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Supporting Information

Access to Chiral β-Amino Sulfones from Acrylamides and Sulfur Dioxide by Iron Catalysis

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1.General information

Unless otherwise noted, all reactions or reagents were obtained from commercial suppliers and used as received. Unless otherwise noted, all catalytic reactions were set up in an argon atmosphere glovebox (Vigor, SGI800-750TS-F). The substrates and reagents for catalytic reactions were degassed and stored in the glovebox, unless otherwise noted.

Thin Layer Chromatography analysis was performed on silica gel coated glass plates (0.25 mm) with fluorescence indicator UV254. For detection of spots, irradiation of UV light at 254 nm or staining reagent using phosphomolybdic acid solution was used. Flash column chromatography was conducted with silica gel 60 (particle size 230-400 mesh, Huanghai) at room temperature and under elevated pressure All workup and purification procedures were carried out with reagent-grade solvents in air.¹H, ¹⁹F, ¹³C NMR spectra were recorded in CDCl₃ on Bruker Avance 400 MHz spectrometers. High-resolution mass spectrometric measurements were provided by the Department of The State Key Laboratory of Biotherapy, Sichuan University. The molecular ion $[M+H]^+$, $[M+K]^+$ and $[M+Na]^+$ are given in m/z units. Column chromatography was generally performed on silica gel (200-300 mesh) and reactions were monitored by thin layer chromatography (TLC) using UV light to visualize the course of the reactions. Daltonics Inc. Enantiomer ratios were determined by UHPLC (Chiralpak IC-H, IA-H, IB-H columns were purchased from Daicel Chemical Industries, LTD.). Optical rotations were measured on an INESA SGW-1polarimeter, and reported as $[\alpha]\lambda$ T (concentration (c): g/100 mL, in CHCl₃).



2. General Procedure for the Synthesis of α, β-unsaturated amides

To a solution of the 2-aryl acrylic acid (5.0 mmol, 1.0 equiv.) in dry DCM (30 mL) at 0°C under N_2 was added dropwise oxalyl chloride (10.0 mmol, 2.0 equiv.) followed by a catalytic amount of dry DMF (3 drops). The reaction mixture was stirred at room temperature 3 hours. The volatiles were evaporated under reduced pressure and the resulting crude acid chloride was used directly for the next reaction without further purification.

To a solution of aniline (5.0 mmol, 1.0 equiv.) and Et₃N (1.1 mL, 7.5 mmol, 1.5 equiv) in DCM (50.0 mL) at 0°C was added dropwise a solution of acyl chloride (5.0 mmol, 1.0 equiv.) in DCM, the resulting mixture was stirred at room temperature for 3 hours. The mixture was diluted with DCM (20.0 mL) and washed with saturated NaHCO₃ (aq. 30.0 mL) and brine (30.0 mL) sequentially. The organic extracts were dried with anhydrous Na₂SO₄, filtered, and concentrated under reduced pressure to give the corresponding 2-aryl acrylic amide, which was purified by flash chromatography (PE/EA = 10:1 to 5:1).

α, β-unsaturated amides 1a-1w were synthesized in above-mentioned method. Spectral and physical data of $1a-1b^1$, $1d^2$, $1e^3$, $1f^4$, $1g-1o^5$, $1p^6$, $1q^7$, $1r^8$ match literature reported values.

2-phenyl-*N*-(3,4,5-trimethoxyphenyl)acrylamide (1c):



Isolated as white solid using petroleum ether/EtOAc (10:1) as eluent (1.28g, yield 85%). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.46 – 7.42 (m, 5H), 7.31 (s, 1H), 6.83 (s, 2H), 6.28 (s, 1H), 5.73 (s, 1H), 3.84 (s, 6H), 3.81 (s,

3H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 165.3, 153.5, 145.2, 136.8, 135.1, 133.9, 129.2, 129.1, 128.5, 123.7, 97.7, 61.1, 56.3; HRMS(ESI-TOF): *m/z* calculated for C₁₈H₁₉NO₄ [M+H]⁺: 314.1387, found: 314.1385.

N-(3-(benzyloxy)phenyl)-2-phenylacrylamide (1s):



Isolated as white solid using petroleum ether/EtOAc (10:1) as eluent (1.19g, yield 72%). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-d) δ 7.45 – 7.31 (m, 13H), 7.22 – 7.18 (m,

1H), 6.95 (dd, *J* = 7.6, 2.0 Hz, 1H), 6.75 (dd, *J* = 8.0, 2.4 Hz, 1H), 6.29 (s, 1H), 5.73 (s, 1H), 5.07 (s, 2H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 165.3, 159.5, 145.2, 139.0, 137.0, 136.7, 129.8, 129.1, 129.0, 128.7, 128.4, 128.1, 127.7, 123.6, 112.4, 111.5, 106.6, 70.2; HRMS(ESI-TOF): *m/z* calculated for C₂₂H₁₉NO₂ [M+H]⁺: 330.1489, found: 330.1489.

N-(6-chloropyridin-3-yl)-2-phenylacrylamide (1t):



Isolated as yellow solid using petroleum ether/EtOAc (10:1) as eluent (880 mg, yield 72%). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-d) δ 8.30 (dd, J = 2.8, 0.4 Hz, 1H), 8.19 (dd,

J = 8.4, 2.8 Hz, 1H), 7.50 – 7.41 (m, 6H), 7.30 (d, J = 8.8 Hz, 1H), 6.33 (d, J = 0.8 Hz, 1H), 5.77 (d, J = 0.8 Hz, 1H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 165.6, 146.4, 144.4, 140.9, 136.3, 133.8, 130.4, 129.3, 128.4, 124.8, 124.4. HRMS(ESI-TOF): m/z calculated for C₁₄H₁₁ClN₂O [M+H]⁺: 259.0633, found: 259.0635.

N-(4-isopropylphenyl)-2-phenylacrylamide (1u):

Isolated as white solid using petroleum ether/EtOAc (10:1) as eluent (915 mg, yield 69%) ¹H NMR (400 MHz,

^{*i*}Pr Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.46 – 7.40 (m, 7H), 7.34 (s, 1H), 7.18 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 6.28 (d, *J* = 1.2 Hz, 1H), 5.72 (d, *J* = 1.2 Hz, 1H), 2.91 – 2.84 (m, 1H), 1.24 (s, 3H), 1.23 (d, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 6H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 165.2, 145.5, 145.3, 136.8, 135.4, 129.0, 128.9, 128.4, 127.0, 123.3, 120.2, 33.7, 24.1; HRMS(ESI-TOF): *m/z* calculated for C₁₈H₁₉NO [M+H]⁺: 266.1539, found: 266.1539. *N*-(3,4-dichlorophenyl)-2-phenylacrylamide(1v):

Isolated as pale yellow solid using petroleum ether/ EtOAc (10:1) as eluent (1.14g, yield 78%). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-d) δ 7.76 (m, 1H), 7.47 – 7.39 (m, 6H), 7.35 (d, J = 1.6 Hz, 2H), 6.29 (d, J = 1.2 Hz, 1H), 5.75 (d, J = 1.2 Hz, 1H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, Chloroform-d) δ 165.4, 144.7, 137.2, 136.4, 132.9, 130.6, 129.23, 129.21, 128.4, 127.9, 124.3, 121.7, 119.3; HRMS(ESI-TOF): *m/z* calculated for C₁₅H₁₁Cl₂NO [M+H]⁺: 292.0290, found: 292.0293.

N-(benzo[d][1,3]dioxol-5-yl)-2-phenylacrylamide(1w):

Isolated as brown solid using petroleum ether/EtOAc (10:1) as eluent (868mg, yield 65%). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-d) δ 7.45 – 7.40 (m, 5H), 7.30 – 7.28 (m, 2H),

6.77 - 6.70 (m, 2H), 6.28 (d, J = 1.2 Hz, 1H), 5.94 (s, 2H), 5.71 (d, J = 1.2 Hz, 1H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 165.2, 148.0, 145.1, 144.7, 136.8, 132.0, 129.1, 129.0, 128.4, 123.5, 113.3, 108.2, 102.9, 101.5; HRMS(ESI-TOF): *m/z* calculated for C₁₆H₁₃NO₃ [M+H]⁺: 268.0968, found: 268.0969.

3.General procedure for the synthesis of substrates.



To a solution of the 2-bromoacrylic acid (755 mg, 5.0 mmol, 1.0 equiv) in dry DCM (20 mL) at 0°C under N₂ was added dropwise oxalyl chloride (0.85 mL, 10.0 mmol, 2.0 equiv) followed by a catalytic amount of DMF (2 drops). The reaction mixture was stirred at room temperature for 2 hours. The volatiles were evaporated under reduced pressure and the resulting crude acyl chloride was used directly for the next reaction without further purification.

To a solution of aniline (5.0 mmol, 1.0 equiv) and Et₃N (1.1 mL, 7.5 mmol, 1.5 equiv) in DCM (20.0 mL) at 0°C was added dropwise a solution of acyl chloride (5.0 mmol, 1.0 equiv) in DCM (5.0 mL), the resulting mixture was stirred at room temperature for 2 hours. The mixture was washed by H₂O, and the organic extracts were dried with anhydrous Na₂SO₄, filtered, and concentrated under reduced pressure. Finally, the residue was purified by column chromatography (PE/EA = 10:1) to give the desired 2-bromoacrylic amide (472 mg, 50% yield).

In glovebox, to a pressure bottle was added the 2-bromoacrylic amide (378 mg, 2.0 mmol, 1.0 equiv), aryl boronic acid (2.4 mmol, 1.2 equiv), $Pd(dppf)Cl_2$ (29 mg, 0.04 mmol, 0.02 equiv), K_2CO_3 (331 mg, 2.4 mmol, 1.2 equiv), dioxane (5.0 mL) and water (5.0 mL). The bottle was sealed and removed out of the glovebox and heated to 80°C for 6 hours in an oil bath. After 6 hours, the bottle was cooled to room temperature. The mixture was washed by brine, dried, concentrated and purified by column chromatography (PE/EA) to give the desired product.

α, β-unsaturated amides **1x-1ao** were synthesized in above-mentioned method. Spectral and physical data of **1x-1ab³**, **1ac⁴**, **1ad-1ae⁸**, **1af-1ak⁹**, **1al¹⁰**, **1am⁶**, **1an¹¹** match literature reported values.

2-(3-(*tert*-butyl)phenyl)-N-phenylacrylamide (1ao):

*t*Bu H Isolated as white solid using petroleum ether/EtOAc (10:1) as eluent (1.01 g, yield 75%). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.53 – 7.50 (m, 2H), 7.47 – 7.46 (m, 1H),

7.45 – 7.44 (m, 1H), 7.40 – 7.36 (m, 1H), 7.35 – 7.30 (m, 2H), 7.27 – 7.25 (m, 1H), 7.14 – 7.10 (m, 1H), 6.34 (d, *J* = 1.2 Hz, 1H), 5.73 (d, *J* = 1.2 Hz, 1H), 1.36 (s, 9H); ¹³**C NMR (100 MHz, Chloroform-***d***)** δ 165.3, 152.2, 145.5, 137.8, 136.6, 129.1, 128.8, 126.0, 125.7, 125.5, 124.7, 123.8, 120.0, 34.9, 31.5; **HRMS**(ESI-TOF): *m/z* calculated for C₁₉H₂₁NO [M+H]⁺: 280.1696, found: 280.1696.

4.General procedure for the synthesis of Cycloketone Oxime Esters



The ketone **S1** (5.0 mmol, 1.0 equiv.) and hydroxylamine hydrochloride (5.5 mmol, 1.1 equiv.) were placed in a 100 mL flask equipped with stirrer. The pH of the solution was held at 7–8 by adding saturated aq. sodium carbonate (10 mL). The resulting solution was stirred at 40°C. After extraction with DCM, the solution was dried over Na₂SO₄ and evaporated to provide crude products **S2** which were used in the next step without further purification.

At 0°C, to a solution of ketoxime **S2** (1.0 equiv.) in ultra-dry DCM was added Et₃N (2.0 equiv.), then add trifluoromethylbenzoyl chloride dropwise. The mixture was stirred at room temperature under Ar until the reaction was complete (TLC monitoring). The mixture was diluted with water and extracted with DCM. The aqueous layer was extracted with DCM and the combined organic extracts were washed with brine, dried over Na₂SO₄, the solvent was removed under vacuum and the residue was subjected to column chromatography on SiO₂ with EtOAc-Petroleum ether as an eluent to give cycloketone oxime esters substrates.

Cycloketone oxime esters substrate 2a-2g were synthesized in above-mentioned method. Spectral and physical data of 2a,2c-2d,2g¹², 2b¹³,2e¹⁴,2f¹⁵ match literature reported values.

