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43 **ABSTRACT**
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45 Epigenetic regulators that exhibit aberrant enzymatic activities or expression profiles are
46 potential therapeutic targets for cancers. Specifically, enzymes responsible for
47 methylation at histone-3 lysine-9 (like G9a) and aberrant DNA hypermethylation
48 (DNMTs) have been implicated in a number of cancers. Recently, molecules bearing a
49 4-aminoquinoline scaffold were reported as dual inhibitors of these targets and showed
50 a significant *in-vivo* efficacy in animal models of hematological malignancies. Here, we
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3 report a detailed exploration around three growing vectors born by this chemotype.
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5 Exploring this chemical space led to the identification of features to navigate G9a and
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7 DNMT1 biological spaces; not only their corresponding exclusive areas, selective
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9 compounds, but also common spaces. Thus, we identified from selective G9a and first-
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11 in-class DNMT1 inhibitors, > 1 log unit between their IC₅₀ values, with IC₅₀ < 25nM
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13 (e.g. **43** and **26**, respectively) to equipotent inhibitors with IC₅₀ < 50nM for both targets
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15 (e.g. **13**). Their ADME/Tox profiling and antiproliferative efficacies, *versus* some
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17 cancer cell lines, are also reported.
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23 INTRODUCTION

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27 Methyltransferases are responsible for the methylation of their corresponding substrates
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29 (histones, proteins for protein methyltransferases (PMTs); or DNA, for DNA
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31 methyltransferases (DNMTs)) using S-adenosyl-L-methionine (SAM or AdoMet) as
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33 cofactor; thus acting as epigenetic writers that control epigenetic gene regulation and
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35 carcinogenesis.^{1,2} G9a (also known as KMT1C or EHMT2) catalyzes mono- or
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37 dimethylation of histone H3 lysine 9 (H3K9) and other protein targets such as p53.³ G9a
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39 upregulation and overexpression is present in a variety of cancers.⁴ DNMT1, a protein
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41 catalyzing methylation of C5-cytosine of DNA, binds G9a and both proteins cooperate
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43 in promoting transcriptional silencing of target genes.⁵ Moreover, pharmacologic or
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45 siRNA-mediated inhibition of G9a synergises with DNMT1 inhibition in reducing cell
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47 proliferation.^{6,7} All these observations strongly suggested that dual inhibitors of both
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49 targets could be valuable anticancer agents and we sought to identify such compounds.
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53 A number of selective G9a inhibitors have been reported,⁸ with substrate-competitive
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55 inhibitors **1** (UNC-0638)⁹ and **2** (A-366)¹⁰ being extensively used as chemical probes to
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3 investigate the biological role of G9a in multiple diseases beyond cancer (Chart 1). The
4 development of potent reversible DNMT inhibitors is more appealing as most advanced
5 compounds include nucleoside mimetics such as **3** (Azacytidine) and **4** (Decitabine) that
6 incorporate into DNA and irreversibly bind to DNMT1. As an alternative, current
7 reversible non-nucleoside DNMT1 inhibitors lack potency, with IC_{50} values in the low
8 micromolar range.^{11,12}

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10 We recently reported the discovery of the quinoline-based lead compound **5** (CM-272)
11 as an inhibitor of G9a ($IC_{50} = 8$ nM) and DNMT1 ($IC_{50} = 382$ nM) with *in vivo* efficacy
12 in Acute Myeloid Leukemia (AML), Acute Lymphoblastic Leukemia (ALL) and
13 Diffuse Large B-cell Lymphoma-(DLBCL) xenogeneic models.⁶ Competition assays
14 and microscale thermophoresis demonstrated that inhibitors of this chemical series bind
15 to the substrate binding site of both targets.^{6,13} Our efforts to identify this lead
16 compound utilized a combination of knowledge- and structure-based approaches,
17 starting from the chemical structure of compound **1**. Initial structure-activity
18 relationship (SAR) studies were focused on determining the optimal substitution pattern
19 at the 2-position of the quinoline not only to achieve G9a and DNMT1 enzymatic
20 inhibition but also a cellular response and a suitable pharmacokinetic (PK) profile for *in*
21 *vivo* proof-of-concept.¹³ Additional SAR exploration around the 4-, 6- and 7-positions
22 of the quinoline scaffold, aimed at further DNMT1 potency optimization and target
23 selectivity modulation, identified key chemical features that confer selectivity towards
24 G9a or DNMT1 (where selectivity involves >1 log unit difference between
25 corresponding IC_{50} values). In fact, first-in-class DNMT1 potent (low nanomolar, $IC_{50} <$
26 25 nM), selective and reversible inhibitors are achieved. In addition, antiproliferative
27 activities in cancer cells and preliminary ADME/Tox of this exploration are discussed.
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29 Furthermore, novel R-groups mimicking the lysine side chain of histone substrate (G9a)
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or the cytosine of DNA (DNMT1) are introduced. Our results and compounds not only represent interesting, and first-in-class, tools for targeting relevant epigenetic enzymes but also constitute valuable alternatives for the design of epigenetic inhibitors targeting the substrate-binding site of other methyltransferases.

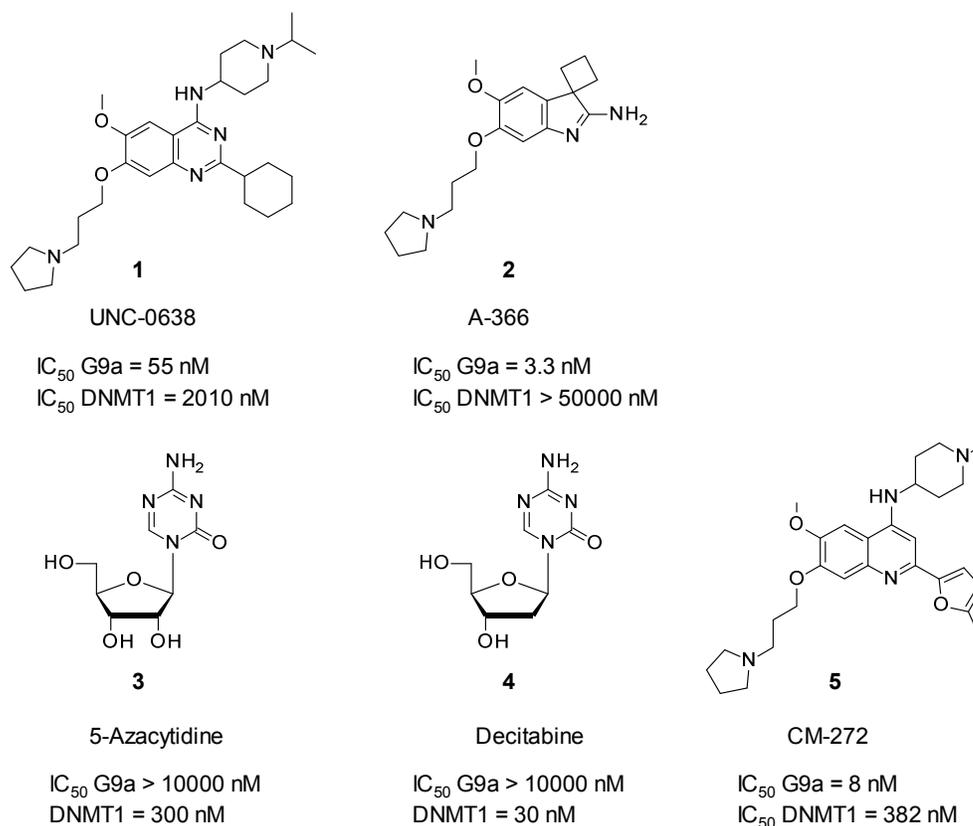


Chart 1. Known G9a inhibitors (**1**, **2**), nucleoside DNMT1 inhibitors (**3**, **4**) and inhibitor (**5**). G9a IC₅₀ values of **1**, **3**, **4** and **5** and DNMT1 IC₅₀ values for **1** and **5** as determined internally (see footnote in Table 1). Alternatively, the reported IC₅₀ value for compound **1** (UNC-0638) was < 15 nM (G9a, using a SAHH-coupled assay) and 1287 nM (DNMT1, using a radioactive methyl transfer assay).¹⁴ Discrepancies with initially reported DNMT1 IC₅₀ values for **1** (IC₅₀ = 107,000 nM) have been attributed to a different assay format.⁹ IC₅₀ values for compound **2**¹⁰ (G9a, DNMT1) and **3**,¹⁵ **4**¹⁵ (DNMT1, corresponding to the lower concentration at which DNA hypomethylation is observed) have been previously reported.

RESULTS

SAR in Biochemical G9a and DNMT1 Assays

SAR examination of the 2-position of the quinoline scaffold revealed 5-alkyl-2-furyl groups (5-methyl in **5** and 5-ethyl in **6**, Table 1) as the optimal groups for yielding functional cellular activity.¹³ Thus, we decided to alternatively use these substituents as initial reference points for subsequent SAR exploration of the 4-, 6- and 7-positions of the quinoline scaffold, using a sequential approach (Chart 2).



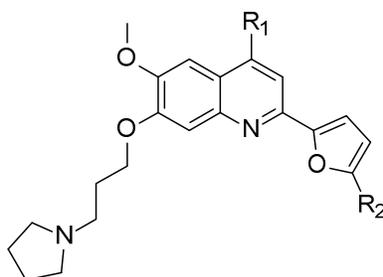
Chart 2. Sequential SAR exploration strategy for positions 4, 6 and 7 of the quinoline scaffold; position 2 is fixed with a 2-furyl ring substituted at position 5 (where R₂ is methyl or ethyl)

The 4-amino moiety was first explored (Table 1). According to the predicted binding mode of **5**⁶ and **6** (Figure 1A-B) into both methyltransferases and X-ray structure of **1** and related quinazoline analogues into G9a,⁹ this position extends out toward the so called solvent accessible area, suggesting that chemically diverse groups, exploring the biological space,¹⁶ could be well-tolerated. Removal of the basic nitrogen of **5** (compounds **7-11**, **16**) caused a significant drop in activity against both targets, and only the piperidone derivative **11** retained potent DNMT1 activity (IC₅₀ < 500 nM). This result is consistent with the predicted binding mode of **6** with G9a, as the positively

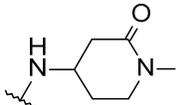
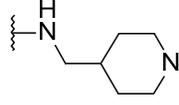
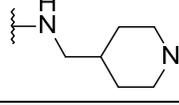
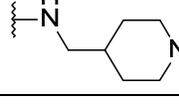
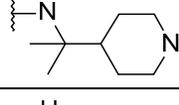
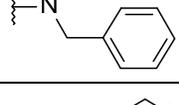
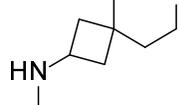
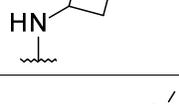
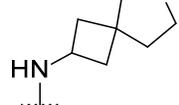
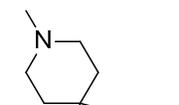
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3 charged nitrogen of the piperidine ring interacts with Asp1078 (Figure 1A). With
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5 respect to DNMT1, no explicit contacts were predicted by docking between the
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7 piperidine ring and the protein (Figure 1B), although a negative electrostatic potential is
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9 observed in this area (Figure 1C). Homologation of the piperidine ring of **5** with a
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11 methylene linker (compounds **12**⁶-**13**) greatly improved DNMT1 activity ($IC_{50} < 50$
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13 nM) while causing minor potency loss against G9a ($IC_{50} \sim 15$ nM). Given the poor
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15 pharmacokinetic profile of **12**,⁶ the gem-dimethyl analogue **15** was synthesized as the
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17 methylene linker was viewed as a potential metabolic liability. As **15** was significantly
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19 less potent against both targets, we concentrated on alternatives to the piperidine ring by
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21 limiting molecular flexibility¹⁷ with spiropiperidines (**17**, **18**, **20**, **21**), spiropyrrolidines
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23 (**19**, **22**) and bridged piperazines (**23**-**26**). In general, these conformationally constrained
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25 analogs share a biochemical profile similar to that of **5**, especially in terms of selectivity
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27 towards G9a over DNMT1. Exceptionally, racemic analogs **20**-**22**, whose basic nitrogen
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29 predictably positions more distant from that of the piperidine (in green in Figure 1D
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31 compared to the other docked spiro derivatives in orange and **5** in violet, that overlap
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33 well), were less potent against G9a ($IC_{50} > 50$ nM). DNMT1 SAR was flat, with no
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35 general improvements in activity (200-300 nM, pIC_{50} ranging between 6.5 and 6.7, with
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37 less than 0.3 log units compared to **5** and **6**) except for some remarkable analogs such as
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39 the homologated 3-azabicyclo[3.2.1]octane of **25** ($IC_{50} = 80$ nM). As expected,¹⁸ loss of
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41 the hydrogen bond donor of the 4-amino group of **5** by methylation (**27**) or replacement
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43 by an oxygen atom (**28**)⁶ was detrimental for G9a activity. Interestingly, similar results
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45 were observed against DNMT1 and are in agreement with a predicted contact between
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47 this 4-amino group and Ser1233 of DNMT1 (Ser1230 in human DNMT1, hDNMT1,
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49 Figure 1B), what might explain the decreased DNMT1 activity of **27** and **28**. In
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51 summary, this exploration of the 4-position either mainly retained the selectivity profile
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of lead compound **5** (e.g. with constrained rings) or equally potent compounds were obtained at the cost of losing G9a activity (e.g. **11**). Only the homologated compounds **12** and **13** exhibit both G9a and DNMT1 activities in the low nanomolar range (< 50 nM) and can be regarded as non-selective, especially in comparison with their counterparts **5** and **6** (absolute pIC₅₀ differences between both targets of 0.3 for **12** and **13** versus 1.7 (**5**) and 2.1 (**6**)).

Table 1. Exploration of the 4-position



Cpd	R1	R2	G9a IC ₅₀ (nM)	DNMT1 IC ₅₀ (nM)
5 ^{6,13}		Me	8	382
6 ¹³		Et	2	234
7		Me	436	1030
8		Me	735	1790
9		Me	244	781
10		Me	105	1080

Cpd	R1	R2	G9a IC ₅₀ (nM)	DNMT1 IC ₅₀ (nM)
11		Me	146	297
12 ⁶		Me	16	32
13		Et	18	40
14		Me	13	205
15		Me	115	722
16		Me	699	624
17		Me	15	140
18		Me	7	211
19		Me	11	201
20		Me	63	123
21		Et	94	220

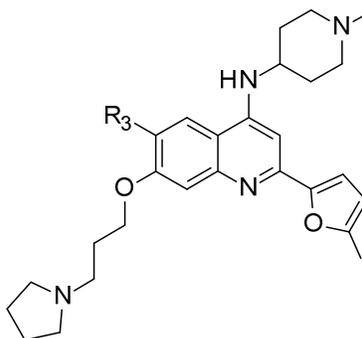
Cpd	R1	R2	G9a IC ₅₀ (nM)	DNMT1 IC ₅₀ (nM)
22		Me	76	290
23		Me	41	235
24		Me	21	261
25		Et	5	80
26		Me	13	234
27		Me	935	1320
28 ⁶		Me	2870	1870

For data in Tables 1-4 and Chart 1, all biochemical results are the average of at least two independent replicates performed at different days. If absolute pIC₅₀ difference was higher than 0.3 log units, additional replicates were performed until satisfying the experimental error (by discarding individual results with values outside 2 MADs of the mean value).

Exploration of the 6-position with small groups (**29-33**, Table 2), designed to modulate ADME properties, produced a notable decrease in activity, especially against G9a, affording equally potent compounds against both targets in the mid-nanomolar or low-micromolar range. Only replacement of the methoxy group by chlorine (**31**) had negligible impact on DNMT1 activity (IC₅₀ = 298 nM) compared to **5**, so no further exploration around this position was continued. Inspection of the binding cavity for this derivatization position did not reveal any specific contacts between this substitution

pattern and both proteins as to rationalize the weaker activities observed against both of them.

Table 2. Exploration of the 6-position

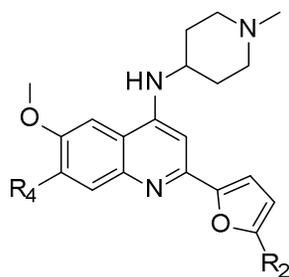


Cpd	R3	G9a IC ₅₀ (nM)	DNMT1 IC ₅₀ (nM)
29	—H	532	950
30	—OH	859	645
31	—Cl	342	298
32	—O ⁺ CF ₃	6110	2080
33	—CN	1450	588

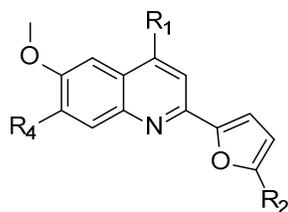
Finally, we modulated the 7-(3-pyrrolidin-1-ylpropoxy) moiety that predictably mimics the lysine side chain (G9a) or the cytosine of DNA (DNMT1) (Table 3). The 7-methoxy analogue **34**, lacking the basic nitrogen of **5** at the 7-position, was considerably less potent against G9a (IC₅₀ = 2060 nM, absolute pIC₅₀ difference of 2.4 log units), likely as a result of missing interactions with Leu1086 (hydrogen-bond) and Tyr1154 (cation- π interaction) (Figure 1A). The impact of this moiety on DNMT1 was less notorious (IC₅₀ raising from 382 nM for **5** to 750 nM for **34**, < 0.3 log units), suggesting that the predicted interaction between the basic nitrogen of pyrrolidine and catalytic Glu1269 (Glu1266 in hDNMT1, Figure 1B) was not so important for the inhibitory activity of this chemical series. Thus, we speculated that selective DNMT1 inhibitors could be

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3 developed by exploring amine analogs of pyrrolidine with different basicity and
4 distance extension from the quinoline core. Compounds in Table 3 were designed and
5 synthesized. G9a potency was attenuated in all cases, with piperidine **37** being the only
6 replacement retaining G9a IC₅₀ value below 100 nM. Interestingly, the 4-piperidyl (**40**),
7 1-methyl-4-piperidyl (**41**), 2-methyl-2-azaspiro[3.3]heptan-6-yl (**43**) and 2-isopropyl-2-
8 azaspiro[3.3]heptan-6-yl (**44**) groups conferred high DNMT1 potency (< 100 nM),
9 yielding compounds selective for DNMT1 over G9a (> 1 log units). The reduced
10 basicity of all these groups (estimated pK_a with Pipeline Pilot¹⁹ for the amine nitrogen at
11 position 7 of 6.33, 8.75, 7.26 for **40**, **41** and **43**, respectively), compared to that of the
12 pyrrolidin ring of **5** (pK_a of 12.1) and **37** (pK_a of 11.8) seems to play a major role on
13 target selectivity, as on the other hand the cationic environment overlaps well among all
14 these derivatives (Figure 1E). While some of these amines in Table 3 have already been
15 examined as lysine mimetics^{10,18,20} that reduce the lipophilicity of the parent compound
16 **5** (acyclic amine **35**, piperidine **37**, morpholine **38**, 3-(3-fluoropyrrolidin-1-yl)propyl
17 **39**), the DNMT1 potency of the spirocyclic derivative **43** (IC₅₀ = 21 nM) was
18 considered as a key SAR finding and a novelty in epigenetic drug design. Decreasing its
19 basicity with N-isopropyl (**44**) and N-cyclopropyl (**45**) capping groups correlated with
20 loss of potency. Compounds **46-50** were obtained by combining the identified optimal
21 groups at positions 4 and 7 (Table 4). Unfortunately, the excellent DNMT1 potency of
22 **43** was not retained when this group was combined with the most potent 4-substituents
23 in Table 1 to afford analogues **47-50**, suggesting non-additive SAR effects.²¹ Despite
24 lower DNMT1 inhibitory activity (between 187 and 501 nM for **47-50**), all these
25 compounds displayed DNMT1 selectivity over G9a comparable to that of **43**.
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Table 3. Exploration of the 7-position



Cpd	R4	R2	G9a IC ₅₀ (nM)	DNMT1 IC ₅₀ (nM)
34		Me	2060	750
35		Et	123	425
36		Et	599	212
37		Et	21	247
38		Et	3910	446
39		Me	1470	833
40		Me	838	73
41		Me	1150	83
42		Me	7550	414
43		Me	351	21
44		Me	378	83
45		Me	3260	494

Table 4. Combined exploration of positions 4 and 7

Cpd	R4	R1	R2	G9a IC ₅₀ (nM)	DNMT1 IC ₅₀ (nM)
46			Me	3080	200
47			Me	3220	475
48			Me	3450	250
49			Me	5130	187
50			Me	5410	501

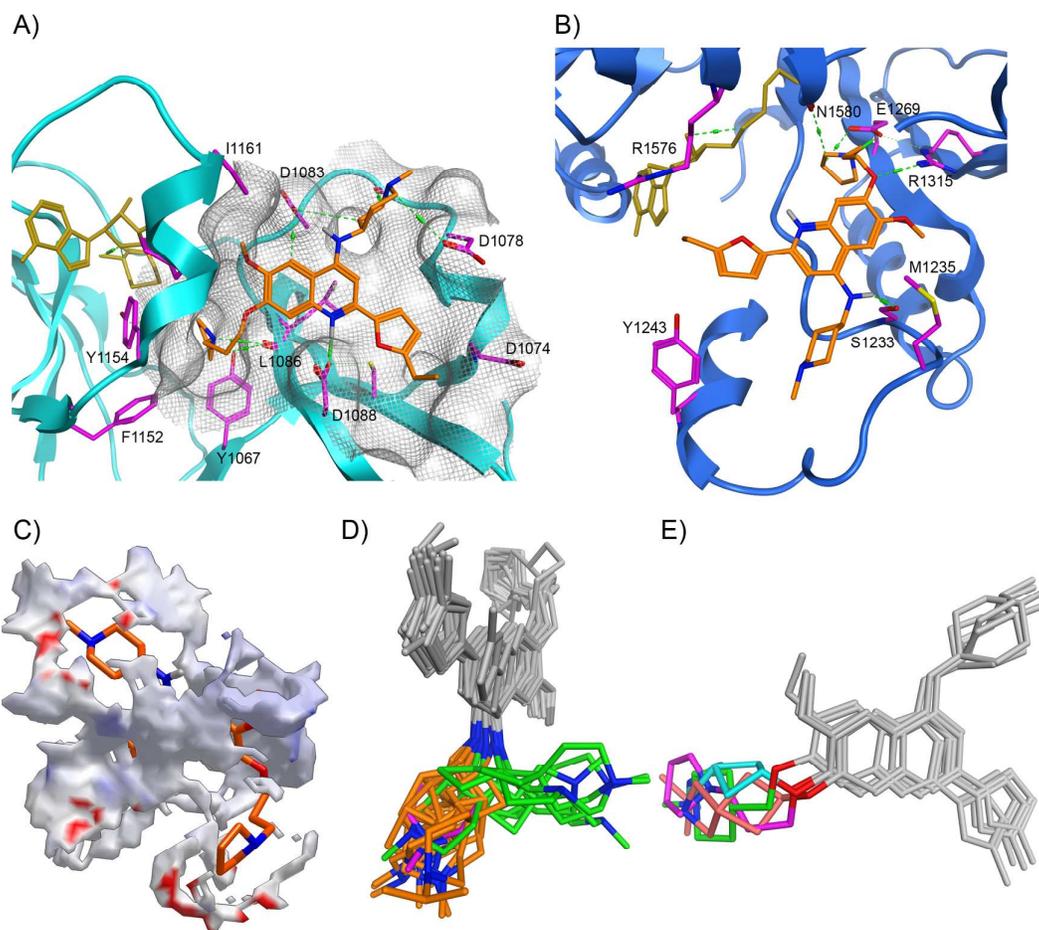


Figure 1. Predicted complex of **6** with G9a (A, PDB entry 3RJW) and DNMT1 (B, PDB entry 4DA4). (C) Electrostatic potential of DNMT1 (only negative, in red), especially at the regions accommodating both basic centers of compound **6**. (D) Overlaid conformations of docked spirocyclic and bridged derivatives in Table 1 to compound **5** (violet), showing that the basic nitrogen of compounds **20-22** (green, all stereoisomers considered) lies distal to the basic nitrogen of the rest of spirocycles and bridged structures (**17-19**, **23-26**, orange). (E) Overlaid conformations of docked compounds **5**, **41**, **43** and **44** showing that the basic nitrogen overlays well among them.

Having identified interesting compounds with different selectivity profiles towards G9a and/or DNMT1 (**13**, **43**), we analyzed their selectivity at 10 μM against a panel of epigenetic targets comprising 14 lysine and arginine methyltransferases, DNMTs

(DNMT3A, DNMT3B), bromodomains (BRD2, CREBBP and BAZ2B) and histone demethylases (JMJD2C, JMJD3, JMJD1A) (Supplementary Table 1). Despite we initially anticipated potent GLP inhibition (as for **12**⁶), given the close similarity among G9a and GLP, compounds **13** and **43** displayed high selectivity towards G9a (GLP IC₅₀ values higher than 20 μM). Reasons for this selectivity are not clear considering the high structural similarity between **12** and **13**. Oppositely, in agreement with initial prediction, all three compounds are potent inhibitors of DNMT3A and DNMT3B (>95% inhibition at 10 μM). For the remaining targets, inhibition values were < 50%, with the exception of PRMT1 for **13** (84%) and JMJD3 for **43** (71%).

Antiproliferative effect and preliminary ADME

Following our screening funnel, the antiproliferative response of compounds with potent inhibitory activity (G9a < 100 nM and DNMT1 < 500 nM) was tested against ALL cell lines (CEMO-1) and DLBCL (OCI-Ly3 and OCI-Ly10) cell lines (Table 5). All selected compounds displayed potent antiproliferative effects, with GI₅₀ values below 1 μM against at least one cell line. However, no evident correlation was found between G9a/DNMT1 activity/selectivity, passive membrane permeability of compounds as measured using the parallel artificial membrane permeation assay (PAMPA), and phenotypic response, this last being greatly dependent on the cell type. For example, compounds **12** and **43**, two of the most interesting compounds from the viewpoint of G9a/DNMT1 selectivity, mainly differing in their G9a activity (16 nM versus 351 nM) and being equally very potent against DNMT1 (32 versus 21 nM), have the same growth inhibitory activity against CEMO-1 (GI₅₀ ~ 75 nM) but diverse response against DLBCL cell lines: OCI-Ly10 cell line (< 31 nM versus 253 nM for **12** and **43**, respectively) and the opposite response against OCI-Ly3 (202 versus 74 nM for

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3 **12** and **43**, respectively). Low toxicity of compounds, assayed against the non-tumoural
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5 hepatic cell line THLE-2 (Table 5), was regarded as a requisite for further compound
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7 progression into *in vitro* preliminary ADME, ideally affording a therapeutic window
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9 (absolute difference between pGI₅₀ and pLC₅₀) of a least one log unit against one out of
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11 the four tumoural cell lines (mostly CEMO-1, Table 6). Selected compounds in Table 6
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13 showed low cytochrome P450 inhibition of five major isoforms (< 25% at 10 μM) and
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15 were inactive against hERG (pIC₅₀ < 4), thus limiting the potential for cardiotoxicity.
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19 stability of lead compound **5**, especially in human liver microsomes, compounds were
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21 not further progressed into PK studies.
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27 **Table 5. Antiproliferative response of selected compounds against cancer cell lines**
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Cpd	CEMO-1 GI ₅₀ (nM) ^[a]	OCI-Ly3 GI ₅₀ (nM) ^[a]	OCI- Ly10 GI ₅₀ (nM) ^[a]	THLE-2 LC ₅₀ (nM) 72 h ^[b]	PAMPA Pe (nm/s) ^[c]	G9a pIC ₅₀ – DNMT1 pIC ₅₀
5 ⁶	218	409	455	1780	12.9	1.7
6 ¹³	56	95	64	2320	23.9	2.1
11	172	215	170	7950	3.4	0.3
12 ⁶	75	202	<31	1300	11.0	0.3
13	93	277	133	954	16.2	0.3
14	659	N.D.	N.D.	777	19.2	1.2
17	235	243	100	992	10.5	1.0
18	426			841	19.3	1.5
19	768	374	257	8380	3.3	1.3
20	424	246	112	731	15.9	0.3
21	186	237	638	517	37.7	0.4
22	252	205	131	1980	7.6	0.6
23	156	557	313	527	33.7	0.8
25	115	N.D.	N.D.	<164	36.1	1.2
26	671	N.D.	N.D.	4150	3.6	1.3

31	782	N.D.	N.D.	2310	24.5	-0.1
35	370	86	1100	3520	14.9	0.5
36	184	230	596	2040	36.6	-0.5
37	196	271	576	1380	8.3	1.1
40	1070	<63	1380	24800	2.9	-1.1
41	272	N.D.	N.D.	1030	12	-1.1
43	73	74	253	698	7.1	-1.2
46	504	12	186	2530	14.9	-1.2
49	452	N.D.	N.D.	4650	11.1	-1.4

N.D. = Not Determined. ^[a] Proliferation assays are the average of three replicates at different days. ^[b] THLE-2 cytotoxicity results after 72 hours of incubation are the average of at least two independent experiments performed at different days. If absolute pLC₅₀ difference was higher than 1 log unit, additional replicates were performed until satisfying the experimental error (by discarding individual results with values outside 3 MADs of the mean value). ^[c] The PAMPA assay was performed in triplicate. Depending on permeability values (Pe, nm/s), compounds can be regarded as poor (Pe < 10 nm/s); moderate (10 < Pe < 30 nm/s) or good (> 30 nm/s) permeators.²²

Table 6. ADME profile of selected compounds

Cpd	1A2	2C9	2C19	2D6	3A4	HLM	MLM	hERG
	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)	IC ₅₀
	[a]	[a]	[a]	[a]	[a]	[b]	[b]	(μM)
5^{6,13}	2.8	0.56	2.5	4.9	0.0	99.7	70.9	>100
11	9.3	3.2	6.5	22.4	1.2	82.7	71.9	>100
13	7.1	16.8	23.1	19.3	2.2	69.0	59.1	N.D.
17	0	0	0	0	0	68.6	40.6	>100

20	0	0	2.5	5.3	0	80.4	53.3	N.D.
26	0	0	6.3	0	0	60.3	43.9	N.D.
31	7.2	3.8	0	0	0	81.7	81.7	N.D.
43	6.1	6.3	0	21.5	6.9	49.8	43.3	N.D.

N.D. = Not Determined. ^[a] % inhibition at 10 μ M. ^[b] % compound remaining after a 20-min incubation in human or mouse liver microsomes (HLM and MLM respectively). All assays were performed in duplicate, with the exception of hERG binding data (n=1).

Finally, the functional cellular potency of selected compounds was assessed by quantifying the global levels of H3K9me2 (Western Blot) and 5-methylcytosine (5mC) (Dot Blot) in the CEMO-1 cell line following 96 h of exposure. As an example, the selected reference compounds **13** and **43** were tested. Both compounds reduced the H3K9me2 and 5mC levels in a concentration-dependent manner (Figure 2); Western Blots are quantized and reported in the Supplementary Information (Figure S1). In summary, these results demonstrate the functional dual effect of compounds **13** and **43** against the methyltransferase activity of G9a and DNMTs.

