Supplementary Information for

Palladium Catalyzed Stille-Type Coupling of N-Acyl Iminium Ions with Distannanes: A Multicomponent Synthesis of α -Amidostannanes

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I. General Procedures

All manipulations were performed under inert atmosphere inside a nitrogen glovebox unless otherwise noted. All solvents were dried by passage through activated alumina and stored in a nitrogen glovebox. All common reagents were purchased from Aldrich and used as received. Pd₂dba₃CHCl₃ was synthesized from a literature procedure. Imines were synthesized by the condensation of the appropriate amine and aldehyde in presence of MgSO₄ according a literature protocol. Complex A was synthesized according to a literature procedure. NMR characterization was performed at 300 MHz, 400 MHz and 500 MHz for H NMR and 75 MHz and 126 MHz for Table NMR. Chemical shifts are reported in parts per million relative to the residual solvent signal. Mass spectra were recorded on a high-resolution electrospray ionization quadrupole spectrometer.

II. Typical Synthesis of α-Amidostannanes

(4-CH₃C₆H₄)HC=NCH₂C₆H₅ (41.9 mg, 0.2 mmol, 1 eq), benzoyl chloride (42.2 mg, 0.3 mmol, 1.5 eq) and Pd₂dba₃CHCl₃ (3.1 mg, 0.003 mmol, 1.5 mol%) were combined in 2 mL of THF. The resulting mixture was stirred for 15 min until the disappearance of the initial purple color. (SnBu₃)₂ (174.0 mg, 0.30 mmol, 1.5 eq) was added dropwise as a solution in 2 mL of THF. The resulting solution was stirred at room temperature for 16h inside the glovebox. The mixture was then directly charged on a column packed with 10% wt. K₂CO₃/SiO₂. The product was isolated by eluting with hexanes: ethyl acetate (gradient 100:1 to 20:1) as a clear oil (74%, 89.5 mg, 0.14 mmol)

Ph NR (500 MHz, CDCl₃):
$$\delta$$
 7.50-7.47 (m, 2H), 7.40-7.38 (m, Ph NR), 7.36-7.33 (m, 2H), 7.33-7.28 (m, 1H), 7.14 (d, J = 7.1 Hz, 2H), SnBu₃ 7.09 (d, J = 7.9 Hz, 2H), 6.95-6.93 (m, 2H), 4.79 (d, J = 15.6 Hz, 1H), 4.12 (d, J = 15.7 Hz, 1H), 3.74 (s, J_{Sn-H} = 54.0 Hz, 1H), 2.31 (s, 3H), 1.39-1.24 (m, 7H), 1.24-1.16 (m, 6H), 0.92-0.73 (m, 16H). ¹³C NMR (126 MHz; CDCl₃): δ 172.9, 139.7, 136.6, 136.3, 134.1, 129.5, 129.2, 128.7, 128.6, 127.6, 127.3, 126.4, 125.1, 54.0, 49.4, 29.0 (J_{Sn-C} = 18.5 Hz), 27.5 (J_{Sn-C} = 61.4 Hz), 21.0, 13.7, 12.2

 $(J_{Sn-C} = 343.9 \text{ Hz}) \text{ HRMS (ESI): } C_{34}H_{47}NNaOSn (M+Na)^+ \text{ calc: } 628.2579 \text{ observed: } 628.2579$

Yield 76% ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.47-7.44 (m, 2H), 7.42- ρ h 7.40 (m, 3H), 7.08 (d, J = 7.8 Hz, 2H), 6.98-6.96 (m, 2H), 5.75-5.71 (m, 1H), 5.23 (dd, J = 10.3, 1.3 Hz, 1H), 5.15 (dd, J = 17.1, 1.5 Hz, 1H), 4.05-4.01 (m, 1H), 3.92 (s, $J_{Sn-H} = 53.0$ Hz, 1H), 3.63 (dd, J = 16.2, 6.8 Hz, 1H), 2.32 (s, 3H), 1.47-1.35 (m, 6H), 1.25 (m, 7H), 0.93-0.79 (m, 16H). ¹³C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 172.8, 139.9, 136.3, 134.0, 133.3, 129.5, 129.1₂, 129.0₉, 128.5, 126.3, 125.0, 117.9, 53.5, 50.1 ($J_{Sn-C} = 304.8$ Hz), 29.1 ($J_{Sn-C} = 18.6$ Hz), 27.5 ($J_{Sn-C} = 60.6$ Hz), 20.9, 13.8, 12.3 ($J_{Sn-C} = 342.7$ Hz) HRMS (ESI): $C_{30}H_{45}NNaOSn$ (M+Na)⁺ calc: 578.2421 observed: 578.2429

