Supporting Information

Hydroxylation of Organoborons via Uranyl-Photocatalysis

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I. General information

All the solvents were dried using standard procedure (Purification of Laboratory Chemicals) and distilled before use. Reactions were monitored by thin layer chromatography (TLC) supplied by Yantai Jiangyou Silicon Material Company (China) and visualization was accomplished with a combination of UV-light (254 nm or 365 nm). Flash column chromatography was achieved using 300 - 400 mesh silica gel supplied by Yantai Jiangyou Silicon Material Company (China). ¹H and ¹³C spectra were recorded on 400 MHz or 500 MHz NMR spectrometers (Bruker AVANCE). Chemical shifts for protons are reported in parts per million (ppm) downfield and are referenced to residual protium in the NMR solvent (CHCl₃ = δ 7.26 ppm, DMSO = δ 2.50 ppm). Chemical shifts for carbon are reported in parts per million downfield and are referenced to the carbon resonances of solvent (CHCl₃ = δ 77.00 ppm, DMSO = δ 39.52 ppm). Data are represented as follows: chemical shift, multiplicity (br = broad, s = singlet, d = double, t = triplet, q = quartet, m = multiplet), coupling constants in Hertz (Hz), integration. IR spectra were recorded on a SHIMADZU IR Tracer-100 Spectrometer. Mass spectra were in general recorded on a Shimadzu GCMS-QP2010 Ultra and an HP 5989A mass selective detector.

Isotope	²³⁴ U	²³⁵ U	²³⁸ U
Radiation $(\mu S v)^a$	strong	strong	weak (<199)
Natural uranium	0.0057%	0.72%	99.28%
Depleted uranium	0.001%	0.20%	99.8%
Commercial uranium	0	0	100%

Safety information about U-based derivatives

Note 0-199 μ Sv: harmless; 200-1000 μ Sv: slight damage; 1-1000 mSv: mild dizziness with a feeling of vomiting; 1000-4000 mSv: internal organs are damaged; > 4000 mSv: extreme danger, a threat to life. 1000 μ Sv = 1 mSv.

II. Mechanistic studies

1) Oxygen labeling reactions

¹⁸O₂ and H₂¹⁸O labelling experiments of aryl borides.



To a 25 mL Schlenk tube, 4-biphenylboronic acid **1a** (0.2 mmol, 39.6 mg), UO₂(OAc)₂·2H₂O (0.008 mmol, 3.4 mg), Et₃N (2 equiv., 56 μ L) and H₂¹⁸O (2 mmol, 40 mg) were stirred in acetone (2 mL) under N₂ atmosphere at room temperature for 20 h under the irradiation of blue LEDs (460 nm, 6 W) in a paralleled photoreactor. The result of mass spectrometry (MS) indicated that there was no ¹⁸O-labeled product **2a**.



Figure S1. ¹⁸O labeling experiments of 4-biphenylboronic acid 1a with $H_2^{18}O$.

To a 25 mL Schlenk tube, 4-biphenylboronic acid **1a** (0.2 mmol, 39.6 mg), UO₂(OAc)₂·2H₂O (0.008 mmol, 3.4 mg), Et₃N (2 equiv., 56 μ L) and acetone (2 mL) were stirred under ¹⁸O₂ atmosphere at room temperature for 20 h under the irradiation of blue LEDs (460 nm, 6 W) in a paralleled photoreactor. The result of mass spectrometry (MS) indicated that most of product **2a** was labeled with ¹⁸O₂.





Labeling experiments with $H_2^{18}O$ and ${}^{18}O_2$ unambiguously confirmed that the oxygen atoms on the phenols originated from oxygen instead of water.

2) UV-vis absorption experiments

Ultraviolet-visible absorption experiments were performed using a Shimadzu UV-2700 UV-visible spectrophotometer. In each experiment, the varying samples were combined in acetone in screw-top 1.0 cm quartz cuvettes. The concentration of each component was under standard conditions.



Figure S3. UV-visible absorption experiments.

Ultraviolet-visible absorption of each reaction component indicated that $UO_2(OAc)_2$ 2H₂O served as a photoredox catalyst in this system.

3) Fluorescence quenching experiments

Stern–Volmer fluorescence quenching experiments with $UO_2(OAc)_2 2H_2O$. Fluorescence quenching studies were performed using a Shimadzu RF-6000 fluorescence spectrophotometer. In each experiment, the photoredox catalyst and varying concentrations of quencher were combined in acetone in screw-top 1.0 cm quartz cuvettes. For the emission quenching of $UO_2(OAc)_2 2H_2O$, the photoredox catalyst concentration was 2×10^{-4} M, the solution was irradiated at 432 nm.



Figure S4: a) Fluorescence quenching of $UO_2(OAc)_2 H_2O$ with varied [Et₃N] in acetone. **b)** Fluorescence quenching of $UO_2(OAc)_2 H_2O$ with varied [4-PhPhB(OH)₂] in acetone. **c)** Fluorescence quenching of $UO_2(OAc)_2 H_2O$ with varied [4-PhPhB(OH)₂] in acetone. **d)** Stern-Volmer plots of fluorescence quenching experiments.

The Stern-Volmer analysis revealed that the excited state of $UO_2(OAc)_2 \cdot 2H_2O$ photoredox catalyst was efficiently quenched by the mixture of 4-PhPhB(OH)₂ and Et₃N in acetone at room temperature.

Fluorescence quenching experiments with other electron donors. Fluorescence quenching studies were performed using a Shimadzu RF-6000 Fluorescence Spectrophotometer. In each experiment, the photoredox catalyst and varying concentrations of quencher were combined in acetone in screw-top 1.0 cm quartz cuvettes. For the fluorescence quenching of UO₂(OAc)₂·2H₂O with Et₃N, Et₂NH, DIPEA, *i*-Pr₂NH and PMe₃, the photoredox catalyst concentration was 2×10^{-4} M, the solution was irradiated at 432 nm.



Figure S5: a) Fluorescence quenching of $UO_2(OAc)_2 ^2H_2 O$ with varied [Et₃N] in acetone. **b)** Fluorescence quenching of $UO_2(OAc)_2 ^2H_2 O$ with varied [Et₂NH] in acetone. **c)** Fluorescence quenching of $UO_2(OAc)_2 ^2H_2 O$ with varied [DIPEA] in acetone. **d)** Fluorescence quenching of $UO_2(OAc)_2 ^2H_2 O$ with varied [^{*i*}Pr₂NH] in acetone. **e)** Fluorescence quenching of $UO_2(OAc)_2 ^2H_2 O$ with varied [PMe₃] in acetone. **f)** Stern-Volmer plots of fluorescence quenching experiments.

4) Mass spectrometry (MS) experiments

To a 25 mL Schlenk tube, 4-biphenyl boronic acid **1a** (0.2 mmol, 39.6 mg), UO₂(OAc)₂·2H₂O (0.008 mmol, 3.4 mg), Et₃N (2 equiv., 56 μ L) and acetone (2 mL) were stirred under an air atmosphere at room temperature for 20 h under the irradiation of blue LEDs (460 nm, 6 W) in a paralleled photoreactor. The result of mass spectrometry (MS) indicates ted presence of diethylamine (Et₂NH) in the system.



Figure S6: GC-MS data of diethylamine (Et₂NH).

III. DFT calculations

DFT calculations were performed with the Gaussian16 program suite¹. All molecule geometry optimizations were performed by using B3LYP-D3(BJ)/6-31+G(d,p). Frequency calculations were conducted to ensure that these structures were indeed local minima. Transition state structures were verified by frequency calculations and only one imaginary frequency was found in the transition states. All molecular structures were rendered by Visual Molecular Dynamics (VMD 1.9.3) software².



Figure S7: DFT calculated reaction pathway **b** at the level of M06-2X-D3(0)/ma-def2-TZVP. The yellow arrow was the imaginary frequency vibration vector of the transition state. All units were in kcal mol⁻¹.

Molecular cartesian coordinates and thermochemistry data

Optimized Cartesian coordinates (in Å) of all calculated molecules at the B3LYP-D3(BJ)/6-31+G(d,p) level of theory in the gas phase.

Path A: B



Thermal correction to Gibbs Free Energy $(G_{corr}(T)) = 0.104063$ Hartrees Electronic energy $(\epsilon_{ele}) = -559.306896607$ Hartrees The sum of electronic and thermal Free Energies (G(T)) = -559.202833607 Hartrees Temperature = 298.15 K, Pressure = 1 Atm.

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Path A: TS



Thermal correction to Gibbs Free Energy $(G_{corr}(T)) = 0.099193$ Hartrees Electronic energy $(\epsilon_{ele}) = -559.248311325$ Hartrees Sum of electronic and thermal Free Energies (G(T)) = -559.149118325 Hartrees Temperature = 298.15 K, Pressure = 1 Atm.

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Н	3.25644600	-0.47760500	-1.61393600





Thermal correction to Gibbs Free Energy $(G_{corr}(T)) = 0.094315$ Hartrees Electronic energy $(\epsilon_{ele}) = -483.543731311$ Hartrees Sum of electronic and thermal Free Energies (G(T)) = -483.449416311 Hartrees Temperature = 298.15 K, Pressure = 1 Atm.

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Thermal correction to Gibbs Free Energy $(G_{corr}(T)) = 0.080288$ Hartrees Electronic energy $(\epsilon_{ele}) = -482.830706209$ Hartrees

Sum of electronic and thermal Free Energies (G(T)) = -482.750418209 Hartrees Temperature = 298.15 K, Pressure = 1 Atm.

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Path B: TS1



Thermal correction to Gibbs Free Energy $(G_{corr}(T)) = 0.080326$ Hartrees Electronic energy $(\epsilon_{ele}) = -482.807829429$ Hartrees Sum of electronic and thermal Free Energies (G(T)) = -482.727503429 Hartrees Temperature = 298.15 K, Pressure = 1 Atm.

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Н	4.05558100	-0.27719900	0.17430000
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Thermal correction to Gibbs Free Energy $(G_{corr}(T)) = 0.080306$ Hartrees Electronic energy $(\epsilon_{ele}) = -482.849240921$ Hartrees Sum of electronic and thermal Free Energies (G(T)) = -482.768934921 Hartrees Temperature = 298.15 K, Pressure = 1 Atm.

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Path B: TS2



Thermal correction to Gibbs Free Energy $(G_{corr}(T)) = 0.076322$ Hartrees Electronic energy $(\epsilon_{ele}) = -482.742070253$ Hartrees Sum of electronic and thermal Free Energies (G(T)) = -482.665748253 Hartrees Temperature = 298.15 K, Pressure = 1 Atm.

Atom	Х	У	Z
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Н	-3.92124600	-0.04832800	-0.17419400
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Thermal correction to Gibbs Free Energy $(G_{corr}(T)) = 0.082227$ Hartrees Electronic energy $(\epsilon_{ele}) = -482.977629552$ Hartrees Sum of electronic and thermal Free Energies (G(T)) = -482.895402552 Hartrees Temperature = 298.15 K, Pressure = 1 Atm.

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IV. Procedures for starting materials



4,4,5,5-Tetramethyl-2-(2-methyl-1-phenylpropan-2-yl)-1,3,2-dioxaborolane (S1): Fe(acac)₃ (2.0 mmol, 706 mg) and bis(pinacolato)diboron (35.0 mmol, 8.9 g) were added to a 100 mL round-bottomed flask. The vessel was evacuated and filled with nitrogen gas three times. THF (50 mL) was added, followed by TMEDA (8 mL of a 4% (v/v) solution of TMEDA (0.32 mL) in THF, 2.0 mmol). Next, EtMgBr (2 M in THF, 22.5 mL, 45.0 mmol) was added dropwise to the reaction mixture at a rate of one drop/sec. Finally, (2-bromo-2-methylpropyl) benzene (10.0 mmol, 2.13g) was added to the reaction mixture at once. The reaction mixture was stirred at room temperature for 12 h. The mixture was filtered (washed with Et₂O) and concentrated under reduced pressure. The resulting crude mixture was chromatographed on silica gel using petroleum ether as eluent to give **S1** as a colorless liquid.

(2-Methyl-1-phenylpropanoid-2-yl) boronic acid (**1ah**): To a solution of **S1** (1.5 mmol, 1 g) in acetone (20 mL) and water (10 mL) were added NH₄OAc (9.0 mmol, 693 g) and NaIO₄ (9.0 mmol, 1.9 g). The resulting reaction mixture was stirred at room temperature for 48 h. The reaction mixture was diluted with Et₂O, and filtered through a pad of elite. The filtrate was concentrated under reduced pressure to give **1ah** as a colorless liquid. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CD₃Cl) δ 7.33-7.20 (m, 5H), 2.76 (s, 2H), 1.22 (s, 6H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CD₃Cl) δ 137.7, 130.4, 128.1, 126.4, 70.7, 49.7, 29.1. IR (neat) 3321, 1458, 1419, 1257, 1111, 852, 754 cm⁻¹. GCMS (EI) m/z, [M]⁺ = 178.



Potassium [1,1'-biphenyl]-4-yltrifluoroborate (**1ao**): KHF₂ (40 mmol, 3.12 g) in H₂O (10 mL) was added to a stirring solution of [1,1'-biphenyl]-4-ylboronic acid **1a** (10 mmol, 1.98 g) dissolved in MeOH (45 mL) in one portion. A white precipitate usually formed rapidly, and the reaction mixture was stirred at room temperature overnight. After the reaction by TLC, all solvents were removed in vacuo and the solid residue was then dissolved in refluxing acetone and filtered over a pad of celite. This process was usually repeated three times and the combined filtrates were then concentrated under reduced pressure to give **1ao** as a white solid. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO-*d*₆) δ 7.50 (d, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 2H), 7.43-7.37 (m, 6H), 7.29 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 1H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, DMSO-*d*₆) δ 141.5, 136.7, 131.92, 131.90, 128.7, 126.4, 126.3, 124.6. ¹⁹F NMR (376 MHz, DMSO-*d*₆) δ -139.1. **IR** (neat) 3446, 1628, 1506, 1265, 1082, 745 cm⁻¹. GCMS (EI) m/z, [M]⁺ = 260.



