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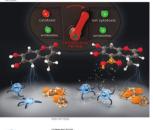
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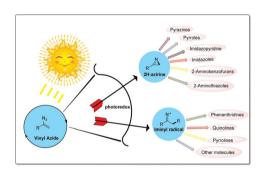


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Jonali Das, Abhijit Gogoi, Biraj Jyoti Borah and Sajal Kumar Das\*

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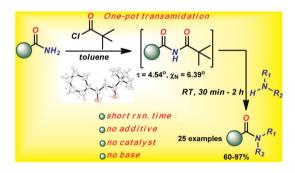
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- favorable entropy factor transition-metal-free conditions
- broad substrate scope, regio- and diastereoselective
- a new entry to the synthesis N-aryl aza-heterocycles

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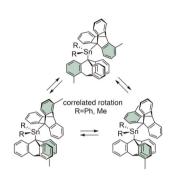
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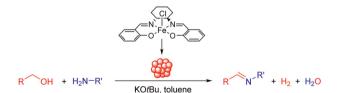
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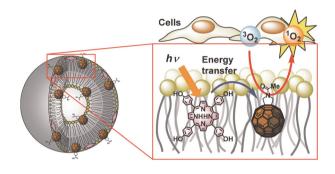
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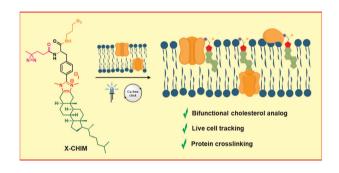
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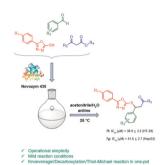
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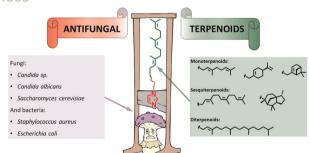
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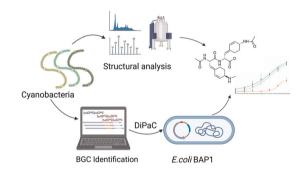
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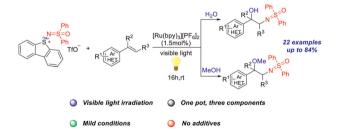
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