Yield 67% ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.44-7.42 (m, 5H), 7.08 Ph (d, J = 7.9 Hz, 2H), 6.99 (d, J = 7.9 Hz, 2H), 3.89 (s, J_{Sn-H} = 53.0 Hz, SnBu₃ 1H), 3.37 (m, 1H), 3.22 (m, 1H), 2.32 (s, 3H), 1.50-1.36 (m, 6H), 1.29 (m, 7H), 1.09 (t, J = 7.0 Hz, 3H), 0.96-0.77 (m, 15H). ¹³C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 172.4, 140.5, 136.9, 133.8, 129.1₈, 129.0₈, 128.5, 126.1, 124.7, 50.4 (J_{Sn-C} = 306.7 Hz), 46.1, 29.2 (J_{Sn-C} = 18.9 Hz), 27.6 (J_{Sn-C} = 60.1 Hz), 20.9, 14.1, 13.8, 12.4 (J_{Sn-C} = 351.8 Hz). ¹¹⁹Sn NMR (CDCl₃, 186 MHz): δ -35.2 ppm. HRMS (ESI): C₂₉H₄₅NNaOSn (M+Na)⁺ calc: 566.2421 observed: 566.2435

Yield 65% ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.46 (d, J = 5.0 Hz, 1H), 7.40 (d, J = 3.6 Hz, 1H), 7.06-7.03 (m, 3H), 6.93 (d, J = 7.9 Hz, 2H), 5.86 (m, 1H), 5.28 (m, 2H), 4.42 (m, 1H), 3.94 (s, J_{Sn-H} = 52.5 Hz, 1H), 3.81 (m, 1H), 2.30 (s, 3H), 1.44-1.29 (m, 7H), 1.29-1.18 (m, 7H), 0.94-0.70 (m, 16H). ¹³C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 165.8, 139.7, 137.3, 134.0, 133.4, 129.1, 128.7, 128.3, 126.8, 125.0, 117.7, 53.8 (J_{Sn-C} = 18.9 Hz), 52.0 (J_{Sn-C} = 295.8 Hz), 29.0 (J_{Sn-C} = 18.6 Hz), 27.5 (J_{Sn-C} = 60.6 Hz), 20.9, 13.7, 12.2 (J_{Sn-C} = 341.3 Hz) HRMS (ESI): C₂₈H₄₃NNaOSSn (M+Na)⁺ calc: 584.1983 observed: 584.1996

Yield 54% ¹H NMR (500 MHz; CDCl₃): δ 7.48-7.46 (m, 2H), 7.37-7.29 (m, 3H), 7.16 (d, J = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 7.08 (d, J COMe = 7.9 Hz, 2H), 6.94-6.88 (m, 4H), 4.88 (d, J = 15.9 Hz, 1H), 4.16 (d, J = 15.9 Hz, 1H), 3.81 (s, 3H), 3.76 (s, J_{Sn-H} = 53.0

Hz, 1H), 2.32 (s, 3H), 1.38-1.28 (m, 6H), 1.27-1.17 (m, 7H), 0.87-0.74 (m, 15H). 13-C NMR (126 MHz; CDCl₃): δ 172.8, 160.6, 139.9, 136.9, 134.0, 129.1, 128.7, 128.3₉, 128.3₄, 127.5, 127.1, 125.1, 113.9, 55.3, 54.1 ($J_{Sn-C} = 19.3 \text{ Hz}$), 50.0 ($J_{Sn-C} = 309.1 \text{ Hz}$), 29.0 ($J_{Sn-C} = 18.4 \text{ Hz}$), 27.5 ($J_{Sn-C} = 61.2 \text{ Hz}$), 20.9, 13.7, 12.3 ($J_{Sn-C} = 343.4 \text{ Hz}$) HRMS (ESI): $C_{35}H_{49}NNaO_{2}Sn$ (M+Na)⁺ calc: 658.2685 observed: 658.2672