5. General procedure for the synthesis of compounds 3a-3au:



In the glovebox, **1** (0.2 mmol, 1.0 equiv), **2** (0.3 mmol, 1.5 equiv), Fe(OTf)₂ (7.0 mg, 10.0 mol%), NaOtBu (48.0 mg, 2.5 equiv), chiral ligand L1(12.2mg, 12.0 mol%) were added to chamber B. Tetrabromothiophene *S*,*S*-dioxides (0.88 mmol, 380 mg) in tetradecane (1.0 mL) was added to chamber A, followed by addition of 4-methylphenylene (0.80 mmol, 105 μ l). The chamber A was sealed and removed out of the glovebox and heated to 100°C in heating mantle for 10 min. TMSN₃ (57.6 mg, 65.7ul, 2.5 equiv) resolved in DCM (1.0 mL) was added into chamber B. Then chamber B heated to 25°C in heating mantle for 12 hours. Upon completion, The residue was purified by flash silica gel column chromatography using petroleum ether/ethyl acetate as eluent to afford pure product **3**.

6. Characterization data of compounds (3a-3au):

(R)-2-azido-3-((3-cyanopropyl)sulfonyl)-N,2-diphenylpropanamide(3a):



Isolated as white solid using PE/ EA (2:1) as eluent (75.5 mg, yield 95%, 93:7 er), ^[α]D^{15.2} -9.7 (c 0.58, CHCl₃). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.51 (s, 1H), 7.53 – 7.49 (m, 5H), 7.47 – 7.46 (m, 1H), 7.45 – 7.44 (m, 1H), 7.36 – 7.31 (m, 2H),

7.18 – 7.14 (m, 1H), 4.67 (d, J = 14.4 Hz, 1H), 3.85 (d, J = 14.4 Hz, 1H), 3.25 – 3.17 (m, 2H), 2.58 – 2.50 (m, 2H), 2.25 – 2.17 (m, 2H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, Chloroformd) δ 166.2, 136.7, 136.6, 129.9, 129.8, 129.3, 125.7, 125.6, 120.7, 118.3, 69.6, 58.2, 53.6, 18.3, 16.3; HRMS(ESI): m/z calculated for C₁₉H₁₉N₅O₃S [M+H]⁺: 398.1281, found: 398.1286. HPLC (Daicel Chirapak IB column, hexane/isopropanol = 50/50, flow 1.0 mL/min, detection at 210 nm) retention time = 14.13 min (major) and 17.10 min (minor).

(R)-2-azido-3-((3-cyanopropyl)sulfonyl)-2-phenyl-N-(p-tolyl)propanamide(3b):



Isolated as white solid using PE/ EA (2:1) as eluent (77.4 mg, yield 94%, 91:9 er), ^[a]D^{15.3} -4.7 (c 0.86, CHCl₃). ¹H **NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ 8.52 (s, 1H), 7.52 – 7.48 (m, 2H), 7.47 – 7.41 (m, 3H), 7.38 (d, J = 2.0 Hz, 1H), 7.37

(d, J = 2.0 Hz, 1H), 7.13 – 7.10 (m, 2H), 4.73 (d, J = 14.4 Hz, 1H), 3.83 (d, J = 14.4 Hz, 1H), 3.25 – 3.12 (m, 2H), 2.51 – 2.36 (m, 2H), 2.31 (s, 3H), 2.19 – 2.11 (m, 2H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 166.2, 136.7, 135.3, 134.1, 129.8, 129.7, 129.6, 125.7, 120.7, 118.4, 69.4, 57.8, 53.5, 21.0, 18.2, 16.1; HRMS(ESI): m/z calculated for $C_{20}H_{21}N_5O_3S$ [M+H]⁺: 412.1438, found: 412.1439. HPLC (Daicel Chirapak IA column, hexane/isopropanol = 30/70, flow 1.0 mL/min, detection at 210 nm) retention time = 24.23 min (major) and 15.16 min (minor).

(R)-2-azido-3-((3-cyanopropyl)sulfonyl)-2-phenyl-N-(o-tolyl)propanamide(3c)



CN Isolated as white solid using PE/ EA (2:1) as eluent (76.5 mg, yield 93%, 90:10 er), ^[α]D^{15.2} -5.6 (c 0.72, CHCl₃). ¹H
 NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-d) δ 8.39 (s, 1H), 7.68 – 7.66 (m, 1H), 7.55 – 7.52 (m, 2H), 7.50 – 7.42 (m, 3H), 7.21

- 7.18 (m, 2H), 7.13 - 7.09 (m, 1H), 4.72 (d, J = 14.4 Hz, 1H), 3.84 (d, J = 14.4 Hz, 1H), 3.25 - 3.12 (m, 2H), 2.58 - 2.43 (m, 2H), 2.25 (s, 3H), 2.22 - 2.14 (m, 2H); ¹³C **NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ 166.3, 136.8, 134.7, 130.8, 130.3, 129.9, 129.7, 126.9, 126.2, 125.7, 123.2, 118.3, 69.7, 58.0, 53.6, 18.3, 17.6, 16.2; **HRMS**(ESI): m/z calculated for C₂₀H₂₁N₅O₃S [M+H]⁺: 412.1438 found: 412.1440. **HPLC** (Daicel Chirapak IA column, hexane/isopropanol = 30/70, flow 1.0 mL/min, detection at 210 nm) retention time = 16.29 min (major) and 10.35 min (minor).

(*R*)-2-azido-3-((3-cyanopropyl)sulfonyl)-*N*-(2,4-dimethylphenyl)-2phenylpropanamide(3d)



Isolated as white solid using PE/ EA (2:1) as eluent (79.9 mg, yield 94%, 88:12 er), ^[α]D^{16.4} -15.4 (c 0.57, CHCl₃). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl3) δ 8.31 (s, 1H), 7.55 – 7.52 (m, 2H), 7.49 – 7.45 (m, 4H), 7.00 – 6.98 (m, 2H), 4.71 (d, *J* = 14.4 Hz, 1H), 3.82 (d, *J* = 14.4 Hz, 1H), 3.23 –

3.13 (m, 2H), 2.55 – 2.44 (m, 2H), 2.28 (s, 3H), 2.21 – 2.14 (m, 5H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl3) δ 166.3, 136.8, 136.1, 132.0, 131.4, 130.5, 129.8, 129.7, 127.4, 125.7, 123.4, 118.3, 69.7, 58.1, 53.6, 21.0, 18.4, 17.5, 16.2; HRMS(ESI): *m/z* calculated for

 $C_{21}H_{23}N_5O_3S [M+H]^+$: 426.1594, found: 426.1597. **HPLC** (Daicel Chirapak IA column, hexane/isopropanol = 30/70, flow 1.0 mL/min, detection at 210 nm) retention time = 20.76 min (major) and 17.67 min (minor).

(*R*)-2-azido-3-((3-cyanopropyl)sulfonyl)-*N*-(4-methoxyphenyl)-2-phenylpropanamide(3e):



Isolated as white solid using PE/ EA (2:1) as eluent (81.2 mg, yield 95%, 90:10 er), ^[α]D^{15.2} -9.7 (c 0.58, CHCl₃). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.44 (s, 1H), 7.52 - 7.42 (m, 5H), 7.39 (d, J = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 6.85 (d, J= 8.8, 2H), 4.66 (d, J = 14.4, 1H), 3.84 (d, J = 14.4, 1H),

3.77 (s, 3H), 3.27 - 3.14 (m, 2H), 2.59 - 2.46 (m, 2H), 2.23 - 2.16 (m, 2H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 166.2, 157.4, 136.7, 129.8, 129.7, 125.7, 122.6, 118.3, 114.4, 69.5, 58.1, 55.6, 53.5, 18.3, 16.3; HRMS(ESI): *m/z* calculated for C₂₀H₂₁N₅O₄S [M+H]⁺: 428.1387, found: 428.1388. HPLC (Daicel Chirapak IA column, hexane/isopropanol = 30/70, flow 1.0 mL/min, detection at 210 nm) retention time = 18.34 min (major) and 27.57 min (minor).

(R)-2-azido-3-((3-cyanopropyl)sulfonyl)-2-phenyl-N-(3,4,5-

trimethoxyphenyl)propenamide(3f):



Isolated as white solid using PE/ EA (2:1) as eluent (92.6mg, yield 95%, 90:10 er), $^{[\alpha]}D^{16.1}$ -18.7 (c 0.47, CHCl₃). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-d) δ 8.49 (s, 1H), 7.49 – 7.43 (m, 5H), 6.83 (s, 2H), 4.63 (d, J = 14.4 Hz, 1H), 3.87 (d, J = 14.4 Hz, 1H), 3.82 (s, 6H), 3.79 (s, 3H), 3.27 – 3.22 (m, 2H), 2.61 – 2.58 (m, 2H), 2.28 –

2.21 (m, 2H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 166.0, 153.5, 136.5, 135.5, 132.9, 130.0, 129.8, 125.7, 118.2, 98.1, 69.5, 61.1, 58.1, 56.3, 53.6, 18.3, 16.4; HRMS(ESI): *m/z* calculated for C₂₂H₂₅N₅O₆S [M+H]⁺: 488.1598, found: 488.1602; HPLC (Daicel Chirapak IA column, hexane/isopropanol = 50/50, flow 1.0 mL/min, detection at 210 nm) retention time = 15.51 min (major) and 9.54 min (minor).

(*R*)-2-azido-*N*-(4-(*tert*-butyl)phenyl)-3-((3-cyanopropyl)sulfonyl)-2-phenylpropanamide(3g):



Isolated as white solid using PE/ EA (2:1) as eluent (84.3 mg, yield 93%, 91:9 er), ^[α]D^{16.4} -11.2 (c 0.67, CHCl₃). ¹H **NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-***d***)** δ 8.48 (s, 1H), 7.50 – 7.41 (m, 7H), 7.35 – 7.33 (m, 2H), 4.67 (d, *J* = 14.4 Hz, 1H), 3.86 (d, *J* = 14.4 Hz, 1H), 3.26 – 3.17 (m, 2H), 2.57

-2.51 (m, 2H), 2.24 -2.17 (m, 2H), 1.29 (s, 9H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 166.1, 148.6, 136.6, 134.1, 129.9, 129.7, 126.1, 125.7, 120.3, 118.3, 69.5, 58.1, 53.6, 34.6, 31.4, 18.4, 16.3; **HRMS**(ESI): *m/z* calculated for C₂₃H₂₇N₅O₃S [M+H]⁺: 454.1907, found: 454.1911. **HPLC** (Daicel Chirapak IA column, hexane/isopropanol = 30/70, flow 1.0 mL/min, detection at 210 nm) retention time = 21.69 min (major) and 12.82 min (minor).

(*R*)-2-azido-3-((3-cyanopropyl)sulfonyl)-*N*-(4-isopropylphenyl)-2-phenylpropanamide(3h):



Isolated as white solid using PE/ EA (2:1) as eluent (80.8 mg, yield 92%, 90:10 er), ^[α]D^{15.5} –4.4 (c 0.68, CHCl₃). ¹H **NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ 8.48 (s, 1H), 7.52 – 7.49 (m, 2H), 7.48 – 7.40 (m, 5H), 7.21 – 7.17 (m, 2H), 4.68 (d, *J* = 14.4 Hz, 1H), 3.85 (d, *J* = 14.4 Hz, 1H), 3.27 – 3.14 (m,

2H), 2.91 - 2.84 (m, 1H), 2.57 - 2.45 (m, 2H), 2.24 - 2.16 (m, 2H), 1.22 (s, 3H), 1.21 (s, 3H); ¹³**C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ 166.1, 146.4, 136.6, 134.4, 129.8, 129.7, 127.2, 125.7, 120.7, 118.3, 69.5, 58.1, 53.5, 33.8, 24.1, 18.3, 16.3; **HRMS**(ESI): *m/z* calculated for C₂₂H₂₅N₅O₃S [M+H]⁺:440.1751, found:440.1754. **HPLC** (Daicel Chirapak IA column, hexane/isopropanol = 30/70, flow 1.0 mL/min, detection at 210 nm) retention time = 23.25 min (major) and 13.46 min (minor).