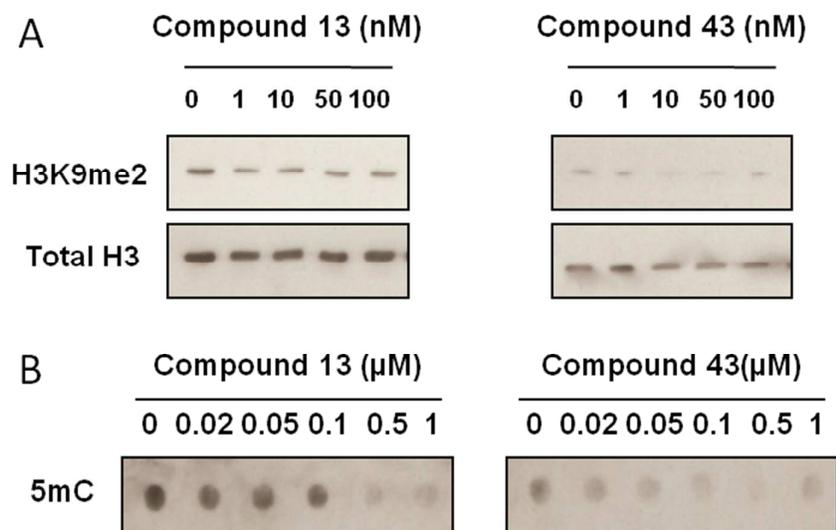
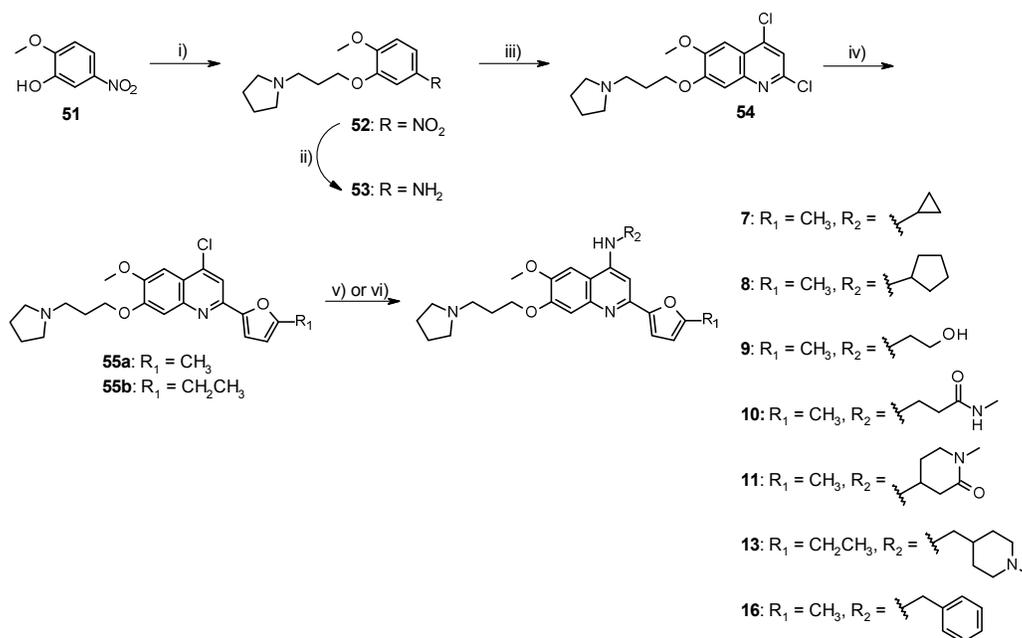


Figure 2. H3K9me2 and 5mC hallmarks in the CEMO-1 cell line after treatment with compounds **13** and **43**. A) H3K9me2 levels after 96 hours of treatment with different doses of compounds **13** and **43** in CEMO-1 cell line. H3 total was used as loading control. B) 5mC levels after 96 hours of treatment with different doses of compounds **13** and **43**.

Chemistry

Preparation of compounds **7-11**, **13** and **16** with different substituents at 4-position of the quinoline were prepared as outlined in Scheme 1 from commercially available 2-methoxy-5-nitro-phenol (**51**). This alcohol was first converted into compound **52** through Mitsunobu reaction and then intermediate **54** was achieved after hydrogenation and reaction with POCl₃ in malonic acid. Then, Suzuki coupling with boronic esters 2-(5-ethyl-2-furyl)-4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolane or 4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-2-(5-methyl-2-furyl)-1,3,2-dioxaborolane afforded compounds **55a** and **55b** which were finally converted into desired 4-aminoquinolines **7-11**, **13** and **16** by Pd-coupling reaction using different amines.

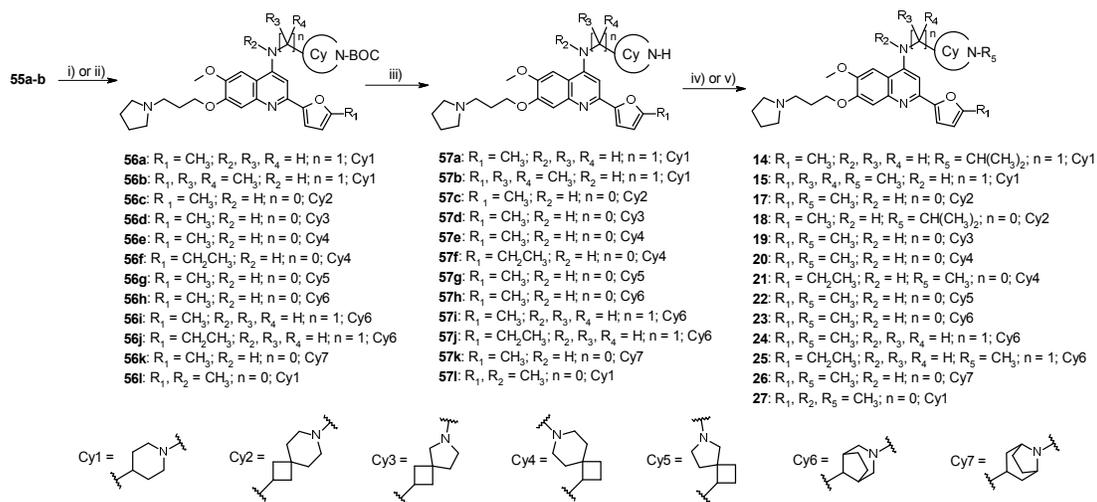
Scheme 1. Synthesis of compounds **7-11**, **13** and **16**.

Conditions: i) 3-pyrrolidin-1-yl-propan-1-ol, PPh₃, DEAD, THF, rt, 5 h; ii) Pd/C, H₂ (1 atm), MeOH, rt, 3 h; iii) POCl₃, malonic acid, rt, 4 h, then, 90 °C, overnight; iv) 2-(5-ethyl-2-furyl)-4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolane or 4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-2-(5-methyl-2-furyl)-1,3,2-dioxaborolane, Na₂CO₃ or K₂CO₃, Pd(PPh₃)₄, 1,4-dioxane or 1,4-dioxane /H₂O (15:1), 110 °C, MW or conventional heating, 4-12 h; v) corresponding amine, Cs₂CO₃, BINAP, Pd₂(dba)₃, 1,4-dioxane, 120-130 °C, MW or conventional heating, 3-12 h; vi) corresponding amine, *t*-BuONa, xantphos, Pd₂(dba)₃, toluene, 100 °C, MW, 2 h.

Synthesis of isopropyl analogue **14**, gem-dimethyl analogue **15**, spiropiperidines **17**, **18**, **20** and **21**, spiropyrrolidines **19** and **22**, bridged piperazines **23-26** and methylated analogue **27** is described in Scheme 2. Starting from previously described 4-chloroquinolines **55a** or **55b**, BOC-protected amines **56a-k** were prepared by Buchwald-Hartwig amination and tertiary amine **56l** using tert-butyl 4-(methylamino)piperidine-1-carboxylate and PTSA in *t*-BuOH. Then, the BOC protecting group was removed under acidic conditions and desired methyl or isopropyl substituent was installed by reductive amination. All analogues with chiral centers and

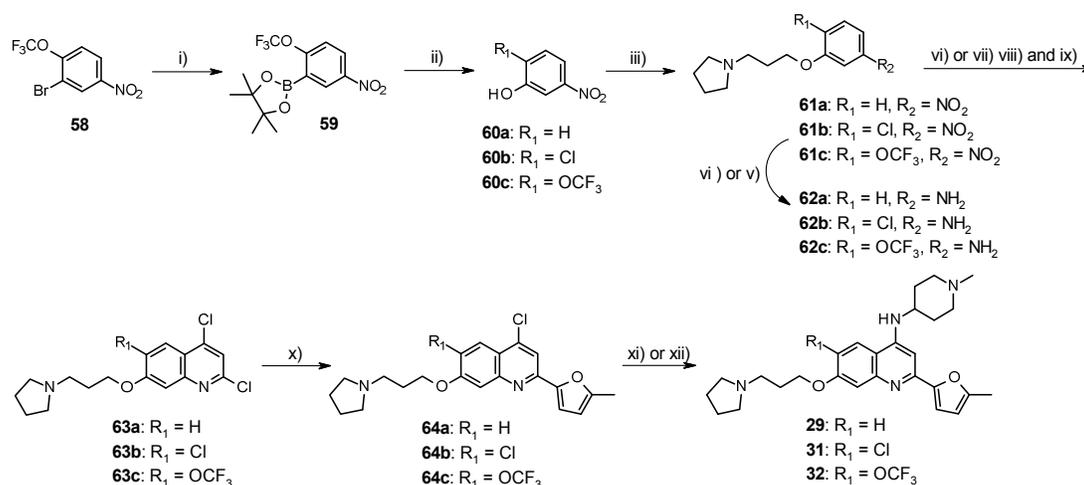
pseudostereocenters in this manuscript (**11**, **19-26**, **39**, **50**) were prepared as racemic mixtures.

Scheme 2. Synthesis of compounds **14**, **15** and **17-27**.



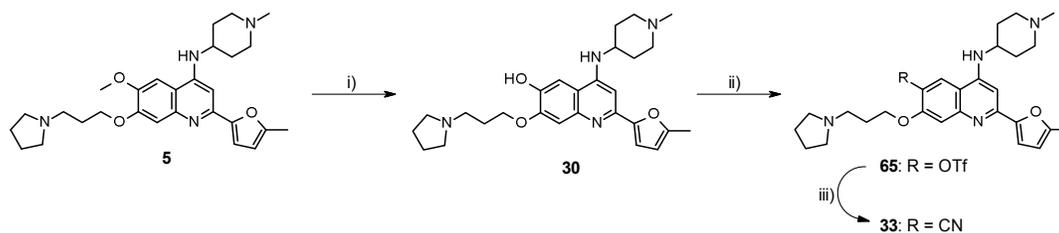
Conditions: i) corresponding amine, Cs_2CO_3 , BINAP, $\text{Pd}_2(\text{dba})_3$, 1,4-dioxane, 115-130 °C, MW or conventional heating, 5-48 h; ii) tert-butyl 4-(methylamino)piperidine-1-carboxylate, PTSA, *t*-BuOH, 120 °C, 48 h; iii) HCl/EtOAc (1.0 or 2.0 M) or HCl/MeOH (2.0 or 4.0 M), 16-25 °C, 1-16 h; iv) acetone, NaBH_3CN , AcOH, *i*-PrOH, 50-60 °C, 15-16 h; v) $(\text{HCHO})_n$, HCOOH, $\text{NaBH}(\text{OAc})_3$, MeOH, rt or 60 °C, 12 h or overnight.

Compounds with a hydrogen atom, a chlorine atom and a $-\text{OCF}_3$ group at position 6 of the quinoline (**29**, **31** and **32** respectively) were synthesized from intermediates **60a-c** through Mitsunobu reaction and reduction of nitro group (Scheme 3). Then, key intermediates **63a-b** were achieved after heating with POCl_3 and malonic acid and compound **63c** by a three step protocol (reaction with ethyl 3-chloro-3-oxo-propanoate, ester hydrolysis and reaction with POCl_3). Subsequent reaction with 4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-2-(5-methyl-2-furyl)-1,3,2-dioxaborolane and Buchwald-Hartwig amination led us to desired compounds **29**, **31** and **32**.

Scheme 3. Synthesis of compounds **29**, **31** and **32**.

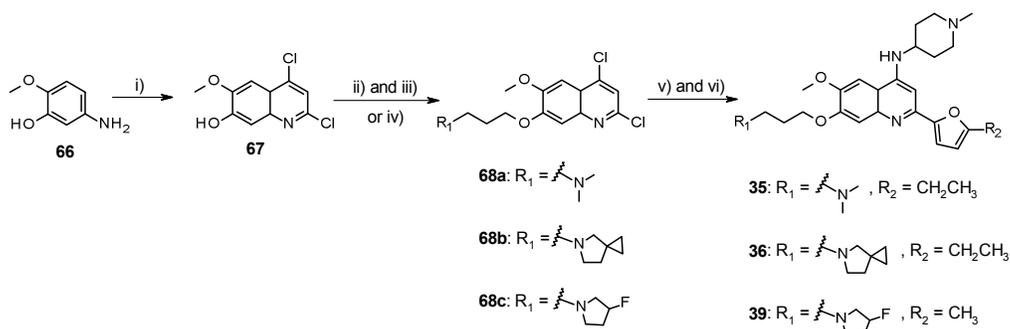
Conditions: i) 4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-2-(4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolan-2-yl)-1,3,2-dioxaborolane, KOAc, Pd(dppf)Cl₂, 1,4-dioxane, 90 °C, 10 h; ii) NaOH, H₂O₂, THF, 30 minutes, 22 °C; iii) 3-pyrrolidinylpropan-1-ol, PPh₃, DEAD or DIAD, THF, 0 °C or rt, 5-10 h; iv) Pd/C, H₂ (40 Psi), MeOH, rt, 2-15 h; v) Fe, NH₄Cl, EtOH/H₂O (4:1), rt, 3 h; vi) POCl₃, malonic acid, rt, 4 h, then 90 °C, overnight; vii), DMAP, pyridine, CH₂Cl₂, -70 °C, 1 h, then ethyl 3-chloro-3-oxo-propanoate, 20 °C, 15 h; viii) LiOH·H₂O, THF/MeOH/H₂O (4:2:3), 20 °C, 15 h; ix) POCl₃, 100 °C, 3 h; x) 4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-2-(5-methyl-2-furyl)-1,3,2-dioxaborolane, Na₂CO₃ or K₂CO₃, Pd(PPh₃)₄, 1,4-dioxane/H₂O (5:1, 15:1 or 10:1), 80-110 °C, MW or conventional heating, 2-15 h; xi) 1-methylpiperidin-4-amine, x-Phos, Pd₂(dba)₃, *t*-BuOK, 1,4-dioxane, 130 °C, MW, 4 h; xii) 1-methylpiperidin-4-amine, BINAP, Pd₂(dba)₃, Cs₂CO₃, 1,4-dioxane, 80-110 °C, 12-15 h.

Compounds with a hydroxy and a cyano substituent at position 6 of the quinoline (compounds **30** and **33**) were also prepared. As illustrated in Scheme 4, from previously described **5**, compound **30** was afforded using BBr₃ in CH₂Cl₂. Then, trifluoromethanesulfonate intermediate **65**, obtained by reaction with PhN(OTf)₂, was converted into desired compound **33** using Zn(CN)₂ and Pd(PPh₃)₄ in DMF.

Scheme 4. Synthesis of compounds **30** and **33**.

Conditions: i) BBr_3 , CH_2Cl_2 , $0\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$, 2 h; ii) $\text{PhN}(\text{OTf})_2$, DIEA, DMF, $0\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$, 2 h, then $25\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$, 12h; iii) $\text{Zn}(\text{CN})_2$, $\text{Pd}(\text{PPh}_3)_4$, DMF, $110\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$, 12 h.

To continue with exploration at position 7 of the quinoline, compounds **35**, **36** and **39** were synthesized (Scheme 5). Starting from commercially available 5-amino-2-methoxy-phenol (**66**), intermediate **67** was prepared by reaction with POCl_3 . Substitution at position 7 was then installed using 1,3-dibromopropane and N-methylmethanamine or 5-azaspiro[2.4]heptane to obtain compounds **68a-b**. On the other hand, intermediate **68c** was achieved in only one step by Mitsunobu reaction with 3-(3-fluoropyrrolidin-1-yl)propan-1-ol. Then, dichloroquinolines **68a-c** were converted into desired compounds **35**, **36** and **39** by the two step protocol previously described: Suzuki coupling and Buchwald-Hartwig amination.

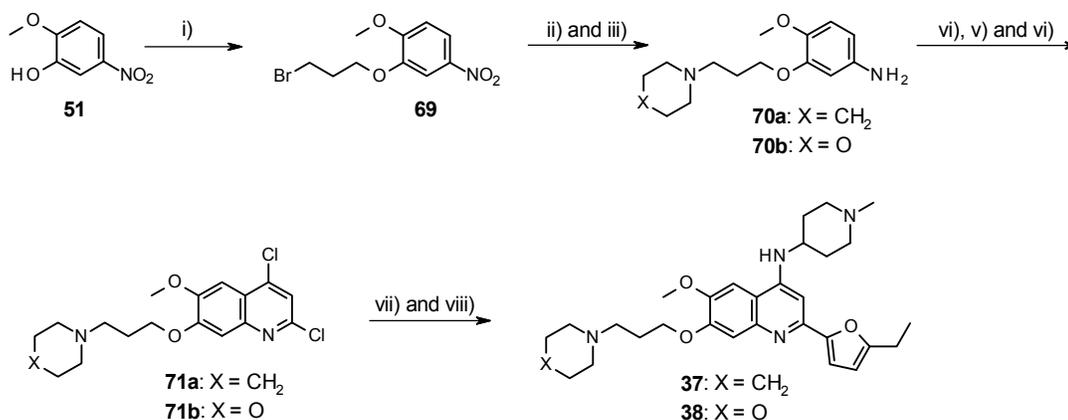
Scheme 5. Synthesis of compounds **35**, **36** and **39**.

Conditions: i) POCl_3 , malonic acid, $95\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$, 12 h; ii) 1,3-dibromopropane, K_2CO_3 , CH_3CN , $60\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$, 88 h; iii) corresponding amine, K_2CO_3 , CH_3CN , $60\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$, 16 h; iv) 3-(3-fluoropyrrolidin-1-yl)propan-1-ol, PPh_3 , DEAD, THF, $20\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ 16 h; v) 2-(5-ethyl-2-furyl)-4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolane or 4,4,5,5-

tetramethyl-2-(5-methyl-2-furyl)-1,3,2-dioxaborolane, K_2CO_3 , $Pd(PPh_3)_4$, 1,4-dioxane/ H_2O (1:1 or 10:1), 110 °C, 16 h; vi) 1-methylpiperidin-4-amine, Cs_2CO_3 , $Pd_2(dba)_3$, BINAP, 1,4-dioxane, 120 °C, 12-16 h.

Compounds with a piperidine or morpholine at position 7 were also prepared as outlined in Scheme 6. Conversion of commercially available 2-methoxy-5-nitro-phenol (**51**) to intermediate **69** was first achieved by reaction with 1,3-dibromopropane. Then, substitution by piperidine or morpholine and subsequent hydrogenation led us to compounds **70a-b** which were converted into corresponding 2,4-dichloroanilines **71a-b** after reaction with ethyl 3-chloro-3-oxo-propanoate, ester hydrolysis and reaction with $POCl_3$. Finally, desired 4-aminoquinolines **37** and **38** were isolated through Suzuki coupling and amination under Buchwald-Hartwig conditions.

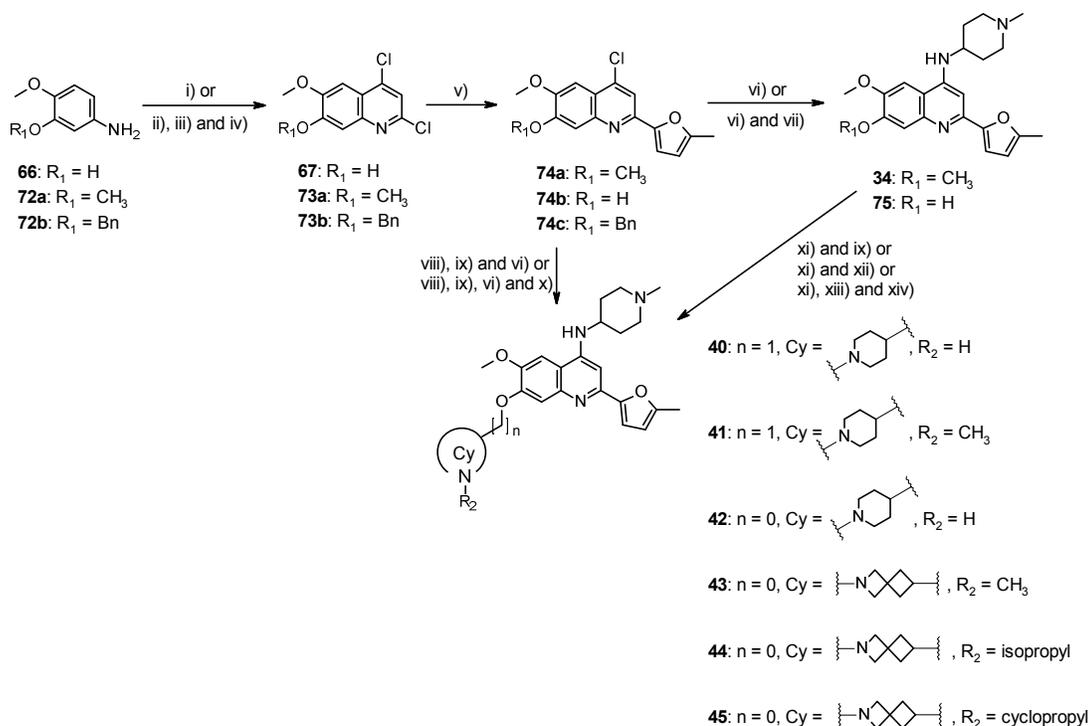
Scheme 6. Synthesis of compounds **37** and **38**.



Conditions: i) 1,3-dibromopropane, Cs_2CO_3 , DMF, 20 °C, 16 h; ii) piperidine or morpholine, Cs_2CO_3 , CH_3CN , 90 °C, 16 h; iii) Pd/C , MeOH, H_2 (30 Psi), 15 °C, 2 h; iv) DMAP, pyridine, CH_2Cl_2 , -78 °C, then ethyl 3-chloro-3-oxo-propanoate, 15 °C, 16 h; v) $LiOH \cdot H_2O$, THF/MeOH/ H_2O (20:20:13 or 3:3:2), 15 °C, 16 h; vi) $POCl_3$, 100 °C, 2 h; vii) 2-(5-ethyl-2-furyl)-4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolane, K_2CO_3 , $Pd(PPh_3)_4$, 1,4-dioxane or 1,4-dioxane/ H_2O (1:1), 110 °C, 16 h; viii) 1-methylpiperidin-4-amine, Cs_2CO_3 , $Pd_2(dba)_3$, BINAP, 1,4-dioxane, 120 °C, 16 h.

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3 Preparation of compounds **34**, **40-45** is shown in Scheme 7. In this case the synthesis
4 started with commercially available anilines **72a-b** and **66** which were transformed into
5 2,4-dichloroanilines **73a-b** and **67** following methods described above. Then, 5-methyl-
6 2-furyl at position 2 was installed through Suzuki coupling to afford intermediates **74a-**
7 **c**. Compound **34** with a methoxy group at position 7 of the quinoline, was then prepared
8 from intermediate **74a** by Buchwald-Hartwig amination using 1-methylpiperidin-4-
9 amine as in other cases. 4-Piperidyl derivatives **40** and **41** were synthesized from
10 intermediate **74b** through Mitsunobu reaction with tert-butyl 4-(hydroxymethyl)
11 piperidine-1-carboxylate, coupling with 1-methylpiperidin-4-amine, removal of BOC
12 protecting group under acidic conditions and reductive amination in the case of
13 methylated derivative **41**. Compound **42** was prepared from intermediate **75** (obtained
14 from **74c** by Suzuki coupling and hydrogenation), after reaction with tert-butyl 4-
15 methylsulfonyloxypiperidine-1-carboxylate and acidic removal of BOC protecting
16 group. Finally, 2-azaspiro[3.3]heptan-6-yl derivatives **43-45** were isolated after reaction
17 of intermediate **75** with tert-butyl 6-methylsulfonyloxy-2-azaspiro[3.3]heptane-2-
18 carboxylate and methylation using LiAlH₄ for compound **43** or deprotection with TFA
19 and reductive amination or cyclopropanation for compounds **44** and **45** respectively.
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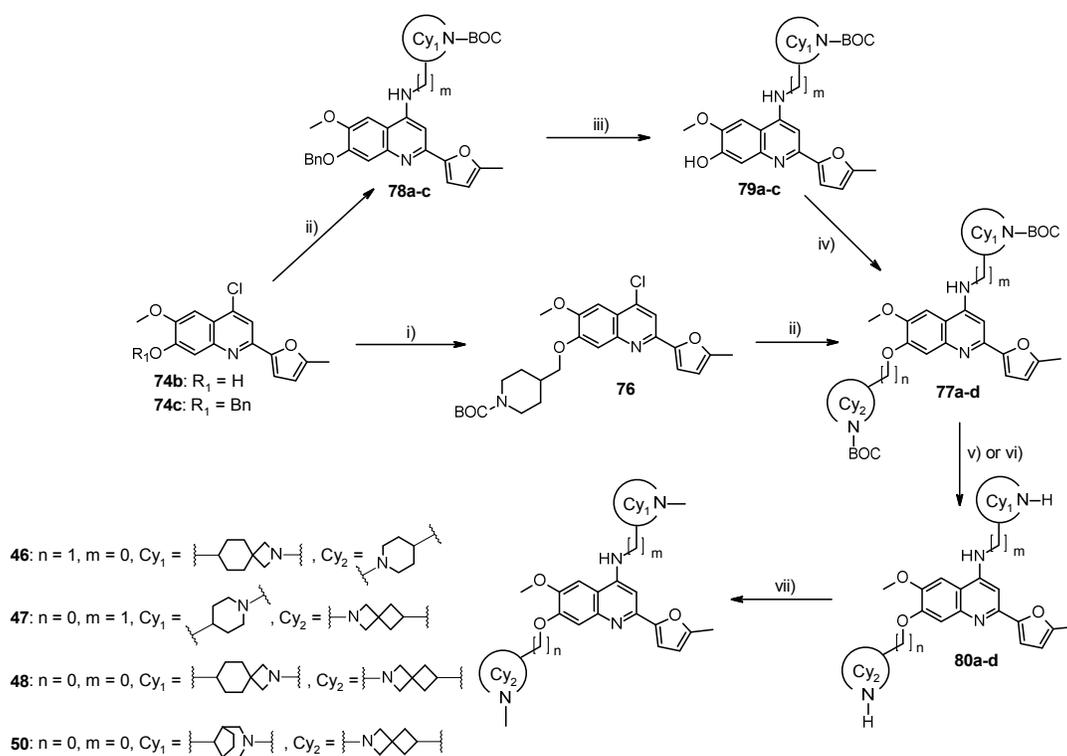


Conditions: i) $POCl_3$, malonic acid, rt, 4 h, then 90 °C, overnight or 95 °C, 12 h; ii) Et_3N , ethyl 3-chloro-3-oxo-propanoate, CH_2Cl_2 , 25 °C, 12 h; iii) $LiOH \cdot H_2O$, THF/MeOH/ H_2O (3:3:2), 25 °C, 16 h; iv) $POCl_3$, 90 °C, 2 h; v) 4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-2-(4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolan-2-yl)-1,3,2-dioxaborolane, Na_2CO_3 or K_2CO_3 , $Pd(PPh_3)_4$, 1,4-dioxane or 1,4-dioxane/ H_2O (15:1), 100-120 °C, MW or conventional heating, 2-16 h; vi) 1-methylpiperidin-4-amine, Cs_2CO_3 , BINAP, $Pd_2(dba)_3$, 1,4-dioxane, 110-120 °C, MW or conventional heating, 3-16h; vii) Pd/C , H_2 (50 Psi), MeOH, 25 °C, 16 h; viii) tert-butyl 4-(hydroxymethyl) piperidine-1-carboxylate, PPh_3 , DIAD, THF, 0 °C, 8 h; ix) HCl/EtOAc (1.0 or 2.0 M), 25 °C, 2-3 h; x) $(HCHO)_n$, $NaBH(OAc)_3$, HCOOH, 1,4-dioxane, 100 °C, 2 h; xi) tert-butyl 4-methylsulfonyloxypiperidine-1-carboxylate or tert-butyl 6-methylsulfonyloxy-2-azaspiro[3.3]heptane-2-carboxylate, Cs_2CO_3 , DMF, 100 °C, 16 h; xii) $LiAlH_4$, THF, 70 °C, 16 h; xiii) TFA, CH_2Cl_2 , 18 °C, 2 h; xiv) acetone or (1-ethoxycyclopropoxy)-trimethyl-silane, $NaBH_3CN$, AcOH, *i*-PrOH or *t*-BuOH, 60 °C, 16 h.

Synthesis of analogues **46-48** and **50** was performed as described in Scheme 8. From intermediate **74b**, compound **46** was prepared through Mitsunobu reaction, Pd mediated coupling with tert-butyl 2-amino-7-azaspiro[3.5]nonane-7-carboxylate, deprotection in

acidic media and reductive amination. On the other hand, compounds **47**, **48** and **50** were prepared from **74c**. In this case, this intermediate was transformed into compounds **79a-c** after amination with different BOC-protected amines and hydrogenation. Then, substituent at position 7 was installed by reaction with tert-butyl 6-methylsulfonyloxy-2-azaspiro[3.3]heptane-2-carboxylate. Finally, BOC protecting groups were removed using TFA and free secondary amines were methylated through reductive amination.

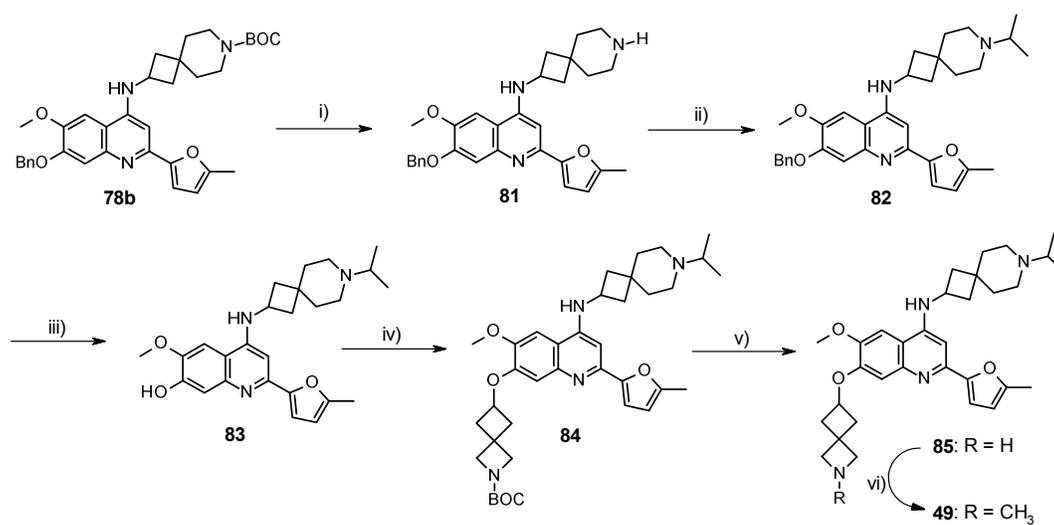
Scheme 8. Synthesis of compounds **46-48** and **50**.