Yield 67% ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.52 (m, 1H), 7.05-7.01 (m, 3H), 6.93-6.92 (m, 2H), 6.49 (m, 1H), 5.92 (m, J = 3.4 Hz, 1H), 5.29-5.21 (m, 2H), 4.56-4.52 (m, 1H), 3.91 (s, J_{Sn-H} = 53.0 Hz, 1H), 3.73 (m, J = 1.2 Hz, 1H), 2.29 (s, 3H), 1.41-1.28 (m,

7H), 1.22 (m, 7H), 0.94-0.71 (m, 16H). ¹³C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 161.5, 147.3, 144.1, 139.7, 134.0, 133.7, 129.0, 125.1, 117.6, 115.5, 111.1, 52.8, 52.0, 29.0 (J_{Sn-C} = 18.8 Hz), 27.4 (J_{Sn-C} = 58.0 Hz), 20.9, 13.7, 12.1 (J_{Sn-C} = 366.7 Hz) HRMS (ESI): $C_{28}H_{43}NNaO_2Sn$ (M+Na)⁺ calc: 568.2213 observed: 568.2209

Yield 64% ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 8.29 (d, J = 8.7 Hz, 2H), 7.63 (d, J = 8.7 Hz, 2H), 7.09 (d, J = 7.8 Hz, 2H), NO₂ 6.95 (d, J = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 5.70 (m, 1H), 5.28-5.14 (m, 2H), 3.92-3.85 (m, 2H), 3.66 (m, 1H), 2.32 (s, 3H), 1.45-1.34 (m,

7H), 1.31-1.21 (m, 8H), 0.94-0.79 (m, 17H). ¹³C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 170.6, 148.3, 142.5, 139.4, 134.4, 132.5, 129.3, 127.4, 125.0, 123.9, 118.4, 53.4, 50.5, 29.0 ($J_{Sn-C} = 18.3 \text{ Hz}$), 27.5 ($J_{Sn-C} = 61.7 \text{ Hz}$), 20.9, 13.7, 12.2 ($J_{Sn-C} = 344.2 \text{ Hz}$) HRMS (ESI): $C_{30}H_{44}N_2NaO_3Sn$ (M+Na)⁺ calc: 623.2272 observed: 623.2246

Yield 47% ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.52-7.50 (m, 2H), 7.41-7.39 (m, 3H), 7.27-7.24 (m, 3H), 7.09-7.06 (m, 1H), 7.04-SnBu₃ 7.00 (m, 3H), 6.45 (dd, J = 8.3, 2.4 Hz, 1H), 6.37 (d, J = 2.4

Hz, 1H), 4.66 (d, J = 15.2 Hz, 1H), 4.18 (d, J = 15.2 Hz, 1H), 3.82 (d, J = 21.6 Hz, 4H), 3.65 (s, 3H), 1.36-1.25 (m, 7H), 1.20 (m, 7H), 0.84-0.71 (m, 16H). ¹³C NMR (126 MHz; CDCl₃): δ 172.8, 160.6, 158.5, 143.4, 136.7, 129.8, 129.3, 128.30, 128.29, 126.7, 124.9, 124.3, 116.9, 103.7, 98.4, 55.3, 54.8, 49.8, 49.5, 28.9 ($J_{Sn-C} = 18.3$ Hz) 27.5 ($J_{Sn-C} = 61.4$ Hz), 13.7, 12.1 ($J_{Sn-C} = 343.0$ Hz) HRMS (ESI): $C_{35}H_{49}NNaO_3Sn$ (M+Na)⁺ calc: 674.2634 observed: 674.2603