(R)-2-azido-3-((3-cyanopropyl)sulfonyl)-N-(4-phenoxyphenyl)-

2phenylpropanamide(3i):



Isolated as white solid using PE/ EA (2:1) as eluent (88.1 mg, yield 90%, 89:11 er), ^[*a*]D^{16.4} -20.3(c 0.45, CHCl₃). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ = 8.49 (s, 1H), 7.53 – 7.42 (m, 7H), 7.34 – 7.30 (m, 2H), 7.11 – 7.07 (m, 1H), 6.98 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 4H), 4.65 (d, *J* = 14.4 Hz, 1H), 3.86 (d, *J*

=14.4 Hz, 1H), 3.30 – 3.19 (m, 2H), 2.65 – 2.53 (m, 2H), 2.28 – 2.21 (m, 2H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 166.2, 157.3, 154.7, 136.5, 132.1, 129.93, 129.90, 129.8, 125.7, 123.5, 122.5, 119.7, 118.8, 118.2, 69.5, 58.3, 53.6, 18.4, 16.4; HRMS(ESI): *m/z*

calculated for $C_{25}H_{23}N_5O_4S$ [M+H]⁺: 490.1544, found: 490.1546. **HPLC** (Daicel Chirapak IA column, hexane/isopropanol = 30/70, flow 1.0 mL/min, detection at 210 nm) retention time = 28.67 min (major) and 15.04 min (minor).

(*R*)-2-azido-*N*-(3-(benzyloxy)phenyl)-3-((3-cyanopropyl)sulfonyl)-2-phenylpropanamide(3j):



Isolated as white solid using PE/ EA (2:1) as eluent (78.4 mg, yield 78%, 90:10 er), $^{[\alpha]}D^{13.9}$ -10.1 (c 0.95, CHCl₃). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.62 (s, 1H), 7.55 – 7.52 (m, 2H), 7.51 – 7.33 (m, 9H), 7.30 – 7.23 (m, 1H),

7.09 (dd, J = 7.6, 2.0 Hz, 1H), 6.81 (dd, J = 8.0, 2.4 Hz, 1H), 5.06 (s, 2H), 4.74 (d, J = 14.4 Hz, 1H), 3.88 (d, J = 14.4 Hz, 1H), 3.29 – 3.16 (m, 2H), 2.56 – 2.42 (m, 2H), 2.23 – 2.15 (m, 2H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCI3) δ 166.3, 159.4, 137.9, 136.8, 136.5, 130.0, 129.8, 129.7, 128.6, 128.1, 127.6, 125.7, 118.4, 113.0, 111.9, 107.4, 70.1, 69.5, 57.9, 53.5, 18.2, 16.1; HRMS(ESI): *m/z* calculated for C₂₆H₂₅N₅O₄S [M+H]⁺: 504.1700, found: 504.1703. HPLC (Daicel Chirapak IA column, hexane/isopropanol = 50/50, flow 1.0 mL/min, detection at 210 nm) retention time = 28.57 min (major) and 20.53 min (minor).

(*R*)-2-azido-3-((3-cyanopropyl)sulfonyl)-*N*-(naphthalen-1-yl)-2phenylpropanamide(3k):



Isolated as white solid using PE/ EA (2:1) as eluent (85.0 mg, yield 95%, 93:7 er), ^[a]D^{16.0} -15.1 (c 0.32, CHCl₃). ¹H **NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-d)** δ 8.93 (s, 1H), 7.88 – 7.84 (m, 2H), 7.77 – 7.73 (m, 2H), 7.61 – 7.58 (m, 2H), 7.55 – 7.43 (m, 6H), 4.76 (d, *J* = 14.4 Hz, 1H), 3.84 (d, *J* = 14.4 Hz,

1H), 3.22 - 3.08 (m, 2H), 2.49 - 2.33 (m, 2H), 2.19 - 2.08 (m, 2H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 167.1, 136.8, 134.2, 131.3, 129.9, 129.8, 128.8, 127.8, 127.0, 126.5, 125.74, 125.66, 121.5, 121.0, 118.3, 69.8, 58.0, 53.6, 18.3, 16.1; HRMS(ESI): *m/z* calculated for C₂₃H₂₁N₅O₃S [M+H]⁺: 448.1438, found: 448.1440. HPLC (Daicel Chirapak IA column, hexane/isopropanol = 50/50, flow 1.0 mL/min, detection at 210 nm) retention time = 22.73 min (major) and 13.22 min (minor).

(*R*)-2-azido-3-((3-cyanopropyl)sulfonyl)-*N*-(naphthalen-2-yl)-2phenylpropanamide(3l):



Isolated as white solid using PE/ EA (2:1) as eluent (85.0 mg, yield 95%, 93:7 er), $^{[\alpha]}D^{13.8}$ -8.7 (c 0.73, CHCl₃). ¹H **NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ 8.68 (s, 1H), 8.17 (d, *J* = 2.4 Hz, 1H), 7.82 – 7.76 (m, 3H), 7.56 – 7.54 (m, 2H), 7.51 – 7.40 (m, 6H), 4.69 (d, *J* = 14.4 Hz, 1H), 3.88 (d, *J* = 14.4

Hz, 1H), 3.29 - 3.17 (m, 2H), 2.60 - 2.49 (m, 2H), 2.26 - 2.18 (m, 2H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 166.4, 136.6, 134.1, 133.7, 131.3, 123.0, 129.8, 129.1, 127.9, 127.7, 126.9, 125.7, 120.2, 118.2, 117.8, 69.6, 58.3, 53.6, 18.4, 16.4; HRMS(ESI): *m/z* calculated for C₂₃H₂₁N₅O₃S [M+H]⁺: 448.1438, found: 448.1439. HPLC (Daicel Chirapak IA column, hexane/isopropanol = 50/50, flow 1.0 mL/min, detection at 210 nm) retention time = 40.55 min (major) and 26.33 min (minor).

(*R*)-2-azido-3-((3-cyanopropyl)sulfonyl)-*N*-(4-fluorophenyl)-2-phenylpropanamide(3m):



Isolated as white solid using PE/ EA (2:1) as eluent (78.9 mg, yield 95%, 91:9 er), ^[α]D^{16.4} -12.1 (c 0.81, CHCl₃). ¹H **NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ 8.49 (s, 1H), 7.52 – 7.48 (m, 4H), 7.47 – 7.43 (m, 3H), 7.05 – 6.98 (m, 2H), 4.64 (d, *J* = 14.4 Hz, 1H), 3.86 (d, *J* = 14.4 Hz, 1H), 3.26 – 3.22 (m, 2H),

2.61 – 2.57 (m, 2H), 2.28 – 2.20 (m, 2H); ¹⁹F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl₃) δ -116.3; ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 166.4, 160.2(d, $J_{C-F} = 244$ Hz), 136.4, 132.7(d, $J_{C-F} = 3$ Hz), 130.0, 129.8, 125.7, 122.8(d, $J_{C-F} = 8$ Hz), 118.2, 116.0(d, $J_{C-F} = 23$ Hz), 69.5, 58.2, 53.6, 18.4, 16.4; HRMS(ESI): *m*/*z* calculated for C₁₉H₁₈FN₅O₃S [M+H]⁺: 416.1187, found:416.1188. HPLC (Daicel Chirapak IA column, hexane/isopropanol = 30/70, flow 1.0 mL/min, detection at 210 nm) retention time = 23.44 min (major) and 9.13 min (minor).

(*R*)-2-azido-*N*-(4-chlorophenyl)-3-((3-cyanopropyl)sulfonyl)-2phenylpropanamide(3n):



Isolated as white solid using PE/ EA (2:1) as eluent (79.4 mg, yield 92%, 91:9 er), ^[α]D^{15.8} -10.6 (c 0.33, CHCl₃). ¹H **NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ = 8.35 (s,1H), 7.32 – 7.28 (m, 5H), 7.27 – 7.23 (m, 2H), 7.12 – 7.10 (m, 1H), 7.09 – 7.08 (m, 1H), 4.46 (d, *J*=14.4 Hz, 1H), 3.68 (d, *J*=14.4 Hz, 1H),

3.11 – 3.00 (m, 2H), 2.46 – 2.33 (m, 2H), 2.08 – 2.01 (m, 2H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 166.4, 136.4, 135.3, 130.7, 130.0, 129.8, 129.3, 125.7, 122.0, 118.2, 69.5,

58.2, 53.6, 18.3, 16.4; **HRMS**(ESI): m/z calculated for C₁₉H₁₈ClN₅O₃S[M+H]⁺: 524.0248, found: 524.0253. **HPLC** (Daicel Chirapak IA column, hexane/isopropanol = 30/70, flow 1.0 mL/min, detection at 210 nm) retention time = 29.57 min (major) and 11.72 min (minor).

(R)-2-azido-3-((3-cyanopropyl)sulfonyl)-N-(3,4-dichlorophenyl)-2-

phenylpropanamide(3o):



Isolated as white solid using PE/ EA (2:1) as eluent (82.1 mg, yield 88%, 88:12 er), ^[α]D^{14.7} -12.8 (c 0.72, CHCl₃). ¹H **NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-***d***)** δ 8.58 (s, 1H), 7.76 (s, 1H), 7.47 - 7.29 (m, 7H), 4.64 (d, *J* = 14.0 Hz, 1H), 3.86 (d, *J* = 14.0 Hz, 1H), 3.28 - 3.25 (m, 2H), 2.62 - 2.58 (m,

2H), 2.28 - 2.21 (m, 2H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 166.5, 136.22, 136.16, 133.0, 130.7, 130.1, 129.9, 128.8, 125.6, 122.3, 119.9, 118.2, 69.5, 58.1, 53.7, 18.3, 16.4; HRMS(ESI): *m/z* calculated for C₁₉H₁₇Cl₂N₅O₃S [M+H]⁺: 466.0502, found: 466.0506. HPLC (Daicel Chirapak IA column, hexane/isopropanol = 50/50, flow 1.0 mL/min, detection at 210 nm) retention time = 24.00 min (major) and 10.20 min (minor).

(R)-2-azido-N-(4-bromophenyl)-3-((3-cyanopropyl)sulfonyl)-2-

phenylpropanamide(3p):



Isolated as white solid using PE/ EA (2:1) as eluent (89.5 mg, yield 94%, 90:10 er). ^[α]D^{16.4} -14.6 (c 0.62, CHCl₃) ¹H **NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-***d***)** δ 8.53 (s, 1H), 7.50 – 7.47 (m, 4H), 7.46 – 7.44 (m, 1H), 7.43 – 7.39 (m, 4H), 4.64 (d, *J* = 14.4 Hz, 1H), 3.86 (d, *J* = 14.4 Hz, 1H), 3.28 – 3.20

(m, 2H), 2.60 - 2.55 (m, 2H), 2.27 - 2.19 (m, 2H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 166.4, 136.3, 135.8, 132.2, 130.0, 129.8, 125.6, 122.3, 118.3, 118.2, 69.5, 58.2, 53.6, 18.3, 16.4; HRMS(ESI): *m/z* calculated for C₁₉H₁₈BrN₅O₃S [M+H]⁺:476.0386, found: 476.0391. HPLC (Daicel Chirapak IA column, hexane/isopropanol = 30/70, flow 1.0 mL/min, detection at 210 nm) retention time = 32.25 min (major) and 13.08 min (minor). (*R*)-2-azido-3-((3-cyanopropyl)sulfonyl)-*N*-(4-iodophenyl)-2-phenylpropanamide(3q):



Isolated as white solid using PE/ EA (2:1) as eluent (98.3 mg, yield 94%, 94:6 er), ^[α]D^{15.8} -15.4 (c 0.23, CHCl₃). ¹H **NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-d)** δ 8.50 (s, 1H), 7.64 – 7.62 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 7.50 – 7.47 (m, 4H), 7.46 – 7.43

(m, 1H), 7.29 (d, J = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 4.63 (d, J = 14.4 Hz, 1H), 3.85 (d, J = 14.4 Hz, 1H), 3.26 – 3.21 (m, 2H), 2.61 – 2.57 (m, 2H), 2.27 – 2.20 (m, 2H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 166.3, 138.2, 136.6, 136.3, 130.0, 129.8, 125.6, 122.5, 118.2, 89.1, 69.6, 58.2, 53.6, 18.4, 16.4; HRMS(ESI): m/z calculated for C₁₉H₁₈IN₅O₃S [M+H]⁺: 524.0248, found: 524.0253. HPLC (Daicel Chirapak IA column, hexane/isopropanol = 30/70, flow 1.0 mL/min, detection at 210 nm) retention time = 37.09 min (major) and 15.43 min (minor).