Isopropyl 2-methyl-2-(4-(4-(4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolan-2-yl) benzoyl) phenoxy) propanoate (**1au**): A mixture of Fenofibrate (1 mmol, 361 mg), bis(pinacolato)diboron (B₂pin₂, 3 mmol, 762 mg), Pd(OAc)₂ (4 mol%, 9 mg), 2-dicyclohexylphosphino-2',6'-dimethoxybiphenyl (S-Phos, 10 mol%, 41 mg), KOAc (3 mol, 295 mg) was stirred in 1,4-dioxane (4 mL) under N₂ atmosphere at 80°C. After the reaction by TLC, the reaction mixture was diluted with H₂O and extracted with ethyl acetate (×3). The combined organics were washed with brine, dried over Na₂SO₄, and concentrated under reduced pressure. The resulting crude mixture was chromatographed on silica gel using petroleum ether/ethyl acetate (PE/EA = 10/1) as eluent to give **1au** as a white solid. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.90 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz,

2H), 7.74 (d, J = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 7.71 (d, J = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 6.85 (d, J = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 5.11-5.05 (m, 1H), 1.66 (s, 6H), 1.37 (s, 12H), 1.20 (d, J = 6.4 Hz, 6H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 195.7, 173.1, 159.6, 140.4, 134.5, 132.1, 130.6, 128.7, 117.2, 84.2, 79.4, 69.3, 25.4, 24.9, 21.5. **IR** (neat) 3734, 3055, 2986, 1734, 1647, 1506, 1361 cm⁻¹. **MS** (ESI) Calculated for C₂₆H₃₄BO₆ (M+H)⁺: 453.2; Found 453.4.



Methyl 2-(1-(4-chlorobenzene)-5-methoxy-2-methyl-1H-indol-3-yl)acetate (S2): SOCl₂ (7.7 mmol, 1.5 mL) was dropwise added to a solution of Indometacin (4 mmol, 1.43 g) and MeOH (10 mL) at 0°C. Subsequently, the temperature is from 0°C to 80°C. After the reaction by TLC, the reaction mixture was concentrated under reduced pressure to give S2 as a white solid.

Methyl 2-(5-methoxy-2-methyl-1-(4-(4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolan-2yl)benzoyl)-1H-indol-3-yl)acetate (**1av**): A mixture of **S2** (1 mmol, 372 mg), bis(pinacolato)diboron (B₂pin₂, 3 mmol, 762 mg), Pd(OAc)₂ (4 mol%, 9 mg), 2dicyclohexylphosphino-2',6'-dimethoxybiphenyl (S-Phos, 10 mol%, 41 mg), KOAc (3 mol, 295 mg) was stirred in 1, 4-dioxane (4 mL) under N₂ atmosphere at 80°C. After the reaction by TLC, the reaction mixture was diluted with H₂O and extracted with ethyl acetate (×3). The combined organics were washed with brine, dried over Na₂SO₄, and concentrated under reduced pressure. The resulting crude mixture was chromatographed on silica gel using petroleum ether/ethyl acetate (PE/EA = 10/1) as eluent to give **1av** as a white solid. ¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.91 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 7.68 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 7.95 (d, *J* = 2.4 Hz, 1H), 6.88 (d, *J* = 9.2 Hz, 1H), 6.64 (dd, *J* = 8.8, 2.4 Hz, 1H), 3.83 (s, 3H), 3.70 (s, 3H), 3.66 (s, 2H), 2.36 (s, 3H), 1.38 (s, 12H). ¹³**C NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 171.4, 169.5, 156.0, 137.9, 136.1, 134.9, 130.9, 130.6, 128.6, 115.2, 112.3, 111.5, 101.2, 84.3, 55.7, 52.1, 30.2, 24.9, 13.4. **IR** (neat) 3055, 2986, 1717, 1684, 1362, 1144, 856 cm⁻¹. **MS** (ESI) Calculated for C₂₆H₃₁BNO₆ (M+H)⁺: 464.2; Found 464.4.



Ethyl 4-(8-(4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolan-2-yl)-5,6-dihydro-11Hbenzo[5,6]cyclohepta[1,2-b]pyridin-11-ylidene)piperidine-1-carboxylate (**1aw**): Α mixture of Loratadine (1 mmol, 383 mg), bis(pinacolato)diboron (B2pin2, 3 mmol, 762 mg), Pd(OAc)₂ (4 mol%, 9 mg), 2-dicyclohexylphosphino-2',6'-dimethoxybiphenyl (S-Phos, 10 mol%, 41 mg), KOAc (3 mol, 295 mg) was stirred in 1,4-dioxane (4 mL) under N₂ atmosphere at 80°C. After the reaction by TLC, the reaction mixture was diluted with H_2O and extracted with ethyl acetate ($\times 3$). The combined organics were washed with brine, dried over Na₂SO₄, and concentrated under reduced pressure. The resulting crude mixture was chromatographed on silica gel using petroleum ether/ethyl acetate (PE/EA = 1/1) as eluent to give **1aw** as a white solid. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.38 (d, J = 3.0 Hz, 1H), 7.63-7.61 (m, 2H), 7.43 (d, J = 9.5 Hz, 1H), 7.21 (d, J = 7.5 Hz, 1H), 7.08 (dd, J = 7.8, 4.8 Hz, 1H), 4.13 (q, J = 7.0 Hz, 2H), 3.83-3.77 (m, 2H), 3.48-3.31 (m, 2H), 3.16-3.09 (m, 2H), 2.89-2.82 (m, 2H), 2.52-2.29 (m, 4H), 1.32 (s, 12H), 1.24 (t, J = 7.0 Hz, 3H). ¹³C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 156.9, 155.5, 146.3, 142.4, 137.7, 137.0, 135.3, 135.1, 133.8, 132.5, 128.6, 122.2, 83.8, 61.3, 44.82, 44.80, 31.8, 31.5, 30.7, 30.5, 24.83, 24.77, 14.7. IR (neat) 3649, 2986, 2909, 1740, 1373, 1240, 1045 cm⁻¹. **MS** (ESI) Calculated for C₂₈H₃₆BN₂O₄ (M+H)⁺: 475.3; Found 475.4.



Methyl 2-(6-chloro-9H-carbazol-2-yl)propanoate (**S3**): SOCl₂ (7.7 mmol, 1.5 mL) was added to a solution of Carprofen (4 mmol, 1.09 g) and MeOH (10 mL) at 0 °C.

Subsequently, the temperature is from 0°C to 80°C. After the reaction by TLC, the reaction mixture was concentrated under reduced pressure to give **S3** as a yellow solid.

2-(6-(4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolan-2-yl)-9H-carbazol-2-Methyl yl)propanoate (1ax): A mixture of S3 (1 mmol, 383 mg), bis(pinacolato)diboron (B₂pin₂, 3 mmol, 762 mg), Pd(OAc)₂ (4 mol%, 9 mg), 2-dicyclohexylphosphino-2',6'dimethoxybiphenyl (S-Phos, 10 mol%, 41 mg), KOAc (3 mol, 295 mg) was stirred in 1,4-dioxane (4 mL) under N₂ atmosphere at 80°C. After the reaction by TLC, the reaction mixture was diluted with H_2O and extracted with ethyl acetate (×3). The combined organics were washed with brine, dried over Na₂SO₄, and concentrated under reduced pressure. The resulting crude mixture was chromatographed on silica gel using petroleum ether/ethyl acetate (PE/EA = 10/1) as eluent to give **1ax** as a white solid. ¹H **NMR** (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.54 (s, 1H), 8.20 (s, 1H), 8.03 (d, J = 8.0 Hz, 1H), 7.86 (d, J = 8.5 Hz, 1H), 7.39 (d, J = 8.0 Hz, 1H), 3.51 (s, 1H), 7.17 (d, J = 8.0 Hz, 1H), 3.68 (s, 3H), 1.58 (d, J = 7.5 Hz, 3H), 1.40 (s, 12H). ¹³C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 175.3, 142.0, 139.7, 138.5, 132.2, 127.6, 122.8, 122.6, 120.6, 119.6, 110.0, 109.3, 83.6, 52.1, 45.8, 24.9, 19.0. IR (neat) 3055, 2986, 1734, 1717, 1541, 1361, 858 cm⁻¹. MS (ESI) Calculated for $C_{22}H_{27}BNO_4 (M+H)^+$: 380.2; Found 380.3.



Methyl 5-(2,5-dimethylphenoxy)-2,2-dimethylpentanoate (S4): Gemfibrozil (5 mmol, 1.25 g) was dissolved in 50 mL of dry methanol. 6 drops of concentrated sulfuric acid were added to the mixture and the reaction was allowed to stir at reflux overnight. The reaction mixture was cooled to room temperature and quenched with NaHCO₃ (aq.) until a basic pH was reached. The organic layer was extracted using ethyl acetate (3 \times

50 mL) and the organic layer was washed with brine (50 mL) and dried using MgSO₄. The organic layer was concentrated to give **S4** as a colorless oil.

Methyl 5-(4-iodo-2,5-dimethylphenoxy)-2,2-dimethylpentanoate (**S5**): Methyl 5-(2,5-dimethylphenoxy)-2,2-dimethylpentanoate **S4** (5 mmol, 1.32 g) was added to a mixture of iodine (5 mmol, 1.27 g) and silver acetate (5 mmol, 0.83 g) in acetic acid (15 mL) at room temperature. The reaction mixture was stirred at room temperature overnight. The reaction mixture was quenched with 0.1 M NaOH and tpartitionedtion between diethyl ether and H₂O. The combined organic layers were washed with brine, dried, filtered, and concentrated. The resulting crude mixture was chromatographed on silica gel using petroleum ether as eluent to give **S5** as a brown liquid.

Methyl 5-(2,5-dimethyl-4-(4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolan-2-yl)phenoxy)-2,2-dimethylpentanoate (**1ay**): A mixture of **S5** (1 mmol, 390 mg), B₂pin₂ (2 mmol, 505 mg), Cs₂CO₃ (2 mmol, 660 mg), a phenothiazine (0.02 mmol, 4 mg) and CH₃CN (10 mL) was irradiated with a 400 nm LED light for 48 h. The reaction mixture was concentrated under reduced pressure and the resulting crude mixture was chromatographed on silica gel using petroleum ether/ethyl acetate (PE/EA = 20/1) as eluent to give **1ay** as a colorless liquid. ¹H **NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.53 (s, 1H), 6.59 (s, 1H), 3.94 (t, *J* = 5.6 Hz, 2H), 3.66 (s, 3H), 2.50 (s, 3H), 2.17 (s, 3H), 1.72-1.71 (m, 4H), 1.32 (s, 12H), 1.22 (s, 6H). ¹³C **NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 178.3, 159.2, 144.7, 138.3, 122.8, 112.5, 83.0, 67.7, 51.7, 42.1, 37.0, 25.2, 25.1, 24.9, 22.2, 15.4. **IR** (neat) 2986, 1740, 1647, 1506, 1373, 1240, 1047 cm⁻¹. **MS** (ESI) Calculated for C₂₃H₃₇BO₇ (M+HCOOH)⁺: 436.3; Found 436.4.



N-(propyl carbamoyl)-4-(4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolan-2yl)benzenesulfonamide (**1az**): A mixture of Chlorpropamide (1 mmol, 277 mg), bis(pinacolato)diboron (B₂pin₂, 3 mmol, 762 mg), Pd(OAc)₂ (4 mol%, 9 mg), 2dicyclohexylphosphino-2',6'-dimethoxybiphenyl (S-Phos, 10 mol%, 41 mg), KOAc (3

mol, 295 mg) was stirred in 1,4-dioxane (4 mL) under N₂ atmosphere at 80°C. After the reaction by TLC, the reaction mixture was diluted with H₂O and extracted with ethyl acetate (×3). The combined organics were washed with brine, dried over Na₂SO₄, and concentrated under reduced pressure. The resulting crude mixture was chromatographed on silica gel using petroleum ether/ethyl acetate (PE/EA = 3/1) as eluent to give **1az** as a yellow solid. ¹**H NMR** (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.23 (s, 1H), 7.96 (d, *J* = 7.0 Hz, 2H), 7.87 (d, *J* = 6.5 Hz, 2H), 6.58 (t, *J* = 6.0 Hz, 1H), 3.17 (dd, *J* = 13.0, 6.0 Hz, 2H), 1.54-1.46 (m, 2H), 1.35 (s, 12H), 0.88 (t, *J* = 7.3 Hz, 3H). ¹³**C NMR** (125 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 151.2, 141.6, 135.6, 125.7, 84.5, 42.1, 24.8, 22.7, 11.2. **IR** (neat) 3340, 2986, 1734, 1541, 1362, 1267, 745 cm⁻¹. **MS** (ESI) Calculated for C₁₆H₂₆BN₂O₅S (M+H)⁺: 369.2; Found 369.3.