Yield 60% ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.43-7.40 (m, 5H), 7.05-7.02 (m, 2H), 6.85-6.82 (m, 2H), 3.84 (s, $J_{Sn-H} = 53.0$ Hz, SnBu₃ 1H), 3.79 (s, 3H), 3.37 (dd, J = 14.3, 7.1 Hz, 1H), 3.22 (dd, J = 14.3, 7.1 Hz, 1H), 1.48-1.38 (m, 7H), 1.27 (m, 7H), 1.08 (t, J = 14.3, 7.1 Hz, 3H), 0.92-0.79 (m, 16H). 13-C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 172.4, 156.9, 136.9, 135.9, 129.2, 128.5, 126.09, 125.92, 113.9, 55.3, 49.9 ($J_{Sn-C} = 314.6$ Hz), 46.0 ($J_{Sn-C} = 18.4$ Hz), 29.1 ($J_{Sn-C} = 18.9$ Hz), 27.5 ($J_{Sn-C} = 58.8$ Hz), 14.1, 12.3 ($J_{Sn-C} = 341.2$ Hz) HRMS (ESI): C₂₉H₄₅NNaO₂Sn (M+Na)⁺ calc: 582.2370 observed: 582.2342

Yield 46% ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.46-7.37 (m, 7H), Ph 6.95-6.93 (m, 2H), 5.79-5.66 (m, 1H), 5.23 (d, J = 10.3 Hz, 1H), SnBu₃ 5.14 (d, J = 17.2 Hz, 1H), 4.05-4.01 (m, 1H), 3.89 (s, J_{Sn-H} = 52.0 Hz, 1H), 3.63 (dd, J = 16.2, 6.8 Hz, 1H), 1.46-1.33 (m, 6H), 1.29-1.21 (m, 6H), 0.94-0.78 (m, 15H). ¹³C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 172.8, 142.5, 135.9, 133.1, 131.4, 129.7, 128.6, 126.6, 126.4, 118.2, 117.8, 53.8, 50.3, 29.0 (J_{Sn-C} = 18.8 Hz), 27.5 (J_{Sn-C} = 60.2 Hz), 13.7, 12.4 (J_{Sn-C} = 344.2 Hz) HRMS (ESI): C₂₉H₄₂BrNNaSn (M+Na)⁺ calc: 642.1359 observed: 642.1349

Yield 64% ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.44-7.41 (m, 5H), Ph 7.26-7.19 (m, 2H), 7.03-7.00 (m, 2H), 3.87 (s, $J_{Sn-H} = 53.5$ Hz, SnBu₃ 1H), 3.37 (dd, J = 14.3, 7.1 Hz, 1H), 3.23 (dd, J = 14.3, 7.1 Hz, 1H), 2.46 (s, 3H), 1.47-1.36 (m, 6H), 1.30-1.22 (m, 6H), 1.07 (m, 3H), 0.92-0.79 (m, 15H). ¹³C NMR (126 MHz; CDCl₃): δ 172.4, 141.3, 136.7, 133.4, 129.3, 128.6, 127.7₂, 127.6₈, 127.6₅, 126.1, 125.2₅, 125.1₉, 50.6 ($J_{Sn-C} = 296.1$ Hz), 46.3

 $(J_{Sn-C} = 18.0 \text{ Hz})$, 29.0 $(J_{Sn-C} = 19.0 \text{ Hz})$, 27.5 $(J_{Sn-C} = 58.9 \text{ Hz})$, 16.7, 14.1, 13.7, 12.4 $(J_{Sn-C} = 341.7 \text{ Hz})$ HRMS (ESI): $C_{29}H_{45}NNaOSSn$ (M+Na)⁺ calc: 598.2140 observed: 598.2144

Yield 77% ¹H NMR (500 MHz; CDCl₃): δ 7.75-7.73 (m, 1H), 7.69 (d, J = 7.9 Hz, 1H), 7.53-7.49 (m, 3H), 7.45-7.42 (m, 3H), 7.37-7.34 (m, 1H), 7.28-7.24 (m, 2H), 7.09 (dd, J = 7.9, 1.2 Hz, 1H), 5.79-5.72 (m, 1H), 5.26-5.16 (m, 2H), 4.07 (m, J = 2.0 Hz, 1H), 4.03 (s, J_{Sn-H} = 54.0 Hz, 1H), 3.88 (d, J = 3.7 Hz, J_{Sn-H} = 53.0 Hz, 2H), 3.70 (s, 1H), 1.48-1.37 (m, 6H), 1.25 (m, 6H), 0.94-0.79 (m, 15H). ¹³C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 172.8, 143.8, 143.0, 142.2, 141.8, 138.5, 136.3, 133.3, 129.6, 128.5, 126.6, 126.4, 126.0, 124.9, 123.8, 121.6, 119.8, 119.4, 118.0, 53.7 (J_{Sn-C} = 19.0 Hz), 50.9 (J_{Sn-C} = 297.9 Hz), 29.1 (J_{Sn-C} = 18.6 Hz), 27.5 (J_{Sn-C} = 60.9 Hz), 13.7,