Conditions: i) tert-butyl 4-(hydroxymethyl) piperidine-1-carboxylate, PPh_3 , DIAD, THF, 0 °C, 8 h; ii) corresponding amine, CS_2CO_3 , BINAP, $Pd_2(dba)_3$, or $Pd(dba)_2$, 1,4-dioxane, 110-130 °C, 12-16 h; iii) Pd/C , MeOH, H_2 (50 Psi), 25 °C, 16 h; iv) tert-butyl 6-methylsulfonyloxy-2-azaspiro[3.3]heptane-2-carboxylate, CS_2CO_3 , DMF, 100 °C, 16 h; v) HCl/EtOAc (2.0 M), 25 °C, 2 h; vi) TFA, CH_2Cl_2 , 18 °C, 2 h; vii) $(HCHO)_n$, $NaBH_3CN$ or $NaBH(OAc)_3$, HCOOH, MeOH, 60-70 °C, 12-16 h.

Finally, derivative **49** was synthesized as outlined in Scheme 9. To prepare this compound, BOC protecting group of intermediate **78b** was removed and then an isopropyl group was installed by reductive amination. Compound **83** was then achieved after hydrogenation. Subsequent Mitsunobu reaction using tert-butyl 6-methylsulfonyloxy-2-azaspiro[3.3]heptane-2-carboxylate led us to intermediate **84** which was finally converted into desired analogue **49** by acidic deprotection and reductive amination.

Scheme 9. Synthesis of compound **49**.



Conditions: i) HCl/EtOAc (2.0 M), 18 °C, 2 h; ii) acetone, NaBH₃CN, AcOH, *i*-PrOH, 60 °C, 16 h; iii) Pd/C, MeOH, H₂ (50 Psi), 20 °C, 8 h; iv) tert-butyl 6-methylsulfonyloxy-2-azaspiro[3.3]heptane-2-carboxylate, Cs₂CO₃, DMF, 100 °C, 16 h; v) TFA, DCM, 18 °C, 2 h; vi) (HCHO)_n, NaBH(OAc)₃, HCOOH, MeOH, 60 °C, 16 h.

DISCUSSION AND CONCLUSIONS

In summary, we present a detailed exploration around three main growing vectors born by the 2-(2-furyl)-4-aminoquinoline scaffold. Exploring this chemical space led to the identification of key chemical features (substructures) that guide our navigation to well-

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5 discovered selective G9a inhibitors (**5**, **6** and **26**), first-in-class potent and selective
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7 DNMT1 inhibitors (**43**) as well as equipotent dual inhibitors targetting G9a and
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26 **EXPERIMENTAL SECTION**

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42 phase disposable flash columns) on a Biotage SPX flash purification system.
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46 reactor. The NMR spectroscopic data were recorded on a Bruker AV400 or VARIAN
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17 ChemStation LC/MSD quad software. All tested compounds possessed a purity of at
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19 least 95% established by HPLC or LCMS unless otherwise noted. Reported yields were
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21 not optimized, the emphasis being on purity of product rather than quantity.
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27 **N-cyclopropyl-6-methoxy-2-(5-methyl-2-furyl)-7-(3-pyrrolidin-1-**
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29 **ylpropoxy)quinolin-4-amine (7)**

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31 To a solution of compound **55a** (200 mg, 0.5 mmol) in 1,4-dioxane (10 mL) were added
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33 Cs₂CO₃ (325 mg, 1 mmol), BINAP (67 mg, 0.1 mmol), Pd₂(dba)₃ (30 mg, 0.03 mmol)
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35 and cyclopropanamine (60 mg, 1 mmol) and the reaction mixture was stirred at 120 °C
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37 for 5 hours under Microwave. Then, the solution was concentrated and extracted with
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39 EtOAc. The combined organic phase was washed with brine, dried over anhydrous
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41 Na₂SO₄, filtered and concentrated to give the crude product which was purified by prep-
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43 HPLC (method 1 described in supporting information) to obtain pure compound **7** (35
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45 mg, 17%) as yellow solid; m.p. 103-104 °C. ¹H NMR (CD₃OD, 400 MHz): δ 7.69 (s,
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47 1H), 7.49 (d, *J* = 2.8 Hz, 1H), 7.47 (s, 1H), 7.31 (s, 1H), 6.43 (d, *J* = 2.8 Hz, 1H), 4.36-
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49 4.33 (m, 2H), 4.01 (s, 3H), 3.85-3.78 (m, 2H), 3.51-3.47 (m, 2H), 3.20-3.10 (m, 2H),
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51 2.91-2.89 (m, 1H), 2.50 (s, 3H), 2.39-2.34 (m, 2H), 2.24-2.17 (m, 2H), 2.09-2.05 (m,
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2H), 1.11-1.09 (m, 2H), 0.85-0.82 (m, 2H). ESI-MS m/z 422.3 $[M+H]^+$ calc. for $C_{25}H_{31}N_3O_3$.

N-cyclopentyl-6-methoxy-2-(5-methyl-2-furyl)-7-(3-pyrrolidin-1-ylpropoxy)quinolin-4-amine (8)

To a solution of compound **55a** (90 mg, 0.225 mmol) in toluene (5 mL) was added *t*-BuONa (43 mg, 0.45 mmol), xantphos (45 mg, 0.07 mmol), $Pd_2(dba)_3$ (64 mg, 0.07 mmol), and cyclopentanamine (40 mg, 0.45 mmol) and the solution was heated to 100 °C for 2 hours under Microwave. Then, the solution was concentrated and extracted with EtOAc. The combined organic layer was washed with brine, dried over anhydrous Na_2SO_4 , filtered and concentrated to give the crude product which was purified by prep-HPLC (method 2 described in supporting information) to obtain pure compound **8** (7.2 mg, 7%) as yellow oil. 1H NMR (CD_3OD , 400 MHz): δ 7.83 (s, 1H), 7.52-7.51 (m, 1H), 7.46 (s, 1H), 6.99 (s, 1H), 6.43-6.42 (m, 1H), 4.37-4.33 (m, 3H), 4.04 (s, 3H), 3.90-3.75 (m, 2H), 3.55-3.45 (m, 2H), 3.25-3.10 (m, 2H), 2.51 (s, 3H), 2.45-2.35 (m, 2H), 2.35-2.15 (m, 4H), 2.15-2.00 (m, 2H), 2.00-1.70 (m, 6H). ESI-MS m/z 450.3 $[M+H]^+$ calc. for $C_{27}H_{35}N_3O_3$.

2-[[6-methoxy-2-(5-methyl-2-furyl)-7-(3-pyrrolidin-1-ylpropoxy)-4-quinolyl]amino]ethanol (9)

To a solution of compound **55a** (200 mg, 0.5 mmol) in 1,4-dioxane (10 mL) were added CS_2CO_3 (325 mg, 1 mmol), BINAP (67 mg, 0.1 mmol), $Pd_2(dba)_3$ (30 mg, 0.03 mmol) and 2-aminoethanol (61 mg, 1 mmol) and the reaction mixture was stirred at 120 °C for 3 hours under Microwave. Then, the solution was concentrated and extracted with EtOAc. The combined organic layer was washed with brine, dried over anhydrous

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3 Na₂SO₄, filtered and concentrated to give the crude product which was purified by prep-
4 HPLC (method 1 described in supporting information) to obtain compound **9** (60 mg,
5 28%) as a yellow solid; m.p. 112-113 °C. ¹H NMR (CD₃OD, 400 MHz): δ 7.73 (s, 1H),
6 7.50-7.49 (m, 2H), 7.06 (s, 1H), 6.42 (d, *J* = 2.8 Hz, 1H), 4.36-4.33 (m, 2H), 4.06 (s,
7 3H), 3.93-3.89 (m, 2H), 3.86-3.78 (m, 2H), 3.77-3.74 (m, 2H), 3.52-3.47 (m, 2H), 3.21-
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ESI-MS *m/z* 426.3 [M+H]⁺ calc. for C₂₄H₃₁N₃O₄.

3-[[6-methoxy-2-(5-methyl-2-furyl)-7-(3-pyrrolidin-1-ylpropoxy)-4-quinolyl]amino]-N-methyl-propanamide (10)

To a solution of compound **55a** (200 mg, 0.5 mmol) in 1,4-dioxane (10 mL) was added Cs₂CO₃ (325 mg, 1 mmol), BINAP (67 mg, 0.1 mmol), Pd₂(dba)₃ (30 mg, 0.03 mmol) and 3-amino-N-methylpropanamide (204 mg, 1 mmol) and the solution was heated to 130 °C for 5 hours under Microwave. Then, the solution was concentrated and extracted with EtOAc. The combined organic layer was washed with brine, dried over anhydrous Na₂SO₄, filtered and concentrated to give the crude product which was purified by prep-HPLC (method 1 described in supporting information) to obtain pure compound **10** (40 mg, 17%) as yellow solid; m.p. 105-106 °C. ¹H NMR (CD₃OD, 400 MHz): δ 7.68 (s, 1H), 7.55 (d, *J* = 3.2 Hz, 1H), 7.49 (s, 1H), 7.01 (s, 1H), 6.46 (d, *J* = 3.2 Hz, 1H), 4.38-4.34 (m, 2H), 4.05 (s, 3H), 3.94-3.80 (m, 4H), 3.54-3.50 (m, 2H), 3.23-3.12 (m, 2H), 2.75-2.65 (m, 5H), 2.53 (s, 3H), 2.43-2.38 (m, 2H), 2.27-2.17 (m, 2H), 2.12-2.05 (m, 2H). ESI-MS *m/z* 467.3 [M+H]⁺ calc. for C₂₆H₃₄N₄O₄.

4-[[6-methoxy-2-(5-methyl-2-furyl)-7-(3-pyrrolidin-1-ylpropoxy)-4-quinolyl]amino]-1-methyl-piperidin-2-one (11)

To a solution of compound **55a** (200 mg, 0.5 mmol) in 1,4-dioxane (10 mL) were added Cs₂CO₃ (325 mg, 1 mmol), BINAP (67 mg, 0.1 mmol), Pd₂(dba)₃ (30 mg, 0.03 mmol) and 4-amino-1-methylpiperidin-2-one (128 mg, 1 mmol) and the reaction mixture was stirred at 120 °C for 3 hours under Microwave. Then, the solution was concentrated and extracted with EtOAc. The combined organic layer was washed with brine, dried over anhydrous Na₂SO₄, filtered and concentrated to give the crude product which was purified by prep-HPLC (method 1 described in supporting information) to obtain pure compound **11** (20 mg, 8%) as a yellow oil. ¹H NMR (CD₃OD, 400 MHz): δ 7.83 (s, 1H), 7.58 (d, *J* = 3.2 Hz, 1H), 7.51 (s, 1H), 7.11 (s, 1H), 6.44 (d, *J* = 3.2 Hz, 1H), 4.57-4.51 (m, 1H), 4.40-4.34 (m, 2H), 4.07 (s, 3H), 3.89-3.80 (m, 2H), 3.62-3.48 (m, 4H), 3.21-3.12 (m, 2H), 3.04 (s, 3H), 2.99-2.93 (m, 1H), 2.64-2.53 (m, 4H), 2.44-2.27 (m, 3H), 2.24-2.07 (m, 5H). ESI-MS *m/z* 493.3 [M+H]⁺ calc. for C₂₈H₃₆N₄O₄.

2-(5-ethyl-2-furyl)-6-methoxy-N-[(1-methyl-4-piperidyl)methyl]-7-(3-pyrrolidin-1-ylpropoxy)quinolin-4-amine (13)

To a solution of compound **55b** (207 mg, 0.5 mmol) in 1,4-dioxane (15 mL) was added Cs₂CO₃ (325 mg, 1 mmol), BINAP (33.75 mg, 0.05 mmol), Pd₂(dba)₃ (30 mg, 0.03 mmol) and (1-methylpiperidin-4-yl)methanamine (128 mg, 1.0 mmol) and the solution was heated to 120 °C for 12 hours. Then, the solution was concentrated and extracted with EtOAc. The combined organic layer was washed with brine, dried over anhydrous Na₂SO₄, filtered and concentrated to give the crude product which was purified by prep-HPLC (method 3 described in supporting information) to obtain pure compound **13** (110 mg, 43%) as yellow oil. ¹H NMR (CD₃OD, 400 MHz): δ 7.73 (s, 1H), 7.51 (d, *J* = 3.2 Hz, 1H), 7.48 (s, 1H), 6.99 (s, 1H), 6.46 (d, *J* = 3.2 Hz, 1H), 4.37-4.31 (m, 3H), 4.04 (s, 3H), 3.86-3.74 (m, 2H), 3.61-3.52 (m, 4H), 3.50-3.42 (m, 2H), 3.23-3.12 (m, 2H),

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4 (m, 2H), 1.65-1.55 (m, 2H), 1.38-1.34 (m, 3H). ESI-MS m/z 507.3 $[M+H]^+$ calc. for
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11 **N-[(1-isopropyl-4-piperidyl)methyl]-6-methoxy-2-(5-methyl-2-furyl)-7-(3-**
12 **pyrrolidin-1-ylpropoxy)quinolin-4-amine (14)**
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15 To a mixture of compound **57a** (125 mg, 0.261 mmol) and acetone (85 mg, 1.46 mmol)
16 in *i*-PrOH (20 mL) were added $NaBH_3CN$ (92 mg, 1.46 mmol) and AcOH (88 mg, 1.46
17 mmol) and the mixture was stirred at 50 °C for 15 hours under N_2 . Then, the solution
18 was cooled to 16 °C, filtered and concentrated in vacuum. The residue was purified by
19 prep-HPLC (method 4 described in supporting information) to afford the desired
20 compound **14** (42.0 mg, 31%) as a yellow oil. 1H NMR (CD_3OD , 400 MHz): δ 7.73 (s,
21 1H), 7.56-7.48 (m, 2H), 6.96 (s, 1H), 6.42 (d, $J = 2.4$ Hz, 1H), 4.34-4.29 (m, 2H), 4.03
22 (s, 3H), 3.90-3.78 (m, 2H), 3.62-3.55 (m, 2H), 3.53-3.49 (m, 5H), 3.16 (m, 2H), 3.09-
23 3.03 (m, 2H), 2.50 (s, 3H), 2.42-2.33 (m, 2H), 2.20-2.17 (m, 4H), 2.10-2.01 (m, 2H),
24 1.72-1.64 (m, 2H), 1.42-1.32 (m, 7H). ESI-MS m/z 521.4 $[M+H]^+$ calc. for $C_{31}H_{44}N_4O_3$.
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39 **6-methoxy-2-(5-methyl-2-furyl)-N-[1-methyl-1-(1-methyl-4-piperidyl)ethyl]-7-(3-**
40 **pyrrolidin-1-ylpropoxy)quinolin-4-amine (15)**
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43 A mixture of **57b** (15.0 mg, 0.029 mmol), $(HCHO)_n$ (5.3 mg, 0.059 mmol), HCOOH
44 (0.28 mg, 5.92 μ mol) and $NaBH(OAc)_3$ (12.55 mg, 0.059 mmol) in MeOH (5.00 mL)
45 was degassed and purged with N_2 for 3 times and then the mixture was stirred at 60 °C
46 for 12 hours. Then, the reaction mixture was filtrated and the filtrate was concentrated
47 under vacuum to give a residue. The residue was purified by prep-HPLC (method 5
48 described in supporting information) to afford compound **15** (4.5 mg, 30%) as a yellow
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oil. ^1H NMR (CD_3OD , 400 MHz): δ 7.74 (s, 1H), 7.56 (d, $J = 3.54$ Hz, 1H), 7.47 (s, 1H), 7.09 (s, 1H), 6.44-6.42 (m, 1H), 4.35 (t, $J = 5.2$ Hz, 2H), 4.03 (s, 3H), 3.85-3.76 (m, 2H), 3.58-3.44 (m, 4H), 3.18-3.10 (m, 2H), 3.06-2.96 (m, 2H), 2.83 (s, 3H), 2.62-2.54 (m, 1H), 2.50 (s, 3H), 2.40-2.33 (m, 2H), 2.23-2.16 (m, 2H), 2.10-1.95 (m, 4H), 1.84-1.71 (m, 2H), 1.64 (s, 6H). ESI-MS m/z 521.4 $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ calc. for $\text{C}_{31}\text{H}_{44}\text{N}_4\text{O}_3$.

N-benzyl-6-methoxy-2-(5-methyl-2-furyl)-7-(3-pyrrolidin-1-ylpropoxy)quinolin-4-amine (16)

To a solution of compound **55a** (200 mg, 0.5 mmol) in 1,4-dioxane (10 mL) were added Cs_2CO_3 (325 mg, 1 mmol), BINAP (67 mg, 0.1 mmol), $\text{Pd}_2(\text{dba})_3$ (30 mg, 0.03 mmol) and phenylmethanamine (107 mg, 1 mmol) and the reaction mixture was stirred at 120 $^\circ\text{C}$ for 3 hours under Microwave. Then, the solution was concentrated and extracted with EtOAc. The combined organic layer was washed with brine, dried over anhydrous Na_2SO_4 , filtered and concentrated to give the crude product which was purified by prep-HPLC (method 1 described in supporting information) to obtain pure compound **16** (60 mg, 26%) as a yellow oil. ^1H NMR (CD_3OD , 400 MHz): δ 7.78 (s, 1H), 7.32 (s, 7H), 6.92 (s, 1H), 6.38 (d, $J = 2.8$ Hz, 1H), 4.79 (s, 2H), 4.36-4.33 (m, 2H), 4.04 (s, 3H), 3.87-3.78 (m, 2H), 3.52-3.47 (m, 2H), 3.19-3.13 (m, 2H), 2.46 (s, 3H), 2.42-2.35 (m, 2H), 2.26-2.19 (m, 2H), 2.11-2.04 (m, 2H). ESI-MS m/z 472.3 $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ calc. for $\text{C}_{29}\text{H}_{33}\text{N}_3\text{O}_3$.

6-methoxy-N-(7-methyl-7-azaspiro[3.5]nonan-2-yl)-2-(5-methyl-2-furyl)-7-(3-pyrrolidin-1-ylpropoxy)quinolin-4-amine (17)

To a solution of compound **57c** (50.4 mg, 0.1 mmol) in MeOH (10 mL) was added $(\text{HCHO})_n$ (9 mg, 0.3 mmol) and the solution was stirred at room temperature for 1 hour.

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3 Then, NaBH(OAc)₃ (63 mg, 0.3 mmol) was added and the mixture was stirred at room
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5 temperature overnight. The solution was extracted with EtOAc and the combined
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7 organic layer was washed with brine, dried over anhydrous Na₂SO₄, filtered and
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9 concentrated to give the crude product which was purified by prep-HPLC (method 1
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11 described in the supporting information) to afford pure compound **17** (25 mg, 48%) as
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13 yellow oil. ¹H NMR (CD₃OD, 400 MHz): δ 7.85 (s, 1H), 7.55 (d, *J* = 2.8 Hz, 1H), 7.51
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17 4.06 (s, 3H), 3.89-3.82 (m, 2H), 3.53-3.50 (m, 3H), 3.46-3.43 (m, 1H), 3.18-3.15 (m,
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19 3H), 3.05-2.98 (m, 1H), 2.90 (s, 3H), 2.87-2.84 (m, 1H), 2.58-2.54 (m, 1H), 2.53 (s,
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21 3H), 2.40 (s, 2H), 2.28-2.25 (m, 4H), 2.18-2.09 (m, 3H), 1.98-1.95 (m, 3H). ESI-MS
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23 *m/z* 519.3 [M+H]⁺ calc. for C₃₁H₄₂N₄O₃.
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31 **N-(7-isopropyl-7-azaspiro[3.5]nonan-2-yl)-6-methoxy-2-(5-methyl-2-furyl)-7-(3-**
32 **pyrrolidin-1-ylpropoxy)quinolin-4-amine (18)**

33 A mixture of **57c** (200 mg, 0.396 mmol), acetone (128 mg, 2.22 mmol), NaBH₃CN (139
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35 mg, 2.22 mmol) and AcOH (133 mg, 2.22 mmol) in *i*-PrOH (5 mL) was degassed and
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37 purged with N₂ for 3 times and then the mixture was stirred at 60 °C for 16 hours. Then,
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39 the reaction mixture was concentrated in vacuum to give a residue. The residue was
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41 purified by prep-HPLC (method 6 described in supporting information) to afford pure
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43 compound **18** (32 mg, 15%) as a yellow oil. ¹H NMR (CD₃OD, 400 MHz): δ 7.82 (s,
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45 1H), 7.54 (d, *J* = 3.6 Hz, 1H), 7.48 (s, 1H), 6.81 (s, 1H), 6.43 (d, *J* = 3.2 Hz, 1H), 4.52-
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47 4.50 (m, 1H), 4.35-4.34 (m, 2H), 4.04 (s, 3H), 3.83 (br s, 2H), 3.52-3.47 (m, 6H), 3.17-
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49 3.14 (m, 4H), 2.98-2.93 (m, 1H), 2.82-2.78 (m, 1H), 2.55-2.50 (m, 4H), 2.38-2.36 (m,
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51 2H), 2.29-2.26 (m, 2H), 2.23-2.20 (m, 2H), 2.10-2.08 (m, 2H), 2.00-1.98 (m, 2H), 1.39-
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53 1.37 (m, 6H). ESI-MS *m/z* 547.5 [M+H]⁺ calc. for C₃₃H₄₆N₄O₃.
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5 **6-methoxy-N-(6-methyl-6-azaspiro[3.4]octan-2-yl)-2-(5-methyl-2-furyl)-7-(3-**
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7 **pyrrolidin-1-ylpropoxy)quinolin-4-amine (19)**

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9 To a solution of compound **57d** (80 mg, 0.16 mmol) in MeOH (10 mL) was added
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11 (HCHO)_n (15 mg, 0.48 mmol) and the solution was stirred at room temperature for 1
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13 hour. Then, NaBH(OAc)₃ (170 mg, 0.8 mmol) was added and the reaction mixture was
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15 stirred at room temperature overnight. Then, the solution was extracted with EtOAc and
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17 the combined organic layer was washed with brine, dried over anhydrous Na₂SO₄,
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19 filtered and concentrated to give the crude product which was purified by prep-HPLC
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21 (method 1 described in supporting information) to afford compound **19** (15 mg, 19%) as
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23 yellow oil. ¹H NMR (CD₃OD, 400 MHz): δ 7.80 (s, 1H), 7.55-7.54 (m, 1H), 7.47 (s,
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25 1H), 6.85-6.83 (m, 1H), 6.44-6.43 (m, 1H), 4.54-4.46 (m, 1H), 4.36-4.33 (m, 2H), 4.04
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27 (s, 3H), 3.83-3.70 (m, 4H), 3.52-3.47 (m, 2H), 3.19-3.16 (m, 4H), 3.00-2.94 (m, 3H),
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29 2.80-2.65 (m, 3H), 2.60-2.50 (m, 4H), 2.39-2.38 (m, 3H), 2.25-2.21 (m, 3H), 2.12-2.08
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31 (m, 2H). ESI-MS *m/z* 505.3 [M+H]⁺ calc. for C₃₀H₄₀N₄O₃.

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37 **6-methoxy-N-(7-methyl-7-azaspiro[3.5]nonan-3-yl)-2-(5-methyl-2-furyl)-7-(3-**
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39 **pyrrolidin-1-ylpropoxy)quinolin-4-amine (20)**

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41 To a solution of compound **57e** (50.5 mg, 0.1 mmol) in MeOH (10 mL) was added
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43 (HCHO)_n (9 mg, 0.3 mmol) and the solution was stirred at room temperature for 1 hour.
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45 Then, NaBH(OAc)₃ (63 mg, 0.3 mmol) was added and the reaction mixture was stirred
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47 at room temperature overnight. The solution was extracted with EtOAc and the
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49 combined organic layer was washed with brine, dried over anhydrous Na₂SO₄, filtered
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51 and concentrated to give the crude product which was purified by prep-HPLC (method
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53 1 described in supporting information) to afford pure compound **20** (25 mg, 48%) as
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3 yellow oil. ^1H NMR (CD_3OD , 400 MHz): δ 7.90 (s, 1H), 7.51 (s, 2H), 7.01 (s, 1H), 6.47
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5 3.40 (m, 4H), 3.26-3.12 (m, 3H), 3.08-2.96 (m, 1H), 2.83 (s, 3H), 2.61-2.48 (m, 5H),
6 2.46-2.28 (m, 3H), 2.26-2.03 (m, 7H), 1.94-1.82 (m, 1H), 1.70-1.61 (m, 1H). ESI-MS
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9 m/z 519.3 $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ calc. for $\text{C}_{31}\text{H}_{42}\text{N}_4\text{O}_3$.
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16 **2-(5-ethyl-2-furyl)-6-methoxy-N-(7-methyl-7-azaspiro[3.5]nonan-3-yl)-7-(3-**
17 **pyrrolidin-1-ylpropoxy)quinolin-4-amine (21)**

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19 A mixture of **57f** (50 mg, 0.096 mmol), $(\text{HCHO})_n$ (26.1 mg, 0.289 mmol),
20 $\text{NaBH}(\text{OAc})_3$ (61 mg, 0.289 mmol) and HCOOH (4.6 mg, 0.96 mmol) in MeOH
21 (5 mL) was degassed and purged with N_2 for 3 times and then the mixture was
22 stirred at 60 °C for 16 hours. Then, the solution was concentrated under vacuum
23 to give a residue. The residue was purified by prep-HPLC (method 3 described in
24 supporting information) to afford pure compound **21** (12.5 mg, 24%) as a yellow
25 oil. ^1H NMR (CD_3OD , 400 MHz): δ 7.88 (s, 1H), 7.51-7.50 (m, 2H), 6.98 (s, 1H),
26 6.44 (d, $J = 3.2$ Hz, 1H), 4.58-4.55 (m, 1H), 4.37-4.34 (m, 2H), 4.05 (s, 3H), 3.85-
27 3.80 (m, 2H), 3.49-3.42 (m, 4H), 3.17-3.14 (m, 4H), 3.03-2.97 (m, 1H), 2.86-2.81
28 (m, 5H), 2.58-2.52 (m, 2H), 2.40-2.37 (m, 2H), 2.22-2.06 (m, 7H), 1.89-1.86 (m,
29 1H), 1.68-1.64 (m, 1H), 1.36 (t, $J = 14.8$ Hz, 3H). ESI-MS m/z 533.5 $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$
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48 **6-methoxy-N-(6-methyl-6-azaspiro[3.4]octan-3-yl)-2-(5-methyl-2-furyl)-7-(3-**
49 **pyrrolidin-1-ylpropoxy)quinolin-4-amine (22)**

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51 To a solution of compound **57g** (49.1 mg, 0.1 mmol) in MeOH (10 mL) was added
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3 Then NaBH(OAc)₃ (63 mg, 0.3 mmol) was added and the reaction mixture was stirred
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5 at room temperature overnight. The solution was extracted with EtOAc and the
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7 combined organic layer was washed with brine, dried over anhydrous Na₂SO₄, filtered
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9 and concentrated to give the crude product which was purified by prep-HPLC (method
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11 1 described in supporting information) to afford pure compound **22** (15 mg, 30%) as
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13 yellow oil. ¹H NMR (CD₃OD, 400 MHz): δ 7.98 (s, 1H), 7.60-7.52 (m, 2H), 7.11-7.08
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15 (m, 1H), 6.48 (s, 1H), 4.41-4.32 (m, 2H), 4.09 (s, 3H), 3.89-3.79 (m, 4H), 3.55-3.46 (m,
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17 3H), 3.24-3.12 (m, 4H), 2.93-2.82 (m, 3H), 2.54-2.35 (m, 7H), 2.26-2.03 (m, 8H). ESI-
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19 MS *m/z* 505.3 [M+H]⁺ calc. for C₃₀H₄₀N₄O₃.

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24 **6-methoxy-N-(3-methyl-3-azabicyclo[3.2.1]octan-8-yl)-2-(5-methyl-2-furyl)-7-(3-**
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26 **pyrrolidin-1-ylpropoxy)quinolin-4-amine (23)**

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28 A mixture of **57h** (150 mg, 0.306 mmol), (HCHO)_n (82 mg, 0.917 mmol), NaBH(OAc)₃
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30 (194 mg, 0.917 mmol) and HCOOH (14 mg, 0.305 mmol) in MeOH (10 mL) was
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32 degassed and purged with N₂ for 3 times and then the mixture was stirred at 60 °C for
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34 16 hours. Then, the reaction mixture was concentrated in vacuum to give a residue. The
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36 residue was purified by prep-HPLC (method 7 described in supporting information) to
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38 afford pure compound **23** (22.5 mg, 14%) as a white solid; m.p. 120-121 °C. ¹H NMR
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40 (CD₃OD, 400 MHz): δ 7.94 (s, 1H), 7.61 (d, *J* = 3.6 Hz, 1H), 7.54 (s, 1H), 6.99 (s, 1H),
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42 6.44 (d, *J* = 2.8 Hz, 1H), 4.37-4.35 (m, 2H), 4.10 (s, 3H), 4.04-4.00 (m, 1H), 3.86-3.77
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44 (m, 2H), 3.54-3.49 (m, 4H), 3.40-3.37 (m, 2H), 3.18-3.14 (m, 2H), 2.92-2.89 (m, 5H),
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46 2.51 (s, 3H), 2.41-2.38 (m, 2H), 2.27-2.22 (m, 4H), 2.06-1.99 (m, 4H). ESI-MS *m/z*
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48 505.4 [M+H]⁺ calc. for C₃₀H₄₀N₄O₃.