3-(4,4,5,5-Tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolan-2-yl) extra-1,3,5 (10)-trien-17-one (**1ba**): To a solution of Estrone (3.7 mmol, 1 g) and Et₃N (7.4 mmol, 1.03 mL) in DCM (20 mL) was added Tf₂O (4.1 mmol, 684 µL) at 0°C. The reaction mixture was stirred at room temperature. After the reaction by TLC, saturated aqueous NaHCO₃ was added. The phases were separated and the aqueous phase was extracted with DCM, washed with brine, dried over Na₂SO₄, and concentrated. The resulting crude mixture was chromatographed on silica gel using petroleum ether/ethyl acetate (PE/EA = 10/1) as eluent to give 3-(trifluoromethanesulfonyl)estrone as a white solid.

A mixture of 3-(trifluoromethanesulfonyl)estrone (1 mmol, 402 mg), pinacolborane (HBpin, 1.5 mmol, 0.22 mL), Pd(dppf)Cl₂ (3 mol%, 22 mg), Et₃N (0.3 mol, 0.42 mL) was stirred in 1,4-dioxane (5 mL) under N₂ atmosphere at 110°C. After the reaction by TLC, the reaction mixture was diluted with H₂O and extracted with DCM (\times 3). The combined organics were washed with brine, dried over Na₂SO₄, and concentrated under reduced pressure. The resulting crude mixture was chromatographed on silica gel using petroleum ether/ethyl acetate (PE/EA = 10/1) as eluent to give **1ba** as a white solid. ¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.60 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 1H), 7.57 (s, 1H), 7.32 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 1H), 2.95-2.91 (m, 2H), 2.54-2.43 (m, 2H), 2.33 (td, *J* = 10.8, 4.0 Hz, 1H), 2.19-1.95 (m, 4H), 1.66-1.44 (m, 6H), 1.34 (s, 12H), 0.91 (s, 3H). ¹³**C NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 220.8, 143.1, 135.8, 135.6, 132.2, 124.8, 83.7, 50.6, 48.0, 44.7, 38.0, 35.8, 31.6, 29.1, 26.5, 25.6, 24.83, 24.79, 21.6, 13.8. **IR** (neat) 3055, 2986, 1734, 1506, 1265, 1049, 745 cm⁻¹. **MS** (ESI) Calculated for C₂₄H₃₄BO₃ (M+H)⁺: 381.3; Found 381.4.

Methyl (S)-2-((tert-butoxycarbonyl)amino)-3-(4-(4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2dioxaborolan-2-yl)phenyl)propanoa (1bb): To a solution of N-Boc-L-tyrosine methyl ester (16.94 mmol, 5 g) and pyridine (84.7 mmol, 6.8 mL) in DCM (50 mL) was added Tf₂O (19.48 mmol, 3.5 mL) at 0°C. The reaction mixture was stirred at the same temperature for 30 min. The reaction was diluted with DCM (100 mL), washed with water (50 mL), NaOH (0.5 M), brine, dried over Na₂SO₄, and concentrated. The resulting crude mixture was chromatographed on silica gel using petroleum ether/ethyl acetate (PE/EA = 5/1) as eluent to give trifluoromethanesulfonic ester as a white solid. A mixture of trifluoromethanesulfonic ester (10 mmol, 4.27 g), pinacolborane (HBpin, 15 mmol, 2.2 mL), Pd(dppf)Cl₂ (3 mol%, 220 mg), Et₃N (3 mol, 4.2 mL) was stirred in 1,4-dioxane (50 mL) under N₂ atmosphere at 110°C. After the reaction by TLC, the reaction mixture was diluted with H_2O and extracted with DCM (×3). The combined organics were washed with brine, dried over Na₂SO₄, and concentrated under reduced pressure. The resulting crude mixture was chromatographed on silica gel using petroleum ether/ethyl acetate (PE/EA = 5/1) as eluent to give **1bb** as a yellow oil. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.73 (d, J = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 7.12 (d, J = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 4.97-4.95 (m, 1H), 4.60-4.54 (m, 1H), 3.69 (s, 3H), 3.11-3.07 (m, 2H), 1.41 (s, 9H), 1.33 (s, 12H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 172.2, 155.0, 139.2, 135.0, 129.2, 128.7, 83.7, 79.9, 54.3, 52.1, 38.4, 28.2, 24.8. **IR** (neat) 3447, 3366, 2980, 1744, 1356, 1146, 1090 cm⁻¹. **MS** (ESI) Calculated for C₂₁H₃₃BNO₆ (M+H)⁺: 406.2; Found 406.3.

$$\begin{array}{c} & & \\ \textbf{Bpin} & & \textbf{CO}_2 \textbf{Me} \\ \textbf{Bpin} & & \textbf{NHBoc} \\ \textbf{1bb} & & \textbf{H}_2 \textbf{O}, \text{ acetone, rt} \\ \textbf{Ibc} & & \textbf{Ibc} \end{array} \qquad \begin{array}{c} & \textbf{CO}_2 \textbf{Me} \\ \textbf{H}_2 \textbf{O}, \text{ acetone, rt} \\ \textbf{H}_2 \textbf{O}, \textbf{H}_2 \textbf{$$

(S)-(4-(2-((Tert-butoxycarbonyl)amino)-3-methoxy-3-oxopropyl)phenyl)boronic acid (**1bc**): To a solution of **1bb** (2.46 mmol, 1 g) in acetone (30 mL) and water (15 mL) was added NH₄OAc (14.8 mmol, 1.14 g) and NaIO₄ (14.8 mmol, 3.17 g). The resulting reaction mixture was stirred at room temperature for 48 h. The reaction mixture was diluted with Et₂O, and filtered through a pad of celite. The filtrate was concentrated under reduced pressure to give **1bc** as a white solid. ¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, DMSO-*d*₆) δ 7.93 (s, 2H), 7.69 (d, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 7.27 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 1H), 7.18 (d, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 4.20-4.14 (m, 1H), 3.60 (s, 3H), 3.01-2.82 (m, 2H), 1.32 (s, 9H). ¹³**C NMR** (100 MHz, DMSO-*d*₆) δ 172.6, 155.3, 139.4, 134.0, 128.1, 78.2, 55.1, 51.7, 36.5, 28.1. **IR** (neat) 3055, 2986, 1734, 1647, 1506, 1362, 1267 cm⁻¹. **MS** (ESI) Calculated for C₁₅H₂₃BNO₆ (M+H)⁺: 324.2; Found 324.3.

V. General procedures

A. Paralleled photoreactor



Figure S8: Paralleled photoreactor for research and development.

B. General procedures for phenols and alcohols.



To a 25 mL Schlenk tube, Et₃N (0.4 mmol, 56 μ L) was added to the mixture of **1** (0.2 mmol), UO₂(OAc)₂·2H₂O (4 mol%, 3.4 mg), and acetone (2 mL). Subsequently, the reaction was irradiated by blue light (460 nm) under air atmosphere at room temperature in the paralleled reactor. The reaction mixture was quenched with ethyl acetate (EA) and then concentrated under reduced pressure. Purify the crude residue by column chromatography on silica gel using PE/EA to afford **2**. For detailed modification, please see the corresponding procedure.

	UO ₂ (OAc) ₂ ·2H ₂ O (6 mol%)	
R-BF ₃ K		R-OH
1	Et_3N (2.0 equiv.),MeOH (2.0 mL), blue LEDS (430 nm, 9W), r.t., air	2

To a 25 mL Schlenk tube, Et₃N (0.4 mmol, 56 μ L) was added to the mixture of **1** (0.2 mmol), UO₂(OAc)₂·2H₂O (6 mol%, 5.1 mg), and MeOH (2 mL). Subsequently, the reaction was irradiated by blue light (430 nm) under air atmosphere at room temperature in the paralleled reactor. The reaction mixture was quenched with ethyl acetate (EA) and then concentrated under reduced pressure. Purify the crude residue by column chromatography on silica gel using PE/EA to afford **2**. For detailed modification, please see the corresponding procedure.

VI. Procedures and data



4-Phenylphenol (2a)³: 4-Phenylbenzeneboronic acid **1a** (0.2 mmol, 39.6 mg), $UO_2(OAc)_2 \cdot 2H_2O$ (0.008 mmol, 3.4 mg), Et_3N (2 equiv., 56 µL) and acetone (2 mL) were stirred under air

atmosphere at room temperature for 20 h under the irradiation of blue LEDs (460 nm, 6 W) in a paralleled photoreactor. **2a** (30.6 mg, 90%) was obtained through column chromatography (PE/EA = 5/1) as a white solid, $R_f = 0.5$ (PE/EA = 3/1); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.54 (d, J = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 7.49 (d, J = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 7.42 (t, J = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 7.31 (t, J = 7.4 Hz, 1H), 6.91 (d, J = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 4.81 (s, 1H).¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 155.1, 140.8, 134.1, 128.7, 128.4, 126.7, 126.7, 115.6. IR (film) 3321, 1458, 1419, 1257, 1111, 852, 754 cm⁻¹. GCMS (EI) m/z, [M]⁺ = 170.



2-Phenylphenol (2b)⁴: 2-Phenylbenzeneboronic acid **1b** (0.2 mmol, 39.6 mg), $UO_2(OAc)_2 \cdot 2H_2O$ (0.008 mmol, 3.4 mg), Et_3N (2 equiv., 56 µL) and acetone (2 mL) were stirred under air

atmosphere at room temperature for 20 h under the irradiation of blue LEDs (460 nm, 6 W) in a paralleled photoreactor. **2b** (32.3 mg, 95%) was obtained through column chromatography (PE/EA = 5/1) as a white solid, $R_f = 0.5$ (PE/EA = 5/1); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.52-7.47 (m, 4H), 7.43-7.38 (m, 1H), 7.29-7.24 (m, 2H), 7.02-6.98 (m, 2H), 5.21 (s, 1H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 152.4, 137.1, 130.2, 129.3, 129.2, 129.1, 128.1, 127.9, 120.8, 115.8. **IR** (film) 3535, 3062, 1583, 1479, 1435, 1182, 795 cm⁻¹. GCMS (EI) m/z, [M]⁺ = 170.



4-Hydroxybenzoic acid (2c)⁵: 4-Boronobenzoic acid **1c** (0.2 mmol, 33.2 mg), $UO_2(OAc)_2 \cdot 2H_2O$ (0.008 mmol, 3.4 mg), Et₃N (2 equiv., 56 µL) and acetone (2 mL) were stirred under air atmosphere at room temperature for 20 h under the

irradiation of blue LEDs (460 nm, 6 W) in a paralleled photoreactor. **2c** (26.2 mg, 95%) was obtained through column chromatography (PE/EA = 1/1) as a white solid, $R_f = 0.4$

(PE/EA = 1/1); ¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, DMSO-*d*₆) δ 12.39 (s, 1H), 10.21 (s, 1H), 7.79 (d, J = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 6.82 (d, J = 8.4 Hz, 2H), ¹³**C NMR** (100 MHz, DMSO-*d*₆) δ 167.2, 161.6, 131.6, 121.4, 115.1. **IR** (film) 3408, 1651, 1595, 1338, 1024, 991, 825 cm⁻¹. GCMS (EI) m/z, [M]⁺ = 138.



4-Bromophenol (2d)⁴: 4-Bromophenylboronic acid 1d (0.2 mmol, 40.2 mg), UO₂(OAc)₂·2H₂O (0.008 mmol, 3.4 mg), Et₃N (2 equiv., 56 μ L) and acetone (2 mL) were stirred under air atmosphere at room temperature for 16 h under the irradiation

of blue LEDs (460 nm, 6 W) in a paralleled photoreactor. **2d** (31.0 mg, 89%) was obtained through column chromatography (PE/EA = 5/1) as a brown liquid, $R_f = 0.4$ (PE/EA = 5/1); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.33 (d, J = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 6.73 (d, J = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 5.53 (s, 1H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 154.6, 132.5, 117.2, 112.9. IR (film) 3414, 1587, 1495, 1433, 1244, 1070, 823 cm⁻¹. GCMS (EI) m/z, [M]⁺ = 173.

Flow Photoreactor



To a 100 mL bottle, a solution of 4-bromophenylboronic acid **1d** (20 mmol, 4.02 g), UO₂(OAc)₂·2H₂O (0.4 mmol, 170 mg), Et₃N (2 equiv., 5.6 mL) and acetone (80 mL)

were stirred under air atmosphere at room temperature. The solution was pumped into a flow micro tube by a pump (0.5 mL/min), which was made of PTFE tubing (O.D. = 2 mm, I.D. = 1 mm, length = 5.68 m, volume = 4.45 mL), and returned to Schlenk tube with the same pump. This circulatory system was irradiated by blue light (460 nm, 36 W) for about 22 hours (the temperature was below 30°C). After the reaction, DCM was pumped into a flow micro tube to quench it and MeOH was added to wash the tube. The solvent was concentrated under reduced pressure and the resulting crude mixture was chromatographed on silica gel using petroleum ether/ethyl acetate (PE/EA = 5/1) as eluent to give **2d** (78%, 2.71 g) as a brown liquid.



4-Iodophenol (2e)³: 4-Iodophenylboronic acid **1e** (0.2 mmol, 49.6 mg), $UO_2(OAc)_2 \cdot 2H_2O$ (0.008 mmol, 3.4 mg), Et_3N (2 equiv., 56 µL) and acetone (2 mL) were stirred under air atmosphere at room temperature for 22 h under the irradiation of

blue LEDs (460 nm, 6 W) in a paralleled photoreactor. **2e** (39.2 mg, 89%) was obtained through column chromatography (PE/EA = 5/1) as a brown liquid, $R_f = 0.6$ (PE/EA = 3/1); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.51 (d, J = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 6.63 (d, J = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 5.26 (s, 1H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 155.4, 138.4, 117.8, 82.6. IR (film) 3346, 3017, 1580, 1485, 1217, 1005, 735 cm⁻¹. GCMS (EI) m/z, [M]⁺ = 220.