12.4 ($J_{Sn-C} = 342.5 \text{ Hz}$) HRMS (ESI): $C_{36}H_{47}NNaOSn (M+Na)^+$ calc: 652.2579 observed:

652.2584

Yield 75% ¹H NMR (500 MHz; CDCl₃): δ 7.49-7.47 (m, 2H), Ph 7.41-7.28 (m, 6H), 7.15-7.13 (m, 2H), 6.73 (d, J = 8.0 Hz, 1H), SnBu₃ 6.62 (d, J = 1.8 Hz, 1H), 6.48 (m, J = 0.4 Hz, 1H), 5.93 (q, J = 1.4 Hz, 2H), 4.78 (d, J = 15.7 Hz, 1H), 4.14 (d, J = 15.7 Hz, 1H), 3.67 (s, J_{Sn-H} = 53.0 Hz, 1H), 1.40-1.26 (m, 7H), 1.25-1.17 (m, 6H), 0.88-0.76 (m, 16H). ¹³C NMR (126 MHz; CDCl₃): δ 172.9, 147.8, 144.9, 137.1, 136.5, 136.1, 129.6, 128.7₄, 128.6₅, 127.7, 127.3, 126.4, 118.1, 108.2, 106.2, 100.7, 53.9 (J_{Sn-C} = 19.2 Hz), 49.5 (J_{Sn-C} = 305.3 Hz), 29.0 (J_{Sn-C} = 18.4 Hz), 27.5 (J_{Sn-C} = 61.1 Hz), 13.8, 12.2 (J_{Sn-C} = 344.0 Hz) HRMS (ESI): C₃₄H₄₅NNaO₃Sn (M+Na)⁺ calc: 658.2321 observed: 658.2330

Yield 59% ¹H NMR (500 MHz; CDCl₃):
$$\delta$$
 7.43-7.41 (m, 5H), 7.05-N Ph 7.02 (m, 2H), 6.98-6.95 (m, 2H), 3.87 (s, J_{Sn-H} = 53.0 Hz, 1H), 3.37 SnBu₃ (dd, J = 14.3, 7.2 Hz, 1H), 3.23 (dd, J = 14.3, 7.1 Hz, 1H), 1.47-1.36 (m, 6H), 1.26 (dq, J = 14.7, 7.3 Hz, 6H), 1.08 (t, J = 7.1 Hz, 3H),

0.94-0.78 (m, 15H). ¹³C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 172.4, 161.4, 159.4, 139.5 (d, J_{C-F} = 2.9Hz), 136.6, 129.3, 128.6, 126.1, 125.9 (d, J_{C-F} = 7.7 Hz), 115.1 (d, J_{C-F} = 21.2 Hz), 50.2 (J_{Sn-C} = 298.5 Hz), 46.2 (J_{Sn-C} = 17.9 Hz), 29.0 (J_{Sn-C} = 18.9 Hz), 27.5 (J_{Sn-C} = 59.2 Hz), 14.1, 13.7, 12.3 (J_{Sn-C} = 335.0 Hz) HRMS (ESI): C₂₈H₄₂FNNaOSn (M+Na)⁺ calc: 570.2170 observed: 570.2182

MeO Yield 64% ¹H NMR (500 MHz; CDCl₃): δ 7.36-7.24 (m, 4H), 7.24-7.08 (m, 6H), 6.83 (d, J = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 6.62 (d, J = 8.8 Hz, ρ_{h} 2H), 4.16 (s, ρ_{h} 5.0 Hz, 1H), 3.72-3.66 (m, 3H), 1.55-1.36 (m, 6H), 1.37-1.21 (m, 6H), 1.04-0.79 (m, 15H). ¹³C NMR (126 MHz; CDCl₃) (broad due to amide rotamers): δ 171.1, 157.8, 143.8, 138.8, 136.2, 129.7, 128.9, 128.2, 128.1₂, 128.0₆, 127.4₆, 127.4₀, 126.9, 124.8, 124.0, 114.3, 113.8, 58.7, 55.2, 29.1, 27.6, 13.8, 12.5 HRMS (ESI): $C_{33}H_{45}NNaO_{2}Sn$ (M+Na)⁺ calc: 630.2371 observed: 630.2372