(*R*)-2-azido-*N*-(2-bromo-4-methoxyphenyl)-3-((3-cyanopropyl)sulfonyl)-2-phenylpropanamide(3r):



Isolated as white solid using PE/ EA (2:1) as eluent (81.1mg, yield 80%, 92:8 er), $^{[\alpha]}D^{16.4}$ -28.7 (c 0.95, CHCl₃). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) $\delta = 8.79$ (s, 1H), 7.96 (d, J = 9.2 Hz, 1H), 7.55 – 7.52 (m, 2H), 7.50 –

7.41 (m, 3H), 7.10 (d, J = 2.8 Hz, 1H), 6.84 (dd, J = 9.2, 2.8 Hz, 1H), 4.64 (d, J = 14.4 Hz, 1H), 3.88 (d, J = 14.4 Hz, 1H), 3.77 (s, 3H), 3.29 – 3.17 (m, 2H), 2.62 – 2.54 (m, 2H), 2.28 – 2.18 (m, 2H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 166.1, 157.5, 136.3, 129.9, 129.8, 128.0, 125.8, 123.8, 118.2, 117.9, 116.0, 114.1, 69.7, 58.2, 55.9, 53.6, 18.4, 16.4; HRMS(ESI): *m/z* calculated for C₂₀H₂₀BrN₅O₄S [M+H]⁺: 506.0492, found: 506.0498. HPLC (Daicel Chirapak IA column, hexane/isopropanol = 30/70, flow 1.0 mL/min, detection at 210 nm) retention time = 25.66 min (major) and 20.32 min (minor).

(*R*)-2-azido-3-((3-cyanopropyl)sulfonyl)-*N*-(3-fluoro-4-morpholinophenyl)-2phenylpropanamide(3s):



Isolated as white solid using PE/ EA (2:1) as eluent (93.1 mg, yield 93%, 93:7 er), ^[α]D^{16.3} -16.0 (c 0.44, CHCl₃). ¹H **NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ = 8.49 (s, 1H), 7.50 – 7.45 (m, 4H), 7.44 – 7.38 (m, 2H), 7.13 – 7.09 (m, 1H), 6.89 – 6.85 (m, 1H), 4.64 (d, *J* =14.4 Hz, 1H), 3.87 – 3.83 (m,

5H), 3.29 - 3.18 (m, 2H), 3.04 - 3.01 (m, 4H), 2.62 - 2.51 (m, 2H), 2.28 - 2.17 (m, 2H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 166.2, 155.4 (d, $J_{C-F} = 245$ Hz), 137.5 (d, $J_{C-F} = 9$ Hz), 136.4, 131.7 (d, $J_{C-F} = 11$ Hz), 129.9, 129.8, 125.7, 118.9 (d, $J_{C-F} = 4$ Hz), 118.3, 116.6 (d, $J_{C-F} = 3$ Hz), 109.7 (d, $J_{C-F} = 26.0$ Hz), 69.5, 67.0, 58.1, 53.6, 51.0 (d, $J_{C-F} = 3$ Hz), 18.3, 16.3; ¹⁹F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl₃) δ -120.46; HRMS(ESI): *m/z* calculated for C₂₃H₂₅FN₆O₄S [M+H]⁺: 501.1715, found: 501.1717. HPLC (Daicel Chirapak IA

column, hexane/isopropanol = 30/70, flow 1.0 mL/min, detection at 210 nm) retention time = 22.20min (major) and 17.08 min (minor).

(R)-2-azido-N-(3-chloro-4-((3-fluorobenzyl)oxy)phenyl)-3-((3-

cyanopropyl)sulfonyl)-2-phenylpropanamide(3t):



Isolated as white solid using PE/ EA (2:1) as eluent (104.5 mg, yield 94%, 90:10 er), $^{[\alpha]}D^{16.4}$ -22.1 (c 0.40, CHCl₃). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.48 (s, 1H), 7.63 (d, *J* = 2.8 Hz, 1H), 7.50 – 7.46 (m, 4H), 7.45 – 7.43 (m, 1H), 7.36 – 7.32 (m, 1H),

7.30 – 7.27 (m, 1H), 7.20 – 7.14 (m, 2H), 7.02 – 6.97 (m, 1H), 6.86 (d, J = 8.8 Hz, 1H), 5.09 (s, 2H), 4.65 (d, J = 14.0 Hz, 1H), 3.85 (d, J = 14.0 Hz, 1H), 3.26 – 3.22 (m, 2H), 2.60 – 2.54 (m, 2H), 2.26 – 2.20 (m, 2H); ¹⁹F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl₃) δ -112.6; ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 166.4, 163.1 (d, $J_{C-F} = 245$ Hz), 151.6, 139.0 (d, $J_{C-F} = 7$ Hz), 136.4, 130.8, 130.3(d, $J_{C-F} = 8$ Hz), 130.0, 129.8, 125.6, 123.7, 123.3, 122.5 (d, $J_{C-F} = 3$ Hz), 120.4, 118.3, 115.1 (d, $J_{C-F} = 21$ Hz), 114.4, 114.1(d, $J_{C-F} = 22$ Hz), 70.4, 69.5, 58.1, 53.6, 18.3, 16.3; HRMS(ESI): *m/z* calculated for C₂₆H₂₃ClFN₅O₄S [M+H]⁺: 556.1216, found: 556.1220. HPLC (Daicel Chirapak IA column, hexane/isopropanol = 30/70, flow 0.7 mL/min, detection at 210 nm) retention time = 20.9 min (major) and 18.57 min (minor).

(*R*)-2-azido-3-((3-cyanopropyl)sulfonyl)-2-phenyl-*N*-(4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl)propenamide(3u):



Isolated as white solid using PE/ EA (2:1) as eluent (86.6 mg, yield 93%, 88:12 er). ^[α]D^{15.6} -24.9 (c 0.37, CHCl₃). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO-*d*₆) δ 10.35 (s, 1H), 7.88 (d, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 2H), 7.70 (d, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 2H), 7.63 - 7.61 (m, 2H), 7.55 - 7.50 (m, 2H), 7.48 - 7.44

(m, 1H), 4.64 (d, J = 14.8 Hz, 1H), 4.57 (d, J = 14.8 Hz, 1H), 3.48 – 3.38 (m, 2H), 2.73 – 2.69 (m, 2H), 2.16 – 2.06 (m, 2H). ¹⁹F NMR (376 MHz, DMSO) δ -60.5; ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, DMSO) δ 167.2, 141.8, 136.5, 129.5, 129.2, 126.3, 125.9 (q, $J_{C-F} = 4$ Hz), 124.4 (q, $J_{C-F} = 32$ Hz), 124.3 (q, $J_{C-F} = 270$ Hz), 120.8, 119.8, 69.7, 56.9, 53.7, 18.0, 15.3. HRMS(ESI): m/z calculated for C₂₀H₁₈F₃N₅O₃S [M+H]⁺: 466.1155, found: 466.1161. HPLC (Daicel Chirapak IA column, hexane/isopropanol = 50/50, flow 1.0 mL/min, detection at 210 nm) retention time = 12.05 min (major) and 40.98 min (minor).

(R)-2-azido-N-(benzo[d][1,3]dioxol-5-yl)-3-((3-cyanopropyl)sulfonyl)-2-

phenylpropanamide(3v):



Isolated as white solid using PE/ EA (2:1) as eluent (74.1 mg, yield 84%, 90:10 er), ^[α]D^{14.4} -19.3 (c 0.75, CHCl₃). ¹H **NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ 8.43 (s, 1H), 7.51 – 7.42 (m, 5H), 7.15 (d, *J* = 2.4 Hz, 1H), 6.83 – 6.79 (m, 1H), 6.73

(dd, J = 8.4, 2.8 Hz, 1H), 5.94 (s, 2H), 4.65 (d, J = 14.4 Hz, 1H), 3.84 (d, J = 14.4 Hz, 1H), 3.28 – 3.16 (m, 2H), 2.60 – 2.49 (m, 2H), 2.25 – 2.18 (m, 2H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 166.2, 148.0, 145.3, 136.6, 130.8, 129.9, 129.7, 125.7, 118.3, 114.3, 108.3, 103.4, 101.6, 69.5, 58.1, 53.6, 18.3, 16.3; HRMS(ESI): *m/z* calculated for C₂₀H₁₉N₅O₅S [M+H]⁺: 442.1180, found: 442.1181. HPLC (Daicel Chirapak IA column, hexane/isopropanol = 30/70, flow 1.0 mL/min, detection at 210 nm) retention time = 24.91 min (major) and 14.78 min (minor).

(*R*)-2-azido-*N*-(5-chloropyridin-2-yl)-3-((3-cyanopropyl)sulfonyl)-2phenvlpropanamide(3w):



Isolated as white solid using PE/ EA (2:1) as eluent (77.0 mg, yield 89%, 86:14 er), ^[α]D^{14.2} -15.1 (c 0.74, CHCl₃). ¹H **NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ 8.68 (s, 1H), 8.45 (d, *J* = 2.8 Hz 1H), 8.02 (dd, *J* = 8.8 Hz , 2.8 Hz, 1H), 7.51 – 7.43 (m,

5H), 7.28 (s, 1H), 4.63 (d, J = 14.4 Hz, 1H), 3.88 (d, J = 14.4 Hz, 1H), 3.30 – 3.26 (m, 2H), 2.63 – 2.59 (m, 2H), 2.29 – 2.21 (m, 2H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 167.0, 147.2, 141.8, 136.0, 132.9, 130.9, 130.2, 129.9, 125.6, 124.5, 118.2, 69.5, 58.2, 53.8, 18.3, 16.4; HRMS(ESI): m/z calculated for C₁₈H₁₇ClN₆O₃S [M+H]⁺: 433.0844, found: 433.0847. HPLC (Daicel Chirapak IA column, hexane/isopropanol = 50/50, flow 1.0 mL/min, detection at 210 nm) retention time = 32.03 min (major) and 13.17 min (minor).

(*R*)-2-azido-3-((3-cyanopropyl)sulfonyl)-*N*-phenyl-2-(*p*-tolyl)propenamide(3x):



Isolated as white solid using PE/EA (2:1) as eluent (65.8 mg, yield 80%, 89:11 er), $^{[\alpha]}D^{16.1}$ -15.5 (c 0.70, CHCl₃). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ = 8.45 (s, 1H), 7.44 - 7.42 (m, 2H), 7.31 - 7.29 (m, 2H), 7.27 - 7.23 (m, 2H), 7.19 - 7.17 (m, 2H), 7.10 - 7.06 (m, 1H),

4.58 (d, *J*=14.4 Hz, 1H), 3.76 (d, *J*=14.4 Hz, 1H), 3.19 – 3.07 (m, 2H), 2.51 – 2.37 (m, 2H), 2.29 (s, 3H), 2.15 – 2.08 (m, 2H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 166.4, 140.0, 136.8, 133.6, 130.4, 129.2, 125.6, 125.5, 120.7, 118.3, 69.4, 58.1, 53.5, 21.2, 18.3, 16.3;

HRMS(ESI): m/z calculated for C₂₀H₂₁N₅O₃S [M+H]⁺: 412.1438, found:412.1440. **HPLC** (Daicel Chirapak IB column, hexane/isopropanol = 50/50, flow 1.0 mL/min, detection at 210 nm) retention time = 13.62 min (major) and 18.67 min (minor).

(*R*)-2-azido-3-((3-cyanopropyl)sulfonyl)-*N*-phenyl-2-(o-tolyl)propenamide(3y):



Isolated as white solid using PE/ EA (2:1) as eluent (62.5 mg, yield 76%, 92:8 er), ^[α]D^{16.1} -13.8 (c 0.53, CHCl₃). ¹H **NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-***d***)** δ 8.19 (s, 1H), 7.52 – 7.46 (m, 3H), 7.38 – 7.32 (m, 3H), 7.31 – 7.27 (m, 2H), 7.20

-7.15 (m, 1H), 4.37 (d, J = 14.4 Hz, 1H), 4.00 (d, J = 14.4 Hz, 1H), 3.11 -2.98 (m, 2H), 2.51 -2.39 (m, 5H), 2.17 -2.06 (m, 2H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 166.2, 136.5, 136.3, 133.6, 133.5, 130.1, 129.4, 127.5, 126.9, 125.7, 120.6, 118.2, 69.5, 58.0, 53.3, 20.9, 18.1, 16.3; HRMS(ESI): *m/z* calculated for C₂₀H₂₁N₅O₃S [M+H]⁺: 412.1438, found:412.1440. HPLC (Daicel Chirapak IB column, hexane/isopropanol = 30/70, flow 1.0 mL/min, detection at 210 nm) retention time = 13.40 min (major) and 15.62 min (minor).

(*R*)-2-azido-2-(3-(tert-butyl)phenyl)-3-((3-cyanopropyl)sulfonyl)-*N*-phenylpropanamide(3z):



Isolated as white solid using PE/ EA (2:1) as eluent (82.5 mg, yield 91%, 88:12 er), $^{[\alpha]}D^{16.4}$ -20.2(c 1.12, CHCl₃). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.52 (s, 1H), 7.52 - 7.49 (m, 3H), 7.47 - 7.44 (m, 1H), 7.40 -

7.29 (m, 4H), 7.18 – 7.14 (m, 1H), 4.66 (d, J = 14.4 Hz, 1H), 3.87 (d, J = 14.4 Hz, 1H), 3.27 – 3.14 (m, 2H), 2.58 – 2.47 (m, 2H), 2.24 – 2.15 (m, 2H), 1.33 (s, 9H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 166.4, 152.9, 136.8, 136.1, 129.4, 129.3, 127.0, 125.6, 122.9, 122.4, 120.8, 118.3, 69.8, 58.5, 53.5, 35.1, 31.4, 18.3, 16.3; HRMS(ESI): m/zcalculated for C₂₃H₂₇N₅O₃S [M+H]⁺: 454.1907, found: 454.1911. HPLC (Daicel Chirapak IBcolumn, hexane/isopropanol = 50/50, flow 1.0 mL/min, detection at 210 nm) retention time = 8.08 min (major) and 11.03 min (minor).

