# Total Syntheses of Heimiol A, Hopeahainol D, and Constrained Analogues

### Scott A. Snyder, Nathan E. Wright, Jason J. Pflueger, and Steve P. Breazzano

ACIE Early View

Presented by: Jared Hammill

# The Synder Group

- Scott A. Snyder
  - Undergrad @ Williams college
  - Grad school @ Scripps under K.C. Nicolaou
    - 18 papers, 2 book chapters, 1 Book: Classics II
  - Post-doc @ Harvard under E.J. Corey
  - Currently @ Columbia as an Associate Professor of chemistry, without tenure
- Research Focus: Target-Driven Discovery
  - Halonium-Induced polyene cyclization

http://www.columbia.edu/cu/chemistry/groups/snyder/index2.htm

# Halonium Induced Cyclizations

- Goal
  - Expand polyene cation-π cascades to include halogen initiators



- Need better synthetic variant of haloperoxidases
- Current problems:
  - Olefin selectivity
  - Poor reactivity with unactivated aromatic systems
  - Aromatic halogenation

Review of pi-cation cascades: Chem. Rev. 2005, 105, 4730

## **New & Simple Reagents**



JACS, **2010**, *132*, 14303

Jared Hammill @ Wipf Group

8/7/2011

# Applications

Starting Material	Product	Temp (°C)	Time (min)	yield
OMe	e Me X H	25	5	X= Br (73%) X=I (90%)
	X X H	-25	5	X= Br (76%) X= I (60%)
Ethol	X X O O	0	1	X= Br (80%) X= I (45%) X= CI (18%)
	Cl <sup>are</sup> H	-25	5	46% (1:1 mix)
момо	Pr OMOM Br Me H H Pr H F H	-25 I A	5	42%
ACIE, <b>2009</b> , <i>121</i> , 7899 JACS, <b>2010</b> , <i>132</i> , 14303 <i>Tet</i> , <b>2010</b> , <i>66</i> , 4796 ACIE, <b>2010</b> , <i>49</i> , 5146 Jared Hammill @ Wipf Group Page 5 of 12				

### **Title Paper**





### Synthesis of Precursor



ACIE, 2011, 50, early view ACIE, 2007, 46, 8186

### Key Cascade



Kinetic facial selectivity

## Substrate Controlled End Game



#### **5-membered** Cascade



## End Game







## Conclusions

First total racemic synthesis of heimiol A and hopeinol D
heimiol A (11 steps, 8.6%, 0.5 mg)
hopeinol D(11 steps, 6.9%, 3.3 mg)

•Key iodolactonization/intramolecular Friedel-Crafts cascade utilizing their new reagent IDSI

•Successfully applied their Friedel-Crafts reaction to a 5membered ring