4-Nitrophenol (2f)⁴: 4-Nitrophenylboronic acid **1f** (0.2 mmol, 33.4 mg), $UO_2(OAc)_2 \cdot 2H_2O$ (0.008 mmol, 3.4 mg), Et_3N (2 equiv., 56 µL) and acetone (2 mL) were stirred under air

atmosphere at room temperature for 16 h under the irradiation of blue LEDs (460 nm, 6 W) in a paralleled photoreactor. **2f** (26.7 mg, 96%) was obtained through column chromatography (PE/EA = 3/1) as a brown solid, $R_f = 0.4$ (PE/EA = 3/1); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.16 (d, J = 9.2 Hz, 2H), 6.94 (d, J = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 6.94 (s, 1H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 161.9, 141.3, 126.3, 115.8. IR (film) 3294, 1593, 1498, 1338, 1290, 1111, 850 cm⁻¹. GCMS (EI) m/z, [M]⁺ = 139.



2,4-Dimethoxyphenol $(2g)^6$: 2,4-Dimethoxyphenylboronic acid 1g (0.2 mmol, 36.4 mg), UO₂(OAc)₂·2H₂O (0.008 mmol, 3.4 mg), Et₃N (2 equiv., 56 µL) and acetone (2 mL) were stirred under air atmosphere at room temperature for 19 h

under the irradiation of blue LEDs (460 nm, 6 W) in a paralleled photoreactor. **2g** (29.0 mg, 94%) was obtained through column chromatography (PE/EA = 5/1) as a white solid, $R_f = 0.6$ (PE/EA = 3/1); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 6.83 (d, J = 8.8 Hz, 1H), 6.50 (d, J = 2.8 Hz, 1H), 6.39 (dd, J = 8.8, 2.8 Hz, 1H), 5.26 (s, 1H), 3.86 (s, 3H), 3.76 (s, 3H).¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 153.5, 147.0, 139.8, 114.1, 104.2, 99.4, 55.9, 55.8. IR (film) 3456, 2941, 1610, 1512, 1232, 1207, 1029 cm⁻¹. GCMS (EI) m/z, [M]⁺ = 154.



3-Aminophenol (2h)⁷: 3-Aminophenylboronic acid **1h** (0.2 mmol, 27.4 mg), $UO_2(OAc)_2 \cdot 2H_2O$ (0.008 mmol, 3.4 mg), Et_3N (2 equiv., 56 µL) and acetone (2 mL) were stirred under air atmosphere at room temperature for 20 h under the irradiation of

blue LEDs (460 nm, 6 W) in a paralleled photoreactor. **2h** (17.4 mg, 80%) was obtained through column chromatography (PE/EA = 3/1) as a brown solid, $R_f = 0.4$ (PE/EA = 3/1); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO-*d*₆) δ 8.81 (s, 1H), 6.76 (t, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 1H), 6.00-5.98 (m, 2H), 5.93-5.91 (m, 1H), 4.87 (s, 1H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, DMSO-*d*₆) δ 158.1, 149.8, 129.4, 105.5, 103.3, 101.0. **IR** (film) 3607, 3391, 1651, 1269, 1047, 1024, 991 cm⁻¹. GCMS (EI) m/z, [M]⁺ = 109.



4-(Methylthio)phenol (2i)³: 4-(Methylthio)phenylboronic acid 1i (0.2 mmol, 33.6 mg), $UO_2(OAc)_2 \cdot 2H_2O$ (0.008 mmol, 3.4 mg), Et₃N (2 equiv., 56 µL) and acetone (2 mL) were stirred under air atmosphere at room temperature for 20 h

under the irradiation of blue LEDs (460 nm, 6 W) in a paralleled photoreactor. **2i** (26.6 mg, 95%) was obtained through column chromatography (PE/EA = 5/1) as a white solid,

 $R_f = 0.5 (PE/EA = 5/1); {}^{1}H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) \delta 7.22 (d, J = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 6.79 (d, J = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 5.13 (s, 1H), 2.44 (s, 3H). {}^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) \delta 154.1, 130.4, 128.8, 116.1, 18.0. IR (film) 3498, 3053, 1601, 1495, 1265, 825, 704 cm⁻¹. GCMS (EI) m/z, [M]⁺ = 140.$



4-(Trimethylsilyl)phenol $(2j)^8$:4-(Trimethylsilyl)phenylboronic acid 1j(0.2 mmol, 38.8 mg), $UO_2(OAc)_2 \cdot 2H_2O$ (0.008 mmol, 3.4 mg), Et₃N (2 equiv., 56 µL)and acetone (2 mL) were stirred under air atmosphere at room

temperature for 20 h under the irradiation of blue LEDs (460 nm, 6 W) in a paralleled photoreactor. **2j** (31.8 mg, 95%) was obtained through column chromatography (PE/EA = 5/1) as a white solid, $R_f = 0.6$ (PE/EA = 5/1); ¹H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.44 (d, J = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 6.88 (d, J = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 5.49 (s, 1H), 0.27 (s, 9H). ¹³C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 156.1, 134.9, 131.6, 114.9, -0.9. IR (film) 3354, 3055, 2956, 1597, 1502, 1265, 839 cm⁻¹. GCMS (EI) m/z, [M]⁺ = 166.



3-(Benzyloxy)phenol (2k)⁹: 3-(Benzyloxy)phenylboronic acid **1k** (0.2 mmol, 45.6 mg), UO₂(OAc)₂·2H₂O (0.008 mmol, 3.4 mg), Et₃N (2 equiv., 56 μ L) and acetone (2 mL) were stirred under air atmosphere at room temperature for 20 h under the

irradiation of blue LEDs (460 nm, 6 W) in a paralleled photoreactor. **2k** (38.8 mg, 97%) was obtained through column chromatography (PE/EA = 5/1) as a white solid, $R_f = 0.5$ (PE/EA = 5/1); ¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.45-7.34 (m, 5H), 7.15 (t, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 1H), 6.60 (dd, *J* = 8.4, 2.4 Hz, 1H), 6.51 (t, *J* = 2.4 Hz, 1H), 6.46 (dd, *J* = 8.0, 2.4 Hz, 1H), 5.03 (s, 2H). ¹³**C NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 160.1, 156.7, 136.8, 130.2, 128.6, 128.0, 127.5, 108.1, 107.3, 102.5, 70.0. **IR** (film) 3408, 1593, 1489, 1282, 1148, 1026, 736 cm⁻¹. GCMS (EI) m/z, [M]⁺ = 200.



4-Hydroxybenzaldehyde (21)⁴: 4-Formylphenylboronic acid **11** (0.2 mmol, 30.0 mg), $UO_2(OAc)_2 \cdot 2H_2O$ (0.008 mmol, 3.4 mg), Et₃N (2 equiv., 56 µL) and acetone (2 mL) were stirred under air atmosphere at room temperature for 24 h under the irradiation of

blue LEDs (460 nm, 6 W) in a paralleled photoreactor. **21** (23.2 mg, 95%) was obtained through column chromatography (PE/EA = 1/1) as a white solid, $R_f = 0.5$ (PE/EA = 1/1); **¹H NMR** (400 MHz, DMSO-*d*₆) δ 10.57 (s, 1H), 9.79 (s, 1H), 7.76 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 6.93 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, DMSO-*d*₆) δ 191.0, 163.3, 132.1, 128.5, 115.9. IR (film) 3448, 3055, 2927, 1647, 1265, 1026, 745 cm⁻¹. GCMS (EI) m/z, [M]⁺ = 122.



4-Vinylphenol (2m)¹⁰: 4-Vinylphenylboronic acid **1m** (0.2 mmol, 29.6 mg), UO₂(OAc)₂·2H₂O (0.008 mmol, 3.4 mg), Et₃N (2 equiv., 56 μ L) and acetone (2 mL) were stirred under air atmosphere at room temperature for 20 h under the irradiation

of blue LEDs (460 nm, 6 W) in a paralleled photoreactor. **2m** (12.1 mg, 50%) was obtained through column chromatography (PE/EA = 5/1) as a white solid, $R_f = 0.5$ (PE/EA = 5/1); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO-*d*₆) δ 9.50 (s, 1H), 7.28 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 6.73 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 6.61 (dd, *J* = 17.6, 10.8 Hz, 1H), 5.57 (dd, *J* = 17.6, 1.2 Hz, 1H), 5.03 (dd, *J* = 11.2, 1.2 Hz, 1H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, DMSO-*d*₆) δ 157.3, 136.4, 128.2, 127.4, 115.3, 110.6. **IR** (film) 3448, 2357, 1653, 1558, 1065, 1006, 825 cm⁻¹. GCMS (EI) m/z, [M]⁺ = 120.



N-(3-hydroxyphenyl)acrylamide $(2n)^{11}$: 3-Acrylamidophenylboronic acid **1n** (0.2 mmol, 38.2 mg), UO₂(OAc)₂·2H₂O (0.008 mmol, 3.4 mg), Et₃N (2 equiv., 56 µL) and acetone (2 mL) were stirred under air atmosphere

at room temperature for 18 h under the irradiation of blue LEDs (460 nm, 6 W) in a paralleled photoreactor. **2n** (25.0 mg, 77%) was obtained through column

chromatography (PE/EA = 3/1) as a white solid, $R_f = 0.4$ (PE/EA = 3/1); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO-*d*₆) δ 10.0 (s, 1H), 9.42 (s, 1H), 7.26-7.25 (m, 1H),7.10-7.01(m, 2H), 6.48-6.39 (m, 2H), 6.23 (dd, *J* = 16.8, 2.0 Hz, 1H), 5.72 (dd, *J* = 10.0, 2.0 Hz, 1H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, DMSO-*d*₆) δ 163.1, 157.6, 140.1, 132.0, 129.4, 126.7, 110.7, 110.2, 106.6. IR (film) 3419, 2260, 1653, 1558, 1047, 993, 765 cm⁻¹. GCMS (EI) m/z, [M]⁺ = 163.



3-Hydroxybenzamide (20)¹²: 3-Carbamoylphenylboronic acid 10 (0.2 mmol, 33.0 mg), UO₂(OAc)₂·2H₂O (0.008 mmol, 3.4 mg), Et₃N (2 equiv., 56 μ L) and acetone (2 mL) were stirred under air atmosphere at room temperature for 40 h

under the irradiation of blue LEDs (460 nm, 6 W) in a paralleled photoreactor. **20** (17.1 mg, 62%) was obtained through column chromatography (CH₂Cl₂/MeOH = 10/1) as a yellow solid, $R_f = 0.4$ (CH₂Cl₂/MeOH = 10/1); ¹H NMR (500 MHz, DMSO-*d*₆) δ 9.60 (s, 1H), 7.85 (s, 1H), 7.29-7.20 (m, 4H), 6.90-6.88 (m, 1H). ¹³C NMR (125 MHz, DMSO-*d*₆) δ 168.0, 157.3, 135.8, 129.2, 118.1, 118.0, 114.5. IR (film) 3543, 3373, 1653, 1506, 1288, 1024, 993 cm⁻¹. MS (ESI) Calculated for C₇H₈NO₂ (M+H)⁺: 138.1; Found 138.1.



Resorcinol (2p)¹³: 1,3-Phenylenediboronic acid **1p** (0.2 mmol, 33.2 mg), UO₂(OAc)₂·2H₂O (0.008 mmol, 3.4 mg), Et₃N (2 equiv., 56 μ L) and acetone (2 mL) were stirred under air atmosphere at

room temperature for 30 h under the irradiation of blue LEDs (460 nm, 6 W) in a paralleled photoreactor. **2p** (18.8 mg, 68%) was obtained through column chromatography (PE/EA = 3/1) as a white solid, $R_f = 0.5$ (PE/EA = 3/1); ¹H NMR (500 MHz, DMSO-*d*₆) δ 9.16 (s, 2H), 6.91 (t, *J* = 8.3 Hz, 1H), 6.19-6.16 (m, 3H). ¹³C NMR (125 MHz, DMSO-*d*₆) δ 158.5, 129.8, 106.2, 102.5. IR (film) 3408, 1653, 1506, 1265, 1026, 825, 680 cm⁻¹. GCMS (EI) m/z, [M]⁺ = 110.



2,3-Dihydro-1,4-benzodioxin-6-ol (2q)¹⁴: (1,4-Benzodioxan-6-yl)boronic acid **1q** (0.2 mmol, 36.0 mg), $UO_2(OAc)_2 \cdot 2H_2O$ (0.008 mmol, 3.4 mg), Et₃N (2 equiv., 56 µL) and acetone (2 mL) were stirred under air atmosphere at room temperature for 16 h

under the irradiation of blue LEDs (460 nm, 6 W) in a paralleled photoreactor. **2q** (28.9 mg, 95%) was obtained through column chromatography (PE/EA = 5/1) as a yellow solid, $R_f = 0.5$ (PE/EA = 5/1); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 6.72 (d, J = 8.4 Hz, 1H), 6.39 (d, J = 2.8 Hz, 1H), 6.33 (dd, J = 8.4, 2.8 Hz, 1H), 4.68 (s, 1H), 4.25-4.18 (m, 4H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 149.9, 143.9, 137.7, 117.5, 108.2, 104.3, 64.6, 64.1. IR (film) 3399, 2985, 1608, 1509, 1473, 1312, 1067 cm⁻¹. GCMS (EI) m/z, [M]⁺ = 152.