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3 **6-methoxy-N-[(3-methyl-3-azabicyclo[3.2.1]octan-8-yl)methyl]-2-(5-methyl-2-**
4 **furyl)-7-(3-pyrrolidin-1-ylpropoxy)quinolin-4-amine (24)**
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7 A mixture of **57i** (300 mg, 0.55 mmol), (HCHO)_n (149 mg, 1.66 mmol), NaBH(OAc)₃
8 (352 mg, 1.66 mmol) and HCOOH (26 mg, 0.554 mmol) in MeOH (10 mL) was
9 degassed and purged with N₂ for 3 times and then the mixture was stirred at 60 °C for
10 16 hours. Then, the reaction mixture was concentrated in vacuum to give a residue. The
11 residue was purified by prep-HPLC (method 8 described in supporting information) to
12 afford compound **24** (47 mg, 16%) as a yellow oil. ¹H NMR (CD₃OD, 400 MHz): δ
13 7.79-7.76 (m, 1H), 7.57-7.56 (m, 1H), 7.50 (s, 1H), 7.08-7.02 (m, 1H), 6.44-6.43 (m,
14 1H), 4.36-4.34 (m, 2H), 4.04-4.01 (m, 4H), 3.86-3.78 (m, 2H), 3.53-3.41 (m, 6H), 3.16-
15 3.13 (m, 3H), 2.93-2.83 (m, 3H), 2.55-2.37 (m, 8H), 2.22-2.20 (m, 3H), 2.10-2.08 (m,
16 3H), 1.90-1.89 (m, 2H). ESI-MS *m/z* 519.4 [M+H]⁺ calc. for C₃₁H₄₂N₄O₃.
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31 **2-(5-ethyl-2-furyl)-6-methoxy-N-[(3-methyl-3-azabicyclo[3.2.1]octan-8-yl)methyl]-**
32 **7-(3-pyrrolidin-1-ylpropoxy)quinolin-4-amine (25)**
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35 A mixture of **57j** (360 mg, 0.649 mmol), (HCHO)_n (175 mg, 1.95 mmol), NaBH(OAc)₃
36 (412 mg, 1.95 mmol) and HCOOH (31 mg, 0.648 mmol) in MeOH (10 mL) was
37 degassed and purged with N₂ for 3 times and then the mixture was stirred at 60 °C
38 overnight. Then, the reaction mixture was concentrated in vacuum to give a residue. The
39 residue was purified by prep-HPLC (method 8 described in supporting information) to
40 afford compound **25** (48 mg, 14%) as a yellow oil. ¹H NMR (CD₃OD, 400 MHz): δ
41 7.79-7.75 (m, 1H), 7.59-7.57 (m, 1H), 7.50 (s, 1H), 7.07-7.02 (m, 1H), 6.46-6.44 (m,
42 1H), 4.36-4.34 (m, 2H), 4.04-4.01 (m, 4H), 3.86-3.77 (m, 2H), 3.53-3.41 (m, 6H), 3.16-
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3H), 1.90-1.89 (m, 2H), 1.36 (t, $J = 14.8$ Hz, 3H). ESI-MS m/z 533.4 $[M+H]^+$ calc. for $C_{32}H_{44}N_4O_3$.

6-methoxy-N-(8-methyl-8-azabicyclo[3.2.1]octan-3-yl)-2-(5-methyl-2-furyl)-7-(3-pyrrolidin-1-ylpropoxy)quinolin-4-amine (26)

To a solution of compound **57k** (200 mg, 0.408 mmol) in MeOH (10 mL) were added HCOOH (18 mg, 0.379 mmol), $NaBH(OAc)_3$ (241 mg, 1.14 mmol) and $(HCHO)_n$ (103 mg, 1.14 mmol) at 20 °C under N_2 and the mixture was stirred at 60 °C for 16 hours. Then, the mixture was concentrated under reduced pressure and the residue was purified by prep-HPLC (method 9 described in supporting information) to afford pure compound **26** (61.6 mg, 30%) as a yellow solid; m.p. 120-121 °C. 1H NMR (CD_3OD , 400 MHz): δ 7.80-7.78 (m, 1H), 7.60 (d, $J = 3.2$ Hz, 1H), 7.50 (s, 1H), 7.08 (s, 1H), 6.42 (d, $J = 3.2$ Hz, 1H), 4.60-4.55 (m, 1H), 4.33 (t, $J = 5.2$ Hz, 2H), 4.08-4.04 (m, 5H), 3.87-3.77 (m, 2H), 3.49 (t, $J = 7.2$ Hz, 2H), 3.17-3.13 (m, 2H), 2.87 (s, 3H), 2.51 (s, 3H), 2.42-2.34 (m, 8H), 2.25-2.15 (m, 3H), 2.15-1.99 (m, 3H). ESI-MS m/z 505.3 $[M+H]^+$ calc. for $C_{30}H_{40}N_4O_3$.

6-methoxy-N-methyl-2-(5-methyl-2-furyl)-N-(1-methyl-4-piperidyl)-7-(3-pyrrolidin-1-ylpropoxy)quinolin-4-amine (27)

To a solution of compound **57l** (40 mg, 0.083 mmol) in MeOH (5 mL) were added HCOOH (4 mg, 0.083 mmol), $NaBH(OAc)_3$ (53 mg, 0.25 mmol) and $(HCHO)_n$ (23 mg, 0.25 mmol) and the mixture was stirred at 60 °C for 16 hours under N_2 . Then, mixture was concentrated under reduced pressure and the resulting residue was purified by prep-HPLC (method 10 described in supporting information) to afford pure compound **27** (8.2 mg, 20%) as a yellow oil. 1H NMR (CD_3OD , 400 MHz): δ 7.60 (d, J

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5 3.86-3.77 (m, 2H), 3.67 (d, $J = 13.6$ Hz, 2H), 3.54-3.47 (m, 2H), 3.29-3.10 (m, 7H),
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7 2.91 (s, 3H), 2.54-2.49 (m, 3H), 2.46-2.35 (m, 4H), 2.28-2.13 (m, 4H), 2.12-2.03 (m,
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9 2H). ESI-MS m/z 493.3 $[M+H]^+$ calc. for $C_{29}H_{40}N_4O_3$.

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14 **2-(5-methyl-2-furyl)-N-(1-methyl-4-piperidyl)-7-(3-pyrrolidin-1-**
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16 **ylpropoxy)quinolin-4-amine (29)**

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18 To a solution of compound **64a** (140 mg, 0.38 mmol) in 1,4-dioxane (10 mL) was added
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20 *t*-BuOK (1.0 M, 1.14 mL, 1.14 mmol), x-Phos (54 mg, 0.114 mmol), $Pd_2(dba)_3$ (69 mg,
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22 0.076 mmol) and 1-methylpiperidin-4-amine (252 mg, 2.2 mmol) and the solution was
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24 heated to 130 °C for 4 hours under Microwave. Then, the mixture was quenched with
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26 water and extracted with EtOAc. The combined organic layer was washed with brine,
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28 dried over anhydrous Na_2SO_4 , filtered and concentrated to give the crude product which
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30 was purified by prep-HPLC (method 2 described in supporting information) to afford
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32 pure compound **29** (18.7 mg, 11%) as a yellow solid; m.p. 98-99 °C. 1H NMR (CD_3OD ,
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34 400 MHz): δ 8.34 (d, $J = 9.2$ Hz, 1H), 7.64 (s, 1H), 7.46 (s, 1H), 7.30-7.25 (m, 1H),
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36 7.07 (s, 1H), 6.45 (d, $J = 2.8$ Hz, 1H), 4.32-4.29 (m, 3H), 3.73-3.66 (m, 4H), 3.48-3.44
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38 (m, 2H), 3.26-3.25 (m, 1H), 3.15-3.10 (m, 2H), 2.93 (s, 3H), 2.51 (s, 3H), 2.34-2.31 (m,
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40 4H), 2.18-2.17 (m, 4H), 2.16-2.14 (m, 2H). ESI-MS m/z 449.3 $[M+H]^+$ calc. for
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42 $C_{27}H_{36}N_4O_2$.

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48 **2-(5-methyl-2-furyl)-4-[(1-methyl-4-piperidyl)amino]-7-(3-pyrrolidin-1-**
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50 **ylpropoxy)quinolin-6-ol (30)**

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52 To a solution of compound **5** (50 mg, 0.101 mmol) in CH_2Cl_2 (10 mL) was added BBr_3
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54 (254 mg, 1.01 mmol) slowly at 0 °C and the solution was stirred for 2 hours at 0 °C
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5 crude product which was purified by prep-HPLC (method 2 described in supporting
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7 information) to afford pure compound **30** (11 mg, 23%) as yellow oil. ¹H NMR
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9 (CD₃OD, 400 MHz): δ 7.77 (s, 1H), 7.58 (d, *J* = 3.2 Hz, 1H), 7.52 (s, 1H), 7.07 (s, 1H),
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11 6.46 (d, *J* = 3.2 Hz, 1H), 4.41-4.32 (m, 2H), 4.34-4.24 (m, 2H), 3.87-3.71 (m, 4H), 3.58-
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13 3.51 (m, 2H), 3.32-3.25 (m, 2H), 3.20-3.09 (m, 2H), 2.97 (s, 3H), 2.50 (s, 3H), 2.44-
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15 2.33 (m, 4H), 2.24-2.04 (m, 6H). ESI-MS *m/z* 465.3 [M+H]⁺ calc. for C₂₇H₃₆N₄O₃.

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20 **6-chloro-2-(5-methyl-2-furyl)-N-(1-methyl-4-piperidyl)-7-(3-pyrrolidin-1-**
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22 **ylpropoxy)quinolin-4-amine (31)**

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24 To a solution of compound **64b** (100 mg, 0.25 mmol) in 1,4-dioxane (15 mL) was
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26 added Cs₂CO₃ (161 mg, 0.49 mmol), BINAP (31 mg, 0.049 mmol), Pd₂(dba)₃ (45 mg,
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28 0.05 mmol) and 1-methylpiperidin-4-amine (128 mg, 1.12 mmol) and the mixture was
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30 stirred at 110 °C for 12 hours under N₂. Then, the mixture was quenched with water and
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32 extracted with EtOAc. The combined organic layer was washed with brine, dried over
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34 anhydrous Na₂SO₄, filtered and concentrated to give the crude product which was
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36 purified by prep-HPLC (method 2 described in supporting information) to afford pure
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38 compound **31** (10 mg, 8%) as a yellow solid; m.p. 109-110 °C. ¹H NMR (CD₃OD, 400
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40 MHz): δ 8.54-8.47 (m, 1H), 7.54-7.44 (m, 2H), 7.10-7.02 (m, 1H), 6.42-6.35 (m, 1H),
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42 4.43-4.35 (m, 2H), 4.26-4.17 (m, 1H), 3.93-3.82 (m, 2H), 3.60-3.42 (m, 6H), 3.25-3.13
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44 (m, 4H), 2.89 (s, 3H), 2.51 (s, 3H), 2.45-2.30 (m, 3H), 2.20-2.03 (m, 5H). ESI-MS *m/z*
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46 483.3 [M+H]⁺ calc. for C₂₇H₃₅ClN₄O₂.

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52 **2-(5-methyl-2-furyl)-N-(1-methyl-4-piperidyl)-7-(3-pyrrolidin-1-ylpropoxy)-6-**
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54 **(trifluoromethoxy)quinolin-4-amine (32)**

To a solution of compound **64c** (195 mg, 0.43 mmol) in 1,4-dioxane (15.00 mL) were successively added 1-methylpiperidin-4-amine (108 mg, 1.03 mmol), Pd₂(dba)₃ (39 mg, 0.04 mmol), BINAP (53 mg, 0.086 mmol) and Cs₂CO₃ (350 mg, 1.08 mmol) and the resulting mixture was stirred at 80 °C for 15 hours under N₂. Then, the reaction mixture was diluted with water and extracted with EtOAc. The combined organic layer was washed with brine dried over anhydrous Na₂SO₄, filtered and concentrated in vacuum to obtain the crude product which was purified by prep-HPLC (method 2 described in supporting information) to afford pure compound **32** (64.4 mg, 28%) as a yellow solid; m.p. 195-196 °C. ¹H NMR (CD₃OD, 400 MHz): δ 8.52 (s, 1H), 7.75-7.70 (m, 2H), 7.14 (s, 1H), 6.48 (d, *J* = 2.4 Hz, 1H), 4.42-4.39 (m, 2H), 4.36-4.28 (m, 1H), 3.76-3.68 (m, 4H), 3.47-3.43 (m, 2H), 3.31-3.26 (m, 2H), 3.19-3.10 (m, 2H), 2.95 (s, 3H), 2.53 (s, 3H), 2.42-2.36 (m, 4H), 2.19-2.16 (m, 4H), 2.08-2.07 (m, 2H). ESI-MS *m/z* 533.2 [M+H]⁺ calc. for C₂₈H₃₅F₃N₄O₃.

2-(5-methyl-2-furyl)-4-[(1-methyl-4-piperidyl)amino]-7-(3-pyrrolidin-1-ylpropoxy)quinoline-6-carbonitrile (33)

To a solution of compound **65** (100 mg, 0.168 mmol) in DMF (5 mL) was added Zn(CN)₂ (39 mg, 0.336 mmol) and Pd(PPh₃)₄ (20 mg, 0.017 mmol) and the solution was heated at 110 °C for 12 hours. Then, the solution was concentrated and extracted with EtOAc. The combined organic layer was washed with brine, dried over anhydrous Na₂SO₄, filtered and concentrated to give the crude product which was purified by prep-HPLC (method 3 described in supporting information) to afford pure compound **33** (58 mg, 73%) as yellow solid; m.p. 123-124 °C. ¹H NMR (CD₃OD, 400 MHz): δ 8.88 (s, 1H), 7.75 (d, *J* = 3.6 Hz, 1H), 7.62 (s, 1H), 7.15 (s, 1H), 6.51 (d, *J* = 3.6 Hz, 1H), 4.46-4.42 (m, 2H), 4.38-4.27 (m, 1H), 3.83-3.76 (m, 1H), 3.73-3.64 (m, 2H), 3.54-3.46 (m,

2H), 3.21-3.12 (m, 4H), 2.94 (s, 3H), 2.52 (s, 3H), 2.45-2.33 (m, 4H), 2.21-2.02 (m, 6H). ESI-MS m/z 474.3 $[M+H]^+$ calc. for $C_{28}H_{35}N_5O_2$.

6,7-dimethoxy-2-(5-methyl-2-furyl)-N-(1-methyl-4-piperidyl)quinolin-4-amine (34)

To a solution of compound **74a** (70 mg, 0.23 mmol) in 1,4-dioxane (5 mL) was added CS_2CO_3 (226 mg, 0.69 mmol), BINAP (423 mg, 0.69 mmol), $Pd_2(dba)_3$ (38 mg, 0.041 mmol) and 1-methylpiperidin-4-amine (52 mg, 0.46 mmol) and the mixture was heated to 110 °C for 3 hours under Microwave. Then, the mixture was quenched with water and extracted with EtOAc. The combined organic layer was washed with brine, dried over anhydrous Na_2SO_4 , filtered and concentrated to give the crude product which was purified by the prep-HPLC (method 2 described in supporting information) to afford pure compound **34** (7.8 mg, 9%) as yellow solid; m.p. 21-220 °C. 1H NMR (CD_3OD , 400 MHz): δ 7.77 (s, 1H), 7.56-7.54 (d, $J = 8$ Hz, 1H), 7.47 (s, 1H), 7.08 (s, 1H), 6.45 (s, 1H), 4.04-4.02 (m, 7H), 3.73-3.68 (m, 2H), 3.27-3.20 (m, 2H), 2.96 (s 3H), 2.52 (s, 3H), 2.45-2.30 (m, 2H), 2.20-2.05 (m, 2H). ESI-MS m/z 382.3 $[M+H]^+$ calc. for $C_{22}H_{27}N_3O_3$.

7-[3-(dimethylamino)propoxy]-2-(5-ethyl-2-furyl)-6-methoxy-N-(1-methyl-4-piperidyl)quinolin-4-amine (35)

A mixture of **68a** (150 mg, 0.455 mmol), 2-(5-ethyl-2-furyl)-4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolane (121 mg, 0.546 mmol), K_2CO_3 (157 mg, 1.14 mmol) and $Pd(PPh_3)_4$ (53 mg, 0.045 mmol) in 1,4-dioxane/ H_2O (1:1, 10 mL) was degassed and purged with N_2 for 3 times and then the mixture was stirred at 110 °C for 16 hours. Then, the reaction mixture was poured into water and extracted with CH_2Cl_2 . The combined organic phase was dried over Na_2SO_4 , filtered and concentrated in vacuum to give a residue which

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3 was purified by prep-TLC (CH₂Cl₂:MeOH = 10:1) to afford pure intermediate 3-[[4-
4 chloro-2-(5-ethyl-2-furyl)-6-methoxy-7-quinolyl]oxy]-N,N-dimethyl-propan-1-amine
5 (150 mg, 85%) as a yellow solid. ESI-MS *m/z* 389.3 [M+H]⁺ calc. for C₂₁H₂₅ClN₂O₃. A
6 mixture of this intermediate (150 mg, 0.385 mmol), 1-methylpiperidin-4-amine (88 mg,
7 0.771 mmol), Cs₂CO₃ (251 mg, 0.7712 mmol), Pd₂(dba)₃ (35 mg, 0.038 mmol) and
8 BINAP (24 mg, 0.038 mmol) in 1,4-dioxane (5 mL) was degassed and purged with N₂
9 for 3 times and the mixture was stirred at 120 °C for 16 hours. Then, reaction mixture
10 was concentrated in vacuum to give a residue which was successively purified by prep-
11 TLC (CH₂Cl₂:MeOH = 7:1) and prep-HPLC (method 3 described in supporting
12 information) to afford pure compound **35** (6 mg, 3%) as a yellow oil. ¹H NMR (CD₃OD,
13 400 MHz): δ 7.82 (s, 1H), 7.60 (d, *J* = 3.2 Hz, 1H), 7.52 (s, 1H), 7.09 (s, 1H), 6.46 (d, *J*
14 = 3.6 Hz, 1H), 4.36-4.34 (m, 3H), 4.05 (s, 3H), 3.72-3.69 (m, 2H), 3.44-3.42 (m, 2H),
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16 2.14 (m, 2H), 1.36 (t, *J* = 14.8 Hz, 3H). ESI-MS *m/z* 467.4 [M+H]⁺ calc. for
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37 **7-[3-(5-azaspiro[2.4]heptan-5-yl)propoxy]-2-(5-ethyl-2-furyl)-6-methoxy-N-(1-**
38 **methyl-4-piperidyl)quinolin-4-amine (36)**
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40 A mixture of **68b** (100 mg, 0.262 mmol), 2-(5-ethyl-2-furyl)-4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-
41 dioxaborolane (70 mg, 0.314 mmol), Pd(PPh₃)₄ (30 mg, 0.026 mmol) and K₂CO₃ (90
42 mg, 0.655 mmol) in 1,4-dioxane/H₂O (1:1, 12 mL) was degassed and purged with N₂
43 for 3 times and the mixture was stirred at 110 °C for 16 hours under N₂ atmosphere.
44 Then, the reaction mixture was concentrated in vacuum to give a residue which was
45 purified by prep-TLC (CH₂Cl₂:MeOH = 10:1) to afford intermediate 7-[3-(5-
46 azaspiro[2.4]heptan-5-yl)propoxy]-4-chloro-2-(5-ethyl-2-furyl)-6-methoxy-quinoline
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(230 mg, containing some impurities) as a yellow solid. ESI-MS m/z 441.3 $[M+H]^+$ calc. for $C_{25}H_{29}ClN_2O_3$. Then, a mixture of this intermediate (130 mg, 0.294 mmol), 1-methylpiperidin-4-amine (67 mg, 0.589 mmol), $Pd_2(dba)_3$ (27 mg, 0.029 mmol), BINAP (18 mg, 0.029 mmol) and Cs_2CO_3 (192 mg, 0.589 mmol) in 1,4-dioxane (5 mL) was degassed and purged with N_2 for 3 times and the mixture was stirred at 120 °C for 16 hours under N_2 atmosphere. Then, the reaction mixture was concentrated and successively purified by prep-TLC (CH_2Cl_2 :MeOH = 10:1) and prep-HPLC (method 3 described in supporting information) to afford pure compound **36** (10 mg, 6%) as a yellow oil. 1H NMR (CD_3OD , 400 MHz): δ 7.82 (s, 1H), 7.59 (d, J = 3.6 Hz, 1H), 7.51 (s, 1H), 7.09 (s, 1H), 6.47 (d, J = 3.6 Hz, 1H), 4.36-4.31 (m, 3H), 4.05 (s, 3H), 4.04-3.96 (m, 2H), 3.72-3.69 (m, 2H), 3.55-3.52 (m, 3H), 3.43-3.39 (m, 1H), 2.96 (s, 3H), 2.90-2.82 (m, 2H), 2.42-2.38 (m, 4H), 2.19-2.06 (m, 6H), 1.36 (t, J = 14.8 Hz, 3H), 0.83-0.78 (m, 4H). ESI-MS m/z 519.4 $[M+H]^+$ calc. for $C_{31}H_{42}N_4O_3$.

2-(5-ethyl-2-furyl)-6-methoxy-N-(1-methyl-4-piperidyl)-7-[3-(1-piperidyl)propoxy]quinolin-4-amine (37)

A mixture of **71a** (200 mg, 0.541 mmol), 2-(5-ethyl-2-furyl)-4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolane (144 mg, 0.650 mmol), $Pd(PPh_3)_4$ (62 mg, 0.054 mmol) and K_2CO_3 (187 mg, 1.35 mmol) in 1,4-dioxane (3 mL) was degassed and purged with N_2 for 3 times and the mixture was stirred at 110 °C for 16 hours. Then, the reaction mixture was concentrated in vacuum to give a residue. The residue was purified by prep-TLC (CH_2Cl_2 :MeOH = 10:1) to afford intermediate 4-chloro-2-(5-ethyl-2-furyl)-6-methoxy-7-[3-(1-piperidyl)propoxy]quinoline (220 mg, 94%) as a yellow solid. ESI-MS m/z 429.3 $[M+H]^+$ calc. for $C_{24}H_{29}ClN_2O_3$. Then, a mixture of this intermediate (220 mg, 0.513 mmol), 1-methylpiperidin-4-amine (117 mg, 1.03 mmol), $Pd_2(dba)_3$ (47 mg,

0.051 mmol), BINAP (32 mg, 0.051 mmol) and Cs₂CO₃ (334 mg, 1.03 mmol) in 1,4-dioxane (10 mL) was degassed and purged with N₂ for 3 times and the mixture was stirred at 120 °C for 16 hours. Then, the reaction mixture was concentrated in vacuum to give a residue. The residue was successively purified by prep-TLC (CH₂Cl₂:MeOH = 10:1) and prep-HPLC (method 3 described in supporting information) to afford pure compound **37** (15.1 mg 6%) as a yellow solid; m.p. 127-128 °C. ¹H NMR (CD₃OD, 400 MHz): δ 7.81 (s, 1H), 7.59 (d, *J* = 3.6 Hz, 1H), 7.51 (s, 1H), 7.09 (s, 1H), 6.47 (d, *J* = 3.6 Hz, 1H), 4.35-4.32 (m, 3H), 4.04 (s, 3H), 3.69-3.67 (m, 4H), 3.39-3.37 (m, 3H), 3.31-3.26 (m, 1H), 3.00-2.96 (m, 5H), 2.86 (q, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 14.8Hz, 2H), 2.41-2.38 (m, 4H), 2.16-1.80 (m, 7H), 1.59-1.51 (m, 1H), 1.36 (t, *J* = 14.8 Hz, 3H). ESI-MS *m/z* 507.4 [M+H]⁺ calc. for C₃₀H₄₂N₄O₃.

2-(5-ethyl-2-furyl)-6-methoxy-N-(1-methyl-4-piperidyl)-7-(3-morpholinopropoxy)quinolin-4-amine (38)

A mixture of **71b** (200 mg, 0.539 mmol), 2-(5-ethyl-2-furyl)-4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolane (143 mg, 0.6465 mmol), Pd(PPh₃)₄ (62 mg, 0.054 mmol) and K₂CO₃ (186 mg, 1.35 mmol) in 1,4-dioxane/H₂O (1:1, 6 mL) was degassed and purged with N₂ for 3 times and the mixture was stirred at 110 °C for 16 hours. Then, the reaction mixture was concentrated in vacuum to give a residue. The residue was purified by TLC (CH₂Cl₂:MeOH = 12:1) to give intermediate 4-[3-[[4-chloro-2-(5-ethyl-2-furyl)-6-methoxy-7-quinolyl]oxy]propyl]morpholine (190 mg, 81%) as a yellow solid. ESI-MS *m/z* 431.1 [M+H]⁺ calc. for C₂₃H₂₇ClN₂O₄. Then, a mixture of this intermediate (190 mg, 0.441 mmol), 1-methylpiperidin-4-amine (100 mg, 0.882 mmol), Pd₂(dba)₃ (40 mg, 0.044 mmol), BINAP (27 mg, 0.044 mmol) and Cs₂CO₃ (287 mg, 0.882 mmol) in 1,4-dioxane (10 mL) was degassed and purged with N₂ for 3 times and the mixture was

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7 10:1) and prep-HPLC (method 3 described in supporting information) to afford pure
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9 compound **38** (25.7 mg 11%) as a yellow solid; m.p. 121-122 °C. ¹H NMR (CD₃OD,
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11 400 MHz): δ 7.81 (s, 1H), 7.59 (d, *J* = 3.2 Hz, 1H), 7.51 (s, 1H), 7.09 (s, 1H), 6.47 (d, *J*
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13 = 3.6 Hz, 1H), 4.37-4.31 (m, 3H), 4.04 (s, 3H), 3.91-3.82 (m, 3H), 3.72-3.69 (m, 3H),
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15 3.48-3.45 (m, 3H), 3.26-3.13 (m, 3H), 2.96 (s, 3H), 2.88 (q, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 14.8Hz, 2H),
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17 2.42-2.38 (m, 6H), 2.16-2.12 (m, 2H), 1.36 (t, *J* = 14.8 Hz, 3H). ESI-MS *m/z* 509.4
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19 [M+H]⁺ calc. for C₂₉H₄₀N₄O₄.

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24 **7-[3-(3-fluoropyrrolidin-1-yl)propoxy]-6-methoxy-2-(5-methyl-2-furyl)-N-(1-**
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26 **methyl-4-piperidyl)quinolin-4-amine (39)**

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28 A mixture of **67c** (400 mg, 1.07 mmol), 4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-2-(5-methyl-2-furyl)-1,3,2-
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30 dioxaborolane (156 mg, 0.75 mmol), Pd(PPh₃)₄ (123 mg, 0.107 mmol) and K₂CO₃ (296
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32 mg, 2.14 mmol) in 1,4-dioxane/H₂O (10:1, 55 mL) was degassed and purged with N₂
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34 for 3 times and the mixture was stirred at 110 °C for 16 hours. Then, the mixture was
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36 concentrated and the residue was extracted with EtOAc. The combined organic phase
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38 was washed with brine, dried with anhydrous Na₂SO₄, filtered and concentrated in
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40 vacuum to give intermediate 4-chloro-7-[3-(3-fluoropyrrolidin-1-yl)propoxy]-6-
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42 methoxy-2-(5-methyl-2-furyl)quinoline (400 mg, 89%) as a yellow solid. ESI-MS *m/z*
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44 419.1 [M+H]⁺ calc. for C₂₂H₂₄ClFN₂O₃. A mixture of this intermediate (50 mg, 0.119
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46 mmol), 1-methylpiperidin-4-amine (41 mg, 0.358 mmol), Pd₂(dba)₃ (22 mg, 0.024
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48 mmol), Cs₂CO₃ (78 mg, 0.239 mmol) and BINAP (15 mg, 0.024 mmol) in 1,4-dioxane
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50 (5.00 mL) was degassed and purged with N₂ for 3 times and the mixture was stirred at
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52 120 °C for 12 hours. Then, the reaction mixture was filtrated and the filtrate was
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3 concentrated under vacuum to give the crude product. The crude product was purified
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5 by prep-HPLC (method 11 described in supporting information) to afford compound **39**
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7 (5.0 mg, 8%) as a yellow oil. ¹H NMR (CD₃OD, 400 MHz): δ 7.83 (s, 1H), 7.61 (d, *J*=
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9 3.2 Hz, 1H), 7.51 (s, 1H), 7.11 (s, 1H), 6.45 (d, *J* = 3.2 Hz, 1H), 5.58-5.45 (m, 1H), 4.36
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11 (d, *J* = 4.8 Hz, 3H), 4.10-4.00 (m, 5H), 3.73-3.67 (m, 2H), 3.60-3.50 (m, 6H), 2.95 (s,
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13 3H), 2.62-2.55 (m, 1H), 2.51 (s, 3H), 2.49-2.26 (m, 5H), 2.26-2.09 (m, 2H). ESI-MS
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15 *m/z* 497.3 [M+H]⁺ calc. for C₂₈H₃₇FN₄O₃.