(*R*)-2-azido-3-((3-cyanopropyl)sulfonyl)-2-(3-methoxyphenyl)-*N*-phenylpropanamide(3aa):



Isolated as white solid using PE/ EA (2:1) as eluent (76.9 mg, yield 90%, 90:10 er), $^{[\alpha]}D^{15.1}$ -11.0 (c 0.76, CHCl₃). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.51 (s, 1H), 7.51 – 7.46 (m, 2H), 7.39 – 7.31 (m, 3H), 7.17 – 7.13

(m, 1H), 7.09 - 7.07 (m, 1H), 7.05 - 7.04 (m, 1H), 6.94 (dd, J = 8.0, 2.4 Hz, 1H), 4.68 (d, J = 14.4 Hz, 1H), 3.83 (d, J = 14.4 Hz, 1H), 3.80 (s, 3H), 3.25 - 3.13 (m, 2H), 2.55 - 2.44 (m, 2H), 2.22 - 2.14 (m, 2H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 166.2, 160.5, 138.0, 136.7, 130.8, 129.3, 125.6, 120.7, 118.3, 117.8, 114.6, 112.3, 69.4, 58.0, 55.6, 53.5, 18.3, 16.2; HRMS(ESI): m/z calculated for $C_{20}H_{21}N_5O_4S$ [M+H]⁺: 428.1387, found: 428.1388. HPLC (Daicel Chirapak IA column, hexane/isopropanol = 30/70, flow 1.0 mL/min, detection at 210 nm) retention time =27.25 min (major) and 8.84 min (minor).

2-azido-3-((3-cyanopropyl)sulfonyl)-*N*-phenyl-2-(4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl)propenamide(3ab):



Isolated as white solid using PE/ EA (2:1) as eluent (85.6 mg, yield 92%, 93:7 er), $^{[\alpha]}D^{14.2}$ -4.3 (c 0.40, CHCl₃). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.53 (s, 1H), 7.73 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 7.68 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 7.48 (d, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 7.36 - 7.31 (m, 2H), 7.19 - 7.15

(m, 1H), 4.73 (d, J = 14.4 Hz, 1H), 3.82 (d, J = 14.4 Hz, 1H), 3.33 – 3.20 (m, 2H), 2.61 – 2.46 (m, 2H), 2.27 – 2.18 (m, 2H); ¹⁹F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl₃) δ -63.0; ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 165.6, 140.6, 136.5, 132.1(q, $J_{C-F} = 33$ Hz), 129.4, 126.7(q, $J_{C-F} = 4$ Hz), 126.4, 125.9, 123.6(q, $J_{C-F} = 271$ Hz), 120.7, 118.2, 69.2, 57.9, 53.7, 18.3, 16.3; HRMS(ESI): m/z calculated for C₂₀H₁₈F₃N₅O₃S [M+H]⁺: 466.1155, found: 466.1158. HPLC (Daicel Chirapak IB column, hexane/isopropanol = 30/70, flow 1.0 mL/min, detection at 210 nm) retention time = 11.97 min (major) and 20.71 min (minor).

(R)-2-azido-3-((3-cyanopropyl)sulfonyl)-N-phenyl-2-(4-

(trifluoromethoxy)phenyl)propenamide(3ac):



Isolated as white solid using PE/ EA (2:1) as eluent (86.7 mg, yield 90%, 92:8 er), $^{[\alpha]}D^{14.2}$ -11.8 (c 0.95, CHCl₃). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.57 (s, 1H), 7.58 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 7.49 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 7.35 - 7.28 (m, 4H), 7.18-7.15 (m 1H), 4.75 (d,

J = 14.0 Hz, 1H), 3.80 (d, J = 14.0 Hz, 1H), 3.30 – 3.16 (m, 2H), 2.56 – 2.39 (m, 2H), 2.23 – 2.13 (m, 2H); ¹⁹F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl₃) δ -57.8; ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 166.0, 150.0 (q, $J_{C-F} = 2$ Hz), 136.6, 135.3, 129.3, 127.6, 125.8, 121.8, 120.8, 120.4 (q, $J_{C-F} = 256$ Hz), 118.3, 69.0, 57.8, 53.6, 18.2, 16.2; HRMS(ESI): m/zcalculated for C₂₀H₁₈F₃N₅O₄S [M+H]⁺: 482.1104, found: 482.1108. HPLC (Daicel Chirapak IB column, hexane/isopropanol = 30/70, flow 1.0 mL/min, detection at 210 nm) retention time = 7.82 min (major) and 12.65 min (minor).

(R)-2-azido-2-(4-cyanophenyl)-3-((3-cyanopropyl)sulfonyl)-N-

phenylpropanamide(3ad):



Isolated as white solid using PE/ EA (2:1) as eluent (75.2 mg, yield 85%, 93:7 er), $^{[\alpha]}D^{15.6}$ -9.6 (c 0.57, CHCl₃). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.46 (s, 1H), 7.77 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 7.68 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 7.49 - 7.46 (m, 2H), 7.36 - 7.32 (m, 2H), 7.20 - 7.16

(m, 1H), 4.62 (d, J = 14.4 Hz, 1H), 3.82 (d, J = 14.4 Hz, 1H), 3.34 – 3.22 (m, 2H), 2.65 – 2.53 (m, 2H), 2.30 – 2.21 (m, 2H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 165.2, 141.5, 136.4, 133.4, 129.4, 126.7, 125.9, 120.7, 118.2, 117.8, 114.0, 69.2, 57.8, 53.7, 18.3, 16.3; HRMS(ESI): m/z calculated for C₂₀H₁₈N₆O₃S [M+H]⁺: 423.1234, found: 423.1234. HPLC (Daicel Chirapak IA column, hexane/isopropanol = 30/70, flow 0.7 mL/min, detection at 210 nm) retention time = 11.51 min (major) and 30.99 min (minor). Methyl (*R*)-4-(2-azido-3-((3-cyanopropyl)sulfonyl)-1-oxo-1-

(phenylamino)propan-2-yl)benzoat(3ae):



Isolated as white solid using PE/ EA (2:1) as eluent (68.3 mg, yield 75%, 93:7 er), ^[α]D^{14.4} -19.8 (c 0.99, CHCl₃). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.53 (s, 1H), 8.11 (dd, J = 6.8, 1.6 Hz, 2H), 7.61 (dd, J = 6.8, 2.0 Hz, 2H), 7.50 – 7.46 (m, 2H), 7.35 – 7.30 (m,

2H), 7.18 - 7.14 (m, 1H), 4.71 (d, J = 14.4 Hz, 1H), 3.93 (s, 3H), 3.84 (d, J = 14.0 Hz, 1H), 3.30 - 3.18 (m, 2H), 2.59 - 2.45 (m, 2H), 2.25 - 2.17 (m, 2H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 166.1, 165.7, 141.2, 136.6, 131.5, 130.8, 129.3, 125.9, 125.8, 120.8, 118.3, 69.4, 57.8, 53.6, 52.6, 18.3, 16.3; HRMS(ESI): *m/z* calculated for C₂₁H₂₁N₅O₅S [M+H]⁺: 428.1387, found: 428.1388. HPLC (Daicel Chirapak IB column, hexane/isopropanol = 30/70, flow 1.0 mL/min, detection at 210 nm) retention time = 15.48 min (major) and 22.56 min (minor).

Methyl(*R*)-3-(2-azido-3-((3-cyanopropyl)sulfonyl)-1-oxo-1-(phenylamino)propan-2-yl)benzoate(3af):



Isolated as white solid using PE/ EA (2:1) as eluent (76.9 mg, yield 85%, 93:7 er), ^[α]D^{14.4} -16.7 (c 0.78, CHCl₃). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.59 (s, 1H), 8.19 (s, 1H), 8.09 (d, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 1H),

7.73 (dd, J = 9.2, 1.2 Hz, 1H), 7.54 (d, J = 7.6 Hz, 1H), 7.49 (d, J = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 7.34 – 7.30 (m, 2H), 7.17 – 7.14 (m, 1H), 4.78 (d, J = 14.0 Hz, 1H), 3.91 (s, 3H), 3.86 (d, J = 14.0 Hz, 1H), 3.29 – 3.20 (m, 2H), 2.56 – 2.47 (m, 2H), 2.25 – 2.16 (m, 2H); ¹³C **NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ 166.2, 165.9, 137.4, 136.6, 131.6, 130.9, 130.2, 129.9, 129.3, 126.8, 125.7, 120.8, 118.3, 69.2, 57.8, 53.7, 52.6, 18.3, 16.2; **HRMS**(ESI): *m/z* calculated for C₂₁H₂₁N₅O₅S [M+H]⁺: 456.1336, found: 456.1340. **HPLC** (Daicel Chirapak IB column, hexane/isopropanol = 50/50, flow 1.0 mL/min, detection at 210 nm) retention time =11.69 min (major) and 17.73 min (minor).

(*R*)-2-azido-3-((3-cyanopropyl)sulfonyl)-2-(4-nitrophenyl)-*N*-phenylpropanamide(3ag):



Isolated as white solid using PE/ EA (2:1) as eluent (75.2 mg, yield 85%, 93:7 er), $^{[\alpha]}D^{14.4}$ -12.7 (c 1.20, CHCl₃) ¹**H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ 8.54 (s, 1H), 8.30 – 8.27 (m, 2H), 7.77 – 7.73 (m, 2H), 7.48 – 7.45 (m, 2H), 7.34 – 7.29 (m, 2H), 7.19 – 7.15 (m, 1H), 4.70

(d, J = 14.4 Hz, 1H), 3.86 (d, J = 14.4 Hz, 1H), 3.34 – 3.21 (m, 2H), 2.62 – 2.47 (m, 2H), 2.26 – 2.18 (m, 2H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 165.2, 148.5, 143.3, 136.3, 129.4, 127.2, 126.0, 124.7, 120.8, 118.3, 69.1, 57.6, 53.7, 18.2, 16.3; HRMS(ESI): m/z calculated for C₁₉H₁₈N₆O₅S [M+H]⁺: 443.1132, found: 443.1134. HPLC (Daicel Chirapak IB column, hexane/isopropanol = 30/70, flow 1.0 mL/min, detection at 210 nm) retention time = 17.85 min (major) and 36.99 min (minor).

(*R*)-2-azido-3-((3-cyanopropyl)sulfonyl)-2-(4-fluorophenyl)-*N*-phenylpropanamide(3ah):



Isolated as white solid using PE/EA (2:1) as eluent (74.8mg, yield 90%, 90:10 er). ^[α]D^{14.1} -10.4 (c 0.84, CHCl₃). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.55 (s, 1H), 7.52 – 7.47 (m, 4H), 7.35 – 7.30 (m, 2H), 7.18 – 7.12 (m, 3H), 4.68 (d, *J* = 14.4 Hz, 1H), 3.82 (d, *J* = 14.4 Hz, 1H), 3.28

- 3.16 (m, 2H), 2.57 – 2.43 (m, 2H), 2.24 – 2.13 (m, 2H); ¹⁹F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl₃) δ -110.8; ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 166.2, 163.2(d, *J*_{C-F} = 249 Hz), 136.6, 132.6 (d, $J_{C-F} = 3$ Hz), 129.3, 127.9 (d, $J_{C-F} = 8$ Hz), 125.7, 120.7, 118.4, 116.7 (d, $J_{C-F} = 21$ Hz), 69.0, 57.8, 53.6, 18.2, 16.1; **HRMS**(ESI): m/z calculated for C₁₉H₁₈FN₅O₃S [M+H]⁺: 416.1187, found: 416.1186; **HPLC** (Daicel Chirapak IB column, hexane/isopropanol = 50/50, flow 1.0 mL/min, detection at 210 nm) retention time = 13.03 min (major) and 20.95 min (minor).