Benzo[*d*][1,3]dioxol-5-ol (2r)³: Benzo[*d*][1,3]dioxol-5ylboronic acid 1r (0.2 mmol, 33.2 mg), UO₂(OAc)₂·2H₂O (0.008 mmol, 3.4 mg), Et₃N (2 equiv., 56 μ L) and acetone (2 mL) were stirred under air atmosphere at room temperature for 19 h under

the irradiation of blue LEDs (460 nm, 6 W) in a paralleled photoreactor. **2r** (21.0 mg, 76%) was obtained through column chromatography (PE/EA = 5/1) as a colorless liquid, $R_f = 0.5$ (PE/EA = 5/1); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 6.65 (d, J = 8.0 Hz, 1H), 6.43 (d, J = 2.8 Hz, 1H), 6.26 (dd, J = 8.4, 2.4 Hz, 1H), 5.90 (s, 2H), 4.98 (s, 1H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 150.6, 148.3, 141.6, 108.1, 106.6, 101.2, 98.3. IR (film) 3406, 2893, 1647, 1506, 1489, 1188, 1030 cm⁻¹. GCMS (EI) m/z, [M]⁺ = 138.



2-Naphthol (2s)⁴: 2-Naphthylboronic acid **1s** (0.2 mmol, 34.4 mg), $UO_2(OAc)_2 \cdot 2H_2O$ (0.008 mmol, 3.4 mg), Et_3N (2 equiv., 56 μ L) and acetone (2 mL) were stirred under air atmosphere at room temperature for 18 h under the irradiation of blue LEDs

(460 nm, 6 W) in a paralleled photoreactor. **2s** (27.0 mg, 94%) was obtained through column chromatography (PE/EA = 5/1) as a white solid, $R_f = 0.5$ (PE/EA = 5/1); ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.80-7.76 (m, 2H), 7.69 (d, J = 8.5 Hz, 1H), 7.47-7.43 (m,

1H), 7.37-7.35 (m, 1H), 7.16 (d, J = 2.5 Hz, 1H), 7.13 (dd, J = 8.5, 2.5 Hz, 1H), 5.40 (s, 1H). ¹³C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 153.2, 134.5, 129.8, 127.7, 126.5, 126.4, 123.6, 117.7, 109.5. IR (film) 3275, 3253, 1627, 1508, 1265, 745, 704 cm⁻¹. GCMS (EI) m/z, [M]⁺ = 144.



1-Naphthol (2t)³: 1-Naphthylboronic acid **1t** (0.2 mmol, 34.4 mg), $UO_2(OAc)_2 \cdot 2H_2O$ (0.008 mmol, 3.4 mg), Et_3N (2 equiv., 56 μ L) and acetone (2 mL) were stirred under air atmosphere at room temperature for 16 h under the irradiation of blue LEDs

(460 nm, 6 W) in a paralleled photoreactor. **2t** (22.0 mg, 76%) was obtained through column chromatography (PE/EA = 5/1) as a white solid, $R_f = 0.5$ (PE/EA = 5/1); ¹H **NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.20-8.17 (m, 1H), 7.84-7.81 (m, 1H), 7.51-7.44 (m, 3H), 7.32 (t, *J* = 7.8 Hz, 1H), 6.83 (d, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 1H), 5.24 (s, 1H). ¹³C **NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 151.3, 134.8, 127.7, 126.4, 125.8, 125.3, 124.3, 121.5, 120.7, 108.6. **IR** (film) 3327, 3055, 1599, 1508, 1386, 1269, 781 cm⁻¹. GCMS (EI) m/z, [M]⁺ = 144.



1-Hydroxypyrene (2u)⁸: 1-Pyreneboronic acid **1u** (0.2 mmol, 49.2 mg), $UO_2(OAc)_2 \cdot 2H_2O$ (0.008 mmol, 3.4 mg), Et_3N (2 equiv., 56 µL) and acetone (2 mL) were stirred under air atmosphere at room temperature for 16 h under the irradiation

of blue LEDs (460 nm, 6 W) in a paralleled photoreactor. **2u** (41.8 mg, 96%) was obtained through column chromatography (PE/EA = 3/1) as a white solid, $R_f = 0.5$ (PE/EA = 3/1); ¹H NMR (300 MHz, DMSO-*d*₆) δ 10.7 (s, 1H), 8.33 (d, *J* = 9.3 Hz, 1H), 8.14-8.10 (m, 3H), 8.05-7.88 (m, 4H), 7.60 (d, *J* = 8.1 Hz, 1H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, DMSO-*d*₆) δ 152.2, 131.4, 131.3, 127.4, 126.2, 126.1, 125.5, 125.4, 124.5, 123.9, 123.8, 123.63, 123.61, 121.4, 118.1, 113.3. **IR** (film) 3566, 1508, 1263, 1028, 831, 750, 706 cm⁻¹. **MS** (ESI) Calculated for C₁₆H₁₁O (M+H)⁺: 219.1; Found 219.1.



2-Fluoro-3-pyridinol (2v)¹⁵: 2-Fluoro-3-pyridineboronic acid **1v** (0.2 mmol, 28.2 mg), UO₂(OAc)₂·2H₂O (0.008 mmol, 3.4 mg), Et₃N (2 equiv., 56 μ L) and acetone (2 mL) were stirred under air atmosphere at room temperature for 16 h under the irradiation of

blue LEDs (460 nm, 6 W) in a paralleled photoreactor. **2v** (22.0 mg, 97%) was obtained through column chromatography (CH₂Cl₂/MeOH = 20/1) as a white solid, $R_f = 0.5$ (CH₂Cl₂/MeOH = 20/1); ¹**H** NMR (400 MHz, DMSO-*d*₆) δ 10.38 (s, 1H), 7.61-7.59 (m, 1H), 7.40-7.35 (m, 1H), 7.16-7.13 (m, 1H), ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, DMSO-*d*₆) δ 152.7 (d, *J* = 231.7 Hz), 140.2 (d, *J* = 27.3 Hz), 135.6 (d, *J* = 13.0 Hz), 126.2 (d, *J* = 5.5 Hz), 122.6 (d, *J* = 3.9 Hz). ¹⁹F NMR (376 MHz, DMSO-*d*₆) δ -88.9. **IR** (film) 3383, 1653, 1558, 1508, 1267, 1026, 994 cm⁻¹. GCMS (EI) m/z, [M]⁺ = 113.

Flow Photoreactor

To a 100 mL bottle, a solution of 2-fluoro-3-pyridineboronic acid **1v** (20 mmol, 2.82 g), UO₂(OAc)₂·2H₂O (0.4 mmol, 170 mg), Et₃N (2 equiv., 5.6 mL) and acetone (80 mL) were stirred under air atmosphere at room temperature. The solution was pumped into a flow micro tube by a pump (0.5 mL/min), which was made of PTFE tubing (O.D. = 2 mm, I.D. = 1 mm, length = 5.68 m, volume = 4.45 mL), and returned to Schlenk tube with the same pump. This circulatory system was irradiated by blue light (460 nm, 36 W) for about 18 hours (the temperature was below 30°C). After the reaction, DCM was pumped into a flow micro tube to quench it and MeOH was added to wash the tube. The solvent was concentrated under reduced pressure and the resulting crude mixture was chromatographed on silica gel using petroleum ether/ethyl acetate (CH₂Cl₂/MeOH = 20/1) as eluent to give **2v** (63%, 1.42 g) as a white solid.



3-Hydroxyquinoline (2w)⁸: Quinolin-3-ylboronic acid **1w** (0.2 mmol, 34.6 mg), UO₂(OAc)₂·2H₂O (0.008 mmol, 3.4 mg), Et₃N (2 equiv., 56 μ L) and acetone (2 mL) were stirred under air atmosphere at room temperature for 24 h under the irradiation of

blue LEDs (460 nm, 6 W) in a paralleled photoreactor. **2w** (26.0 mg, 90%) was obtained through column chromatography (PE/EA = 3/1) as a white solid, $R_f = 0.4$ (PE/EA = 3/1); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO-*d*₆) δ 10.48 (s, 1H), 8.60 (d, *J* = 2.8 Hz, 1H), 7.91-7.89 (m, 1H), 7.79-7.76 (m, 1H), 7.51-7.47 (m, 3H), ¹³C NMR (125 MHz, DMSO-*d*₆) δ 150.9, 143.9, 142.4, 129.1, 128.6, 126.8, 126.6, 125.9, 115.4. IR (film) 3391, 1653, 1541, 1265, 1026, 995, 747 cm⁻¹. GCMS (EI) m/z, [M]⁺ = 145.



5-Hydroxyindole $(2x)^{16}$: 5-Indolylboronic acid 1x (0.2 mmol, 32.2 mg), UO₂(OAc)₂·2H₂O (0.008 mmol, 3.4 mg), Et₃N (2 equiv., 56 µL) and acetone (2 mL) were stirred under air atmosphere at room temperature for 40 h under the irradiation of

blue LEDs (460 nm, 6 W) in a paralleled photoreactor. **2x** (23.0 mg, 86%) was obtained through column chromatography (PE/EA = 5/1) as a white solid, $R_f = 0.5$ (PE/EA = 5/1); ¹H NMR (500 MHz, DMSO-*d*₆) δ 10.73 (s, 1H), 8.57 (s, 1H), 7.20 (t, *J* = 2.8 Hz, 1H), 7.17 (d, *J* = 8.5 Hz, 1H), 6.84 (d, *J* = 2.0 Hz, 1H), 6.61-6.59 (m, 1H), 6.22-6.21 (m, 1H). ¹³C NMR (125 MHz, DMSO-*d*₆) δ 150.5, 130.4, 128.4, 125.5, 111.6, 111.3, 103.8, 100.2. IR (film) 3417, 1653, 1541, 1265, 1026, 995, 747 cm⁻¹. GCMS (EI) m/z, [M]⁺ = 133.



6-Hydroxyindazole (2y)¹⁷: 1H-Indazol-6-ylboronic acid **1y** (0.2 mmol, 32.4 mg), $UO_2(OAc)_2 \cdot 2H_2O$ (0.008 mmol, 3.4 mg), Et₃N (2 equiv., 56 µL) and acetone (2 mL) were stirred under air atmosphere at room temperature for 40 h under the irradiation of

blue LEDs (460 nm, 6 W) in a paralleled photoreactor. **2y** (20.1 mg, 75%) was obtained through column chromatography (PE/EA = 1/1) as a white solid, $R_f = 0.4$ (PE/EA = 1/1); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO-*d*₆) δ 12.55 (s, 1H), 9.53 (s, 1H), 7.86 (s, 1H), 7.52 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 1H), 6.78 (s, 1H), 6.64 (dd, *J* = 8.4, 2.0 Hz, 1H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, DMSO-*d*₆) δ 156.5, 141.4, 133.3, 121.1, 117.0, 112.3, 93.2. IR (film) 3410, 3055, 1653, 1265, 1026, 995, 705 cm⁻¹. GCMS (EI) m/z, [M]⁺ = 134.



9-Phenyl-9H-carbazol-2-ol (2z)³: 9-Phenylcarbazole-2boronic acid **1z** (0.2 mmol, 57.4 mg), $UO_2(OAc)_2 \cdot 2H_2O$ (0.008 mmol, 3.4 mg), Et_3N (2 equiv., 56 µL) and acetone (2 mL) were stirred under air atmosphere at room temperature for 16 h under the irradiation of blue LEDs

(460 nm, 6 W) in a paralleled photoreactor. **2z** (46.0 mg, 89%) was obtained through column chromatography (PE/EA = 5/1) as a white solid, $R_f = 0.5$ (PE/EA = 5/1); ¹H **NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.01-7.99 (m, 1H), 7.93 (d, J = 8.4 Hz, 1H), 7.58-7.49 (m, 4H), 7.44-7.40 (m, 1H), 7.31-7.30 (m, 2H), 7.25-7.21 (m, 1H), 6.80 (d, J = 2.0 Hz, 1H), 6.76 (dd, J = 8.4, 2.4 Hz, 1H), 4.90 (s, 1H). ¹³C **NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 154.8, 142.3, 141.1, 137.6, 129.9, 127.5, 127.1, 124.7, 123.5, 121.2, 120.0, 119.4, 117.4, 109.6, 109.0, 96.1. **IR** (film) 3649, 3545, 3053, 2988, 1506, 1265, 745 cm⁻¹. **HRMS** (ESI) Calculated for C₁₈H₁₄NO (M+H)⁺: 260.1075; Found 260.1065.



2-Dibenzofuranol (2aa)¹⁸: Dibenzo[b,d]furan-2-ylboronic acid **1aa** (0.2 mmol, 42.4 mg), $UO_2(OAc)_2 \cdot 2H_2O$ (0.008 mmol, 3.4 mg), Et₃N (2 equiv., 56 µL) and acetone (2 mL) were stirred under air atmosphere at room temperature for 20

h under the irradiation of blue LEDs (460 nm, 6 W) in a paralleled photoreactor. **2aa** (33.1 mg, 90%) was obtained through column chromatography (PE/EA = 5/1) as a white solid, $R_f = 0.5$ (PE/EA = 5/1); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO-*d*₆) δ 9.44 (s, 1H), 8.04 (d, J = 9.2 Hz, 1H), 7.61 (d, J = 8.4 Hz, 1H), 7.50-7.43 (m, 3H), 7.35-7.31 (m, 1H), 6.96 (dd, J = 8.8, 2.4 Hz, 1H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, DMSO-*d*₆) δ 156.1, 153.5., 149.3, 127.3, 124.2, 123.9, 122.6, 121.1, 115.7, 111.9, 111.5, 106.0. IR (film) 3401, 3055, 1653, 1265, 1026, 995, 745 cm⁻¹. GCMS (EI) m/z, [M]⁺ = 184.