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20 **6-methoxy-2-(5-methyl-2-furyl)-N-(1-methyl-4-piperidyl)-7-(4-**
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22 **piperidylmethoxy)quinolin-4-amine (40)**

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24 To a mixture of **74b** (650 mg, 2.24 mmol), tert-butyl 4-(hydroxymethyl) piperidine-1-
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26 carboxylate (540 mg, 2.51 mmol) and PPh₃ (1.18 g, 4.48 mmol) in THF (50 mL), was
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28 added DIAD (907 mg, 4.48 mmol) and the mixture was stirred at 0 °C for 8 hours.
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30 Then, the mixture was concentrated and extracted with EtOAc. The combined organic
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32 phase was washed with saturated brine, dried with anhydrous Na₂SO₄, filtered and
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34 concentrated in vacuum. The residue was purified by silica gel column chromatography
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36 (PE/EtOAc = 2/1) to afford intermediate tert-butyl 4-[[4-chloro-6-methoxy-2-(5-methyl-
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38 2-furyl)-7-quinolyl]oxymethyl]piperidine-1-carboxylate (700 mg, 64%). ESI-MS *m/z*
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40 487.3 [M+H]⁺ calc. for C₂₆H₃₁ClN₂O₅. To a mixture of this intermediate (250 mg, 0.51
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42 mmol) and 1-methylpiperidin-4-amine (120 mg, 1.06 mmol) in 1,4-dioxane (20 mL)
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44 was added Cs₂CO₃ (344 mg, 1.06 mmol) and Pd(dba)₂ (30 mg, 0.052 mmol). The
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46 mixture was stirred at 120 °C for 12 hours. Then, the solution was concentrated and the
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48 residue was purified by silica gel column chromatography (CH₂Cl₂/MeOH = 10/1) to
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50 afford intermediate tert-butyl 4-[[6-methoxy-2-(5-methyl-2-furyl)-4-[(1-methyl-4-
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52 piperidyl)amino]-7-quinolyl]oxymethyl]piperidine-1-carboxylate (100 mg, 34%) as
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3 yellow solid. ESI-MS m/z 565.2 $[M+H]^+$ calc. for $C_{32}H_{44}N_4O_5$. Finally, to a solution of
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5 this intermediate (160 mg, 0.283 mmol) in EtOAc (10 mL) was added HCl/EtOAc (10
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7 mL, 2.0 M) and the mixture was stirred at 25 °C for 3 hours. Then, the solution was
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9 concentrated and the residue was purified by prep-HPLC (method 3 described in
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11 supporting information) to afford pure compound **40** (100 mg, 75%) as yellow oil. 1H
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13 NMR (CD_3OD , 400 MHz): δ 7.79 (s, 1H), 7.58 (d, $J = 3.2$ Hz, 1H), 7.48 (s, 1H), 7.08
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17 3.74-3.65 (m, 2H), 3.54-3.46 (m, 2H), 3.35-3.27 (m, 2H), 3.16-3.02 (m, 2H), 2.95 (s,
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19 3H), 2.50 (s, 3H), 2.45-2.23 (m, 3H), 2.20-2.08 (m, 4H), 1.79-1.69 (m, 2H). ESI-MS
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21 m/z 465.3 $[M+H]^+$ calc. for $C_{27}H_{36}N_4O_3$.
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27 **6-methoxy-2-(5-methyl-2-furyl)-N-(1-methyl-4-piperidyl)-7-[(1-methyl-4-**
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29 **piperidyl)methoxy]quinolin-4-amine (41)**

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31 To a solution of compound **40** (80 mg, 0.172 mmol) in 1,4-dioxane (5 mL) was added
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33 $(HCHO)_n$ (46.5 mg, 0.516 mmol), $NaBH(OAc)_3$ (109 mg, 0.516 mmol) and $HCOOH$
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35 (8.3 mg, 0.172 mmol) and the mixture was stirred at 100 °C for 2 hours. Then, the
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37 solution was concentrated and the residue was purified by prep-HPLC (method 3
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39 described in supporting information) to afford pure compound **41** (15.0 mg, 18%) as
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41 yellow oil. 1H NMR (CD_3OD , 400 MHz): δ 7.81 (s, 1H), 7.62 (d, $J = 3.6$ Hz, 1H), 7.50
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43 (s, 1H), 7.09 (s, 1H), 6.43 (d, $J = 2.4$ Hz, 1H), 4.39-4.30 (m, 1H), 4.13-4.08 (m, 2H),
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45 4.02 (s, 3H), 3.71-3.63 (m, 2H), 3.62-3.55 (m, 2H), 3.35-3.28 (m, 2H), 3.13-3.04 (m,
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47 2H), 2.95 (s, 3H), 2.90 (s, 3H), 2.50 (s, 3H), 2.38-2.10 (m, 7H), 1.84-1.71 (m, 2H). ESI-
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49 MS m/z 479.4 $[M+H]^+$ calc. for $C_{28}H_{38}N_4O_3$.
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3 **6-methoxy-2-(5-methyl-2-furyl)-N-(1-methyl-4-piperidyl)-7-(4-**
4 **piperidyloxy)quinolin-4-amine (42)**

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7 To a mixture of **75** (100 mg, 0.272 mmol) and tert-butyl 4-
8 methylsulfonyloxypiperidine-1-carboxylate (91 mg, 0.326 mmol) in DMF (5.00 mL)
9 was added Cs₂CO₃ (177 mg, 0.544 mmol) and the mixture was stirred at 100 °C for 16
10 hours under N₂. Then, the mixture was concentrated and purified by prep-TLC
11 (CH₂Cl₂:MeOH = 10:1) to afford intermediate tert-butyl 4-[[6-methoxy-2-(5-methyl-2-
12 furyl)-4-[(1-methyl-4-piperidyl)amino]-7-quinolyl]oxy]piperidine-1-carboxylate (50
13 mg, 33%) as a yellow solid. ESI-MS *m/z* 551.3 [M+H]⁺ calc. for C₃₁H₄₂N₄O₅. Then, a
14 solution of this intermediate (50 mg, 0.091 mmol) in HCl/EtOAc (5.00 mL, 1.0 M) was
15 stirred at 25 °C for 2 hours under N₂. The mixture was concentrated and purified by
16 prep-HPLC (method 3 described in supporting information) to afford pure compound **42**
17 (10.0 mg, 24%) as a yellow solid; m.p. 150-151 °C. ¹H NMR (CD₃OD, 400 MHz): δ
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19 4.04 (s, 3H), 3.72-3.65 (m, 2H), 3.48-3.43 (m, 2H), 3.31 (s, 1H), 2.95 (s, 3H), 2.50 (s,
20 3H), 2.40-2.19 (m, 10H). ESI-MS *m/z* 451.3 [M+H]⁺ calc. for C₂₆H₃₄N₄O₃.
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39 **6-methoxy-7-[(2-methyl-2-azaspiro[3.3]heptan-6-yl)oxy]-2-(5-methyl-2-furyl)-N-(1-**
40 **methyl-4-piperidyl)quinolin-4-amine (43)**

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43 To a mixture of compound **75** (100 mg, 0.272 mmol) and tert-butyl 6-
44 methylsulfonyloxy-2-azaspiro[3.3]heptane-2-carboxylate (95 mg, 0.326 mmol) in DMF
45 (5.0 mL) was added Cs₂CO₃ (177 mg, 0.544 mmol) and the mixture was stirred at 100
46 °C for 16 hours. Then, the mixture was concentrated and purified by TLC to give
47 intermediate tert-butyl 6-[[6-methoxy-2-(5-methyl-2-furyl)-4-[(1-methyl-4-
48 piperidyl)amino]-7-quinolyl]oxy]-2-azaspiro[3.3]heptane-2-carboxylate (60.0 mg,
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39%). ESI-MS m/z 563.3 $[M+H]^+$ calc. for $C_{32}H_{42}N_4O_5$. A mixture of this intermediate (100 mg, 0.177 mmol), and $LiAlH_4$ (34 mg, 0.89 mmol) in dry THF (10.0 mL) was degassed and purged with N_2 for 3 times and the mixture was stirred at 70 °C for 16 hours under N_2 atmosphere. Then, the reaction was quenched with water and concentrated. The residue was purified by prep-HPLC (method 2 described in supporting information) to afford pure compound **43** (21 mg, 25%) as a yellow oil. 1H NMR (CD_3OD , 400 MHz): δ 7.77 (s, 1H), 7.60 (d, $J = 3.6$ Hz, 1H), 7.35 (s, 1H), 7.07 (s, 1H), 6.42 (d, $J = 4.4$ Hz, 1H), 4.46-4.43 (m, 1H), 4.35-4.31 (m, 2H), 4.17-4.10 (m, 2H), 4.00 (s, 3H), 3.70-3.67 (m, 2H), 3.35-3.28 (m, 3H), 3.07-3.01 (m, 2H), 2.95 (s, 3H), 2.92 (s, 3H), 2.57-2.55 (m, 2H), 2.49 (s, 3H), 2.38-2.35 (m, 2H), 2.17-2.14 (m, 2H). ESI-MS m/z 477.4 $[M+H]^+$ calc. for $C_{28}H_{36}N_4O_3$.

7-[(2-isopropyl-2-azaspiro[3.3]heptan-6-yl)oxy]-6-methoxy-2-(5-methyl-2-furyl)-N-(1-methyl-4-piperidyl)quinolin-4-amine (44)

To a solution of intermediate tert-butyl 6-[[6-methoxy-2-(5-methyl-2-furyl)-4-[(1-methyl-4-piperidyl)amino]-7-quinolyl]oxy]-2-azaspiro[3.3]heptane-2-carboxylate (described in the synthesis of compound **43**) (170 mg, 0.302 mmol) in CH_2Cl_2 (12 mL) was added TFA (2.6 g) at 0 °C and the mixture was stirred at 18 °C for 2 hours. Then, the mixture was concentrated to obtain intermediate 7-(2-azaspiro[3.3]heptan-6-yloxy)-6-methoxy-2-(5-methyl-2-furyl)-N-(1-methyl-4-piperidyl)quinolin-4-amine (500 mg, crude) as yellow oil. ESI-MS m/z 463.3 $[M+H]^+$ calc. for $C_{27}H_{34}N_4O_3$. Then, to a solution of this intermediate (150 mg, 0.325 mmol) in *i*-PrOH (4 mL) were added $NaBH_3CN$ (98 mg, 1.56 mmol), acetone (91 mg, 1.56 mmol) and AcOH (94 mg, 1.56 mmol) at 18 °C under N_2 and the mixture was stirred at 60 °C for 16 hours. Then, the mixture was concentrated. The residue was purified by prep-HPLC (method 12

described in supporting information) to afford pure compound **44** (23 mg, 14%) as yellow oil. ¹H NMR (CD₃OD, 400 MHz): δ 7.78 (s, 1H), 7.58 (d, *J* = 3.53 Hz, 1H), 7.34 (s, 1H), 7.07 (s, 1H), 6.43 (d, *J* = 3.53 Hz, 1H), 4.31 (br. s, 1H), 4.26 (d, *J* = 19.41 Hz, 2H), 4.20 (s, 2H), 4.01 (s, 3H), 3.69 (d, *J* = 12.35 Hz, 2H), 3.43-3.39 (m, 1H), 3.32 (br. s, 1H), 3.29-3.23 (m, 1H), 3.12-3.07 (m, 1H), 2.99 (br. s, 1H), 2.94 (s, 3H), 2.91-2.86 (m, 1H), 2.64-2.49 (m, 5H), 2.38 (d, *J* = 13.23 Hz, 2H), 2.19-2.08 (m, 2H), 1.23 (dd, *J* = 7.94 Hz, *J* = 6.62 Hz, 6H). ESI-MS *m/z* 505.4 [M+H]⁺ calc. for C₃₀H₄₀N₄O₃.

7-[(2-cyclopropyl-2-azaspiro[3.3]heptan-6-yl)oxy]-6-methoxy-2-(5-methyl-2-furyl)-N-(1-methyl-4-piperidyl)quinolin-4-amine (45)

To a solution of intermediate 7-(2-azaspiro[3.3]heptan-6-yloxy)-6-methoxy-2-(5-methyl-2-furyl)-N-(1-methyl-4-piperidyl)quinolin-4-amine (described in the synthesis of compound **44**, 100 mg, 0.216 mmol) and (1-ethoxycyclopropoxy)-trimethyl-silane (226 mg, 1.30 mmol) in *t*-BuOH (10 mL) were added NaBH₃CN (81 mg, 1.30 mmol) and AcOH (77 mg, 1.30 mmol) and the mixture was stirred at 60 °C for 16 hours. Then, the reaction mixture was concentrated in vacuum to give a residue. The residue was purified by prep-HPLC (method 13 described in supporting information) to afford compound **45** (30 mg, 27%) as a yellow oil. ¹H NMR (CD₃OD, 400 MHz): δ 7.78 (s, 1H), 7.59 (d, *J* = 3.6 Hz, 1H), 7.34 (s, 1H), 7.07 (s, 1H), 6.43 (d, *J* = 3.6 Hz, 1H), 4.35-4.28 (m, 6H), 4.01 (s, 3H), 3.71-3.68 (m, 2H), 3.36-3.29 (m, 2H), 3.04-2.99 (m, 3H), 2.95 (s, 3H), 2.58-2.55 (m, 2H), 2.50 (s, 3H), 2.39-2.36 (m, 2H), 2.16-2.10 (m, 2H), 0.92-0.85 (m, 4H). ESI-MS *m/z* 503.3 [M+H]⁺ calc. for C₃₀H₃₈N₄O₃.

6-methoxy-N-(7-methyl-7-azaspiro[3.5]nonan-2-yl)-2-(5-methyl-2-furyl)-7-[(1-methyl-4-piperidyl)methoxy]quinolin-4-amine (46)

To a solution of **80a** (30.0 mg, 0.061 mmol) in MeOH (5.0 mL), was added HCOOH (6 mg, 0.13 mmol), NaBH(OAc)₃ (78 mg, 0.367 mmol) and (HCHO)_n (33 mg, 0.367 mmol) and the mixture was stirred at 70 °C for 12 hours. Then, the mixture was concentrated and the residue was purified by prep-HPLC (method 3 described in supporting information) to afford pure compound **46** (8.0 mg, 25%) as yellow oil. ¹H NMR (CD₃OD, 400 MHz): δ 7.80 (s, 1H), 7.54 (s, 1H), 7.46 (s, 1H), 6.81 (s, 1H), 6.43 (s, 1H), 4.53 (d, *J* = 7.6 Hz 1H), 4.13 (d, *J* = 5.2 Hz, 2H), 4.02 (s, 3H), 3.64-3.55 (m, 2H), 3.53-3.48 (m, 2H), 3.44-3.36 (m, 2H), 3.16-3.02 (m, 4H), 3.00-2.80 (m, 6H), 2.80-2.71 (m, 1H), 2.51 (s, 3H), 2.31-2.09 (m, 6H), 2.01-1.84 (m, 2H), 1.83-1.73 (m, 2H). ESI-MS *m/z* 519.4 [M+H]⁺ calc. for C₃₁H₄₂N₄O₃.

6-methoxy-7-[(2-methyl-2-azaspiro[3.3]heptan-6-yl)oxy]-2-(5-methyl-2-furyl)-N-[(1-methyl-4-piperidyl)methyl]quinolin-4-amine (47)

To a solution of compound **80b** (150 mg, 0.325 mmol) in MeOH (10 mL) were added NaBH₃CN (49 mg, 0.780 mmol), HCOOH (12 mg, 0.260 mmol) and (HCHO)_n (70 mg, 0.780 mmol) and the mixture was stirred at 60 °C for 16 hours. Then, the mixture was concentrated and the residue was purified by prep-HPLC (method 14 described in supporting information) to afford pure compound **47** (9.5 mg, 6%) as yellow solid; m.p. 158-160 °C. ¹H NMR (CD₃OD, 400 MHz): δ 7.70 (s, 1H), 7.56 (d, *J* = 3.53 Hz, 1H), 7.33 (s, 1H), 6.98 (s, 1H), 6.45-6.39 (m, 1H), 4.47-4.34 (m, 2H), 4.14 (br. s., 2H), 4.01 (s, 3H), 3.64-3.52 (m, 4H), 3.14-2.94 (m, 5H), 2.92 (s, 3H), 2.86 (s, 3H), 2.57 (d, *J* = 12.35 Hz, 2H), 2.50 (s, 3H), 2.16 (d, *J* = 13.23 Hz, 3H), 1.70-1.60 (m, 2H). ESI-MS *m/z* 491.4 [M+H]⁺ calc. for C₂₉H₃₈N₄O₃.

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3 **6-methoxy-7-[(2-methyl-2-azaspiro[3.3]heptan-6-yl)oxy]-N-(7-methyl-7-**
4 **azaspiro[3.5]nonan-2-yl)-2-(5-methyl-2-furyl)quinolin-4-amine (48)**

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7 To a solution of compound **80c** (150 mg, 0.249 mmol) in MeOH (10 mL) were added
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9 NaBH(OAc)₃ (317 mg, 1.49 mmol), HCOOH (12 mg, 0.249 mmol) and (HCHO)_n (135
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11 mg, 1.49 mmol) and the mixture was stirred at 60 °C for 16 hours. Then, the mixture
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13 was concentrated and the residue was purified by prep-HPLC (method 15 described in
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15 supporting information) to afford pure compound **48** (6.8 mg, 5%) as yellow oil. ¹H
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17 NMR (CD₃OD, 400 MHz): δ 7.79 (s, 1H), 7.54 (d, *J* = 3.2 Hz, 1H), 7.31 (s, 1H), 6.80
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19 (s, 1H), 6.42 (d, *J* = 2.4 Hz, 1H), 4.52-4.48 (m, 1H), 4.44 (d, *J* = 15.6 Hz, 1H), 4.36 (d, *J*
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21 = 10.4 Hz, 1H), 4.13 (d, *J* = 5.6 Hz, 2H) 4.01 (s, 3H), 3.52-3.38 (m, 3H), 3.16-3.11 (m,
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23 1H), 2.97 (d, *J* = 5.2 Hz, 1H), 2.92 (s, 3H), 2.87 (s, 3H), 2.80-2.75 (m, 1H), 2.60-2.53
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25 (m, 3H), 2.50 (s, 3H), 2.31-2.21 (m, 3H), 2.15-2.10 (m, 1H), 2.00-1.88 (m, 4H). ESI-
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27 MS *m/z* 517.4 [M+H]⁺ calc. for C₃₁H₄₀N₄O₃.
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33 **N-(7-isopropyl-7-azaspiro[3.5]nonan-2-yl)-6-methoxy-7-[(2-methyl-2-**
34 **azaspiro[3.3]heptan-6-yl)oxy]-2-(5-methyl-2-furyl)quinolin-4-amine (49)**

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37 To a solution of compound **85** (250 mg, 0.471 mmol) in MeOH (15 mL) were added
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39 NaBH(OAc)₃ (300 mg, 1.41 mmol), HCOOH (22 mg, 0.471.08 mmol) and (HCHO)_n
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41 (127 mg, 1.41 mmol) and the mixture was stirred at 60 °C for 16 hours under N₂. Then,
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43 the mixture was concentrated and the residue was purified by prep-HPLC (method 16
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45 described in supporting information) to afford pure compound **49** (14.4 mg, 5%) as
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47 yellow oil. ¹H NMR (CD₃OD, 400 MHz): δ 7.79 (s, 1H), 7.54 (br s, 1H), 7.31 (s, 1H),
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49 6.79 (s, 1H), 6.42 (br s, 1H), 4.52-4.43 (m, 2H), 4.36 (d, *J* = 10.6 Hz, 1H), 4.17-4.07 (m,
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51 2H), 4.01 (s, 3H), 3.53-3.45 (m, 2H), 3.39 (d, *J* = 12.4 Hz, 1H), 3.15-3.05 (m, 2H), 2.97
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53 (br s, 2H), 2.92 (s, 3H), 2.79 (br s, 1H), 2.61-2.48 (m, 6H), 2.32-2.23 (m, 2H), 2.14-2.09
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(m, 1H), 2.07-1.86 (m, 4H), 1.38 (d, $J = 6.6$ Hz, 6H). ESI-MS m/z 545.4 $[M+H]^+$ calc. for $C_{33}H_{44}N_4O_3$.

6-methoxy-N-(3-methyl-3-azabicyclo[3.2.1]octan-8-yl)-7-[(2-methyl-2-azaspiro[3.3]heptan-6-yl)oxy]-2-(5-methyl-2-furyl)quinolin-4-amine (50)

To a solution of compound **80d** (150 mg, 0.254 mmol) in MeOH (10 mL) were added $NaBH_3CN$ (48 mg, 0.764 mmol), HCOOH (12 mg, 0.254 mmol) and $(HCHO)_n$ (69 mg, 0.764 mmol) and the mixture was stirred at 60 °C for 16 hours. Then, the mixture was concentrated and the residue was purified by prep-HPLC (method 17 described in supporting information) to afford pure compound **50** (10 mg, 7%) as yellow oil. 1H NMR (CD_3OD , 400 MHz): δ 7.81 (s, 1H), 7.51 (d, $J = 3.53$ Hz, 1H), 7.29 (s, 1H), 6.89 (s, 1H), 6.37-6.31 (m, 1H), 4.36 (d, $J = 10.58$ Hz, 1H), 4.27 (d, $J = 10.14$ Hz, 1H), 4.08-4.01 (m, 2H), 3.98 (s, 3H), 3.93 (t, $J = 4.19$ Hz, 1H), 3.43-3.38 (m, 2H), 3.31-3.26 (m, 2H), 2.96 (dd, $J = 11.03, 4.85$ Hz, 1H), 2.93-2.84 (m, 2H), 2.83 (s, 3H), 2.82-2.77 (m, 5H), 2.52-2.45 (m, 2H), 2.41 (s, 3H), 2.22-2.15 (m, 2H), 1.93-1.86 (m, 2H). ESI-MS m/z 503.4 $[M+H]^+$ calc. for $C_{30}H_{38}N_4O_3$.

1-[3-(2-methoxy-5-nitro-phenoxy)propyl]pyrrolidine (52)

To a solution of commercially available 2-methoxy-5-nitro-phenol (**51**) (39.2 g, 0.24 mol) in THF (1.0 L), PPh_3 (121 g, 0.46 mol), 3-pyrrolidin-1-yl-propan-1-ol (41.08 g, 0.32 mol) and DEAD (79.12 g, 0.46 mmol) were added at 0 °C and the reaction mixture was stirred at room temperature for 5 hours. Then, the reaction mixture was concentrated and extracted with EtOAc. The combined organic layers were washed with brine, dried over anhydrous Na_2SO_4 , filtered and concentrated to give the crude product which was purified by silica gel column chromatography to obtain pure compound **52**

(40 g, 60%) as yellow solid. ^1H NMR (CDCl_3 , 400 MHz): δ 7.92 (d, $J = 2.4$ Hz, 1H), 7.89 (s, 1H), 6.90 (d, $J = 2.4$ Hz, 1H), 4.23-4.14 (m, 2H), 3.97 (s, 3H), 2.70-2.60 (m, 2H), 2.58-2.50 (m, 4H), 2.15-2.05 (m, 2H), 1.85-1.75 (m, 4H). ESI-MS m/z 281.2 $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ calc. for $\text{C}_{14}\text{H}_{20}\text{N}_2\text{O}_4$.

4-methoxy-3-(3-pyrrolidin-1-ylpropoxy)aniline (53)

To a solution of compound **52** (28 g, 0.1 mol) in MeOH (500 mL) was added Pd/C (5 g) and the solution was stirred at room temperature for 3 hours under H_2 atmosphere (1 atm). Then, the solution was filtered and the filtrate was concentrated to give compound **53** (21 g, 84%) as yellow oil which was used in the next step without further purification. ^1H NMR (CDCl_3 , 400 MHz): δ 6.70 (d, $J = 8.4$ Hz, 1H), 6.34 (s, 1H), 6.22 (d, $J = 8.4$ Hz, 1H), 4.08-4.00 (m, 2H), 3.79 (s, 3H), 2.70-2.60 (m, 2H), 2.59-2.52 (m, 4H), 2.10-2.02 (m, 2H), 1.90-1.70 (m, 4H). ESI-MS m/z 251.2 $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ calc. for $\text{C}_{14}\text{H}_{22}\text{N}_2\text{O}_2$.

2,4-dichloro-6-methoxy-7-(3-pyrrolidin-1-ylpropoxy)quinoline (54)

To a solution of compound **53** (20 g, 0.08 mol) in POCl_3 (130 mL) was added malonic acid (10.3 g, 0.098 mol) at room temperature and the mixture was stirred for 4 hours. Then, the solution was heated to 90 °C and stirred for overnight. POCl_3 was removed by distillation under vacuum and the residue was poured into ice-water. The resulting mixture was extracted with EtOAc and the combined organic layers were washed with brine, dried over anhydrous Na_2SO_4 , filtered and concentrated to give compound **54** (7 g, 24%) as pale yellow solid which was used in the next step without further purification. ^1H NMR (CDCl_3 , 400 MHz): δ 7.33-7.28 (m, 2H), 7.19 (s, 1H), 4.20-4.10

(m, 2H), 3.96 (s, 3H), 2.80-2.60 (m, 6H), 2.20-2.10 (m, 2H), 1.95-1.75 (m, 4H). ESI-MS m/z 355.3 $[M+H]^+$ calc. for $C_{17}H_{20}Cl_2N_2O_2$.

**4-chloro-6-methoxy-2-(5-methyl-2-furyl)-7-(3-pyrrolidin-1-ylpropoxy)quinoline
(55a)**

To a solution of compound **54** (600 mg, 1.7 mmol) in 1,4-dioxane/ H_2O (15:1, 16 mL) were added Na_2CO_3 (0.54 g, 5.1 mmol), $Pd(PPh_3)_4$ (0.22 g, 0.17 mmol) and 4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-2-(5-methyl-2-furyl)-1,3,2-dioxaborolane (0.39 g, 1.87 mmol) and the mixture was stirred at 110 °C for 4 hours under Microwave. Then, the mixture was quenched with water and extracted with EtOAc. The combined organic phase was washed with brine, dried over anhydrous Na_2SO_4 , filtered and concentrated to give the crude product which was purified by prep-HPLC (method 1 described in supporting information) to obtain compound **55a** (400 mg, 59%) as a yellow solid. 1H NMR ($DMSO-d_6$, 400 MHz): δ 7.83 (s, 1H), 7.47 (s, 1H), 7.36 (s, 1H), 7.19 (d, $J = 3.2$ Hz, 1H), 6.31 (d, $J = 3.2$ Hz, 1H), 4.30-4.22 (m, 2H), 3.96 (s, 3H), 3.65-3.55 (m, 2H), 3.35-3.26 (m, 2H), 3.08-2.98 (m, 2H), 2.39 (s, 3H), 2.23-2.16 (m, 2H), 2.05-1.95 (m, 2H), 1.91-1.82 (m, 2H). ESI-MS m/z 401.2 $[M+H]^+$ calc. for $C_{22}H_{25}ClN_2O_3$.

**4-chloro-2-(5-ethyl-2-furyl)-6-methoxy-7-(3-pyrrolidin-1-ylpropoxy)quinoline
(55b)**

To a solution of compound **54** (354 mg, 1 mmol) and 2-(5-ethyl-2-furyl)-4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolane (222 mg, 1 mmol) in 1,4-dioxane (15 mL) was added K_2CO_3 (280 mg, 2 mmol) and $Pd(PPh_3)_4$ (50 mg, 0.030 mmol) and the solution was heated to 110 °C for 12 hours. Then, the mixture was concentrated to give the crude product which was purified by prep-HPLC (method 1 described in supporting

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3 information) to afford pure compound **55b** (150 mg, 36%) as a yellow solid. ¹H NMR
4 (CD₃OD, 400 MHz): δ 8.02 (s, 1H), 7.59-7.52 (m, 2H), 7.38 (s, 1H), 6.35-6.40 (m, 1H),
5 4.40-4.30 (m, 2H), 4.07 (s, 3H), 3.85-3.75 (m, 2H), 3.51-3.45 (m, 2H), 3.18-3.10 (m,
6 2H), 2.85-2.75 (m, 2H), 2.41-2.32 (m, 2H), 2.25-2.15 (m, 2H), 2.10-2.00 (m, 2H), 1.37-
7 1.31 (m, 3H). ESI-MS *m/z* 415.2 [M+H]⁺ calc. for C₂₃H₂₇ClN₂O₃.

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16 **Tert-butyl 4-[[[6-methoxy-2-(5-methyl-2-furyl)-7-(3-pyrrolidin-1-ylpropoxy)-4-**
17 **quinolyl]amino]methyl]piperidine-1-carboxylate (56a)**

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19 To a solution of compound **55a** (120 mg, 0.3 mmol) and tert-butyl 4-
20 (aminomethyl)piperidine-1-carboxylate (160 mg, 0.75 mmol) in 1,4-dioxane (15 mL)
21 were successively added Pd₂(dba)₃ (55 mg, 0.06 mmol), Cs₂CO₃ (243 mg, 0.75 mmol)
22 and BINAP (75 mg, 0.12 mmol) and the mixture was stirred at 115 °C for 18 hours
23 under N₂ and at 125 °C for 10 hours. Then, the solution was diluted with water and
24 extracted with EtOAc. The combined organic layer was washed with brine, dried with
25 Na₂SO₄, filtered and concentrated to give crude product which was purified by prep-
26 TLC (CH₂Cl₂:MeOH = 5:1) to obtain pure compound **56a** (125.0 mg, 72%) as a yellow
27 solid. ESI-MS *m/z* 579.3 [M+H]⁺ calc. for C₃₃H₄₆N₄O₅. This compound was used in the
28 next step without further characterization.
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44 **Tert-butyl 4-[1-[[[6-methoxy-2-(5-methyl-2-furyl)-7-(3-pyrrolidin-1-ylpropoxy)-4-**
45 **quinolyl]amino]-1-methyl-ethyl]piperidine-1-carboxylate (56b)**

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47 A mixture of **55a** (50 mg, 0.125 mmol), tert-butyl 4-(1-amino-1-methyl-
48 ethyl)piperidine-1-carboxylate (36 mg, 0.149 mmol), Cs₂CO₃ (81 mg, 0.25 mmol),
49 BINAP (16 mg, 0.024 mmol) and Pd₂(dba)₃ (11 mg, 0.012 mmol) in 1,4-dioxane (3.00
50 mL) was degassed and purged with N₂ for 3 times and then the mixture was stirred at
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3 120 °C for 24 hours under N₂ atmosphere. Then, the reaction mixture was filtrated and
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5 the filtrate was concentrated under vacuum to give a residue. The residue was purified
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7 by prep-HPLC (method 18 described in supporting information) to afford compound
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9 **56b** (5.0 mg, 7%) as a yellow solid. ESI-MS *m/z* 607.4 [M+H]⁺ calc. for C₃₅H₅₀N₄O₅.
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11 This compound was used in the next step without further characterization.
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16 **Tert-butyl 2-[[6-methoxy-2-(5-methyl-2-furyl)-7-(3-pyrrolidin-1-ylpropoxy)-4-**
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18 **quinolyl]amino]-7-azaspiro[3.5]nonane-7-carboxylate (56c)**

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20 To a solution of compound **55a** (400 mg, 1 mmol) in 1,4-dioxane (10 mL) was added
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22 Cs₂CO₃ (650 mg, 2 mmol), BINAP (70 mg, 0.11 mmol), Pd₂(dba)₃ (100 mg, 0.11
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24 mmol) and tert-butyl 2-amino-7-azaspiro[3.5]nonane-7-carboxylate (240 mg, 1 mmol)
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26 and the solution was heated to 130 °C for 5 hours under Microwave. Then, the solution
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28 was concentrated and extracted with EtOAc. The combined organic layer was washed
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30 with brine, dried over anhydrous Na₂SO₄, filtered and concentrated to give the crude
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32 product which was purified by prep-HPLC (method 1 described in supporting
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34 information) to afford compound **56c** (200 mg, 33%) as yellow solid. ESI-MS *m/z*
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36 605.3 [M+H]⁺ calc. for C₃₅H₄₈N₄O₅. This compound was used in the next step without
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38 further characterization.
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44 **Tert-butyl 2-[[6-methoxy-2-(5-methyl-2-furyl)-7-(3-pyrrolidin-1-ylpropoxy)-4-**
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46 **quinolyl]amino]-6-azaspiro[3.4]octane-6-carboxylate (56d)**

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48 To a solution of compound **55a** (400 mg, 1 mmol) in 1,4-dioxane (10 mL) was added
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50 Cs₂CO₃ (650 mg, 2 mmol), BINAP (70 mg, 0.11 mmol), Pd₂(dba)₃ (100 mg, 0.11
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52 mmol) and tert-butyl 2-amino-6-azaspiro[3.4]octane-6-carboxylate (226 mg, 1 mmol)
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54 and the solution was heated to 130 °C for 5 hours under Microwave. Then, the solution
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3 was concentrated and extracted with EtOAc. The combined organic layer was washed
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5 with brine, dried over anhydrous Na₂SO₄, filtered and concentrated to give the crude
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7 product which was purified by prep-HPLC (method 1 described in supporting
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9 information) to afford pure compound **56d** (100 mg, 17%) as yellow solid. ESI-MS *m/z*
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11 591.3 [M+H]⁺ calc. for C₃₄H₄₆N₄O₅. This compound was used in the next step without
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13 further characterization.
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18 **Tert-butyl 3-[[6-methoxy-2-(5-methyl-2-furyl)-7-(3-pyrrolidin-1-ylpropoxy)-4-**
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20 **quinolyl]amino]-7-azaspiro[3.5]nonane-7-carboxylate (56e)**

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22 To a solution of compound **55a** (400 mg, 1 mmol) in 1,4-dioxane (10 mL) was added
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24 Cs₂CO₃ (650 mg, 2 mmol), BINAP (70 mg, 0.11 mmol), Pd₂(dba)₃ (100 mg, 0.11
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26 mmol) and tert-butyl 3-amino-7-azaspiro[3.5]nonane-7-carboxylate (224 mg, 1 mmol)
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28 and the solution was heated to 130 °C for 5 hours under Microwave. Then, the solution
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30 was concentrated and extracted with EtOAc. The combined organic layer was washed
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32 with brine, dried over anhydrous Na₂SO₄, filtered and concentrated to give the crude
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34 product which was purified by prep-HPLC (method 1 described in supporting
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36 information) to afford compound **56e** (200 mg, 33%) as yellow solid. ESI-MS *m/z* 605.3
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38 [M+H]⁺ calc. for C₃₅H₄₈N₄O₅. This compound was used in the next step without further
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47 **Tert-butyl 3-[[2-(5-ethyl-2-furyl)-6-methoxy-7-(3-pyrrolidin-1-ylpropoxy)-4-**
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49 **quinolyl]amino]-7-azaspiro[3.5]nonane-7-carboxylate (56f)**