(*R*)-2-azido-2-(4-chlorophenyl)-3-((3-cyanopropyl)sulfonyl)-*N*-phenylpropanamide(3ai):



Isolated as white solid using PE/ EA (2:1) as eluent (79.4 mg, yield 92%, 92:8 er), $^{[\alpha]}D^{16.4}$ -15.3 (c 0.70, CHCl₃). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.49 (s, 1H), 7.50 - 7.42 (m, 6H), 7.36 - 7.31 (m, 2H), 7.19 - 7.15 (m, 1H), 4.65 (d, *J* = 14.4 Hz, 1H), 3.80 (d, *J* = 14.4

Hz, 1H), 3.30 - 3.17 (m, 2H), 2.61 - 2.47 (m, 2H), 2.25 - 2.17 (m, 2H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 165.9, 136.6, 136.1, 135.2, 129.9, 129.3, 127.2, 125.8, 120.7, 118.2, 69.1, 57.9, 53.6, 18.3, 16.3; HRMS(ESI): *m/z* calculated for C₁₉H₁₈ClN₅O₃S [M+H]⁺: 432.0892, found: 432.0892. HPLC (Daicel Chirapak IB column, hexane/isopropanol = 50/50, flow 1.0 mL/min, detection at 210 nm) retention time = 14.17 min (major) and 23.00 min (minor).

(*R*)-2-azido-2-(4-bromophenyl)-3-((3-cyanopropyl)sulfonyl)-*N*-phenylpropanamide(3aj):



Isolated as white solid using PE/ EA (2:1) as eluent (85.7 mg, yield 90%, 92:8 er), $^{[\alpha]}D^{16.0}$ -16.7 (c 0.73, CHCl₃). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.48 (s, 1H), 7.60 (dd, J = 6.8 Hz, 2.0 Hz, 2H), 7.50 – 7.47 (m, 2H), 7.40 (dd, J

= 6.8, 2.0 Hz, 2H), 7.36 – 7.31 (m, 2H), 7.19 – 7.15 (m, 1H), 4.63 (d, J = 14.4 Hz, 1H), 3.79 (d, J = 14.4 Hz, 1H), 3.30 – 3.18 (m, 2H), 2.62 – 2.48 (m, 2H), 2.26 – 2.18 (m, 2H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 165.8, 136.6, 135.7, 132.9, 129.3, 127.4, 125.8, 124.4, 120.7, 118.2, 69.2, 57.9, 53.6, 18.3, 16.3; HRMS(ESI): m/z calculated for C₁₉H₁₈BrN₅O₃S [M+H]⁺: 476.0386, found: 476.0389. HPLC (Daicel Chirapak IB column, hexane/isopropanol = 50/50, flow 1.0 mL/min, detection at 210 nm) retention time = 15.83 min (major) and 25.13 min (minor).

(*R*)-2-(4-acetylphenyl)-2-azido-3-((3-cyanopropyl)sulfonyl)-*N*-phenylpropanamide(3ak):



Isolated as white solid using PE/ EA (2:1) as eluent (75.6 mg, yield 86%, 94:6 er), $^{[\alpha]}D^{14.3}$ -19.9 (c 0.51, CHCl₃). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.50 (s, 1H), 8.03 (d, J = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 7.64 (d, J = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 7.48 (d, J = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 7.35 – 7.31 (m, 2H), 7.19 – 7.15

(m, 1H), 4.69 (d, J = 14.4 Hz, 1H), 3.85 (d, J = 14.4 Hz, 1H), 3.31 – 3.18 (m, 2H), 2.61 (s, 3H), 2.58 – 2.49 (m, 2H), 2.26 – 2.19 (m, 2H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 197.1, 165.6, 141.2, 138.0, 136.5, 129.6, 129.3, 126.2, 125.8, 120.7, 118.2, 69.4, 57.9, 53.7, 26.9, 18.3, 16.3; HRMS(ESI): m/z calculated for C₂₁H₂₁N₅O₄S [M+H]⁺: 440.1387, found: 440.1389. HPLC (Daicel Chirapak IB column, hexane/isopropanol = 30/70, flow 1.0 mL/min, detection at 210 nm) retention time = 18.52 min (major) and 33.23 min (minor).

(*R*)-2-azido-3-((3-cyanopropyl)sulfonyl)-*N*-phenyl-2-(4-(trimethylsilyl)phenyl)propenamide(3al):



Isolated as white solid using PE/ EA (2:1) as eluent (79.8 mg, yield 85%, 91:9 er). ^[α]D^{16.3} -16.5 (c 0.88, CHCl₃). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.51 (s, 1H), 7.60 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 7.52 – 7.47 (m, 4H), 7.35 – 7.31 (m, 2H), 7.17 – 7.13 (m, 1H), 4.69 (d, *J* =

14.4 Hz, 1H), 3.83 (d, J = 14.4 Hz, 1H), 3.27 – 3.18 (m, 2H), 2.59 – 2.50 (m, 2H), 2.25 – 2.18 (m, 2H), 0.27 (s, 9H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 166.2, 143.0, 136.9, 136.8, 134.7, 129.3, 125.5, 124.8, 120.6, 118.3, 69.6, 58.1, 53.5, 18.3, 16.3, -1.2; HRMS(ESI): *m/z* calculated for C₂₂H₂₇N₅O₃SSi [M+H]⁺: 470.1677, found: 470.1681. HPLC (Daicel Chirapak IB column, hexane/isopropanol = 50/50, flow 1.0 mL/min, detection at 210 nm) retention time = 10.21 min (major) and 15.52 min (minor).

(*R*)-2-([1,1'-biphenyl]-4-yl)-2-azido-3-((3-cyanopropyl)sulfonyl)-*N*-phenylpropanamide(3am):



Isolated as white solid using PE/ EA (2:1) as eluent (80.5 mg, yield 85%, 90:10 er), $^{[\alpha]}D^{16.4}$ -26.2 (c 0.43, CHCl₃). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.57 (s, 1H), 7.68 – 7.66 (m, 2H), 7.60 – 7.52 (m, 6H), 7.46 – 7.43 (m, 2H), 7.40 – 7.32 (m, 3H), 7.19 – 7.15

(m, 1H), 4.76 (d, J = 14.4 Hz, 1H), 3.88 (d, J = 14.4 Hz, 1H), 3.28 – 3.22 (m, 2H), 2.56

-2.47 (m, 2H), 2.26 -2.19 (m, 2H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 166.3, 142.8, 139.7, 136.7, 135.5, 129.3, 129.1, 128.3, 128.2, 127.3, 126.2, 125.6, 120.7, 118.3, 69.4, 58.1, 53.6, 18.3, 16.3; HRMS(ESI): *m/z* calculated for C₂₅H₂₃N₅O₃S [M+H]⁺: 474.1594, found: 474.1601. HPLC (Daicel Chirapak IB column, hexane/isopropanol = 50/50, flow 1.0 mL/min, detection at 210 nm) retention time = 23.58 min (major) and 37.23 min (minor).

(*R*)-2-azido-3-((3-cyanopropyl)sulfonyl)-2-(naphthalen-2-yl)-*N*-phenylpropanamide(3an):



Isolated as white solid using PE/ EA (2:1) as eluent (75.1 mg, yield 84%, 90:10 er), $^{[\alpha]}D^{16.3}$ -23.8 (c 0.87, CHCl₃). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.60 (s, 1H), 7.97 – 7.96 (m, 1H), 7.90 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 1H),

7.86 – 7.84 (m, 2H), 7.62 – 7.50 (m, 5H), 7.36 – 7.30 (m, 2H), 7.18 – 7.12 (m, 1H), 4.83 (d, J = 14.4 Hz, 1H), 3.97 (d, J = 14.4 Hz, 1H), 3.28 – 3.20 (m, 2H), 2.55 – 2.45 (m, 2H), 2.24 – 2.17 (m, 2H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 166.3, 136.7, 133.8, 133.4, 133.1, 130.0, 129.3, 128.7, 127.8, 127.7, 127.3, 125.6, 125.5, 122.6, 120.7, 118.3, 69.7, 58.1, 53.6, 18.3, 16.3; HRMS(ESI): m/z calculated for C₂₃H₂₁N₅O₃S [M+H]⁺: 448.1438, found: 448.1440. HPLC (Daicel Chirapak IA column, hexane/isopropanol = 50/50, flow 1.0 mL/min, detection at 210 nm) retention time = 37.04 min (major) and 14.95 min (minor).

(*R*)-2-azido-3-((3-cyanopropyl)sulfonyl)-*N*-phenyl-2-(thiophen-3-yl)propenamide(3ao):



Isolated as white solid using PE/ EA (2:1) as eluent (71.8 mg, yield 89%, 83:17 er), $^{[\alpha]}D^{14.2}$ -9.4 (c 0.86 CHCl₃). ¹H **NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ 8.57 (s, 1H), 7.52 – 7.50 (m, 2H), 7.44 – 7.42 (m, 2H), 7.36 – 7.31 (m, 2H), 7.18 – 7.14

(m, 2H), 4.62 (d, J = 14.4 Hz, 1H), 3.84 (d, J = 14.4 Hz, 1H), 3.26 – 3.15 (m, 2H), 2.57 – 2.43 (m, 2H), 2.23 – 2.14 (m, 2H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 165.8, 137.4, 136.7, 129.3, 128.3, 125.6, 125.0, 123.8, 120.7, 118.3, 67.5, 58.1, 53.5, 18.3, 16.2; HRMS(ESI): m/z calculated for C₁₇H₁₇N₅O₃S₂ [M+H]⁺: 404.0846, found: 404 0845. HPLC (Daicel Chirapak IB column, hexane/isopropanol = 50/50, flow 1.0 mL/min, detection at 210 nm) retention time = 15.47 min (major) and 18.57 min (minor).

Tert-butyl

(R)-3-(((2-azido-3-oxo-2-phenyl-3-(phenylamino)propyl)sulfonyl)methyl)-3-(cyanomethyl)azetidine-1-carboxylate (**3ap**):



Isolated as white solid using PE/ EA (2:1) as eluent (99.1 mg, yield 92%, 87:13 er), ^[α]D^{14.2} -12.0 (c 1.24, CHCl₃). ¹H **NMR (600 MHz, Chloroform-d)** δ 8.49 (s, 1H), 7.51 – 7.43 (m, 7H), 7.34 – 7.32 (m, 2H), 7.17 – 7.15 (m, 1H), 4.6 (d, J = 14.4 Hz, 1H), 3.98 – 3.96 (m, 2H), 3.91 (d, J = 15.0 Hz, 1H), 3.81 - 3.78 (m, 2H), 3.62 (d, J = 13.8 Hz, 1H),

3.50 - 3.47 (m, 1H), 3.08 (q, J = 16.8 Hz, 2H), 1.43 (s, 9H); ¹³C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 166.2, 155.9, 136.7, 136.3, 130.0, 129.8, 129.3, 125.72, 125.66, 120.7, 116.7, 80.6, 69.7, 60.6, 59.2, 33.6, 28.4, 25.9; HRMS(ESI): m/z calculated for C₂₆H₃₀N₆O₅S [M+Na]⁺: 561.1891, found: 561.1891. HPLC (Daicel Chirapak IB column, hexane/isopropanol = 50/50, flow 1.0 mL/min, detection at 210 nm) retention time = 26.95 min (major) and 11.75 min (minor).

tert-butyl

(R)-4-(((2-azido-3-oxo-2-phenyl-3-

(phenylamino)propyl)sulfonyl)methyl)-4-(cyanomethyl)piperidine-1carboxylate(3aq):



Isolated as white solid using PE/ EA (2:1) as eluent (103.1mg, yield 91%, 82:18 er), ^[a]D^{14.3} -12.1 (c 0.77, CHCl₃). ¹H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.56 (s, 1H), 7.52 – 7.50 (m, 4H), 7.46 – 7.40 (m, 3H), 7.33 – 7.71 (m, 2H), 7.16 -7.13 (m, 1H), 4.67 (d, J = 14.4 Hz, 1H), 3.90 (d, J = 14.4Hz, 1H), 3.55 – 3.45 (m, 2H), 3.38 (d, *J* = 14.4 Hz, 1H), 3.26

-3.18 (m, 3H), 3.00 (d, J = 11.2 Hz, 1H), 2.76 (d, J = 11.6 Hz,), 1.86 -1.75 (m, 2H), 1.61 – 1.55 (m, 2H), 1.44 (s, 9H); ¹³C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 166.3, 166.2, 154.6, 136.7, 136.5, 129.8, 129.7, 129.2, 125.8, 125.5, 120.6, 117.2, 80.1, 69.7, 60.9, 58.1, 36.1, 34.2, 28.5, 26.9; **HRMS**(ESI): m/z calculated for C₂₈H₃₄N₆O₅S [M+Na]⁺: 589.2204, found: 589.2205. HPLC (Daicel Chirapak IB column, hexane/isopropanol = 50/50, flow 1.0 mL/min, detection at 210 nm) retention time = 10.70 min (major) and 8.93 min (minor).