2-Hydroxydibenzothiophene

Dibenzo[b,d]thiophen-4-ylboronic acid **1ab** (0.2 mmol, 45.6 mg), $UO_2(OAc)_2 \cdot 2H_2O$ (0.008 mmol, 3.4 mg), Et_3N (2 equiv., 56 µL) and acetone (2 mL) were stirred under air atmosphere

at room temperature for 17 h under the irradiation of blue LEDs (460 nm, 6 W) in a paralleled photoreactor. **2ab** (35.0 mg, 88%) was obtained through column chromatography (PE/EA = 5/1) as a white solid, $R_f = 0.6$ (PE/EA = 3/1); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.15-8.13 (m, 1H), 7.90-7.88 (m, 1H), 7.79 (d, J = 7.6 Hz, 1H), 7.48-7.46 (m, 2H), 7.35 (t, J = 7.8 Hz, 1H), 6.89 (d, J = 8.4 Hz, 1H), 5.20 (s, 1H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 150.4, 139.5, 137.9, 135.9, 126.9, 126.5, 125.7, 124.4, 123.1, 122.0, 114.5, 111.7. **IR** (film) 3501, 1647, 1541, 1267, 1028, 750, 705 cm⁻¹. GCMS (EI) m/z, [M]⁺ = 200.



3-Phenoxy-1-propanol (2ac)¹⁹: 3-Phenoxypropylboronic acid **1ac** (0.2 mmol, 36.0 mg), $UO_2(OAc)_2 \cdot 2H_2O$ (0.008 mmol, 3.4 mg), Et₃N (2 equiv., 56 µL) and acetone (2 mL) were stirred under air atmosphere at room temperature for

16 h under the irradiation of blue LEDs (460 nm, 6 W) in a paralleled photoreactor. **2ac** (29.2 mg, 96%) was obtained through column chromatography (PE/EA = 5/1) as a white solid, $R_f = 0.5$ (PE/EA = 5/1); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.25-7.20 (m, 2H), 6.92-6.85 (m, 3H), 4.07 (t, J = 6.0 Hz, 2H), 3.81 (t, J = 5.8 Hz, 2H), 2.02 (s, 1H), 2.02-1.97 (m, 2H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 158.7, 129.4, 120.8, 114.4, 65.5, 60.4, 31.9. IR (film) 3402, 3055, 2951, 1599, 1497, 1244, 745 cm⁻¹. GCMS (EI) m/z, [M]⁺ = 152.



2-Phenylethanol (2ad)⁴: Phenethylboronic acid **1ad** (0.2 mmol, 30.0 mg), UO₂(OAc)₂·2H₂O (0.008 mmol, 3.4 mg), Et₃N (2 equiv., 56 μ L) and acetone (2 mL) were stirred under air atmosphere at room temperature for 17 h under the

irradiation of blue LEDs (460 nm, 6 W) in a paralleled photoreactor. 2ad (23.9 mg,
98%) was obtained through column chromatography (PE/EA = 3/1) as a colorless liquid, $R_f = 0.4$ (PE/EA = 3/1); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.26-7.22 (m, 2H), 7.18-7.14 (m, 3H), 3.78 (t, J = 6.6 Hz, 2H), 2.79 (t, J = 6.6 Hz, 2H), 1.53 (s, 1H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 138.5, 129.0, 128.5, 126.4, 63.6, 39.2. IR (film) 3420, 3055, 2988, 1647, 1506, 1028, 745 cm⁻¹. GCMS (EI) m/z, [M]⁺ = 122.

Flow Photoreactor

To a 100 mL bottle, a solution of phenethylboronic acid **1ad** (20 mmol, 3.0 g), UO₂(OAc)₂·2H₂O (0.4 mmol, 170 mg), Et₃N (2 equiv., 5.6 mL) and acetone (80 mL) were stirred under air atmosphere at room temperature. The solution was pumped into a flow micro tube by a pump (0.5 mL/min), which was made of PTFE tubing (O.D. = 2 mm, I.D. = 1 mm, length = 5.68 m, volume = 4.45 mL), and returned to Schlenk tube with the same pump. This circulatory system was irradiated by blue light (460 nm, 36 W) for about 12 hours (the temperature was below 30°C). After the reaction, DCM was pumped into a flow micro tube to quench it and MeOH was added to wash the tube. The solvent was concentrated under reduced pressure and the resulting crude mixture was chromatographed on silica gel using petroleum ether/ethyl acetate (PE/EA = 3/1) as eluent to give **2ad** (84%, 2.05 g) as a colorless liquid.



1-Octanol (2ae)²⁰: Octylboronic acid **1ae** (0.2 mmol, 31.6 mg), $UO_2(OAc)_2 \cdot 2H_2O$ (0.008 mmol, 3.4 mg), Et_3N (2 equiv., 56 µL) and acetone (2 mL) were stirred under air atmosphere at room temperature for 12 h under the

irradiation of blue LEDs (460 nm, 6 W) in a paralleled photoreactor. **2ae** (24.0 mg, 95%) was obtained through column chromatography (PE/EA = 5/1) as a yellow liquid, $R_f = 0.5$ (PE/EA = 5/1); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 3.63 (t, J = 6.6 Hz, 2H), 1.59-1.52 (m, 3H), 1.32-1.26 (m, 10H), 0.88 (t, J = 6.8 Hz, 3H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 63.1, 32.8, 31.8, 29.4, 29.3, 25.7, 22.6, 14.1. **IR** (film) 3566, 3055, 2988, 1508, 1265, 1208, 736 cm⁻¹. GCMS (EI) m/z, [M]⁺ = 130.



1-Decanol (2af)³: Decylboronic acid **1af** (0.2 mmol, 37.2 mg), UO₂(OAc)₂·2H₂O (0.008 mmol, 3.4 mg), Et₃N (2 equiv., 56 μ L) and acetone (2 mL) were stirred under air atmosphere at room

temperature for 12 h under the irradiation of blue LEDs (460 nm, 6 W) in a paralleled photoreactor. **2af** (28.0 mg, 89%) was obtained through column chromatography (PE/EA = 5/1) as a colorless liquid, $R_f = 0.5$ (PE/EA = 5/1); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 3.62 (t, J = 6.6 Hz, 2H), 1.71-1.69 (m, 1H), 1.56-1.53 (m, 2H), 1.35-1.25 (m, 14H), 0.87 (t, J = 6.8 Hz, 3H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 63.0, 32.8, 31.9, 29.6, 29.5, 29.4, 29.3, 25.7, 22.6, 14.0. IR (film) 3331, 2925, 2854, 1466, 1377, 1057, 707 cm⁻¹. GCMS (EI) m/z, [M]⁺ = 158.



Cyclohexanol (2ag)²¹: Cyclohexylboronic acid **1ag** (0.2 mmol, 25.6 mg), UO₂(OAc)₂·2H₂O (0.008 mmol, 3.4 mg), Et₃N (2 equiv., 56 μ L) and acetone (2 mL) were stirred under air atmosphere at

room temperature for 12 h under the irradiation of blue LEDs (460 nm, 6 W) in a paralleled photoreactor. **2ag** (16.1 mg, 80%) was obtained through column chromatography (PE/EA = 5/1) as a yellow liquid, $R_f = 0.5$ (PE/EA = 5/1); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 3.64-3.57 (m, 1H), 1.91-1.86 (m, 2H), 1.74-1.71 (m, 2H), 1.59-1.52 (m, 2H), 1.30-1.21 (m, 5H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 70.3, 35.6, 25.5, 24.1. **IR** (film) 3354, 2925, 2855, 2666, 1452, 1363, 1066 cm⁻¹. GCMS (EI) m/z, [M]⁺ = 100.



2-Methyl-1-phenyl-2-propanol (2ah)²²: (2-Methyl-1-phenylpropan-2-yl)boronic acid 1ah (0.2 mmol, 35.6 mg), $UO_2(OAc)_2 \cdot 2H_2O$ (0.008 mmol, 3.4 mg), Et_3N (2 equiv., 56 µL) and acetone (2 mL) were stirred under air atmosphere at room

temperature for 12 h under the irradiation of blue LEDs (460 nm, 6 W) in a paralleled photoreactor. **2ah** (16.3 mg, 54%) was obtained through column chromatography

(PE/EA = 5/1) as a colorless oil, $R_f = 0.6$ (PE/EA =3/1); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.35-7.22 (m, 5H), 2.79 (s, 2H), 1.25 (s, 6H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 137.8, 130.5, 128.2, 126.5, 70.7, 49.7, 29.2. **IR** (film) 3397, 2961, 2922, 2363, 1153, 727, 702 cm⁻¹. GCMS (EI) m/z, [M]⁺ = 150.



4-Phenylphenol (2ai)³: 2-([1,1'-Biphenyl]-4-yl)-4,4,5,5tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolane 1ai (0.2 mmol, 56.0 mg), $UO_2(OAc)_2 \cdot 2H_2O$ (0.008 mmol, 3.4 mg), Et₃N (2 equiv., 56 µL) and acetone (2 mL) were stirred under air atmosphere at

room temperature for 40 h under the irradiation of blue LEDs (460 nm, 6 W) in a paralleled photoreactor. **2ai** (20.4 mg, 60%) was obtained through column chromatography (PE/EA = 5/1) as a white solid, $R_f = 0.5$ (PE/EA = 3/1); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.54 (d, J = 7.3 Hz, 2H), 7.49 (d, J = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 7.42 (t, J = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 7.31 (t, J = 7.4 Hz, 1H), 6.91 (d, J = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 4.83 (s, 1H).¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 155.1, 140.8, 134.1, 128.7, 128.4, 126.7, 126.7, 115.6. IR (film) 3321, 1458, 1419, 1257, 1111, 852, 754 cm⁻¹. GCMS (EI) m/z, [M]⁺ = 170.



2-Naphthol (2aj)⁴: 4,4,5,5-Tetramethyl-2-(naphthalen-2-yl)-1,3,2-dioxaborolane **1aj** (0.2 mmol, 50.8 mg), $UO_2(OAc)_2 \cdot 2H_2O$ (0.008 mmol, 3.4 mg), Et₃N (2 equiv., 56 µL)

and acetone (2 mL) were stirred under air atmosphere at room temperature for 22 h under the irradiation of blue LEDs (460 nm, 6 W) in a paralleled photoreactor. **2aj** (23.9 mg, 83%) was obtained through column chromatography (PE/EA = 5/1) as a white solid, $R_f = 0.5$ (PE/EA = 5/1); ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.80-7.76 (m, 2H), 7.69 (d, J = 8.5 Hz, 1H), 7.47-7.43 (m, 1H), 7.37-7.35 (m, 1H), 7.16 (d, J = 2.5 Hz, 1H), 7.13 (dd, J = 8.5, 2.5 Hz, 1H), 5.40 (s, 1H). ¹³C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 153.2, 134.5, 129.8, 127.7, 126.5, 126.4, 123.6, 117.7, 109.5. IR (film) 3275, 3253, 1627, 1508, 1265, 745, 704 cm⁻¹. GCMS (EI) m/z, [M]⁺ = 144.

Flow Photoreactor

To a 100 mL bottle, a solution of 4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-2-(naphthalen-2-yl)-1,3,2dioxaborolane **1aj** (10 mmol, 2.5 g), UO₂(OAc)₂·2H₂O (0.2 mmol, 85 mg), Et₃N (2 equiv., 2.8 ml) and acetone (50 mL) were stirred under air atmosphere at room temperature. The solution was pumped into a flow micro tube by a pump (0.5 mL/min), which was made of PTFE tubing (O.D. = 2 mm, I.D. = 1 mm, length = 5.68 m, volume = 4.45 mL), and returned to Schlenk tube with the same pump. This circulatory system was irradiated by blue light (460 nm, 36 W) for about 28 hours (the temperature was below 30°C). After the reaction, DCM was pumped into a flow micro tube to quench it and MeOH was added to wash the tube. The solvent was concentrated under reduced pressure and the resulting crude mixture was chromatographed on silica gel using petroleum ether/ethyl acetate (PE/EA = 5/1) as eluent to give **2aj** (85%, 1.22 g) as a white solid.