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51 A mixture of **55b** (550 mg, 1.33 mmol), tert-butyl 3-amino-7-azaspiro[3.5]nonane-7-
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53 carboxylate (637 mg, 2.65 mmol), Cs₂CO₃ (863 mg, 2.65 mmol), Pd₂(dba)₃ (121 mg,
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55 0.133 mmol) and BINAP (83 mg, 0.133 mmol) in 1,4-dioxane (50 mL) was degassed
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3 and purged with N₂ for 3 times and then the mixture was stirred at 120 °C for 16 hours.
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5 Then, the mixture was concentrated and purified by silica gel column chromatography
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7 (CH₂Cl₂:MeOH = 200:1 - 1:1) to afford pure compound **56f** (200 mg, 24%) as a white
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9 solid. ESI-MS *m/z* 619.4 [M+H]⁺ calc. for C₃₆H₅₀N₄O₅. This compound was used in the
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11 next step without further characterization.
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16 **Tert-butyl 3-[[6-methoxy-2-(5-methyl-2-furyl)-7-(3-pyrrolidin-1-ylpropoxy)-**
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18 **4-quinolyl]amino]-6-azaspiro[3.4]octane-6-carboxylate (56g)**

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20 To a solution of compound **55a** (400 mg, 1 mmol) in 1,4-dioxane (10 mL) was
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22 added Cs₂CO₃ (650 mg, 2 mmol), BINAP (70 mg, 0.11 mmol), Pd₂(dba)₃ (100
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24 mg, 0.11 mmol) and tert-butyl 1-amino-6-azaspiro[3.4]octane-6-carboxylate (226
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26 mg, 1 mmol) and the solution was heated to 130 °C for 5 hours under Microwave.
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28 Then, the solution was concentrated and extracted with EtOAc. The combined
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30 organic layer was washed with brine, dried over anhydrous Na₂SO₄, filtered and
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32 concentrated to give the crude product which was purified by prep-HPLC (method
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34 1 described in supporting information) to afford pure compound **56g** (150 mg,
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36 25%) as yellow solid. ESI-MS *m/z* 591.3 [M+H]⁺ calc. for C₃₄H₄₆N₄O₅. This
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38 compound was used in the next step without further characterization.
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44 **Tert-butyl 8-[[6-methoxy-2-(5-methyl-2-furyl)-7-(3-pyrrolidin-1-ylpropoxy)-4-**
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46 **quinolyl]amino]-3-azabicyclo[3.2.1]octane-3-carboxylate (56h)**

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48 A mixture of **55a** (200 mg, 0.5 mmol), tert-butyl 8-amino-3-azabicyclo[3.2.1]octane-3-
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50 carboxylate (226 mg, 1.0 mmol), Cs₂CO₃ (325 mg, 1.0 mmol), Pd₂(dba)₃ (45 mg, 0.05
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52 mmol) and BINAP (31 mg, 0.05 mmol) in 1,4-dioxane (10 mL) was degassed and
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54 purged with N₂ for 3 times and then the mixture was stirred at 120 °C for 16 hours.
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3 Then, the reaction mixture was concentrated in vacuum to give a residue. The residue
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5 was purified by silica gel column chromatography (CH₂Cl₂:MeOH = 5:1) to obtain pure
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7 compound **56h** (200 mg, 67%) as a yellow solid. ESI-MS *m/z* 591.4 [M+H]⁺ calc. for
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9 C₃₄H₄₆N₄O₅. This compound was used in the next step without further characterization.
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13 **Tert-butyl 8-[[[6-methoxy-2-(5-methyl-2-furyl)-7-(3-pyrrolidin-1-ylpropoxy)-4-**
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15 **quinolyl]amino]methyl]-3-azabicyclo[3.2.1]octane-3-carboxylate (56i)**

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17 A mixture of **55a** (300 mg, 0.75 mmol), tert-butyl 8-(aminomethyl)-3-
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19 azabicyclo[3.2.1]octane-3-carboxylate (359 mg, 1.50 mmol), Cs₂CO₃ (487 mg, 1.5
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21 mmol), Pd₂(dba)₃ (137 mg, 0.15 mmol) and BINAP (186 mg, 0.3 mmol) in 1,4-dioxane
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23 (10 mL) was degassed and purged with N₂ for 3 times and then the mixture was stirred
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25 at 120 °C for 16 hours. Then, the reaction mixture was concentrated in vacuum to give a
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27 residue. The residue was purified by prep-TLC (CH₂Cl₂:MeOH = 5:1) to afford
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29 compound **56i** (300 mg, 66%) as a yellow solid. ESI-MS *m/z* 605.4 [M+H]⁺ calc. for
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37 **Tert-butyl 8-[[[2-(5-ethyl-2-furyl)-6-methoxy-7-(3-pyrrolidin-1-ylpropoxy)-4-**
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39 **quinolyl]amino]methyl]-3-azabicyclo[3.2.1]octane-3-carboxylate (56j)**

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41 A mixture of **55b** (300 mg, 0.72 mmol), tert-butyl 8-(aminomethyl)-3-
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43 azabicyclo[3.2.1]octane-3-carboxylate (347 mg, 1.45 mmol), Cs₂CO₃ (471 mg, 1.45
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45 mmol), Pd₂(dba)₃ (132 mg, 0.144 mmol) and BINAP (180 mg, 0.289 mmol) in 1,4-
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47 dioxane (10 mL) was degassed and purged with N₂ for 3 times and then the mixture was
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49 stirred at 120 °C for 16 hours. Then, the reaction mixture was concentrated in vacuum
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51 to give a residue. The residue was purified by TLC (CH₂Cl₂:MeOH = 5:1) to afford
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3 pure compound **56j** (360 mg, 80%) as a yellow solid. ESI-MS m/z 619.4 $[M+H]^+$ calc.
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5 for $C_{36}H_{50}N_4O_5$.
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9 **Tert-butyl 3-[[6-methoxy-2-(5-methyl-2-furyl)-7-(3-pyrrolidin-1-ylpropoxy)-4-**
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11 **quinolyl]amino]-8-azabicyclo[3.2.1]octane-8-carboxylate (56k)**
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13 To a solution of compound **55a** (200 mg, 0.5 mmol) in 1,4-dioxane (10 mL) were added
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15 $Pd_2(dba)_3$ (46 mg, 0.05 mmol), CS_2CO_3 (325 mg, 1.0 mmol), tert-butyl 3-amino-8-
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17 azabicyclo[3.2.1]octane-8-carboxylate (226 mg, 1.0 mmol) and BINAP (31 mg, 0.05
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19 mmol) and the mixture was stirred at 120 °C for 16 hours under N_2 . Then, the mixture
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21 was concentrated under reduced pressure and the residue was purified by prep-TLC
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23 (CH_2Cl_2 : MeOH = 10:1) to afford pure compound **56k** (200 mg, 67%) as a yellow solid.
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25 ESI-MS m/z 591.5 $[M+H]^+$ calc. for $C_{36}H_{46}N_4O_5$. This compound was used in the next
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27 step without further characterization.
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33 **Tert-butyl 4-[[6-methoxy-2-(5-methyl-2-furyl)-7-(3-pyrrolidin-1-ylpropoxy)-4-**
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35 **quinolyl]-methyl-amino]piperidine-1-carboxylate (56l)**
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37 A mixture of compound **55a** (300 mg, 0.75 mmol), tert-butyl 4-
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39 (methylamino)piperidine-1-carboxylate (192 mg, 0.897 mmol) and PTSA (155 mg, 0.9
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41 mmol) in *t*-BuOH (7.5 mL) was degassed and purged with N_2 for 3 times and then the
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43 mixture was stirred at 120 °C for 48 hours. Then, the reaction mixture was concentrated
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45 in vacuum to give crude product which was purified by prep-HPLC (method 10
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47 described in supporting information) to afford pure compound **56l** (40 mg 9%) as a
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49 yellow solid. ESI-MS m/z 579.5 $[M+H]^+$ calc. for $C_{33}H_{46}N_4O_5$.
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3 **6-methoxy-2-(5-methyl-2-furyl)-N-(4-piperidylmethyl)-7-(3-pyrrolidin-1-**
4 **ylpropoxy)quinolin-4-amine (57a)**

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7 A solution of compound **56a** (125.0 mg, 0.21 mmol) in HCl/EtOAc (2.0 M, 30 mL) was
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9 stirred at 16 °C for 8 hours. Then, the solution was concentrated to give compound **57a**
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11 (125.0 mg, crude) as a yellow solid which was used in the next step without further
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13 purification. ESI-MS m/z 479.3 $[M+H]^+$ calc. for $C_{28}H_{38}N_4O_3$.
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18 **6-methoxy-2-(5-methyl-2-furyl)-N-[1-methyl-1-(4-piperidyl)ethyl]-7-(3-pyrrolidin-**
19 **1-ylpropoxy)quinolin-4-amine (57b)**

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22 A solution of **56b** (15.00 mg, 0.024 mmol) in HCl/MeOH (2.0 M, 5.00 mL) was
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24 degassed and purged with N_2 for 3 times and the mixture was stirred at 25 °C for 12
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26 hours. Then, the solution was concentrated under vacuum to give compound **57b** (10.0
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28 mg, crude) as a yellow solid which was used in the next step without further
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30 purification. ESI-MS m/z 507.4 $[M+H]^+$ calc. for $C_{30}H_{42}N_4O_3$.
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35 **N-(7-azaspiro[3.5]nonan-2-yl)-6-methoxy-2-(5-methyl-2-furyl)-7-(3-pyrrolidin-1-**
36 **ylpropoxy)quinolin-4-amine (57c)**

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39 To a solution of compound **56c** (60.4 mg, 0.1 mmol) in MeOH (10 mL) was added
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41 HCl/MeOH (5 mL, 4.0 M) and the solution was stirred at room temperature for 5 hours.
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43 Then, the mixture was concentrated to give compound **57c** (49 mg, crude) as yellow
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45 solid which was used in the next step without further purification. ESI-MS m/z 505.3
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47 $[M+H]^+$ calc. for $C_{30}H_{40}N_4O_3$.
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52 **N-(6-azaspiro[3.4]octan-2-yl)-6-methoxy-2-(5-methyl-2-furyl)-7-(3-pyrrolidin-1-**
53 **ylpropoxy)quinolin-4-amine (57d)**
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To a solution of compound **56d** (100 mg, 0.17 mmol) in MeOH (5 mL) was added HCl/MeOH (5 mL, 4.0 M) and the solution was stirred at room temperature for 5 hours. Then, the solution was concentrated to give compound **57d** (90 mg, crude) as a yellow solid which was used in the next step without further purification. ESI-MS m/z 491.3 $[M+H]^+$ calc. for $C_{29}H_{38}N_4O_3$.

N-(7-azaspiro[3.5]nonan-3-yl)-6-methoxy-2-(5-methyl-2-furyl)-7-(3-pyrrolidin-1-ylpropoxy)quinolin-4-amine (57e)

To a solution of compound **56e** (60.4 mg, 0.1 mmol) in MeOH (10 mL) was added HCl/MeOH (5 mL, 4.0 M) and the solution was stirred at room temperature for 5 hours. Then, the solution was concentrated to give compound **57e** (49 mg, crude) as yellow solid which was used in the next step without further purification. ESI-MS m/z 505.3 $[M+H]^+$ calc. for $C_{30}H_{40}N_4O_3$.

N-(7-azaspiro[3.5]nonan-3-yl)-2-(5-ethyl-2-furyl)-6-methoxy-7-(3-pyrrolidin-1-ylpropoxy)quinolin-4-amine (57f)

A solution of **56f** (80 mg, 0.129 mmol) in HCl/EtOAc (5.00 mL, 1.0 M) was stirred at 20 °C for 16 hours. Then, the reaction mixture was concentrated to dryness under vacuum to obtain compound **57f** (60 mg, crude) as a yellow solid which was used in next step without further purification. ESI-MS m/z 519.4 $[M+H]^+$ calc. for $C_{31}H_{42}N_4O_3$.

N-(6-azaspiro[3.4]octan-3-yl)-6-methoxy-2-(5-methyl-2-furyl)-7-(3-pyrrolidin-1-ylpropoxy)quinolin-4-amine (57g)

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3 To a solution of compound **56g** (150 mg, 0.25 mmol) in MeOH (10 mL) was
4 added HCl/MeOH (5 mL, 4.0 M) and the solution was stirred at room temperature
5 for 5 hours. Then, the solution was concentrated to give compound **57g** (110 mg,
6 crude) as yellow solid which was used in the next step without further
7 purification. ESI-MS m/z 491.3 $[M+H]^+$ calc. for $C_{29}H_{38}N_4O_3$.
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15 **N-(3-azabicyclo[3.2.1]octan-8-yl)-6-methoxy-2-(5-methyl-2-furyl)-7-(3-pyrrolidin-**
16 **1-ylpropoxy)quinolin-4-amine (57h)**
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18 A solution of **56h** (200 mg, 0.338 mmol) in HCl/EtOAc (5 mL, 2.0 M) was stirred at 15
19 °C for 2 hours. Then, the reaction mixture was concentrated in vacuum to give
20 compound **57h** (150 mg, crude) which was used in the next step without further
21 purification. ESI-MS m/z 491.4 $[M+H]^+$ calc. for $C_{29}H_{38}N_4O_3$.
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31 **N-(3-azabicyclo[3.2.1]octan-8-ylmethyl)-6-methoxy-2-(5-methyl-2-furyl)-7-(3-**
32 **pyrrolidin-1-ylpropoxy)quinolin-4-amine (57i)**
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34 A solution of **56i** (300 mg, 0.496 mmol) in HCl/EtOAc (5.00 mL, 2.0 M) was stirred at
35 18 °C for 2 hours. Then, the reaction mixture was concentrated in vacuum to give
36 compound **57i** (300 mg, crude) as a yellow solid which was used in the next step
37 without further purification. ESI-MS m/z 505.4 $[M+H]^+$ calc. for $C_{30}H_{40}N_4O_3$.
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46 **N-(3-azabicyclo[3.2.1]octan-8-ylmethyl)-2-(5-ethyl-2-furyl)-6-methoxy-7-(3-**
47 **pyrrolidin-1-ylpropoxy)quinolin-4-amine (57j)**
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49 A solution of **56j** (360 mg, 0.581 mmol) in HCl/EtOAc (5 mL, 2.0 M) was stirred at 18
50 °C for 2 hours. Then, the reaction mixture was concentrated in vacuum to give
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3 compound **57j** (360 mg, crude) as a yellow solid which was used in the next step
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5 without further purification. ESI-MS m/z 519.4 $[M+H]^+$ calc. for $C_{31}H_{42}N_4O_3$.
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9 **N-(8-azabicyclo[3.2.1]octan-3-yl)-6-methoxy-2-(5-methyl-2-furyl)-7-(3-pyrrolidin-**
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11 **1-ylpropoxy)quinolin-4-amine (57k)**

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13 A solution of compound **56k** (200 mg, 0.338 mmol) in HCl/EtOAc (10 mL, 2.0 M) was
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15 stirred at 20 °C for 2 hours. Then, the mixture was concentrated under vacuum to give
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17 compound **57k** (200 mg, crude) as a yellow solid which was used in next step without
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19 further purification. ESI-MS m/z 491.4 $[M+H]^+$ calc. for $C_{29}H_{38}N_4O_3$.
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24 **6-methoxy-N-methyl-2-(5-methyl-2-furyl)-N-(4-piperidyl)-7-(3-pyrrolidin-1-**
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26 **ylpropoxy)quinolin-4-amine (57l)**

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28 A solution of compound **56l** (40 mg, 0.0692 mmol) in HCl/EtOAc (4 mL, 2.0 M) was
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30 stirred at 20 °C for 1 hour. Then, the mixture was concentrated under vacuum to give
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32 compound **57l** (40 mg, crude) as a yellow solid which was used in the next step without
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34 further purification. ESI-MS m/z 479.4 $[M+H]^+$ calc. for $C_{28}H_{38}N_4O_3$.
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39 **4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-2-[5-nitro-2-(trifluoromethoxy)phenyl]-1,3,2-dioxaborolane**
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43 A mixture of commercially available 2-bromo-4-nitro-1-(trifluoromethoxy)benzene (**58**)
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45 (12.20 g, 42.66 mmol), 4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-2-(4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolan-2-
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47 yl)-1,3,2-dioxaborolane (13.00 g, 51.19 mmol), KOAc (9.21 g, 93.85 mmol) and
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49 Pd(dppf)Cl₂ (3.12 g, 4.27 mmol) in 1,4-dioxane (200 mL) was de-gassed and heated to
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51 90 °C for 10 hours under N₂. Then, the reaction was quenched with water and extracted
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53 with EtOAc. The organic phase was washed with saturated brine, dried over anhydrous
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3 Na₂SO₄, filtered and concentrated in vacuum to give a residue, which was purified by
4 silica gel column chromatography (PE:EtOAc = 100:1 - 20:1) to afford the compound
5 **59** (13.00 g, 91%) as a yellow solid. ESI-MS *m/z* 334.1 [M+H]⁺ calc. for
6 C₁₃H₁₅BF₃NO₅. This compound was used in the next step without further
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13 14 15 16 **5-nitro-2-(trifluoromethoxy)phenol (60c)**

17 A schenk flask was charged with compound **59** (17.10 g, 52.2 mmol) and NaOH (12.53
18 g, 313.2 mmol) and the mixture was dissolved in THF (200 mL). Then, an aqueous
19 solution of H₂O₂ (33%, 35.51 g, 313.2 mmol) was added dropwise under N₂ and the
20 reaction mixture was stirred for 30 minutes at 22 °C. Then, the mixture was extracted
21 with EtOAc. The combined organic layer was washed with water and brine, dried over
22 anhydrous Na₂SO₄ and filtered. The solvents were removed under reduced pressure and
23 the crude product was purified by silica gel column chromatography (PE:EtOAc = 9:1 -
24 3:1) to afford compound **60c** (10.40 g, 89%) as a yellow solid. ESI-MS *m/z* 224.1
25 [M+H]⁺ calc. for C₇H₄F₃NO₄. This compound was used in the next step without further
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42 **1-[3-(3-nitrophenoxy)propyl]pyrrolidine (61a)**

43 To a solution of commercially available 3-nitrophenol (**60a**) (4.9 g, 0.035 mol) in THF
44 (500 mL) was added PPh₃ (11.1 g, 0.042 mol), 3-pyrrolidin-1-ylpropan-1-ol (5 g, 0.038
45 mol) and DEAD (7.3 g, 0.042 mol) at 0 °C and the solution was stirred at room
46 temperature for 10 hours. Then, the reaction mixture was concentrated and extracted
47 with EtOAc. The combined organic layers were washed with brine, dried over
48 anhydrous Na₂SO₄, filtered and concentrated to give the crude product which was
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3 purified by silica gel column chromatography to afford compound **61a** (3.3 g, 37%) as
4 yellow solid. ESI-MS m/z 251 $[M+H]^+$ calc. for $C_{13}H_{18}N_2O_3$. This compound was used
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7 in the next step without further characterization.
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11 **1-[3-(2-chloro-5-nitro-phenoxy)propyl]pyrrolidine (61b)**

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13 To a solution of commercially available 2-chloro-5-nitro-phenol (**60b**) (20 g, 0.12 mol)
14 in THF (1000 mL) was added PPh_3 (60.45 g, 0.23 mol), 3-pyrrolidin-1-ylpropan-1-ol
15 (22.33 g, 0.17 mol) and DEAD (40.14 g, 0.23 mmol) at 0 °C and the solution was stirred
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17 at room temperature for 5 hours. Then, the reaction mixture was concentrated and
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19 extracted with EtOAc. The combined organic layers were washed with brine, dried over
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21 anhydrous Na_2SO_4 , filtered and concentrated to give the crude product which was
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23 purified by silica gel column chromatography to afford pure compound **61b** (20 g, 58%)
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25 as yellow solid. 1H NMR (CD_3OD , 400 MHz): δ 7.90 (d, $J = 2.4$ Hz, 1H), 7.85 (s, 1H),
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27 7.68 (d, $J = 2.4$ Hz, 1H), 4.28-4.20 (m, 2H), 2.76-2.70 (m, 2H), 2.61-2.45 (m, 4H), 2.13-
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29 2.06 (m, 2H), 1.85-1.75 (m, 4H). ESI-MS m/z 285 $[M+H]^+$ calc. for $C_{13}H_{17}ClN_2O_3$.
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37 **1-[3-[5-nitro-2-(trifluoromethoxy)phenoxy]propyl]pyrrolidine (61c)**

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39 To a mixture of compound **60c** (9.20 g, 41.24 mmol), 3-pyrrolidin-1-ylpropan-1-ol
40 (6.39 g, 49.48 mmol) and PPh_3 (21.63 g, 82.47 mmol) in THF (350 mL), was added
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42 DIAD (16.68 g, 82.47 mmol) in one portion at 0 °C under N_2 and the mixture was
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44 stirred at 0 °C for 8 hours. Then, the mixture was quenched with water and extracted
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46 with EtOAc. The combined organic phase was washed with saturated brine, dried with
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48 anhydrous Na_2SO_4 , filtered and concentrated in vacuum. The residue was purified by
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50 silica gel chromatography (PE:EtOAc = 1:3) to afford pure compound **61c** (8.60 g,
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62%) as a yellow liquid. ESI-MS m/z 335.1 $[M+H]^+$ calc. for $C_{14}H_{17}F_3N_2O_4$. This compound was used in the next step without further characterization.

3-(3-pyrrolidin-1-ylpropoxy)aniline (62a)

To a solution of compound **61a** (3.3 g, 0.013 mol) in MeOH (20 mL) was added Pd/C (1.5 g) and the solution was stirred at room temperature for 2 hours under H_2 atmosphere (40 Psi). Then, the solution was filtered and the filtrate was concentrated to give compound **62a** (3 g, 96%) as yellow oil. ESI-MS m/z 221 $[M+H]^+$ calc. for $C_{13}H_{20}N_2O$. This compound was used in the next step without further characterization.

4-chloro-3-(3-pyrrolidin-1-ylpropoxy)aniline (62b)

To a solution of compound **61b** (5 g, 17.56 mmol) in EtOH/ H_2O (4:1, 250 mL) was added Fe (2.94 g, 56.28 mmol) and NH_4Cl (2.82 g, 56.28 mmol) slowly and the mixture was stirred at room temperature for 3 hours under N_2 atmosphere. Then, the solution was filtered and the filtrate was concentrated to give compound **62b** (2 g, 44%) as yellow solid. 1H NMR (CD_3OD , 400 MHz): δ 7.36 (d, $J = 8.4$ Hz, 1H), 6.88 (d, $J = 2.8$ Hz, 1H), 6.76-6.73 (m, 1H), 4.22-4.18 (m, 2H), 3.81-3.72 (m, 2H), 3.48-3.42 (m, 2H), 3.19-3.08 (m, 2H), 2.34-2.26 (m, 2H), 2.24-2.13 (m, 2H), 2.14-1.98 (m, 2H). ESI-MS m/z 255 $[M+H]^+$ calc. for $C_{13}H_{19}ClN_2O$.

3-(3-pyrrolidin-1-ylpropoxy)-4-(trifluoromethoxy)aniline (62c)

To a solution of compound **61c** (8.60 g, 25.73 mmol) in MeOH (100 mL) was added Pd/C (1.50 g) and the mixture was stirred at room temperature for 15 hours under H_2 atmosphere (40 Psi). Then, the mixture was filtered and the filtrate was concentrated to

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3 give compound **62c** (7.80 g, 99%) as a gray liquid which was used for the next step
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5 without further purification. ESI-MS m/z 305.0 $[M+H]^+$ calc. for $C_{14}H_{19}F_3N_2O_2$.
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9 **2,4-dichloro-7-(3-pyrrolidin-1-ylpropoxy)quinoline (63a)**

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11 To a solution of compound **62a** (3 g, 0.013 mol) in $POCl_3$ (40 mL) was added malonic
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13 acid (2.1 g, 0.020 mol) and the mixture was stirred at room temperature for 4 hours and
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15 then at 90 °C overnight. Then, the solution was concentrated and extracted with EtOAc.
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17 The combined organic layers were washed with brine, dried over anhydrous Na_2SO_4 ,
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19 filtered and concentrated to give compound **63a** (1.5 g, 34%) as pale yellow solid. 1H
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21 NMR ($DMSO-d_6$, 400 MHz): δ 8.09 (d, $J = 8.8$ Hz, 1H), 7.76 (s, 1H), 7.44-7.40 (m, 2H)
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23 4.29-4.26 (m, 2H), 3.55-3.49 (m, 2H), 3.34-3.25 (m, 2H), 3.10-2.91 (m, 2H), 2.26-2.22
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25 (m, 2H), 2.00-1.89 (m, 4H). ESI-MS m/z 325 $[M+H]^+$ calc. for $C_{16}H_{18}Cl_2N_2O$.
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31 **2,4,6-trichloro-7-(3-pyrrolidin-1-ylpropoxy)quinoline (63b)**

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33 To a solution of compound **62b** (3 g, 11.78 mmol) in $POCl_3$ (30mL) was added malonic
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35 acid (1.84 g, 17.86 mmol) and the mixture was stirred at room temperature for 4 hours
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37 and at 90 °C overnight. Then, the solution was concentrated and extracted with EtOAc.
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39 The combined organic layers were washed with brine, dried over anhydrous Na_2SO_4 ,
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41 filtered and concentrated to give compound **63b** (1 g, 24%) as pale yellow solid. 1H
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43 NMR (CD_3OD , 400 MHz): δ 8.29 (s, 1H), 7.66 (s, 1H), 7.52 (s, 1H), 4.48-4.37 (m, 2H),
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45 3.85-3.74 (m, 2H), 3.56-3.45 (m, 2H), 3.26-3.13 (m, 2H), 2.48-2.37 (m, 2H), 2.27-2.17
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47 (m, 2H), 2.16-2.02 (m, 2H). ESI-MS m/z 359 $[M+H]^+$ calc. for $C_{16}H_{17}Cl_3N_2O$.
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52 **2,4-dichloro-7-(3-pyrrolidin-1-ylpropoxy)-6-(trifluoromethoxy)quinoline (63c)**

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3 DMAP (129 mg, 1.06 mmol) and pyridine (5.86 g, 74.07 mmol) were added to a stirred
4 suspension of compound **62c** (9.20 g, 30.16 mmol) in CH₂Cl₂ (60 mL) at -70 °C over a
5 period of 10 minutes under nitrogen. The resulting solution was stirred at -70 °C for 1
6 hour, and then ethyl 3-chloro-3-oxo-propanoate (3.35 g, 22.22 mmol) was added over a
7 period of 10 minutes under nitrogen. The resulting solution was stirred at 20 °C for 15
8 hours. Then, the reaction was quenched with water then extracted with CH₂Cl₂. The
9 combined organic phase was washed with saturated brine, dried over anhydrous
10 Na₂SO₄, filtered and concentrated in vacuum. The residue was purified by silica gel
11 column chromatography (CH₂Cl₂:MeOH = 10:1) to afford pure intermediate ethyl 3-
12 oxo-3-[3-(3-pyrrolidin-1-ylpropoxy)-4-(trifluoromethoxy)anilino]propanoate (5.40 g,
13 42%) as a yellow solid. ESI-MS *m/z* 419.0 [M+H]⁺ calc. for C₁₉H₂₅F₃N₂O₅. To a
14 solution of this intermediate (5.40 g, 12.91 mmol) in THF/MeOH/H₂O (4:2:3, 45 mL)
15 was added LiOH·H₂O (1.63 g, 38.73 mmol) and the resulting mixture was stirred at 20
16 °C for 15 hours. Then, the mixture was diluted with water and adjusted pH to 4~5 with
17 1.0 N HCl. The solution was extracted with EtOAc and the combined organic layer was
18 washed with brine and concentrated to afford the desired intermediate 3-oxo-3-[3-(3-
19 pyrrolidin-1-ylpropoxy)-4-(trifluoromethoxy)anilino]propanoic acid (4.89 g, 97%) as a
20 yellow solid. ESI-MS *m/z* 391.1 [M+H]⁺ calc. for C₁₇H₂₁F₃N₂O₅. A solution of this
21 intermediate (4.80 g, 12.30 mmol) in POCl₃ (60 mL) was then stirred at 100 °C for 3
22 hours. Then, the solution was concentrated to give the crude compound which was
23 purified by silica gel column chromatography (CH₂Cl₂:MeOH = 10:1) to afford pure
24 compound **63c** (2.10 g, 41%) as a yellow solid. ESI-MS *m/z* 409.1 [M+H]⁺ calc. for
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4-chloro-2-(5-methyl-2-furyl)-7-(3-pyrrolidin-1-ylpropoxy)quinoline (64a)

To a solution of compound **63a** (400 mg, 1.23 mmol) in 1,4-dioxane/H₂O (5:1, 18 mL) was added Na₂CO₃ (196 mg, 1.8 mmol), Pd(PPh₃)₄ (138 mg, 0.12 mmol) and 4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-2-(5-methyl-2-furyl)-1,3,2-dioxaborolane (288 mg, 1.36 mmol) and the solution was heated at 110 °C for 2 hours under Microwave. Then, the mixture was concentrated and extracted with EtOAc. The combined organic layers were washed with brine, dried over anhydrous Na₂SO₄, filtered and concentrated to give the crude product which was purified by prep-TLC to afford compound **64a** (0.4 g, 88%) as pale yellow solid. ESI-MS *m/z* 371 [M+H]⁺ calc. for C₂₁H₂₃ClN₂O₂. This compound was used in the next step without further characterization.

4,6-dichloro-2-(5-methyl-2-furyl)-7-(3-pyrrolidin-1-ylpropoxy)quinoline (64b)

To a solution of compound **63b** (180 mg, 0.5 mmol) in 1,4-dioxane/H₂O (15:1, 16 mL) was added K₂CO₃ (0.138 g, 1 mmol), Pd(PPh₃)₄ (100.1 mg, 0.1 mmol) and 4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-2-(5-methyl-2-furyl)-1,3,2-dioxaborolane (104 mg, 1 mmol) under N₂ and the mixture was stirred at 110 °C for 12 hours. The mixture was quenched with water and extracted with EtOAc. The combined organic layer was washed with brine, dried over anhydrous Na₂SO₄, filtered and concentrated to give the crude product which was purified by prep-HPLC (method 2 described in supporting information) to afford compound **64b** (100 mg, 49%) as a yellow solid. ¹H NMR (CD₃OD, 400 MHz): δ 8.23 (s, 1H), 7.92 (s, 1H), 7.58 (s, 1H), 7.27-7.25 (m, 1H), 6.31-6.29 (m, 1H), 4.43-4.37 (m, 2H), 3.80-3.74 (m, 2H), 3.55-3.49 (m, 2H), 3.23-3.09 (m, 2H), 2.46-2.33 (m, 5H), 2.25-2.16 (m, 2H), 2.13-2.02 (m, 2H). ESI-MS *m/z* 405 [M+H]⁺ calc. for C₂₁H₂₂Cl₂N₂O₂.