(1-(((R)-2-azido-3-oxo-2-phenyl-3-(phenylamino)propyl)sulfonyl)-3-Benzyl cyanopropan-2-yl)carbamate (3ar):



Isolated as white solid using PE/ EA (2:1) as eluent (81.2 mg, yield 95%, 90:10 er/90:10 er, d.r.=1:1). ^[α]D^{14.3} -11.0 (c1.04, CHCl₃).¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.57 (d, J = 6.8 Hz, 2H), 7.49 – 7.45 (m, 8H), 7.43 – 7.39 (m, 6H), 7.32 – 7.29 (m, 14H), 7.17 – 7.13 (m, 2H), 6.02 (d, J = 8.0 Hz, 1H), 5.73 (d, J = 8.0 Hz,

1H), 5.10 – 5.09 (m, 4H), 4.87 (d, J = 14.4 Hz, 1H), 4.79 (d, J = 14.4 Hz, 1H), 4.52 – 4.44 (m, 2H), 3.89 (d, J = 14.4 Hz, 1H), 3.83 (d, J = 14.4 Hz, 1H), 3.59 – 3.54 (m, 2H), 3.51 – 3.46 (m, 1H), 3.37 – 3.24 (m, 2H), 2.82 – 2.76 (m, 1H), 2.70 – 2.66 (m, 2H); ¹³C **NMR (100 MHz, CDCl3)** & 166.6, 166.5, 155.6, 136.7, 136.6, 136.51, 136.48, 135.91, 135.86, 129.8, 129.7, 129.34, 129.32, 128.7, 128.50, 128.45, 128.3, 128.2, 125.80, 125.76, 125.72, 125.68, 120.9, 116.6, 69.5, 67.6, 67.5, 59.0, 58.5, 57.1, 57.0, 44.2, 43.9, 23.2, 23.1; **HRMS**(ESI): *m/z* calculated for C₂₇H₂₆N₆O₅S [M+H]⁺: 547.1758, found: 547.1763. **HPLC** (Daicel Chirapak IB column, hexane/isopropanol = 50/50, flow 0.5 mL/min, detection at 210 nm) retention time = 30.18 min (major), 33.65 min (major), 51.60 min (minor), 27.35min (minor)

tert-butyl 3-(((*R*)-2-azido-3-oxo-2-phenyl-3-(phenylamino)propyl)sulfonyl)-2-(cyanomethyl)propanoate (3as):



Isolated as white solid using PE/ EA (2:1) as eluent (90.6 mg, yield 91%, 87:13 er/89:11 er, d.r.=1:1). ^[α]D^{15.6} -5.5 (c 1.34, CHCl₃) ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.52 (s, 2H), 7.52 – 7.48 (m, 10H), 7.47 – 7.46 (m, 2H), 7.45 – 7.43 (m, 2H), 7.34 – 7.30 (m, 4H), 7.17 – 7.12 (m, 2H), 4.73 (d, *J* =

10.8 Hz, 1H), 4.70 (d, J = 10.8 Hz, 1H), 3.95 (d, J = 11.2 Hz, 1H), 3.92 (d, J = 11.2 Hz, 1H), 3.77 – 3.72 (m, 2H), 3.37 – 3.29 (m, 4H), 2.91 – 2.84 (m, 4H), 1.49 (s, 9H), 1.47 (s, 9H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 168.6, 168.5, 166.2, 166.1, 136.8, 136.7, 136.5, 136.3, 129.9, 129.8, 129.71, 129.69, 129.2, 125.73, 125.70, 125.5, 120.7, 84.2, 84.1, 69.61, 69.59, 59.3, 58.8, 55.0, 54.9, 36.81, 36.76, 27.90, 27.87, 19.8, 19.7; HRMS(ESI): *m/z* calculated for C₂₄H₂₇N₅O₅S [M+H]⁺: 498.1806, found: 498.1808. HPLC (Daicel Chirapak IC column, hexane/isopropanol = 50/50, flow 1.0 mL/min, detection at 210 nm) retention time = 10.96 min (major), 12.75 min (major), 41.67 min (minor), 24.36 min (minor).

(*R*)-2-azido-3-(((cyanomethoxy)methyl)sulfonyl)-*N*,2-diphenylpropanamide(3at):



Isolated as white solid using PE/ EA (2:1) as eluent (73.5 mg, yield 92%, 91:9 er). ^[α]D^{14.4} -12.8 (c 0.72, CHCl₃) ¹H **NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-d)** δ 8.45 (s, 1H), 7.52 – 7.41 (m, 7H), 7.35-7.31 (m, 2H), 7.18 – 7.14 (m, 1H), 4.75

(d, J = 14.4 Hz, 1H), 4.67 (s, 2H), 4.64 (d, J = 13.2 Hz, 1H), 4.54 (d, J = 13.2 Hz, 1H), 3.87 (d, J = 14.4 Hz, 1H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 166.0, 136.8, 136.2, 130.0, 129.7, 129.3, 125.7, 125.5, 120.6, 114.5, 83.7, 69.6, 57.3, 55.1; HRMS(ESI): m/zcalculated for C₁₈H₁₇N₅O₄S [M+H]⁺: 400.1074, found: 400.1073. HPLC (Daicel Chirapak IB column, hexane/isopropanol = 50/50, flow 1.0 mL/min, detection at 210 nm) retention time = 12.37 min (major) and 15.61 min (minor).

(R)-2-azido-3-((((cyanomethyl)thio)methyl)sulfonyl)-N,2-

diphenylpropanamide(3au):



Isolated as white solid using PE/ EA (2:1) as eluent (59.8 mg, yield 72%, 90:10 er). ^[α]D^{15.6} -8.3 (c 0.58, CHCl₃) ¹H **NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ 8.44 (s, 1H), 7.54 – 7.44 (m, 7H), 7.36 – 7.32 (m, 2H), 7.19 – 7.14 (m, 1H), 4.82 (d, *J* =

14.8 Hz, 1H), 4.17 (d, J = 15.2 Hz, 1H), 4.04 – 3.97 (m, 2H), 3.76 – 3.66 (m, 2H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 166.2, 136.7, 136.2, 130.0, 129.8, 129.3, 125.8, 125.7, 120.7, 115.4, 69.9, 55.4, 53.6, 17.8; HRMS(ESI): *m/z* calculated for C₁₈H₁₇N₅O₃S₂ [M+H]⁺:416.0846, found: 416.0847. HPLC (Daicel Chirapak IC column, hexane/isopropanol = 30/70, flow 1.0 mL/min, detection at 210 nm) retention time = 9.31 min (major) and 15.14 min (minor).





7.Derivative reactions



To a vial equipped with a stir bar was added **3a** (80 mg, 0.2 mmol), MeOH (2 mL) and 10% Pd/C(8mg), After using hydrogen balloon for change of air, the mixture was stirred at 80 °C for 20 h. The solution was allowed to cool, diluted with ethyl acetate and filtered by diatomite, then evaporated. The residue was purified by flash silica gel column chromatography using petroleum ether/ethyl acetate as eluent to afford pure product 4a as a white solid $(60.8 \text{ mg}, 82\%)^{16}$.

(R)-2-amino-3-((3-cyanopropyl)sulfonyl)-N,2-diphenylpropanamide(4a):

Isolated as white solid using PE/ EA (2:1) as eluent (60.9 mg, yield 82%, 90:10 er), $[\alpha]$ D^{15.6} 30.6 (c 1.24, CHCl₃). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 9.57 (s, 1H), 7.57 – 7.53 (m, 4H), 7.42 - 7.39 (m, 2H), 7.37 - 7.30 (m, 3H), 7.12 - 7.08 (m, 1H), 4.51 (d, J =14.8 Hz, 1H), 3.46 (d, J = 14.8 Hz, 1H), 3.30 – 3.14 (m, 2H), 2.80 (s, 2H), 2.57 – 2.53 (m, 2H), 2.28 - 2.15 (m, 2H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 170.4, 140.2, 137.3, 129.4, 129.2, 128.8, 124.9, 119.9, 118.3, 63.2, 62.5, 54.1, 18.5, 16.4; HRMS(ESI): m/z calculated for C₁₉H₂₁N₃O₃S [M+H]⁺: 372.1376, found: 372.1378. HPLC (Daicel Chirapak IA column, hexane/isopropanol = 50/50, flow 1.0 mL/min, detection at 210 nm) retention time = 24.02 min (major) and 10.94 min (minor).



The mixture solution of **3a** (0.2 mmol, 80mg,1.0 equiv) and P(OMe)₃ (1.5 equiv) in toluene (1 mL) was heated at 80 °C for 3 h. After completion, the organic solvent was evaporated under reduced pressure and the residue was purified by flash silica gel column chromatography using petroleum ether/ethyl acetate as eluent to afford pure product **4b** as a white solid (71.8 mg, 75% yield)¹⁷.

Dimethyl (*R*)-(3-((3-cyanopropyl)sulfonyl)-1-oxo-2-phenyl-1-(phenylamino)propan-2-yl)phosphoramidate(4b):

Isolated as white solid using PE/ EA (2:1) as eluent (71.9 mg, yield 75%, 92:8 er), [^{a]}D^{15.6} -7.8 (c 0.81, CHCl₃). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 10.41 (s, 1H), 7.62 (d, J =8.0 Hz, 2H), 7.47 – 7.45 (m, 2H), 7.42 – 7.31 (m, 5H), 7.17 – 7.13 (m, 1H), 5.51 (d, J =7.6 Hz, 1H), 4.24 (dd, J = 15.2, 3.6 Hz, 1H), 3.74 (d, J = 15.2 Hz, 1H), 3.64 (d, J =11.6 Hz, 3H), 3.49 (d, J = 11.6 Hz, 3H), 3.40 – 3.30 (m, 2H), 2.56 (t, J = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 2.28 – 2.16 (m, 2H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz,CDCl₃) δ 169.9, 137.9, 137.6, 129.5, 129.2, 129.0, 127.1, 125.0, 120.2, 118.3, 67.2, 62.4 (d, $J_{C-P} =$ 7.0 Hz), 54.4 (d, $J_{C-P} =$ 6.0 Hz), 54.3, 53.9 (d, $J_{C-P} =$ 6.0 Hz), 18.6, 16.4; ³¹P NMR (162 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 9.2; HRMS(ESI): m/z calculated for C₂₁H₂₆N₃O₆PS [M+H]⁺: 480.1353, found: 480.1356. HPLC (Daicel Chirapak IA column, hexane/isopropanol = 50/50, flow 1.0 mL/min, detection at 210 nm) retention time = 19.85 min (major) and 12.10 min (minor).



To a vial equipped with a stir bar was added **3a** (40 mg, 0.1 mmol,1.0 equiv.), Phenylacetylene (22ul, 2.0 equiv.), CuI (5 mol%), Et₃N (10 mol%), CH₃CN (2 mL). The mixture was stirred at 60 °C for 4 h. After cooling to rt, the solvent was evaporated and the residue was dissolved in EtOAc, washed with H₂O and brine. The organic layer was dried over Na₂SO₄, filtered, and concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was purified by flash silica gel column chromatography using petroleum ether/ethyl acetate as eluent to afford pure product **4c** as a white solid (44.9 mg, 90%)¹⁸.

(*R*)-3-((3-cyanopropyl)sulfonyl)-*N*,2-diphenyl-2-(4-phenyl-1H-1,2,3-triazol-1-yl)propenamide(4c):

Isolated as white solid using PE/ EA (2:1) as eluent (85.9 mg, yield 90%, 93:7 er), ^[*a*]D^{15.6} -17.4 (c 0.50, CHCl₃). ¹**H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ 10.32 (s, 1H), 8.51 (s, 1H), 7.93 – 7.90 (m, 2H), 7.58 – 7.55 (m, 2H), 7.49 – 7.45 (m, 2H), 7.42 – 7.33 (m, 6H), 7.20 – 7.16 (m, 1H), 7.04 – 7.02 (m, 2H), 4.79 (d, *J* = 16.0 Hz, 1H), 4.19 (d, *J* = 16.0 Hz, 1H), 3.62 – 3.55 (m, 1H), 3.41 – 3.34 (m, 1H), 2.67 – 2.53 (m, 2H), 2.30 – 2.22 (m, 2H); ¹³**C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ 164.6, 147.7, 138.3, 136.9, 129.9, 129.8, 129.5, 129.3, 129.2, 129.0, 126.2, 125.7, 125.3, 122.5, 121.2, 118.2, 74.5, 62.8, 54.7, 18.4, 16.4; **HRMS**(ESI): *m/z* calculated for C₂₇H₂₅N₅O₃S [M+H]⁺: 500.1751, found: 500.1753. **HPLC** (Daicel Chirapak IC column, hexane/isopropanol = 30/70, flow 1.0 mL/min, detection at 210 nm) retention time = 23.28 min (major) and 42.10 min (minor).