Phenylmethanol (2ak)⁴: 2-Benzyl-4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2dioxaborolane **1ak** (0.2 mmol, 43.6 mg), $UO_2(OAc)_2 \cdot 2H_2O$ (0.008 mmol, 3.4 mg), Et₃N (2 equiv., 56 µL) and acetone (2 mL) were stirred under air atmosphere at room temperature for

12 h under the irradiation of blue LEDs (460 nm, 6 W) in a paralleled photoreactor. **2ak** (20.0 mg, 93%) was obtained through column chromatography (PE/EA = 5/1) as a yellow oil, $R_f = 0.4$ (PE/EA = 5/1); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.38-7.29 (m, 5H), 4.68 (s, 2H), 1.86 (s, 1H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 140.9, 128.5, 127.6, 127.0, 65.3. IR (film) 3566, 2930, 2857, 1456, 1267, 1028, 748 cm⁻¹. GCMS (EI) m/z, [M]⁺ = 108.



tert-Butyl 4-oxopiperidine-1-carboxylate $(2al)^{23}$: *tert*-Butyl 4-(4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolan-2-yl)-3,6-dihydropyridine-1(2H)-carboxylate **1al** (0.2 mmol, 61.8 mg), UO₂(OAc)₂·2H₂O (0.008 mmol, 3.4 mg), Et₃N (2 equiv., 56

µL) and acetone (2 mL) were stirred under air atmosphere at room temperature for 22 h under the irradiation of blue LEDs (460 nm, 6 W) in a paralleled photoreactor. **2al** (30.2 mg, 76%) was obtained through column chromatography (PE/EA = 5/1) as a white solid, $R_f = 0.6$ (PE/EA = 3/1); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 3.69 (t, J = 6.2 Hz, 4H), 2.41 (t, J = 6.2 Hz, 4H), 1.46 (s, 9H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 207.7, 154.4, 80.4, 43.0, 41.1, 28.3. IR (film) 2986, 1710, 1697, 1420, 1267, 746, 706 cm⁻¹. GCMS (EI) m/z, [M]⁺ = 199.



tert-Butyl 3-oxopiperidine-1-carboxylate $(2am)^{24}$: *tert*-Butyl 5-(4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolan-2-yl)-3,6-dihydropyridine-1(2H)-carboxylate **1am** (0.2 mmol, 61.8 mg), UO₂(OAc)₂·2H₂O (0.008 mmol, 3.4 mg), Et₃N (2 equiv., 56

μL) and acetone (2 mL) were stirred under air atmosphere at room temperature for 19 h under the irradiation of blue LEDs (460 nm, 6 W) in a paralleled photoreactor. **2am** (22.3 mg, 56%) was obtained through column chromatography (PE/EA = 5/1) as a yellow oil, $R_f = 0.5$ (PE/EA = 3/1); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 3.98 (s, 2H), 3.57 (t, J = 6.2 Hz, 2H), 2.45 (t, J = 6.8 Hz, 2H), 2.00-1.93 (m, 2H), 1.45 (s, 9H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 206.0, 154.5, 80.4, 53.8, 41.9, 38.4, 28.3, 22.3. IR (film) 2959, 2926, 2359, 1740, 1736, 1373, 741 cm⁻¹. GCMS (EI) m/z, [M]⁺ = 199.



1,4-Dioxaspiro[**4.5**]**decan-8-one** (**2an**)²⁵**:** 4,4,5,5-Tetramethyl-2-(1,4-dioxaspiro[4.5]dec-7-en-8-yl)-1,3,2-dioxaborolane **1an** (0.2 mmol, 53.2 mg), UO₂(OAc)₂·2H₂O (0.008 mmol, 3.4 mg), Et₃N (2 equiv., 56 μ L) and acetone (2 mL) were stirred under

air atmosphere at room temperature for 30 h under the irradiation of blue LEDs (460 nm, 6 W) in a paralleled photoreactor. **2an** (28.1 mg, 90%) was obtained through column chromatography (PE/EA = 3/1) as a colorless oil, $R_f = 0.6$ (PE/EA = 1/1); ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 4.00 (s, 4H), 2.48 (t, *J* = 7.0 Hz, 4H), 1.98 (t, *J* = 7.3 Hz,

4H). ¹³C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 210.3, 107.1, 64.6, 38.1, 33.8. IR (film) 2963, 1717, 1267, 1130, 1090, 741, 704 cm⁻¹. GCMS (EI) m/z, [M]⁺ = 156.



4-Phenylphenol (2ao)³: Potassium [1,1'-biphenyl]-4yltrifluoroborate 1ao (0.2 mmol, 52.0 mg), $UO_2(OAc)_2 \cdot 2H_2O$ (0.012 mmol, 5.1 mg), Et₃N (2 equiv., 56 µL) and MeOH (2 mL)

were stirred under air atmosphere at room temperature for 26 h under the irradiation of blue LEDs (430 nm, 9 W) in a paralleled photoreactor. **2ao** (25.2 mg, 74%) was obtained through column chromatography (PE/EA = 5/1) as a white solid, $R_f = 0.5$ (PE/EA = 3/1); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.54 (d, J = 7.3 Hz, 2H), 7.49 (d, J = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 7.42 (t, J = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 7.31 (t, J = 7.4 Hz, 1H), 6.91 (d, J = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 4.83 (s, 1H).¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 155.1, 140.8, 134.1, 128.7, 128.4, 126.7, 126.7, 115.6. IR (film) 3321, 1458, 1419, 1257, 1111, 852, 754 cm⁻¹. GCMS (EI) m/z, [M]⁺ = 170.



4-Hydroxybenzonitrile $(2ap)^4$: Potassium (4cyanophenyl)trifluoroborate **1ap** (0.2 mmol, 41.8 mg), UO₂(OAc)₂·2H₂O (0.012 mmol, 5.1 mg), Et₃N (2 equiv., 56 µL) and MeOH (2 mL) were stirred under air atmosphere at room

temperature for 26 h under the irradiation of blue LEDs (430 nm, 9 W) in a paralleled photoreactor. **2ap** (19.0 mg, 80%) was obtained through column chromatography (PE/EA = 5/1) as a yellow solid, $R_f = 0.4$ (PE/EA = 5/1); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.55 (d, J = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 6.93 (d, J = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 6.74 (s, 1H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 160.2, 134.3, 119.2, 116.4, 103.1. IR (film) 3283, 2234, 1611, 1508, 1285, 1167, 834 cm⁻¹. GCMS (EI) m/z, [M]⁺ = 119.



4-Bromophenol $(2aq)^4$:Potassium(4-bromophenyl)trifluoroborate1aq(0.2 mmol, 52.6 mg), $UO_2(OAc)_2 \cdot 2H_2O$ (0.012 mmol, 5.1 mg), Et₃N (2 equiv., 56 µL)

and MeOH (2 mL) were stirred under air atmosphere at room temperature for 26 h under the irradiation of blue LEDs (430 nm, 9 W) in a paralleled photoreactor. **2aq** (22.1 mg, 64%) was obtained through column chromatography (PE/EA = 5/1) as a brown liquid, $R_f = 0.4$ (PE/EA = 5/1); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.33 (d, J = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 6.73 (d, J = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 5.53 (s, 1H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 154.6, 132.5, 117.2, 112.9. IR (film) 3414, 1587, 1495, 1433, 1244, 1070, 823 cm⁻¹. GCMS (EI) m/z, [M]⁺ = 173.



4-Hydroxybenzaldehyde (2ar)⁴: Potassium 4formylphenyltrifluoroborate 1ar (0.2 mmol, 42.4 mg), $UO_2(OAc)_2 \cdot 2H_2O$ (0.012 mmol, 5.1 mg), Et_3N (2 equiv., 56 µL) and MeOH (2 mL) were stirred under air atmosphere at room

temperature for 26 h under the irradiation of blue LEDs (430 nm, 9 W) in a paralleled photoreactor. **2ar** (17.3 mg, 71%) was obtained through column chromatography (PE/EA = 1/1) as a white solid, $R_f = 0.5$ (PE/EA = 1/1); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO- d_6) δ 10.57 (s, 1H), 9.79 (s, 1H), 7.76 (d, J = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 6.93 (d, J = 8.4 Hz, 2H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, DMSO- d_6) δ 191.0, 163.3, 132.1, 128.5, 115.9. IR (film) 3448, 3055, 2927, 1647, 1265, 1026, 745 cm⁻¹. GCMS (EI) m/z, [M]⁺ = 122.



2-Naphthol (2as)⁴: Potassium 2-naphthalenetrifluoroborate **1as** (0.2 mmol, 46.8 mg), $UO_2(OAc)_2 \cdot 2H_2O$ (0.012 mmol, 5.1 mg), Et₃N (2 equiv., 56 µL) and MeOH (2 mL) were stirred under air atmosphere at room temperature for 26 h under the irradiation of

blue LEDs (430 nm, 9 W) in a paralleled photoreactor. **2as** (15.1 mg, 52%) was obtained through column chromatography (PE/EA = 5/1) as a white solid, R_f = 0.5 (PE/EA = 5/1); ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.80-7.76 (m, 2H), 7.69 (d, *J* = 8.5 Hz, 1H), 7.47-7.43 (m, 1H), 7.37-7.35 (m, 1H), 7.16 (d, *J* = 2.5 Hz, 1H), 7.13 (dd, *J* = 8.5, 2.5 Hz, 1H), 5.40 (s, 1H). ¹³C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 153.2, 134.5, 129.8, 127.7, 126.5, 126.4, 123.6, 117.7, 109.5. **IR** (film) 3275, 3253, 1627, 1508, 1265, 745, 704 cm⁻¹. GCMS (EI) m/z, $[M]^+ = 144$.



Phenylmethanol (2at)⁴: Potassium benzyltrifluoroborate **1at** (0.2 mmol, 39.6 mg), UO₂(OAc)₂·2H₂O (0.012 mmol, 5.1 mg), Et₃N (2 equiv., 56 μ L) and MeOH (2 mL) were stirred under air atmosphere at room temperature for 26 h under the

irradiation of blue LEDs (430 nm, 9 W) in a paralleled photoreactor. **2at** (14.9 mg, 69%) was obtained through column chromatography (PE/EA = 5/1) as a yellow oil, $R_f = 0.4$ (PE/EA = 5/1); ¹**H** NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.38-7.29 (m, 5H), 4.68 (s, 2H), 1.86 (s, 1H). ¹³**C** NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 140.9, 128.5, 127.6, 127.0, 65.3. **IR** (film) 3566, 2930, 2857, 1456, 1267, 1028, 748 cm⁻¹. GCMS (EI) m/z, [M]⁺ = 108.



Isopropyl 2-(4-(4-hydroxybenzoyl)phenoxy)-2methylpropanoate (2au)²⁶: Isopropyl 2-methyl-2-(4-(4-(4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolan-2-yl)benzoyl)phenoxy)propanoate 1au (0.2 mmol,

90.4 mg), UO₂(OAc)₂·2H₂O (0.008 mmol, 3.4 mg), Et₃N (2 equiv., 56 µL) and acetone (2 mL) were stirred under air atmosphere at room temperature for 48 h under the irradiation of blue LEDs (460 nm, 6 W) in a paralleled photoreactor. **2au** (53.5 mg, 78%) was obtained through column chromatography (PE/EA = 3/1) as a white solid, R_f = 0.3 (PE/EA = 3/1); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.80 (s, 1H), 7.71 (dd, *J* = 8.8, 6.8 Hz, 4H), 6.89 (dd, *J* = 20.0, 8.8 Hz, 4H), 5.09 (m, 1H), 1.65 (s, 6H), 1.21 (d, *J* = 6.4 Hz, 6H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 195.6, 173.5, 160.7, 159.3, 132.7, 131.9, 131.1, 129.7, 117.3, 115.3, 79.4, 69.5, 25.3, 21.5. **IR** (film) 3264, 1730, 1599, 1560, 1280, 1167, 1099 cm⁻¹. **HRMS** (ESI) Calculated for C₂₀H₂₃O₅ (M+H)⁺: 343.1545; Found 343.1532.



Methyl 2-(1-(4-hydroxybenzoyl)-5-methoxy-2-methyl-1H-indol-3-yl)acetate (2av): Methyl 2-(5-methoxy-2-methyl-1-(4-(4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolan-2-yl)benzoyl)-1H-indol-3-yl)acetate
1av (0.2 mmol, 92.6 mg), UO₂(OAc)₂·2H₂O (0.008

mmol, 3.4 mg), Et₃N (2 equiv., 56 µL) and acetone (2 mL) were stirred under air atmosphere at room temperature for 48 h under the irradiation of blue LEDs (460 nm, 6 W) in a paralleled photoreactor. **2av** (61.4 mg, 87%) was obtained through column chromatography (PE/EA = 3/1) as a light brown solid, R_f = 0.3 (PE/EA = 3/1); ¹H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.62 (d, *J* = 8.7 Hz, 2H), 6.95 (d, *J* = 2.4 Hz, 1H), 6.90-6.84 (m, 3H), 6.65 (dd, *J* = 9.0, 2.7 Hz, 1H), 3.83 (s, 3H), 3.72 (s, 3H), 3.69 (s, 2H), 2.39 (s, 3H). ¹³C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 172.0, 169.1, 160.4, 155.7, 136.2, 132.6, 131.1, 130.3, 127.3, 115.6, 114.8, 111.5, 111.4, 101.0, 55.7, 52.3, 30.2, 13.0. IR (film) 3325, 3055, 1717, 1670, 1373, 1265, 745 cm⁻¹. HRMS (ESI) Calculated for C₂₀H₂₀NO₅ (M+H)⁺: 354.1341; Found 354.1327.



Ethyl

4-(8-hydroxy-5,6-dihydro-11H-

benzo[5,6]cyclohepta[1,2-b]pyridin-11-

ylidene)piperidine-1-carboxylate (2aw): Ethyl 4-(8-

(4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolan-2-yl)-5,6-

dihydro-11H-benzo[5,6]cyclohepta[1,2-b]pyridin-11-

ylidene)piperidine-1-carboxylate **1aw** (0.2 mmol, 94.8 mg), UO₂(OAc)₂·2H₂O (0.008 mmol, 3.4 mg), Et₃N (2 equiv., 56 µL) and acetone (2 mL) were stirred under air atmosphere at room temperature for 48 h under the irradiation of blue LEDs (460 nm, 6 W) in a paralleled photoreactor. **2aw** (67.2 mg, 92%) was obtained through column chromatography (PE/EA = 1/1) as a white solid, R_f = 0.3 (PE/EA = 1/1); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.60 (dd, *J* = 4.8, 1.6 Hz, 1H), 7.75 (dd, *J* = 8.0, 1.6 Hz, 1H), 7.52 (s, 1H), 7.38 (dd, *J* = 7.6, 5.2 Hz, 1H), 7.16 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 1H), 6.93 (d, *J* = 2.4 Hz, 1H), 6.86 (dd, *J* = 8.2, 2.6 Hz, 1H), 4.37 (q, *J* = 7.1 Hz, 2H), 4.06-4.01 (m, 1H), 3.94-3.90

(m, 1H), 3.62-3.55 (m, 2H), 3.43-3.35 (m, 2H), 3.12-2.97 (m, 2H), 2.72-2.46 (m, 4H), 1.48 (t, J = 7.0 Hz, 3H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 157.9, 156.8, 155.5, 145.4, 138.7, 138.0, 136.6, 134.4, 133.9, 130.2, 129.6, 122.3, 116.4, 113.3, 77.2, 61.3, 44.6, 44.5, 31.9, 31.4, 30.4, 14.6. **IR** (film) 3690, 3055, 2988, 1697, 1429, 1265, 745 cm⁻¹. **HRMS** (ESI) Calculated for C₂₂H₂₅N₂O₃ (M+H)⁺: 365.1865; Found 365.1850.