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3 **4-chloro-2-(5-methyl-2-furyl)-7-(3-pyrrolidin-1-ylpropoxy)-6-**
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5 **(trifluoromethoxy)quinoline (64c)**

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7 To a solution of compound **63c** (1.50 g, 3.67 mmol) in 1,4-dioxane/H₂O (10:1, 55 mL)
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9 were successively added 4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-2-(5-methyl-2-furyl)-1,3,2-dioxaborolane
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11 (800 mg, 3.85 mmol), Pd(PPh₃)₄ (423 mg, 0.366 mmol) and K₂CO₃ (1.27 g, 9.16 mmol)
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13 and the resulting mixture was stirred at 80 °C for 15 hours under N₂. Then, the reaction
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15 mixture was diluted with water and extracted with EtOAc. The organic layer was
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17 washed with brine, dried over anhydrous Na₂SO₄, filtered and concentrated in vacuum
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19 to obtain the crude product which was purified by silica gel column chromatography
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21 (CH₂Cl₂:MeOH = 10:1) to afford pure compound **64c** (1.36 g, 81%) as a yellow solid.
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23 ESI-MS *m/z* 455.2 [M+H]⁺ calc. for C₂₂H₂₂ClF₃N₂O₃. This compound was used in the
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25 next step without further characterization.
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31 **[2-(5-methyl-2-furyl)-4-[(1-methyl-4-piperidyl)amino]-7-(3-pyrrolidin-1-**
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33 **ylpropoxy)-6-quinoly] trifluoromethanesulfonate (65)**

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35 To a solution of compound **30** (232 mg, 0.5 mmol) in DMF (5 mL) was added DIEA
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37 (202 mg, 1.56 mmol) and PhN(OTf)₂ (270 mg, 0.75 mmol) at 0 °C and the solution was
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39 stirred at 0 °C for 2 hours and at 25 °C for 12 hours. Then, the solution was concentrated
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41 to give the crude product which was purified by prep-HPLC (method 3 described in
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43 supporting information) to afford pure compound **65** (180 mg, 60%) as a yellow solid.
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45 ESI-MS *m/z* 597.3 [M+H]⁺ calc. for C₂₈H₃₅F₃N₄O₅S. This compound was used in the
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52 **2,4-dichloro-6-methoxy-quinolin-7-ol (67)**
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To a mixture of commercially available 5-amino-2-methoxy-phenol (**66**) (4.91 g, 35.29 mmol) and malonic acid (7.34 g, 70.57 mmol) was added POCl₃ (70 mL) and the mixture was stirred at 95 °C for 12 hours under N₂. Then, the mixture was concentrated in reduced pressure to remove POCl₃. The residue was poured into water and stirred for 20 minutes. The aqueous phase was extracted with EtOAc and the combined organic phase was washed with saturated brine, dried with anhydrous Na₂SO₄, filtered and concentrated in vacuum. The residue was purified by silica gel column chromatography (PE/EtOAc = 2/1) to afford compound **67** (2.10 g, 247%). ESI-MS *m/z* 244.0 [M+H]⁺ calc. for C₂₃H₂₇ClN₂O₃. This compound was used in the next step without further characterization.

3-[(2,4-dichloro-6-methoxy-7-quinolyloxy)]-N,N-dimethyl-propan-1-amine (68a)

To a solution of **67** (3 g, 12.29 mmol) and 1,3-dibromopropane (2.98 g, 14.75 mmol) in CH₃CN (60 mL) was added K₂CO₃ (4.25 g, 30.73 mmol) and the mixture was stirred at 60 °C for 88 hours. Then, the reaction mixture was concentrated in vacuum to give a residue. The residue was diluted with water and filtered. The filter cake was dried in vacuum and further purified by silica gel column chromatography (from PE:EtOAc (30:1) to pure MeOH) to afford intermediate 7-(3-bromopropoxy)-2,4-dichloro-6-methoxy-quinoline (1 g, 22%) as a white solid. ESI-MS *m/z* 364.1 [M+H]⁺ calc. for C₁₃H₁₂BrCl₂NO₂. To a solution of this intermediate (200 mg, 0.550 mmol) and N-methylmethanamine hydrochloride (67 mg, 0.821 mmol) in CH₃CN (20 mL) was added K₂CO₃ (189 mg, 1.37 mmol) and the mixture was stirred at 60 °C for 16 hours. Then, mixture was concentrated in vacuum to give a residue. The residue was diluted with water and extracted with CH₂Cl₂. The combined organic phase was dried over Na₂SO₄, filtered and concentrated in vacuum to give compound **68a** (150 mg, 83%) as a white

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5 $[M+H]^+$ calc. for $C_{15}H_{18}Cl_2N_2O_2$.
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9 **7-[3-(5-azaspiro[2.4]heptan-5-yl)propoxy]-2,4-dichloro-6-methoxy-quinoline (68b)**

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11 To a solution of 7-(3-bromopropoxy)-2,4-dichloro-6-methoxy-quinoline (intermediate
12 described in the synthesis of **68a**, 598 mg, 1.64 mmol) and 5-azaspiro[2.4]heptane
13 hydrochloride (328 mg, 2.46 mmol) in CH_3CN (20 mL) was added K_2CO_3 (680 mg,
14 4.92 mmol) and the mixture was stirred at 60 °C for 16 hours. Then, the mixture was
15 concentrated in vacuum to give a residue. The residue was dissolved in CH_2Cl_2 and
16 filtered through a Celite pad. The filtrate was concentrated in vacuum and the residue
17 was purified by prep-HPLC (method 3 described in supporting information) to afford
18 compound **68b** (150 mg, 24%) as a purple solid. 1H NMR (CD_3OD , 400 MHz): δ 7.56
19 (s, 1H), 7.46 (s, 1H), 7.33 (s, 1H), 4.35-4.32 (m, 2H), 4.04 (s, 3H), 3.97-3.95 (m, 1H),
20 3.54-3.51 (m, 3H), 3.43-3.40 (m, 1H), 3.30-3.29 (m, 1H), 2.40-2.35 (m, 2H), 2.22-2.20
21 (m, 1H), 2.05-2.02 (m, 1H), 0.86-0.76 (m, 4H). ESI-MS m/z 381.2 $[M+H]^+$ calc. for
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39 **2,4-dichloro-7-[3-(3-fluoropyrrolidin-1-yl)propoxy]-6-methoxy-quinoline (68c)**

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41 A mixture of **67** (829 mg, 3.40 mmol), 3-(3-fluoropyrrolidin-1-yl)propan-1-ol (500 mg,
42 3.40 mmol) and PPh_3 (1.16 g, 4.42 mmol) in THF (30.0 mL) was degassed and purged
43 with N_2 for 3 times. Then, DEAD (769 mg, 4.42 mmol) was added at 0 °C under N_2 and
44 the mixture was stirred at 20 °C for 16 hours. Then, reaction was quenched with water
45 and the mixture was concentrated to give a residue. The residue was extracted with
46 EtOAc and the combined organic phase was washed with brine, dried with anhydrous
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3 product was purified by silica gel column chromatography (PE/EtOAc = 100:1 - 0:1,
4 CH₂Cl₂/Methanol = 1/0 - 10:1) to afford pure compound **68c** (700 mg, 55%) as a yellow
5 solid. ESI-MS *m/z* 373.1 [M+H]⁺ calc. for C₁₇H₁₉Cl₂FN₂O₂. This compound was used
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10 11 12 13 **2-(3-bromopropoxy)-1-methoxy-4-nitro-benzene (69)**

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15 A mixture of commercially available 2-methoxy-5-nitro-phenol (**51**) (30.63 g, 181.10
16 mmol), 1,3-dibromopropane (47.53 g, 235.43 mmol) and Cs₂CO₃ (118.01 g, 362.20
17 mmol) in DMF (500 mL) was degassed and purged with N₂ for 3 times and the mixture
18 was stirred at 20 °C for 16 hours. Then, the mixture was poured into water and extracted
19 with MTBE. The combined organic layer was dried over Na₂SO₄, filtered and
20 concentrated in vacuum to give a residue. The residue was purified by silica gel column
21 chromatography (PE:EtOAc = 40:1 - 5:1) to afford pure compound **69** (20 g, 38%) as a
22 black solid. ESI-MS *m/z* 290.1 [M+H]⁺ calc. for C₁₀H₁₂BrNO₄. This intermediate was
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37 **4-methoxy-3-[3-(1-piperidyl)propoxy]aniline (70a)**

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39 To a solution of **69** (10 g, 34.47 mmol) and piperidine (4.4 g, 51.71 mmol) in CH₃CN
40 (100 mL) was added Cs₂CO₃ (22.46 g, 68.94 mmol) and the mixture was stirred at 90
41 °C for 16 hours. Then, the reaction mixture was concentrated in vacuum and extracted
42 with CH₂Cl₂. The combined organic phase was dried over Na₂SO₄, filtered and
43 concentrated in vacuum to give a residue. The residue was purified by silica gel column
44 chromatography (PE:EtOAc = 20:1 - pure EtOAc) to afford pure intermediate 1-[3-(2-
45 methoxy-5-nitro-phenoxy)propyl]piperidine (6.3 g, 62%) as a white solid. ESI-MS *m/z*
46 295.3 [M+H]⁺ calc. for C₁₅H₂₂N₂O₄. Then, to a solution of this intermediate (6.3 g,
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3 21.40 mmol) in MeOH (150 mL) was added Pd/C (10%, 1.3 g) and the suspension was
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5 degassed and purged with H₂ for 3 times. The mixture was stirred under H₂ (30 Psi) at
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7 15 °C for 2 hours. Then, the reaction mixture was filtered through a Celite pad and the
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9 filtrate was concentrated in vacuum to give compound **70a** (4.8 g, 84%) as a brown
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11 solid which was used in the next step without further purification. ¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 400
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13 MHz): δ 6.72-6.68 (m, 1H), 6.33 (d, *J* = 2.4 Hz, 1H), 6.22 (dd, *J* = 2.4 Hz, 8.4 Hz, 1H),
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15 4.03-4.00 (m, 2H), 3.78 (s, 3H), 3.40 (br s, 2H), 2.50-2.46 (m, 2H), 2.40 (br s, 4H),
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17 2.03-2.00 (m, 2H), 1.62-1.56 (m, 4H), 1.45-1.42 (m, 2H). ESI-MS *m/z* 265.3 [M+H]⁺
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19 calc. for C₁₅H₂₄N₂O₂.

22 23 24 **4-methoxy-3-(3-morpholinopropoxy)aniline (70b)**

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26 To a solution of **69** (10 g, 34.47 mmol) and morpholine (4.5 g, 51.71 mmol) in CH₃CN
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28 (100 mL) was added Cs₂CO₃ (22.46 g, 68.94 mmol) and the mixture was stirred at 90
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30 °C for 16 hours. Then, the reaction mixture was concentrated in vacuum and extracted
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32 with CH₂Cl₂. The combined organic phase was dried over Na₂SO₄, filtered and
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34 concentrated in vacuum to give a residue which was purified by silica gel column
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36 chromatography (PE:EtOAc = 20:1 - pure EtOAc) to afford intermediate 4-[3-(2-
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38 methoxy-5-nitro-phenoxy)propyl]morpholine (5 g, 49%) as a white solid. ESI-MS *m/z*
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40 297.3 [M+H]⁺ calc. for C₁₄H₂₀N₂O₅. Then, to a solution of this intermediate (5.0 g,
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42 16.87 mmol) in MeOH (150 mL) was added Pd/C (10%, 1g) under N₂ atmosphere. The
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44 suspension was degassed and purged with H₂ for 3 times and then the mixture was
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46 stirred under H₂ (30 psi) at 15 °C for 2 hours. Then, the reaction mixture was filtered
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48 through a Celite pad and the filtrate was concentrated in vacuum to give compound **70b**
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50 (4.4 g, 98%) as a yellow solid which was used in the next step without further
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52 purification. ¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 400 MHz): δ 6.71 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 1H), 6.33 (d, *J* = 2.4
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5 m/z 267.3 $[M+H]^+$ calc. for $C_{14}H_{22}N_2O_3$.
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11 **2,4-dichloro-6-methoxy-7-[3-(1-piperidyl)propoxy]quinoline (71a)**

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13 To a solution of **70a** (4.6 g, 17.40 mmol) in CH_2Cl_2 (50 mL) were added pyridine (4.82
14 g, 60.90 mmol) and DMAP (212 mg, 1.74 mmol) at -78 °C. Then ethyl 3-chloro-3-oxo-
15 propanoate (3.14 g, 20.88 mmol) was added drop wise into above solution and the
16 mixture was stirred at 15 °C for 16 hours. Then, the mixture was poured into water and
17 extracted with CH_2Cl_2 . The combined organic phase was dried over Na_2SO_4 , filtered
18 and concentrated in vacuum to give intermediate ethyl 3-[4-methoxy-3-[3-(1-
19 piperidyl)propoxy]anilino]-3-oxo-propanoate (2.3 g, 34%) as a black solid. ESI-MS m/z
20 379.3 $[M+H]^+$ calc. for $C_{20}H_{30}N_2O_5$. To a solution of this intermediate (2.3 g, 6.08
21 mmol) in THF/MeOH/ H_2O (20:20:13, 53 mL) was added $LiOH \cdot H_2O$ (510 mg, 12.16
22 mmol) and the mixture was stirred at 15 °C for 16 hours. Then, the reaction mixture was
23 concentrated in vacuum to give intermediate 3-[4-methoxy-3-[3-(1-
24 piperidyl)propoxy]anilino]-3-oxo-propanoic acid (2 g, 93%) as a black solid. ESI-MS
25 m/z 351.3 $[M+H]^+$ calc. for $C_{18}H_{26}N_2O_5$. Finally, a solution of this intermediate (2 g,
26 5.71 mmol) in $POCl_3$ (8.75 g, 57.08 mmol) was stirred at 100 °C for 2 hours. Then, the
27 reaction mixture was concentrated in vacuum to give a residue. The residue was
28 dissolved in EtOAc and poured slowly into water. The resulting mixture was adjust to
29 pH = 8 with NaOH (2.0 M) and then extracted with EtOAc. The combined organic
30 phase was dried over Na_2SO_4 , filtered and concentrated to give a residue which was
31 purified by silica gel column chromatography (PE:EtOAc = 1:1 to CH_2Cl_2 :MeOH =
32 10:1) to afford pure compound **71a** (1.2 g, 56%) as a brown solid. 1H NMR (CD_3OD ,
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3 400 MHz): δ 7.57 (s, 1H), 7.48 (s, 1H), 7.35 (s, 1H), 4.34-4.32 (m, 2H), 4.03 (s, 3H),
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5 3.70-3.67 (m, 2H), 3.41-3.37 (m, 2H), 3.04-2.98 (m, 2H), 2.40-2.35 (m, 2H), 2.03-1.99
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7 (m, 2H), 2.87-2.78 (m, 3H), 1.59-1.55 (m, 1H). ESI-MS m/z 369.2 $[M+H]^+$ calc. for
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9 $C_{18}H_{22}Cl_2N_2O_2$.

10 11 12 13 **4-[3-[(2,4-dichloro-6-methoxy-7-quinolyloxy)propyl]morpholine (71b)**

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15 To a solution of **70b** (4.3 g, 16.14 mmol) in CH_2Cl_2 (10.0 mL) were added pyridine
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17 (4.47 g, 56.51 mmol) and DMAP (197 mg, 1.61 mmol) at $-78\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ and then ethyl 3-
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19 chloro-3-oxo-propanoate (2.92 g, 19.37 mmol) was added drop wise into above
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21 solution. The reaction mixture was stirred at $15\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ for 16 hours. Then, the mixture was
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23 poured into water and extracted with CH_2Cl_2 . The combined organic phase was dried
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25 over Na_2SO_4 , filtered and concentrated in vacuum to give intermediate ethyl 3-[4-
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27 methoxy-3-(3-morpholinopropoxy)anilino]-3-oxo-propanoate (6 g, 98%) as a brown oil.
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29 ESI-MS m/z 381.3 $[M+H]^+$ calc. for $C_{19}H_{28}N_2O_6$. To a solution of this intermediate (6 g,
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31 15.77 mmol) in THF/MeOH/ H_2O (3:3:2, 80 mL) was added $LiOH\cdot H_2O$ (1.32 g, 31.54
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33 mmol) and the mixture was stirred at $15\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ for 16 hours. Then, the reaction mixture was
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35 concentrated in vacuum to give intermediate 3-[4-methoxy-3-(3-
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37 morpholinopropoxy)anilino]-3-oxo-propanoic acid (5 g, 90%) as a brown solid. ESI-MS
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39 m/z 353.3 $[M+H]^+$ calc. for $C_{17}H_{24}N_2O_6$. Finally, a solution of this intermediate (5 g,
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41 14.19 mmol) in $POCl_3$ (21.76 g, 141.89 mmol) was stirred at $100\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ for 2 hours. Then,
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43 the reaction mixture was concentrated in vacuum to give a residue which was dissolved
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45 in EtOAc and poured into water slowly. The mixture was adjust to pH = 8 with NaOH
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47 (2.0 M) and then extracted with EtOAc. The combined organic phase was dried over
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49 Na_2SO_4 , filtered and concentrated in vacuum to give a residue which was purified by
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3 pure compound **71b** (3.8 g, 72%) as a white solid. ¹H NMR (CD₃OD, 400 MHz): δ 7.60
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5 3.71-3.64 (m, 4H), 3.48-3.46 (m, 2H), 3.26-3.23 (m, 2H), 2.43 (br s, 2H). ESI-MS *m/z*
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13 **2,4-dichloro-6,7-dimethoxy-quinoline (73a)**

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15 To a solution of commercially available 3,4-dimethoxyaniline (**72a**) (8 g, 52 mmol) in
16 POCl₃ (100 mL) was added malonic acid (6.69 g, 64 mmol) and the solution was heated
17 for 4 hours at room temperature and overnight at 90 °C. Then, the mixture was
18 concentrated and extracted with EtOAc. The combined organic layers were washed with
19 brine, dried over anhydrous Na₂SO₄, filtered and concentrated to give the crude product
20 which was purified by the silica gel column chromatography to afford pure compound
21 **73a** (8 g, 60%) as a pale yellow solid. ESI-MS *m/z* 258 [M+H]⁺ calc. for C₁₁H₉Cl₂NO₂.
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35 **7-benzyloxy-2,4-dichloro-6-methoxy-quinoline (73b)**

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37 To a mixture of commercially available 3-benzyloxy-4-methoxy-aniline (**72b**) (35 g,
38 0.153 mol) and TEA (30.87 g, 0.306 mol) in CH₂Cl₂ (1 L) was added drop wise ethyl 3-
39 chloro-3-oxo-propanoate (25.25 g, 0.168 mol) at 0 °C and the mixture was stirred at 25
40 °C for 12 hours. Then, the reaction was poured into water and extracted with CH₂Cl₂.
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The combined organic phase was dried with anhydrous Na₂SO₄, filtered and
concentrated in vacuum to afford intermediate ethyl 3-(3-benzyloxy-4-methoxy-
anilino)-3-oxo-propanoate (40 g, 76%) which was used in the next step without further
purification. ESI-MS *m/z* 344.2 [M+H]⁺ calc. for C₁₉H₂₁NO₅. To a mixture of this
intermediate (20.40 g, 59.41 mmol) in THF/MeOH/H₂O (3:3:2, 267 mL) was added

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3 LiOH·H₂O (3.74 g, 89.12 mmol) and the mixture was stirred at 25 °C for 16 hours.
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5 Then, the solvent was removed and the residue was poured into ice-water. The resulting
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7 slurry was filtered and the filter cake was dried under vacuum to afford intermediate 3-
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9 (3-benzyloxy-4-methoxy-anilino)-3-oxo-propanoic acid (19.30 g, crude) as a white
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11 solid. ESI-MS *m/z* 316.2 [M+H]⁺ calc. for C₁₇H₁₇NO₅. Finally, this intermediate (7.00
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13 g, 22.20 mmol) was suspended in POCl₃ (68.08 g, 444 mmol) in a 500 mL single-
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15 necked round bottom flask and the mixture was stirred at 90 °C for 2 hours under N₂.
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17 The reaction mixture was cooled and concentrated to remove POCl₃. The residue was
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19 further purified by silica gel column chromatography (PE:EtOAc = 50:1 - 10:1) to give
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21 afford pure **73c** (2.50 g, 33%). ESI-MS *m/z* 334.2 [M+H]⁺ calc. for C₁₇H₁₃Cl₂NO₂. This
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23 compound was used in the next step without further characterization.
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28 29 **4-chloro-6,7-dimethoxy-2-(5-methyl-2-furyl)quinoline (74a)**

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31 To a solution of compound **73a** (150 mg, 0.58 mmol) in 1,4-dioxane/H₂O (15:1, 16 mL)
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33 was added Na₂CO₃ (189 mg, 1.75 mmol), Pd(PPh₃)₄ (75 mg, 0.064 mmol) and 4,4,5,5-
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35 tetramethyl-2-(5-methyl-2-furyl)-1,3,2-dioxaborolane (120 mg, 0.58 mmol) and the
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37 mixture was stirred at 110 °C for 2 hours under Microwave. Then, the mixture was
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39 quenched with water and extracted with EtOAc. The combined organic layer was
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41 washed with brine, dried over anhydrous Na₂SO₄, filtered and concentrated to give the
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43 crude product which was purified by the prep-TLC to afford pure compound **74a** (70
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45 mg, 40%) as a yellow solid. ESI-MS *m/z* 304 [M+H]⁺ calc. for C₁₆H₁₄ClNO₃. This
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52 53 **4-chloro-6-methoxy-2-(5-methyl-2-furyl)quinolin-7-ol (74b)**

To a mixture of **67** (6.00 g, 24.58 mmol), 4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-2-(5-methyl-2-furyl)-1,3,2-dioxaborolane (5.63 g, 27.04 mmol) and Pd(PPh₃)₄ (2.86 g, 2.46 mmol) in 1,4-dioxane (90 mL) was added K₂CO₃ (3.40 g, 24.64 mmol) in H₂O (30 mL) and the mixture was stirred at 120 °C for 12 hours. Then, the mixture was extracted with EtOAc and the combined organic phase was washed with saturated brine, dried with anhydrous Na₂SO₄, filtered and concentrated in vacuum. The residue was purified by silica gel column chromatography (PE/EtOAc = 2:1) to afford pure compound **74b** (2.10 g, 30%) as yellow solid. ESI-MS *m/z* 290.1 [M+H]⁺ calc. for C₁₅H₁₂ClNO₃. This compound was used in the next step without further characterization.

7-benzyloxy-4-chloro-6-methoxy-2-(5-methyl-2-furyl)quinoline (74c)

A mixture of compound **73b** (900 mg, 2.69 mmol), 4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-2-(5-methyl-2-furyl)-1,3,2-dioxaborolane (588 mg, 2.83 mmol), K₂CO₃ (558 mg, 4.04 mmol) and Pd(PPh₃)₄ (311 mg, 0.27 mmol) in 1,4-dioxane (10 mL) was de-gassed and heated to 100 °C for 16 hours under N₂. Then, the reaction mixture was poured into water and extracted with EtOAc. The combined organic phase was washed with saturated brine, dried over anhydrous Na₂SO₄, filtered and concentrated in vacuum to give a residue, which was purified by silica gel column chromatography (PE:EtOAc = 30:1 - 5:1) to afford the pure compound **74c** (500 mg, 49%). ESI-MS *m/z* 380.1 [M+H]⁺ calc. for C₂₂H₁₈ClNO₃. This compound was used in the next step without further characterization.

6-methoxy-2-(5-methyl-2-furyl)-4-[(1-methyl-4-piperidyl)amino]quinolin-7-ol (75)

A solution of compound **74c** (500 mg, 1.32 mmol), 1-methylpiperidin-4-amine (300 mg, 2.63 mmol), Pd₂(dba)₃ (120 mg, 0.13 mmol), BINAP (82 mg, 0.13 mmol) and Cs₂CO₃

(858 mg, 2.63 mmol) in 1,4-dioxane (10 mL) was stirred at 110 °C for 16 hours under N₂. Then, the reaction mixture was concentrated and purified by silica gel column chromatography (CH₂Cl₂:MeOH = 10:1) to afford intermediate 7-benzyloxy-6-methoxy-2-(5-methyl-2-furyl)-N-(1-methyl-4-piperidyl)quinolin-4-amine (400 mg, 66%). ESI-MS *m/z* 458.2 [M+H]⁺ calc. for C₂₈H₃₁N₃O₃. Then to a solution of this intermediate (457 mg, 1.0 mmol) in MeOH (50 mL) was added Pd/C (120 mg) and the mixture was stirred under H₂ (50 psi) at 25 °C for 16 hours. Then, the reaction mixture was filtered and the filter was concentrated. The crude product was purified by silica gel column chromatography (PE/EtOAc = 5:1) to afford pure compound **75** (350 mg, 95%) as yellow solid. ¹H NMR (CD₃OD, 400 MHz): δ 7.77 (s, 1H), 7.53 (s, 1H), 7.36 (s, 1H), 7.02 (s, 1H), 6.43 (s, 1H), 4.29 (s, 1H), 4.06 (s, 3H), 3.72-3.69 (m, 2H), 2.95 (s, 3H), 2.50 (s, 3H), 2.41-2.37 (m, 3H), 2.15-2.12 (m, 3H). ESI-MS *m/z* 368.2 [M+H]⁺ calc. for C₂₁H₂₅N₃O₃.

Tert-butyl 4-[[4-chloro-6-methoxy-2-(5-methyl-2-furyl)-7-quinolyl]oxymethyl]piperidine-1-carboxylate (76)

To a mixture of **74b** (650 mg, 2.24 mmol), tert-butyl 4-(hydroxymethyl) piperidine-1-carboxylate (540 mg, 2.51 mmol) and PPh₃ (1.18 g, 4.48 mmol) in THF (50 mL), was added DIAD (907 mg, 4.48 mmol) in one portion at 0 °C under N₂ and the mixture was stirred at 0 °C for 8 hours. Then, the mixture was concentrated and extracted with EtOAc. The combined organic phase was washed with saturated brine, dried with anhydrous Na₂SO₄, filtered and concentrated in vacuum. The residue was purified by silica gel column chromatography (PE/EtOAc = 2/1) to afford compound **76** (700 mg, 64%). ¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 400 MHz): δ 7.73 (s, 1H), 7.42 (s, 1H), 7.37 (s, 1H), 7.03 (s,

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3 1H), 6.17 (s, 1H), 5.01-4.95 (m, 1H), 4.19-4.13 (m, 2H), 4.04 (s, 3H), 2.81-2.74 (m,
4 2H), 2.45 (s, 3H), 2.19-2.13 (m, 2H), 1.93-1.85 (m, 2H), 1.75-1.66 (m, 2H), 1.48 (s,
5 9H). ESI-MS m/z 487.3 $[M+H]^+$ calc. for $C_{26}H_{31}ClN_2O_5$.
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11 **Tert-butyl 2-[[7-[(1-tert-butoxycarbonyl-4-piperidyl)methoxy]-6-methoxy-2-(5-**
12 **methyl-2-furyl)-4-quinolyl]amino]-7-azaspiro[3.5]nonane-7-carboxylate (77a)**

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15 To a mixture of **76** (100 mg, 0.205 mmol) and tert-butyl 2-amino-7-
16 azaspiro[3.5]nonane-7-carboxylate (99 mg, 0.410 mmol) in 1,4-dioxane (10 mL), was
17 added $Pd(dba)_2$ (12 mg, 0.021 mmol), BINAP (13 mg, 0.021 mmol) and Cs_2CO_3 (133
18 mg, 0.410 mmol) and the mixture was stirred at 110 °C for 12 hours. Then, the mixture
19 was concentrated and the residue was purified by prep-TLC ($CH_2Cl_2/MeOH = 15/1$) to
20 afford compound **77a** (80.0 mg, 56%) as yellow solid. ESI-MS m/z 691.4 $[M+H]^+$ calc.
21 for $C_{39}H_{54}N_4O_7$. This compound was used in the next step without further
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35 **Tert-butyl 6-[[4-[(1-tert-butoxycarbonyl-4-piperidyl)methylamino]-6-methoxy-2-**
36 **(5-methyl-2-furyl)-7-quinolyl]oxy]-2-azaspiro[3.3]heptane-2-carboxylate (77b)**

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38 To a solution of compound **79a** (50 mg, 0.107 mmol) in DMF (10 mL) were added
39 Cs_2CO_3 (70 mg, 0.214 mmol) and tert-butyl 6-methylsulfonyloxy-2-
40 azaspiro[3.3]heptane-2-carboxylate (47 mg, 0.160 mmol) and the mixture was stirred at
41 100 °C for 16 hours. Then, the mixture was concentrated to give crude compound **77b**
42 (100 mg, crude) as yellow solid which was used for next step without further
43 purification. ESI-MS m/z 663.4 $[M+H]^+$ calc. for $C_{37}H_{50}N_4O_7$.
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3 **Tert-butyl 2-[[7-[(2-tert-butoxycarbonyl-2-azaspiro[3.3]heptan-6-yl)oxy]-6-**
4 **methoxy-2-(5-methyl-2-furyl)-4-quinolyl]amino]-7-azaspiro[3.5]nonane-7-**
5 **carboxylate (77c)**
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9 To a solution of compound **79b** (190 mg, 0.385 mmol) in DMF (15 mL) were added
10 Cs₂CO₃ (251 mg, 0.770 mmol) and tert-butyl 6-methylsulfonyloxy-2-
11 azaspiro[3.3]heptane-2-carboxylate (168 mg, 0.577 mmol) and the mixture was stirred
12 at 100 °C for 16 hours under N₂. Then, the reaction mixture was filtered and the filtrate
13 was concentrated. The residue was purified by prep-TLC (CH₂Cl₂:MeOH = 20:1) to
14 afford pure compound **77c** (200 mg 75%) as yellow solid. ESI-MS *m/z* 689.4 [M+H]⁺
15 calc. for C₃₉H₅₂N₄O₇. This compound was used in the next step without further
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28 **Tert-butyl 8-[[7-[(2-tert-butoxycarbonyl-2-azaspiro[3.3]heptan-6-yl)oxy]-6-**
29 **methoxy-2-(5-methyl-2-furyl)-4-quinolyl]amino]-3-azabicyclo[3.2.1]octane-3-**
30 **carboxylate (77d)**
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34 To a solution of compound **79c** (110 mg, 0.229 mmol) in DMF (10 mL) were added
35 Cs₂CO₃ (149 mg, 0.458 mmol) and tert-butyl 6-methylsulfonyloxy-2-
36 azaspiro[3.3]heptane-2-carboxylate (100 mg, 0.344 mmol) and the mixture was stirred
37 at 100 °C for 16 hours. Then, the reaction mixture was filtered and the filtrate was
38 concentrated to afford crude compound **77d** (160 mg, crude) as yellow solid which was
39 used for next step without further purification. ESI-MS *m/z* 675.4 [M+H]⁺ calc. for
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52 **Tert-butyl 4-[[[7-benzyloxy-6-methoxy-2-(5-methyl-2-furyl)-4-**
53 **quinolyl]amino]methyl]piperidine-1-carboxylate (78a)**
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To a solution of compound **74c** (300 mg, 0.790 mmol), in 1,4-dioxane (20 mL) were added Cs₂CO₃ (515 mg, 1.58 mmol), BINAP (49 mg, 0.079 mmol), Pd₂(dba)₃ (72 mg, 0.079 mmol) and tert-butyl 4-(aminomethyl)piperidine-1-carboxylate (338 mg, 1.58 mmol) and the mixture was stirred at 130 °C for 16 hours. Then, the mixture was concentrated and extracted with EtOAc. The combined organic phase was washed with brine, dried with anhydrous Na₂SO₄, filtered and concentrated in vacuum to give the crude product. The residue was purified by silica gel column chromatography (CH₂Cl₂:Methanol = 50:1 to 20:1) to afford pure compound **78a** (130 mg 29%) as yellow solid. ESI-MS *m/z* 558.4 [M+H]⁺ calc. for C₃₃H₃₉N₃O₅. This compound was used in the next step without further characterization.

