | Not active | Set Capillary | 4000 V | Set Dry Heater | $200{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |
| Scan Begin | $50 \mathrm{~m} / \mathrm{z}$ | Set End Plate | -500 V | Set Dry Gas | $8.0 \mathrm{l} / \mathrm{min}$ |
| Scan End | $1500 \mathrm{~m} / \mathrm{z}$ | Qefseharging | 2000 V | Set Divert Valve | Waste |
|  |  | gettageona | 0 nA | Set APCI Heater | $0{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |




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| Analysis Info |  | Acquisition D 2022-04-01 10:27:04 |  |
| Analysis Name F:\gaofenbian(xiepengfei)\0331_RE7_01_12401.d |  |  |  |
| Method | LC_NO UV_P50-1500_6MIN.m | Operator Demo User |  |
| Sample Name | 0331 - | Instrumen compact | $\begin{aligned} & 8255754.2017 \\ & 6 \end{aligned}$ |
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Analysis Name F:\gaofenbian(xiepengfei)\0331_RD6_01_12392.d

| Method | LC_NO UV_P50-1500_6MIN.m | Operator Demo User |  |
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| Sample Name | 0331 | Instrumen compact | 8255754.2017 |

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| Analysis Info | Acquisition D 2022-04-01 $9: 08: 33$ |
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| Analysis Name F:\gaofenbian(xiepengfei) \0331_RD5_01_12391.d |  |
| Method | LC_NO UV_P50-150__6MIN.m |
| Sample Name 0331 | Operator Demo User |
| Comment | Instrumen compact |

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