Methyl 2-(6-hydroxy-9H-carbazol-2-yl)propanoate

(2ax): Methyl 2-(6-(4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2dioxaborolan-2-yl)-9H-carbazol-2-yl)propanoate 1ax (0.2 mmol, 75.8 mg), UO₂(OAc)₂·2H₂O (0.008 mmol, 3.4 mg), Et₃N (2 equiv., 56 μ L) and acetone (2 mL)

were stirred under air atmosphere at room temperature for 42 h under the irradiation of blue LEDs (460 nm, 6 W) in a paralleled photoreactor. **2ax** (44.1 mg, 82%) was obtained through column chromatography (PE/EA = 3/1) as a white solid, $R_f = 0.3$ (PE/EA = 3/1); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO-*d*₆) δ 10.84 (s, 1H), 8.93 (s, 1H), 7.90 (d, J = 8.0 Hz, 1H), 7.38 (d, J = 2.4 Hz, 1H), 7.29-7.26 (m, 2H), 6.97 (dd, J = 8.2, 1.4 Hz, 1H), 6.87 (dd, J = 8.8, 2.4 Hz, 1H), 3.91 (q, J = 7.1 Hz, 1H), 3.58 (s, 3H), 1.45 (d, J = 6.8 Hz, 3H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, DMSO-*d*₆) δ 174.7, 150.5, 140.7, 137.9, 134.0, 122.9, 121.4, 120.2, 117.4, 114.9, 111.3, 109.4, 104.8, 51.7, 44.9, 19.0. IR (film) 3649, 3055, 1717, 1697, 1506, 1265, 745 cm⁻¹. HRMS (ESI) Calculated for C₁₆H₁₅NO₃ Na(M+Na)⁺: 292.0950; Found 292.0940.



Methyl 5-(4-hydroxy-2,5-dimethylphenoxy)-2,2dimethylpentanoate (2ay): Methyl 5-(2,5-dimethyl-4-(4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolan-2-

yl)phenoxy)-2,2-dimethylpentanoate 1ay (0.2 mmol,

78.0 mg), $UO_2(OAc)_2 \cdot 2H_2O$ (0.008 mmol, 3.4 mg), Et_3N (2 equiv., 56 µL) and acetone (2 mL) were stirred under air atmosphere at room temperature for 48 h under the irradiation of blue LEDs (460 nm, 6 W) in a paralleled photoreactor. **2ay** (44.8 mg, 80%)

was obtained through column chromatography (PE/EA = 5/1) as a brown solid, R_f = 0.5 (PE/EA = 3/1); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 6.58 (d, *J* = 4.4 Hz, 2H), 4.96 (s, 1H), 3.87-3.84 (m, 2H), 3.67 (s, 3H), 2.20 (s, 3H), 2.14 (s, 3H), 1.71-1.69 (m, 4H), 1.22 (s, 6H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 178.6, 150.9, 147.3, 125.3, 121.2, 117.5, 114.8, 69.1, 51.8, 42.1, 37.1, 25.3, 25.1, 15.73, 15.65. IR (film) 3445, 2951, 1730, 1717, 1518, 1198, 1150 cm⁻¹. HRMS (ESI) Calculated for C₁₆H₂₅O₄ (M+H)⁺: 281.1753; Found 281.1742.



4-Hydroxy-N-

(propylcarbamoyl)benzenesulfonamide (2az): N-(propylcarbamoyl)-4-(4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2dioxaborolan-2-yl)benzenesulfonamide **1az** (0.2

mmol, 73.6 mg), UO₂(OAc)₂·2H₂O (0.008 mmol, 3.4 mg), Et₃N (2 equiv., 56 μL) and acetone (2 mL) were stirred under air atmosphere at room temperature for 24 h under the irradiation of blue LEDs (460 nm, 6 W) in a paralleled photoreactor. **2az** (45.4 mg, 88%) was obtained through column chromatography (PE/EA = 1/1) as a yellow solid, $R_f = 0.3$ (PE/EA = 1/1); ¹H NMR (500 MHz, acetone-*d*₆) δ 9.45 (s, 1H), 9.38 (s, 1H), 7.85 (d, *J* = 9.0 Hz, 2H), 6.99 (d, *J* = 9.0 Hz, 2H), 6.53 (t, *J* = 5.3 Hz, 1H), 3.10 (dd, *J* = 12.5, 7.0 Hz, 2H), 1.48-1.41 (m, 2H), 0.81 (t, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 3H). ¹³C NMR (125 MHz, acetone-*d*₆) δ 162.6, 152.6, 131.8, 130.7, 116.3, 42.2, 23.5, 11.4. **IR** (film) 3566, 3055, 2986, 1717, 1506, 1265, 745 cm⁻¹. **HRMS** (ESI) Calculated for C₁₀H₁₅N₂O₄S (M+H)⁺: 259.0753; Found 259.0744.



Estrone $(2ba)^{27}$: 3-(4,4,5,5-Tetramethyl-1,3,2dioxaborolan-2-yl)estra-1,3,5(10)-trien-17-one **1ba** (0.2 mmol, 76.0 mg), UO₂(OAc)₂·2H₂O (0.008 mmol, 3.4 mg), Et₃N (2 equiv., 56 µL) and acetone (2 mL) were stirred under air atmosphere at room

temperature for 24 h under the irradiation of blue LEDs (460 nm, 6 W) in a paralleled

photoreactor. **2ba** (51.3 mg, 95%) was obtained through column chromatography (PE/EA = 3/1) as a white solid, $R_f = 0.4$ (PE/EA = 3/1); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.15 (d, J = 8.4 Hz, 1H), 6.64 (dd, J = 8.4, 2.8 Hz, 1H), 6.59 (d, J = 2.8 Hz, 1H), 4.8 (s, 1H), 2.88-2.85 (m, 2H), 2.51 (dd, J = 18.6, 8.6 Hz, 1H), 2.41-2.36 (m, 1H), 2.26-2.21 (m, 1H), 2.17-1.94 (m, 4H), 1.68-1.38 (m, 6H), 0.91 (s, 3H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 221.1, 153.5, 138.0, 132.1, 126.5, 115.3, 112.8, 50.4, 48.0, 44.0, 38.4, 35.9, 31.6, 29.5, 26.5, 25.9, 21.6, 13.9. **IR** (film) 3649, 3055, 2988, 1717, 1506, 1420, 895 cm⁻¹. **HRMS** (ESI) Calculated for C₁₈H₂₃O₂ (M+H)⁺: 271.1698; Found 271.1685.



N-Boc-L-tyrosine methyl ester (2bb)²⁸: Methyl (S)-2-((tert-butoxycarbonyl)amino)-3-(4-(4,4,5,5tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolan-2-yl)phenyl)propanoa
1bb (0.2 mmol, 81.0 mg), UO₂(OAc)₂·2H₂O (0.008

mmol, 3.4 mg), Et₃N (2 equiv., 56 µL) and acetone (2 mL) were stirred under air atmosphere at room temperature for 42 h under the irradiation of blue LEDs (460 nm, 6 W) in a paralleled photoreactor. **2bb** (53.7 mg, 91%) was obtained through column chromatography (PE/EA = 3/1) as a white solid, R_f = 0.3 (PE/EA = 3/1); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 6.96 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 6.73 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 6.11 (s, 1H), 5.03 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 1H), 4.56-4.51 (m, 1H), 3.71 (s, 3H), 3.05-2.93 (m, 2H), 1.42 (s, 9H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 172.6, 155.3, 155.1, 130.3, 127.5, 115.5, 80.2, 54.6, 52.2, 37.6, 28.3. **IR** (film) 3398, 2985, 1717, 1684, 1508, 1362, 1265 cm⁻¹. **HRMS** (ESI) Calculated for C₁₅H₂₁NO₅Na (M+Na)⁺: 318.1317; Found 318.1307.

Flow Photoreactor

To a 100 mL bottle, a solution of methyl (S)-2-((tert-butoxycarbonyl)amino)-3-(4-(4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolan-2-yl)phenyl)propanoa **1bb** (6.9 mmol, 2.81 g), $UO_2(OAc)_2 \cdot 2H_2O$ (0.14 mmol, 58.5 mg), Et₃N (2 equiv., 2.0 mL) and acetone (50 mL) were stirred under air atmosphere at room temperature. The solution was pumped into a flow micro tube by a pump (0.5 mL/min), which was made of PTFE tubing (O.D. = 2 mm, I.D. = 1 mm, length = 5.68 m, volume = 4.45 mL), and returned to Schlenk tube with the same pump. This circulatory system was irradiated by blue light (460 nm, 36 W) for about 44 hours (the inner temperature was below 30°C). After the reaction, DCM was pumped into a flow micro tube to quench it and MeOH was added to wash the tube. The solvent was concentrated under reduced pressure and the resulting crude mixture was chromatographed on silica gel using petroleum ether/ethyl acetate (PE/EA = 3/1) as eluent to give **2bb** (66%, 1.34 g) as a white solid.



N-Boc-L-tyrosine methyl ester (2bc)²⁸: (S)-(4-(2-((tert-Butoxycarbonyl)amino)-3-methoxy-3oxopropyl)phenyl)boronic acid 1bc (0.2 mmol, 64.6 mg), UO₂(OAc)₂·2H₂O (0.008 mmol, 3.4 mg), Et₃N (2

equiv., 56 μL) and acetone (2 mL) were stirred under air atmosphere at room temperature for 20 h under the irradiation of blue LEDs (460 nm, 6 W) in a paralleled photoreactor. **2bc** (53.1 mg, 90%) was obtained through column chromatography (PE/EA = 3/1) as a white solid, $R_f = 0.3$ (PE/EA = 3/1); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 6.96 (d, J = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 6.73 (d, J = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 6.11 (s, 1H), 5.03 (d, J = 8.4 Hz, 1H), 4.56-4.51 (m, 1H), 3.71 (s, 3H), 3.05-2.93 (m, 2H), 1.42 (s, 9H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 172.6, 155.3, 155.1, 130.3, 127.5, 115.5, 80.2, 54.6, 52.2, 37.6, 28.3. **IR** (film) 3398, 2985, 1717, 1684, 1508, 1362, 1265 cm⁻¹. **HRMS** (ESI) Calculated for C₁₅H₂₁NO₅Na (M+Na)⁺: 318.1317; Found 318.1307.

VII. NMR spectra





¹³C NMR of 2a



¹H NMR of 2b



¹³C NMR of 2b





¹H NMR of 2c

¹³C NMR of 2c



¹H NMR of 2d



¹³C NMR of 2d



¹H NMR of 2e



¹³C NMR of 2e



¹H NMR of 2f



¹³C NMR of 2f



¹H NMR of 2g



¹³C NMR of 2g



¹H NMR of 2h



¹³C NMR of 2h



¹H NMR of 2i



¹³C NMR of 2i



¹H NMR of 2j



¹³C NMR of 2j



¹H NMR of 2k



¹³C NMR of 2k





¹H NMR of 2l
¹³C NMR of 2l



¹H NMR of 2m



¹³C NMR of 2m



¹H NMR of 2n



¹³C NMR of 2n



¹H NMR of 20



¹³C NMR of 20



¹H NMR of 2p



¹³C NMR of 2p



¹H NMR of 2q



¹³C NMR of 2q



¹H NMR of 2r



¹³C NMR of 2r



¹H NMR of 2s



¹³C NMR of 2s



¹H NMR of 2t



¹³C NMR of 2t



¹H NMR of 2u



¹³C NMR of 2u



¹H NMR of 2v



¹³C NMR of 2v



¹⁹F NMR of 2v



¹H NMR of 2w



¹³C NMR of 2w



¹H NMR of 2x



¹³C NMR of 2x







¹³C NMR of 2y



¹H NMR of 2z



¹³C NMR of 2z



¹H NMR of 2aa



¹³C NMR of 2aa



¹H NMR of 2ab



¹³C NMR of 2ab



¹H NMR of 2ac



¹³C NMR of 2ac


¹H NMR of 2ad



¹³C NMR of 2ad



¹H NMR of 2ae



¹³C NMR of 2ae



¹H NMR of 2af



¹³C NMR of 2af



¹H NMR of 2ag



¹³C NMR of 2ag



¹H NMR of 2ah



¹³C NMR of 2ah



¹H NMR of 2ak



¹³C NMR of 2ak



¹H NMR of 2al



¹³C NMR of 2al







¹³C NMR of 2am







¹³C NMR of 2an



¹H NMR of 2ap



¹³C NMR of 2ap



¹H NMR of 2au



¹³C NMR of 2au



¹H NMR of 2av



¹³C NMR of 2av



¹H NMR of 2aw



¹³C NMR of 2aw



¹H NMR of 2ax



¹³C NMR of 2ax



¹H NMR of 2ay



¹³C NMR of 2ay



¹H NMR of 2az



¹³C NMR of 2az



¹H NMR of 2ba



¹³C NMR of 2ba



¹H NMR of 2bb



¹³C NMR of 2bb


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