Tert-butyl 2-[[7-benzyloxy-6-methoxy-2-(5-methyl-2-furyl)-4-quinolyl]amino]-7-azaspiro[3.5]nonane-7-carboxylate (78b)

To a solution of compound **74c** (400 mg, 1.05 mmol) in 1,4-dioxane (10 mL) were added Cs₂CO₃ (686 mg, 2.11 mmol), BINAP (66 mg, 0.105 mmol), Pd₂(dba)₃ (96 mg, 0.105 mmol) and tert-butyl 2-amino-7-azaspiro[3.5]nonane-7-carboxylate (506 mg, 2.11 mmol) and the mixture was stirred at 120 °C for 16 hours. Then, the solution was extracted with EtOAc and the combined organic phase was washed with brine, dried with anhydrous Na₂SO₄, filtered and concentrated in vacuum to give the crude product. The residue was purified by prep-TLC (SiO₂, CH₂Cl₂:MeOH = 20:1) to afford pure compound **78b** (300 mg, 49%) as yellow solid. ESI-MS *m/z* 584.3 [M+H]⁺ calc. for C₃₅H₄₁N₃O₅. This compound was used in the next step without further characterization.

Tert-butyl 8-[[7-benzyloxy-6-methoxy-2-(5-methyl-2-furyl)-4-quinolyl]amino]-3-azabicyclo[3.2.1]octane-3-carboxylate (78c)

To a solution of compound **74c** (300 mg, 0.790 mmol) in 1,4-dioxane (20 mL) were added Cs₂CO₃ (514.7 mg, 1.58 mmol), BINAP (49 mg, 0.079 mmol), Pd₂(dba)₃ (72 mg, 0.079 mmol) and tert-butyl 8-amino-3-azabicyclo[3.2.1]octane-3-carboxylate (357 mg, 1.58 mmol) and the mixture was stirred at 130 °C for 16 hours. Then, the mixture was concentrated and extracted with EtOAc. The combined organic phase was washed with brine, dried with anhydrous Na₂SO₄, filtered and concentrated in vacuum to give the crude product which was purified by silica gel column chromatography (CH₂Cl₂:Methanol = 30:1 to 10:1) to afford pure compound **78c** (210 mg, 47%) as a yellow solid. ESI-MS *m/z* 570.4 [M+H]⁺ calc. for C₃₄H₃₉N₃O₅. This compound was used in the next step without further characterization.

Tert-butyl 4-[[[7-hydroxy-6-methoxy-2-(5-methyl-2-furyl)-4-quinolyl]amino]methyl]piperidine-1-carboxylate (79a)

To a solution of compound **78a** (130 mg, 0.233 mmol) in MeOH (15 mL) was added Pd/C (150 mg, 50%) and the suspension was degassed and purged with H₂ for 3 times. The mixture was stirred under H₂ (50 Psi) at 25 °C for 16 hours. Then, the reaction mixture was filtered and the filtrate was concentrated to give compound **79a** (50 mg, 46%) as yellow solid which was used in the next step without further purification. ESI-MS *m/z* 468.3 [M+H]⁺ calc. for C₂₆H₃₃N₃O₅.

Tert-butyl 2-[[[7-hydroxy-6-methoxy-2-(5-methyl-2-furyl)-4-quinolyl]amino]-7-azaspiro[3.5]nonane-7-carboxylate (79b)

To a solution of compound **78b** (300 mg, 0.514 mmol) in MeOH (30 mL) was added Pd/C (100 mg, 10%) and the suspension was degassed and purged with H₂ for 3 times. The mixture was stirred under H₂ (50 Psi) at 25 °C for 16 hours. Then, the reaction

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3 mixture was filtered and the filtrate was concentrated to give the compound **79b** (190
4 mg, 75%) as yellow solid which was used in the next step without further purification.
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6 ESI-MS m/z 494.4 $[M+H]^+$ calc. for $C_{28}H_{35}N_3O_5$.
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11 **Tert-butyl 8-[[7-hydroxy-6-methoxy-2-(5-methyl-2-furyl)-4-quinolyl]amino]-3-**
12 **azabicyclo[3.2.1]octane-3-carboxylate (79c)**
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15 To a solution of compound **78c** (210 mg, 0.368 mmol) in MeOH (15 mL) was added
16 Pd/C (200 mg, 50%) and the suspension was degassed and purged with H_2 for 3 times.
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18 The mixture was stirred under H_2 (50 Psi) at 25 °C for 16 hours. Then, the reaction
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20 mixture was filtered and the filtrate was concentrated to give compound **79c** (110 mg,
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22 62%) as yellow solid which was used in the next step without further purification. ESI-
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31 **N-(7-azaspiro[3.5]nonan-2-yl)-6-methoxy-2-(5-methyl-2-furyl)-7-(4-**
32 **piperidylmethoxy)quinolin-4-amine (80a)**
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35 To a mixture of **77a** (50.0 mg, 0.072 mmol) in EtOAc (10.0 mL), was added
36 EtOAc/HCl (2.0 M, 5 mL) and the mixture was stirred at 25 °C for 2 hours under N_2 .
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38 Then, the mixture was concentrated and purified by prep-HPLC (method 3 described in
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40 supporting information) to afford compound **80a** (15.0 mg, 42%) as yellow solid. 1H
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42 NMR (CD_3OD , 400 MHz): δ 7.80 (s, 1H), 7.54 (d, $J = 3.6$ Hz 1H), 7.46 (s, 1H), 6.81 (s,
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44 1H), 6.44 (d, $J = 2.8$ Hz 1H), 4.53 (d, $J = 8.0$ Hz 1H), 4.13 (d, $J = 5.6$ Hz 2H), 4.02 (s,
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46 3H), 3.53-3.47 (m, 2H), 3.31-3.22 (m, 2H), 3.16-3.07 (m, 4H), 2.73-2.64 (m, 2H), 2.51
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50 1.68 (m, 2H). ESI-MS m/z 491.4 $[M+H]^+$ calc. for $C_{29}H_{38}N_4O_3$.
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3 **7-(2-azaspiro[3.3]heptan-6-yloxy)-6-methoxy-2-(5-methyl-2-furyl)-N-(4-**
4 **piperidylmethyl)quinolin-4-amine (80b)**

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7 To a solution of compound **77b** (100 mg, 0.151 mmol) in CH₂Cl₂ (8 mL) was added
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9 TFA (3.1 g) at 0 °C and the mixture was stirred at 18 °C for 2 hours. Then, the mixture
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11 was concentrated to give crude compound **80b** (150 mg, crude) as yellow oil which was
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13 used for next step without further purification. ESI-MS *m/z* 463.4 [M+H]⁺ calc. for
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20 **7-(2-azaspiro[3.3]heptan-6-yloxy)-N-(7-azaspiro[3.5]nonan-2-yl)-6-methoxy-2-(5-**
21 **methyl-2-furyl)quinolin-4-amine (80c)**

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24 To a solution of compound **77c** (200 mg, 0.290 mmol) in CH₂Cl₂ (16 mL) was added
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26 TFA (6.12 g) at 0 °C and the mixture was stirred at 18 °C for 2 hours. Then, the mixture
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28 was concentrated to give the crude compound **80c** (180 mg, crude) as yellow oil which
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30 was used in the next step without further purification. ESI-MS *m/z* 489.3 [M+H]⁺ calc.
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37 **N-(3-azabicyclo[3.2.1]octan-8-yl)-7-(2-azaspiro[3.3]heptan-6-yloxy)-6-methoxy-2-**
38 **(5-methyl-2-furyl)quinolin-4-amine (80d)**

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41 To a solution of compound **77d** (110 mg, 0.163 mmol) in CH₂Cl₂ (8 mL) was added
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43 TFA (3.06 g) at 0 °C and the mixture was stirred at 18 °C for 2 hours. Then, the mixture
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45 was concentrated to afford crude compound **80d** (150 mg, crude) as yellow oil which
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47 was used for next step without further purification. ESI-MS *m/z* 475.4 [M+H]⁺ calc. for
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3 **N-(7-azaspiro[3.5]nonan-2-yl)-7-benzyloxy-6-methoxy-2-(5-methyl-2-**
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5 **furyl)quinolin-4-amine (81)**

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7 Compound **78b** (650 mg, 1.11 mmol) was dissolved in HCl/EtOAc (2.0 M, 10 mL) and
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9 the mixture was stirred at 18 °C for 2 hours. Then, the mixture was concentrated to
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11 afford crude compound **81** (650 mg, crude) as a yellow solid which was used in the next
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13 step without further purification. ESI-MS m/z 484.3 $[M+H]^+$ calc. for $C_{30}H_{33}N_3O_3$.
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18 **7-benzyloxy-N-(7-isopropyl-7-azaspiro[3.5]nonan-2-yl)-6-methoxy-2-(5-methyl-2-**
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20 **furyl)quinolin-4-amine (82)**

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22 To a solution of compound **81** (650 mg, 1.25 mmol) in *i*-PrOH (15 mL) were added
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24 CH_3COOH (450 mg, 7.50 mmol), acetone (436 mg, 7.50 mmol) and $NaBH_3CN$ (471
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26 mg, 7.50 mmol) and the mixture was stirred at 60 °C for 16 hours under N_2 . Then, the
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28 mixture was concentrated and extracted with CH_2Cl_2 . The combined organic phase was
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30 washed with brine, dried with anhydrous Na_2SO_4 , filtered and concentrated in vacuum
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32 to give a residue. The residue was purified by silica gel column chromatography
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34 (CH_2Cl_2 :Methanol = 50:1 to 1:1) to afford compound **82** (300 mg, 46%) as a yellow
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36 solid. ESI-MS m/z 526.4 $[M+H]^+$ calc. for $C_{33}H_{39}N_3O_3$. This compound was used in the
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38 next step without further characterization.
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44 **4-[(7-isopropyl-7-azaspiro[3.5]nonan-2-yl)amino]-6-methoxy-2-(5-methyl-2-**
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46 **furyl)quinolin-7-ol (83)**

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48 To a solution of compound **82** (300 mg, 0.571 mmol) in MeOH (50 mL) was added
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50 Pd/C (10%, 100 mg) and the suspension was degassed and purged with H_2 for 3 times.
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52 The mixture was stirred under H_2 (50 Psi) at 20 °C for 8 hours. Then, the reaction
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54 mixture was filtered and the filtrate was concentrated to give crude compound **83** (200
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3 mg, 81%) as a yellow solid which was used in the next step without further purification.
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5 ESI-MS m/z 436.3 $[M+H]^+$ calc. for $C_{26}H_{33}N_3O_3$.
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10 **Tert-butyl 6-[[4-[(7-isopropyl-7-azaspiro[3.5]nonan-2-yl)amino]-6-methoxy-2-(5-**
11 **methyl-2-furyl)-7-quinolyl]oxy]-2-azaspiro[3.3]heptane-2-carboxylate (84)**
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13 To a solution of compound **83** (150 mg, 0.344 mmol) in DMF (10 mL) were added
14 Cs_2CO_3 (224 mg, 0.689 mmol) and tert-butyl 6-methylsulfonyloxy-2-
15 azaspiro[3.3]heptane-2-carboxylate (151 mg, 0.516 mmol) and the mixture was stirred
16 at 100 °C for 16 hours under N_2 . Then, the reaction mixture was filtered and the filtrate
17 was concentrated to give crude compound **84** (300 mg, crude) as a yellow solid which
18 was used in the next step without further purification. ESI-MS m/z 631.5 $[M+H]^+$ calc.
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31 **7-(2-azaspiro[3.3]heptan-6-yloxy)-N-(7-isopropyl-7-azaspiro[3.5]nonan-2-yl)-6-**
32 **methoxy-2-(5-methyl-2-furyl)quinolin-4-amine (85)**
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34 To a solution of compound **84** (300 mg, 0.476 mmol) in CH_2Cl_2 (8 mL) was added TFA
35 (3.08 g, 27.01 mmol) at 0 °C and the mixture was stirred at 18 °C for 2 hours. Then, the
36 mixture was concentrated to afford compound **85** (300 mg, crude) as yellow oil which
37 was used in the next step without further purification. ESI-MS m/z 531.5 $[M+H]^+$ calc.
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49 **G9a and DNMT1 docking**

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51 Compound **6** was superposed to the conformation of UNC0638 in the co-crystal
52 structure of the G9-UNC0638-SAH complex (Protein Data Bank, PDB, entry 3RJW)
53 with the MOE program (Chemical Computing Group, <http://www.chemcomp.com>).
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10 The GoldSuite 5.2 program (Cambridge Crystallographic Data Centre,
11 <https://www.ccdc.cam.ac.uk/pages/Home.aspx>) was used to carry out docking of
12 compounds to DNMT1 and G9a. For G9a, the PDB entry 3RJW was used, with the
13 ChemScore function and a cavity of 10-Å around the carboxylate oxygen of Asp1088.
14 The setting was validated after reproducing the binding mode of UNC0638. The crystal
15 structure of Mouse DNMT1 bound to hemimethylated CpG DNA (PDB entry 4DA4)
16 was chosen. In order to explore both, different binding pockets and different binding
17 modes, a range of docking set ups were considered with emphasis on keeping adequate
18 volume occupancy of the different binding pockets and considering protein-ligand
19 interactions, especially those involving conserved catalytic residues. The docking
20 configuration was, when adequate, validated by reproducing the crystallographic
21 binding mode of SAH. In the final selected set-up, the docking region used was a 20-Å
22 sphere around the carboxylate oxygen of Glu1269. The PLP scoring function was used
23 to rank docking poses, and protein hydrogen bond constraints for binding to carboxylate
24 of Glu-1269 were imposed on the ligand. The top twenty best docked structures out of
25 100 independent genetic algorithm runs were retrieved and visually inspected. The high-
26 scoring pose was finally chosen as it has a plausible binding mode with key interactions
27 with DNMT1 and a high degree of convergence ($\text{rmsd} < 2 \text{ \AA}$) was observed among the
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51 **Calculation of the electrostatic potential of DNMT1**

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4 void volume between DNMT1 cavity bound to compound **6** and color coded it by
5 electrostatic potential. For the purpose of clarity, only negative potentials are shown in
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15 The biochemical assay to measure G9a enzyme activity relies on time-resolved
16 fluorescence energy transfer (TR-FRET) between europium cryptate (donor) and
17 XL665 (acceptor). TR-FRET is observed when biotinylated histone monomethyl-H3K9
18 peptide is incubated with cryptate-labeled anti- H3K9me2 antibody (CisBio Cat#
19 61KB2KAE) and streptavidin XL665 (CisBio Cat#610SAXLA), after enzymatic
20 reaction of G9a.
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29 The assay was carried out during 1 hour at room temperature, in a final volume of 20
30 μ L, with 0.2 nM human G9a enzyme, 40nM biotinylated histone monomethyl-H3K9
31 peptide, 20 μ M S-adenosylmethionine (SAM) and different final concentrations of
32 tested compounds in assay buffer (50 mM Tris-HCl, 10 mM NaCl, 4 mM DTT, 0.01%
33 Tween-20 pH 9). The final percentage of DMSO was 0.5%. After incubation time
34 enzyme activity was stopped by adding 150 nM of cryptate-labeled anti-H3K9me2
35 antibody and 16 μ M of streptavidin XL665 beads. After one hour of incubation at room
36 temperature, fluorescence was measured at 620 nm and 665 nm. A ratio (665 nm / 620
37 nm) was then calculated in order to minimize medium interferences. Positive control
38 was obtained in the presence of the vehicle of the compounds. Negative control was
39 obtained in the absence of G9a enzyme activity. Calculated IC₅₀ values were determined
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10 **DNMT1 enzyme activity assay**

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12 The biochemical assay to measure DNMT1 enzyme activity relies on time-resolved
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14 fluorescence energy transfer (TR-FRET) between lumi4-Tb (donor) and d2 (acceptor)
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16 using the EPIgeneous methyltransferase assay (CisBio Cat#62SAHPEB). TR-FRET is
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18 observed when antibody specific to S-adenosylhomocysteine labeled with Lumi4-Tb is
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20 incubated with d2-labeled S-adenosylhomocysteine. TR-FRET signal is inversely
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22 proportional to the concentration of SAH, product of DNMT1 enzyme activity, in the
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28 The assay was carried out during 15 minutes at 37 °C, in a final volume of 20 µL, with
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30 20 nM human DNMT1 enzyme, 1 µg/mL poly-deoxy inosine poly-deoxy cytosine (pdI-
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32 pdC) DNA, 1 µM S-adenosylmethionine (SAM) and different final concentrations of
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34 tested compounds in assay buffer (50 mM Tris-HCl, 1 mM EDTA, 1 mM DTT, 0.1%
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36 Triton X-100, 5% glycerol pH 7.5). The final percentage of DMSO was 0.5%. After
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38 incubation time enzyme activity was stopped by adding 2 µL of buffer one of the
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40 EPIgeneous methyltransferase kit assay. After 10 minutes at room temperature, it was
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42 added 4 µL of antibody specific to S-adenosylhomocysteine labeled with Lumi4-Tb 50
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44 x and 4 µL of d2-labeled S-adenosylhomocysteine 31x both diluted in buffer two of the
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46 EPIgeneous methyltransferase kit. Fluorescence was measured at 620 nm and 665 nm
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48 one hour later. A ratio (665 nm / 620 nm) was then calculated in order to minimize
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50 medium interferences. Positive control was obtained in the presence of the vehicle of
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52 the compounds. Negative control was obtained in the absence of DNMT1 enzyme
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2 activity. Calculated IC₅₀ values were determined using GraphPrism using 4-parameters
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5 0.3 log units. If absolute pIC₅₀ difference was higher than 0.3 log units, additional
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7 replicates were performed until satisfying the experimental error (by discarding
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9 individual results with values outside 2 MADs of the mean value).
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13 14 **Epigenetics Selectivity Panel**

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17 Selectivity of **13** and **43** against methyltransferases (MLL1, SET7/9, SUV39H1,
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19 SUV39H2, PRMT1, PRMT3, PRMT4, PRMT5, PRMT6, PRMT8, EZH1, EZH2,
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21 SETD2), DNMTs (DNMT1, DNMT3A, DNMT3B), bromodomains (BRD2, CREBBP,
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23 BAZ2B) and histone demethylases (JMJD2C, JMJD3 and JMJD1A) was performed by
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25 BPS Bioscience (<http://www.bpsbioscience.com/index.ph>). Binding experiments were
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27 performed in duplicate at each concentration. GLP IC₅₀ determination for **13** and **43** was
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29 carried out at Eurofins (<https://www.eurofins.com/>) in duplicate.
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33 **Cell culture**

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36 CEMO-1 cell lines were cultured with RPMI 1640 medium supplemented with 20%
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38 fetal bovine serum and OCI-Ly10 and OCI-Ly3 cells with IMDM supplemented with
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40 20% human serum and 55 μM of β-mercaptoethanol. All cell lines were maintained in
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42 culture at 37 °C in a humid atmosphere containing 5% CO₂ and were tested for
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47 **Cell Proliferation Assay – MTS**

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50 Cell proliferation was analyzed after 48 hours of *in vitro* treatment using the CellTiter
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52 96 Aqueous One Solution Cell Proliferation Assay (Promega). This is a colorimetric
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54 method for determining the number of viable cells in proliferation. For the assay, cells
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3 were cultured by triplicate at a density of 1×10^6 cells/mL in 96-well plates (100.000
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5 cultured at a density of 0.5×10^6 cells/mL (50.000 cells/well, 100 μ L/well). In all cases,
6 only the 60 inner wells were used to avoid any border effects. After 48 hours of
7 treatment, plates were centrifuged at 800g for 10 minutes and medium was removed.
8 Then, cells were incubated with 100 μ L/well of medium and 20 μ L/well of CellTiter 96
9 Aqueous One Solution reagent. After 1-3 hours of incubation at 37 °C, absorbance was
10 measured at 490 nm in a 96-well plate reader. The background absorbance was
11 measured in wells with only cell line medium and solution reagent. Data was calculated
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25 **CYP Inhibition**

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28 The inhibitory effect of the compounds on five human cytochrome P450s (1A2, 2C9,
29 2C19, 2D6, and 3A4) was evaluated in human liver microsomes at WuXi
30 (<http://www.wuxi.com/>). Compounds were prepared at 10 μ M, and the corresponding
31 substrates for each P450 isoform (20 μ L) were incubated with 140 μ L of liver
32 microsomes (0.286 mg/mL; BD Gentest) and NADPH cofactor (20 μ L, 1 mM) for 10
33 min at 37 °C. The reaction was terminated by adding 400 μ L of cold stop solution (200
34 ng/mL tolbutamide in ACN), and samples were centrifuged at 1500g for 20min.
35 Supernatants were analyzed by LC-MS/MS (Shimadzu LC 20-AD-API 4000) using the
36 peak area ratio of the analyte/internal standard. Compounds and positive controls were
37 tested in duplicate. The percentage of inhibition was calculated as the ratio of substrate
38 metabolite detected in treated and non-treated wells.
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53 **hERG Blockade Assay**

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3 The effect of the compounds on the hERG potassium channel was determined using a
4 Predictor™ hERG fluorescence polarization commercial assay kit (Life Technologies,
5 catalogue no. PV5365). The assay was carried out in black 384-well plates (Corning,
6 catalogue no. 3677 PS), monitoring changes in the fluorescence polarization properties
7 of the labeled hERG ligand between its soluble and bound states. The compounds,
8 which will compete with the fluorescently labeled hERG, were solubilized in 100%
9 DMSO across a 16-point concentration curve and then diluted 1:25 with hERG assay
10 buffer. The assay contained 5 μL /well of studied compound, 10 μL /well of hERG
11 membranes, and 5 μL /well of hERG Tracer Red. The plate was incubated 2 h at rt and
12 protected from light. Fluorescence polarization signals were recorded with an Envision
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26 27 **Metabolic Stability**

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30 Test compounds (1 μM , 5% MeOH in potassium phosphate buffer) were incubated with
31 human (catalogue no. 452161 from BD Gentest) and mouse (catalogue no. M1000,
32 Xenotech) liver microsomes at 37 °C for 10 min. Liver microsomes were at a final
33 assay concentration of 0.7 mg protein/mL. The reaction was started by the addition of
34 90 μL of NADP cofactor solution and stopped by the addition of 300 μL of stop
35 solution (ACN at 4 °C, including 100 ng/mL tolbutamide as an internal standard) after
36 20 min of incubation. The samples were shaken for 5 min and then centrifuged for 20
37 min at 1500g. A 100 μL aliquot of the supernatant was transferred to eight new 96-well
38 plates with 300 μL of HPLC water and centrifuged at 1500g for LC-MS/MS analysis
39 (Shimadzu LC 10-AD-API 4000). An injection volume of 10 μL was added to a
40 Phenomenex Synergi C18 column eluting with formic acid in water or ACN at a flow
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area ratio of the analyte/internal standard. Compounds and positive controls were tested in duplicate.

PAMPA Permeability

The permeability of compounds was evaluated with the parallel artificial membrane permeation assay (PAMPA) as an *in vitro* model of passive diffusion. Donor solutions of test compounds (180 μ L, 50 μ M in PBS/EtOH 70:30) were added to each well of the donor plate, whose PVDF membrane was precoated with 4 μ L of a 20 $\text{mg}\times\text{mL}^{-1}$ PBL/dodecane mixture. PBS/EtOH (180 μ L) was added to each well of the PTFE acceptor plate. The donor and acceptor plates were combined together and incubated for 18 h at 20 $^{\circ}\text{C}$ without shaking. In each plate, compounds and controls were tested in duplicate. Drug concentration in the acceptor, the donor, and the reference wells was determined using the UV plate reader with 130 μ L of acceptor and donor samples. Permeability rates (P_e in nm s^{-1}) were calculated with Equation (1). The permeability rate of each compound is the averaged value of three independent measurements.

$$\text{Equation (1) } P_e = C \times \left(-\ln \left(1 - \frac{[\text{drug}]_{\text{acceptor}}}{[\text{drug}]_{\text{equilibrium}}} \right) \right) \times 10^7 ;$$

where $C = \frac{V_D \times V_A}{(V_D + V_A) \times \text{Area} \times \text{time}}$; $V_D = 0.18 \text{ mL}$; $V_A = 0.18 \text{ mL}$; $\text{Area} = 0.32 \text{ cm}^2$; $\text{time} = 64800 \text{ s}$; $D_F = 180/130$; $[\text{drug}]_{\text{equilibrium}} = ([\text{drug}]_{\text{donor}} \times V_D + [\text{drug}]_{\text{acceptor}} \times V_A) / (V_D + V_A)$; $[\text{drug}]_{\text{donor}} = (A_a/A_i \times D_F)_{\text{donor}}$; $[\text{drug}]_{\text{acceptor}} = (A_a/A_i \times D_F)_{\text{acceptor}}$; $A_a \text{ donor} = \text{Abs}_{\text{donor}} - \text{Abs}_{\text{vehicle}}$; $A_a \text{ acceptor} = \text{Abs}_{\text{acceptor}} - \text{Abs}_{\text{vehicle}}$; $A_i = \text{Abs}_{\text{withoutPBL}} - \text{Abs}_{\text{vehicle}}$.

Interference compound assessment

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9 compound reported in the manuscript matches any of these substructures.
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11 12 **Western blot**

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14 After 96 hours of treatment, CEMO-1 cells were washed twice with PBS, being the last
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16 centrifugation of 4000 rpm for 10 min at 4 °C. Histone extraction was performed as
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18 recommended by Upstate Biotechnology. Briefly, cells were homogenized in 5 volumes
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20 of lysis buffer (10 mM HEPES, pH 7.9; 1.5 mM MgCl₂; 10 mM KCl; 0.5 mM DTT;
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22 protease inhibitor cocktail (Complete Mini, Cat No 11836153301, Roche) and HCl was
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24 added to a final concentration of 0.2 M. After incubation on ice for 30 min, the
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26 homogenate was centrifuged at 11000 g for 10 min at 4 °C, and the supernatant was first
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28 dialyzed twice against 0.1 M glacial acetic acid (1 hour each time) and then three times
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30 against water for 1 hour, 3 hours and overnight, respectively. The histone concentration
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32 in the extract was measured using the dye-binding assay of Bradford. 10 µg of histone
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34 was separated on 15 % SDS-PAGE gel and transferred to a nitrocellulose membrane.
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40 primary antibody against H3K9me2 (Mouse monoclonal antibody to Histone H3
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42 dimethyl K9, Cat No ab1220, Abcam) diluted 1:2000 overnight at 4 °C and then with
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46 by a chemiluminiscent reagent (Tropix) and detected using HyperfilmTM enhanced
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48 chemiluminescence. Total H3 was used as a loading control (diluted 1:50000 overnight
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50 at 4 °C or for 1 hour at rt) (Anti-Histone H3, CT, pan, rabbit polyclonal, Cat No 07-690,
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After 96h of treatment, cells were washed twice with PBS and genomic DNA was extracted using a DNA kit (Nucleo Spin Tissue, Cat No 74095250, Macherey-Nagel) following the manufacturer's instructions. DNA purity and concentration was measured using a NanoDrop spectrophotometer (Thermo Scientific). 500 ng of genomic DNA was loaded onto a nitrocellulose membrane (Amersham Hybond_N+, RPN203B, GE Healthcare), pre-wetted in 6X SSC for 10 min, using the Bio-Dot microfiltration apparatus (Cat No 170-6545, BioRad) following the manufacturer's instructions. Then the membrane was incubated with 2X SSC for 5 min and was cross-linked for 2 h at 80 °C. The membrane, after being blocked with Tropix I-block blocking reagent (Cat No AI300, Tropix) in PBS with 0.1 % of Tween-20 and 0.02 NaN₃, was incubated with the primary antibody against 5-methylcytosine (Monoclonal antibody 5-Methylcytidine, Cat No BI-MECY-1000, Eurogentec) diluted 1:4000 overnight at 4 °C and then with alkaline phosphatase-conjugated secondary antibody. Bound antibodies were revealed by a chemiluminiscent reagent (Tropix) and detected using HyperfilmTM enhanced chemiluminescence.

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Protocols for preparative HPLC purification methods (S1)

Method for High Resolution Mass Spectrometry of final compounds (S2)

Methods for LCMS, analytical HPLC and UHPLC (S3)

HRMS and purities of final compounds (S4)

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5 Selectivity of compounds **13** and **43** against epigenetic targets (S6)
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ABBREVIATIONS

AcOH, acetic acid; ADME, absorption, distribution, metabolism and excretion; AML; acute myeloid leukemia; BINAP, 2,2'-bis(diphenylphosphino)-1,1'-binaphthyl; BOC, *tert*-butoxycarbonyl; Cp, compound; dba, dibenzylideneacetone; DEAD, diisopropyl azodicarboxylate; DIAD, diisopropyl azodicarboxylate; DLBCL, diffuse large B-cell lymphoma; DMAP, 4-dimethylaminopyridine; DMF, dimethylformamide; DMSO, dimethylsulfoxide; DNA, deoxyribonucleic Acid; DNMT, DNA methyltransferase; DTT, *dithiothreitol*; EDTA, ethylenediaminetetraacetic acid; EHMT2, euchromatic histone methyltransferase 2; ESI-MS, electrospray ionisation mass spectrometry, EtOAc, ethyl acetate; EtOH, ethanol; HPLC, High-performance liquid chromatography; *i*-PrOH, propan-2-ol; KMT1C, lysine methyltransferase 1C; KOAc, potassium acetate; LCMS, liquid chromatography–mass spectrometry, MeOH, methanol; m.p., melting point; MW, microwave; NMR, nuclear magnetic resonance; PAMPA, parallel artificial membrane permeability assay; PBS, phosphate buffered saline; PE, petroleum eter; Ph, phenyl; PK, pharmacokinetic; PMT, protein methyltransferase; PTFE, polytetrafluoroethylene; PTSA, p-toluenesulfonic acid; PVDF, polyvinylidene difluoride; rt, room temperature; Rt, retention time; SAM, S-adenosyl methionine; SAR, structure-activity relationship; *t*-BuOH, *tert*-butanol; *t*-BuOK, potassium *tert*-butoxide; *t*-BuONa, sodium *tert*-butoxide; THF, tetrahydrofuran; TFA, trifluoroacetic acid; TLC, thin layer chromatography; TMS, tetramethylsilane; TR-FRET, time-resolved fluorescence resonance energy transfer; UPLC, ultra performance liquid chromatography; UV, ultraviolet; xantphos, 4,5-bis(diphenylphosphino)-9,9-dimethylxanthene.

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