To a vial equipped with a stir bar was added 3a (40 mg, 0.1 mmol,1.0 equiv.), tertbutyl acetate (0.4 ml), H₂SO₄ (10ul). The mixture was stirred at 42°C for 2 h. After cooling to rt, the solvent was washed with H₂O and EtOAc. The organic layer was dried over Na₂SO₄, filtered, and concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was purified by flash silica gel column chromatography using petroleum ether/ethyl acetate as eluent to afford pure product **4d** as a white solid (42.4 mg, 90%)¹⁹.

(R)-4-((2-azido-3-oxo-2-phenyl-3-(phenylamino)propyl)sulfonyl)-N-(tert-

butyl)butanamide(4d): Isolated as white solid using PE/ EA (2:1) as eluent (84.5 mg, yield 90%, 91:9 er), ^[α]D^{15.5} -7.6 (c 0.99, CHCl₃). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.57 (s, 1H), 7.52 – 7.49 (m, 4H), 7.47 – 7.38 (m, 3H), 7.32 – 7.28 (m, 2H), 7.14 – 7.10 (m, 1H), 5.53 (s, 1H), 4.66 (d, *J* = 14.0 Hz, 1H), 3.81 (d, *J* = 14.0 Hz, 1H), 3.22 – 3.09 (m, 2H), 2.30 – 2.24 (m, 2H), 2.21 – 2.12 (m, 2H), 1.29 (s, 9H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 170.6, 166.3, 136.9, 136.8, 129.7, 129.6, 129.1, 125.7, 125.3, 120.7, 69.5, 57.3, 54.6, 51.4, 34.8, 28.8, 18.5; HRMS(ESI): *m/z* calculated for C₂₃H₂₉N₅O₄S

 $[M+H]^+$: 472.2013, found: 472.2017. **HPLC** (Daicel Chirapak IA column, hexane/isopropanol = 50/50, flow 1.0 mL/min, detection at 210 nm) retention time = 5.81 min (major) and 5.29 min (minor).



To a vial equipped with a stir bar was added **3a** (40 mg, 0.1 mmol,1.0 equiv.), MeOH (0.8 mL), After cooling to 0°C added H₂SO₄ (0.4 ml) slowly. The mixture was stirred at 65 °C for 12 h. After cooling to rt, the solvent was washed with cold water and EtOAc. The organic layer was dried over Na₂SO₄, filtered, and concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was purified by flash silica gel column chromatography using petroleum ether/ethyl acetate as eluent to afford pure product **4e** as a white solid (40.0 mg, 93%)²⁰.

Methyl(*R*)-4-((2-azido-3-oxo-2-phenyl-3-(phenylamino)propyl)sulfonyl)butanoate (4e):

Isolated as white solid using PE/ EA (2:1) as eluent (80.0 mg, yield 93%, 92:8 er), ^[a]D^{15.4} -5.0 (c 0.50, CHCl₃). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.50 (s, 1H), 7.53 – 7.50 (m, 4H), 7.49 – 7.45 (m, 2H), 7.44 – 7.39 (m, 1H), 7.34 – 7.30 (m, 2H), 7.16 – 7.12 (m, 1H), 4.64 (d, *J* = 14.4 Hz, 1H), 3.83 (d, *J* = 14.4 Hz, 1H), 3.68 (s, 3H), 3.19-3.15 (m, 2H), 2.52 – 2.48 (m, 2H), 2.23 – 2.15 (m, 2H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 172.7, 166.2, 136.9, 136.8, 129.8, 129.7, 129.2, 125.7, 125.4, 120.7, 69.5, 57.4, 54.7, 52.0, 32.0, 17.7; HRMS(ESI): *m/z* calculated for C₂₀H₂₂N₄O₅S [M+H]⁺: 431.1384, found: 431.1386. HPLC (Daicel Chirapak IA column, hexane/isopropanol = 50/50, flow 1.0 mL/min, detection at 210 nm) retention time = 22.17 min (major) and 14.26 min (minor).

8. Nonlinear effect studies

Investigation into non-linear effects was conducted by comparing the ee value of the chiral ligand L1 and that of the product 3a. 6 reactions containing L1 of racemic, 20%, 40%, 60%, 80%, and > 99% optical purity were run in parallel. The nonlinear effect study revealed a linear relationship between the ee of the product 3a and the enantiopurity of the L1, indicating that in the transition state produced by the reaction process, the active intermediate is a monomer iron complex containing a single chiral ligand.

In an argon fulfilled glovebox, **1a** (44.6mg,0.2 mmol), **2a** (77.6 mg,1.5 equiv), Fe(OTf)₂ (7.0, 10.0 mol%), NaO*t*Bu (48 mg, 2.5 equiv), **L1** with different ee values (12.0 mol%, 12.2 mg) were added to chamber B. Tetrabromothiophene *S*,*S*-dioxides (0.88 mmol, 380 mg) in tetradecane (1.0 mL) was added to chamber A, followed by addition of 4-methylphenylene (0.80 mmol, 105 μ l). The chamber A was sealed and removed out of the glovebox and heated to 100 °C in heating mantle for 10 min. TMSN₃ (57.6 mg, 65.7ul, 2.5 equiv) resolved in DCM (1.0 mL) was added into chamber B. Then chamber B heated to 25 °C in heating mantle for 12 hours. The mixture was purified by by flash silica gel column chromatography using petroleum ether/ethyl acetate as eluent to afford pure products **3a**. The product was diluted with isopropanol and injected onto a chiral HPLC analysis on Daicel Chirapak IB column (hexane/isopropanol = 50/50, flow rate 1.0 mL/min, T = 25 °C), UV 210 nm, t₁ = 14.13 min, t₂ = 17.10 min. A graph of ee of product vs. ee of ligand was then plotted.

la	$R^{1} = p \cdot CF_{3}C_{6}H_{4}$ SOgen Fe(OTf) ₂ L1 (12) TMSN NaOtB DCM,2	n (4.0 eq) (10.0 mol%) 2.0 mol%) I ₃ (2.5 eq) bu (2.5 eq) 55 °C, 12 h 3a	CN CN
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1	0	0	
2	20	18	
3	40	44	
4	60	56	
5	80	66	
6	>99	86	



Nonlinear effect studies

9. Radical trapping experiment



In the glovebox, **1a** (0.2 mmol, 1.0 equiv), **2a** (0.3 mmol, 1.5 equiv), Fe(OTf)₂ (7.0 mg, 10.0 mol%), NaO*t*Bu (48.0 mg, 2.5 equiv), chiral ligand L7(12.2mg, 12.0 mol%), TEMPO (0.6 mmol, 93.6 mg) were added to chamber B. Tetrabromothiophene *S*,*S*-dioxides (0.88 mmol, 380 mg) in tetradecane (1.0 mL) was added to chamber A, followed by addition of 4-methylphenylene (0.80 mmol, 105 μ l). The chamber A was sealed and removed out of the glovebox and heated to 100 °C in heating mantle for 10 min. TMSN₃ (57.6 mg,65.7ul, 2.5 equiv) resolved in DCM (1.0 mL) was added into chamber B. Then chamber B heated to 25 °C in heating mantle for 12 hours. Then chamber B were added 1,3,5-Trimethoxybenzene (33.6 mg, 0.2 mmol) as internal standard, TLC, ¹H NMR and LC-MS analysis demonstrated the product **3a** is not founded. The Cyanoalkyl radical combined with TEMPO 4f were detected by LC-MS.



In the glovebox, **1a** (0.2 mmol, 1.0 equiv), **2a** (0.3 mmol, 1.5 equiv), Fe(OTf)₂ (7.0 mg, 10.0 mol%), NaO*t*Bu (48.0 mg, 2.5 equiv), chiral ligand L7(12.2mg, 12.0 mol%), 1,1- diphenylethylene (0.6 mmol, 108 mg) were added to chamber B. Tetrabromothiophene *S*,*S*-dioxides (0.88 mmol, 380 mg) in tetradecane (1.0 mL) was added to chamber A, followed by addition of 4-methylphenylene (0.80 mmol, 105 μ l). The chamber A was sealed and removed out of the glovebox and heated to 100 °C in heating mantle for 10 min. TMSN₃ (57.6 mg,65.7ul, 2.5 equiv) resolved in DCM (1.0 mL) was added into chamber B. Then chamber B heated to 25 °C in heating mantle for 12 hours. Then chamber B were added 1,3,5-Trimethoxybenzene (33.6 mg, 0.2 mmol) as internal standard, TLC, ¹H NMR and LC-MS analysis demonstrated the product **3a** is trace. The alkyl sulfonyl radical combined with 1,1- diphenylethylene 4g were detected by LC-MS.



In the glovebox, **1a** (0.2 mmol, 1.0 equiv), **2a** (0.3 mmol, 1.5 equiv), Fe(OTf)₂ (7.0 mg, 10.0 mol%), NaO*t*Bu (48.0 mg, 2.5 equiv), chiral ligand L7(12.2mg, 12.0 mol%), BHT(0.6 mmol, 132.2 mg) were added to chamber B. Tetrabromothiophene *S*,*S*-dioxides (0.88 mmol, 380 mg) in tetradecane (1.0 mL) was added to chamber A, followed by addition of 4-methylphenylene (0.80 mmol, 105 μ l). The chamber A was sealed and removed out of the glovebox and heated to 100 °C in heating mantle for 10 min. TMSN₃ (57.6 mg,65.7ul, 2.5 equiv) resolved in DCM (1.0 mL) was added into chamber B. Then chamber B heated to 25 °C in heating mantle for 12 hours. Then chamber B were added 1,3,5-Trimethoxybenzene (33.6 mg, 0.2 mmol) as internal standard, TLC, ¹H NMR and LC-MS analysis demonstrated the product 3a is 80% yield. The alkyl sulfonyl radical combined with BHT 4h were detected by LC-MS.


10. X-ray Crystal Structure of Compound 3a

Crystal data and structure refinement for (**R**)-**3a** (**CCDC 2250116**), Thermal ellipsoids are shown at 50% probability level. A crystal of 3a was obtained by recrystallization from PE/EA.



A suitable crystal of compound **3a** was obtained by slowly evaporating a mixture of n-hexane and acetone solution at ambient temperature. It was selected and analyzed on a Xcalibur, Eos diffractometer. The crystal was kept at 200.00 K during data collection. Using Olex2²¹, the structure was solved with the Superflip²² structure solution program using Charge Flipping and refined with the ShelXL²³ refinement package using Least Squares minimisation.

Crystal Data for C₁₉H₁₉N₅O₃S (M = 397.45 g/mol): monoclinic, space group P2₁ (no.4), a = 11.061(3) Å, b = 5.7868(13) Å, c = 16.069(5) Å, $\beta = 109.379(9^{\circ}, V = 970.3(5)$ Å³, Z = 2, T = 200.0 K, μ (MoK α) = 0.197 mm⁻¹, *Dcalc* = 1.360 g/cm³, 9135 reflections measured (3.904° $\leq 2\Theta \leq 55.078^{\circ}$), 4227 unique ($R_{int} = 0.0556$, $R_{sigma} = 0.0743$) which

Table S1 Crystal data and structure refinement for 3a	
Identification code	mo_lz_llp_1019_200k_0ma_a
Empirical formula	$C_{19}H_{19}N_5O_3S$
Formula weight	397.45
Temperature/K	200.0
Crystal system	monoclinic
Space group	P21
a/Å	11.061(3)
b/Å	5.7868(13)
c/Å	16.069(5)
$\alpha/^{\circ}$	90
β/°	109.379(9)
$\gamma/^{\circ}$	90
Volume/Å ³	970.3(5)
Z	2
$ ho_{calc}g/cm^3$	1.360
μ/mm^{-1}	0.197
F(000)	416.0
Crystal size/mm ³	$0.38 \times 0.09 \times 0.04$
Radiation	MoKa ($\lambda = 0.71073$)
2@range for data collection/°	3.904 to 55.078
Index ranges	$-14 \le h \le 14, -7 \le k \le 7, -20 \le l \le 20$
Reflections collected	9135
Independent reflections	4227 [$R_{int} = 0.0556$, $R_{sigma} = 0.0743$]
Data/restraints/parameters	4227/1/253
Goodness-of-fit on F ²	1.031
Final R indexes [I>= 2σ (I)]	$R_1 = 0.0514, wR_2 = 0.1013$
Final R indexes [all data]	$R_1 = 0.0708, wR_2 = 0.1121$
Largest diff. peak/hole / e Å ⁻³	0.23/-0.26
Flack parameter	0.06(8)

were used in all calculations. The final R_1 was 0.0514 (I > 2 σ (I)) and wR2 was 0.1121.

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13.HPLC Analysis of the Products









































































































































































