III. Synthesis of α-Amidostannane with (SnMe₃)₂ (Table 1, entry 10)

(C₆H₅)HC=NCH₂C₆H₅ (58.6 mg, 0.3 mmol, 1 eq), benzoyl chloride (71.7 mg, 0.45 mmol, 1.5 eq), Pd₂dba₃CHCl₃ (4.7 mg, 0.005 mmol, 1.5 mol %) and benzyl benzoate (ca. 56.0 mg, 0.25 mmol) were combined in 3 mL of THF. The resulting mixture was stirred for 15 min until the disappearance of the initial purple color. A small aliquot of this mixture was taken. (SnMe₃)₂ (147.4 mg, 0.45 mmol, 1.5 eq) was added dropwise as a solution in 2 mL of THF. The resulting solution was stirred at room temperature for 1 h inside the glovebox. An aliquot of this solution was taken and the yield assessed by ¹H NMR. The product can be purified by charging the mixture on a column packed with 10% wt. K₂CO₃/SiO₂ and eluting with hexanes: ethyl acetate (gradient 100:1 to 20:1).

Yield 33% (by ¹H NMR) ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃):
$$\delta$$
 7.55-7.53 Ph N Ph (m, 2H), 7.44-7.35 (m, 5H), 7.31 (dd, J = 17.6, 9.9 Hz, 3H), 7.16 (dt, SnMe₃ J = 8.2, 4.4 Hz, 3H), 7.07-7.06 (m, 2H), 4.88 (d, J = 16.0 Hz, 1H), 4.21 (d, J = 16.0 Hz, 1H), 3.72 (s, J_{Sn-H} = 59.5 Hz, 1H), 0.06 (s, J_{Sn-H} = 53.5 Hz, 9H). ¹³C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 173.2, 142.3, 136.7, 135.8, 129.7, 128.9, 128.6₇, 128.5₉, 127.7, 126.9, 126.5, 124.9₀, 124.8₈, 54.0 (J_{Sn-C} = 23.1 Hz), 51.6 (J_{Sn-C} =

359.5 Hz), -6.4 ($J_{Sn-C} = 361.9$ Hz) HRMS (ESI): $C_{24}H_{28}NOSn (M+1)^+$ calc: 466.1192 observed: 466.1183

IV. Synthesis of α-Amidostannane and Silane with Bu₃Sn-SiMe₃ (Table 1, entry 11) $(4\text{-CH}_3\text{C}_6\text{H}_4)\text{HC}=\text{NCH}_2\text{C}_6\text{H}_5$ (62.8 mg, 0.3 mmol, 1 eq), benzoyl chloride (71.7 mg, 0.45 mmol, 1.5 eq), Pd₂dba₃CHCl₃ (4.7 mg, 0.005 mmol, 1.5 mol %) and benzyl benzoate (ca. 56.0 mg, 0.25 mmol) were combined in 3 mL of THF. The resulting mixture was stirred for 15 min until the disappearance of the initial purple color. A small aliquot of this mixture was taken. Bu₃Sn-SiMe₃ (147.4 mg, 0.50 mmol, 1.7 eq) was added dropwise as a solution in 2 mL of THF. The resulting solution was stirred at room temperature for 16 h inside the glovebox. An aliquot of this solution was taken and the yield assessed by ^1H NMR. The products can be purified by charging the mixture on a column packed with 10% wt. K₂CO₃/SiO₂ and eluting with hexanes: ethyl acetate (gradient 100:1 to 10:1), providing the amidostannane (**1a**) and amidosilane products.

Yield 8% (by ¹H NMR) ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃):
$$\delta$$
 7.49 (dd, Ph N Ph $J = 6.6$, 2.9 Hz, 2H), 7.39-7.35 (m, 5H), 7.32 (d, $J = 7.1$ Hz, 1H), SiMe₃ 7.18 (d, $J = 7.3$ Hz, 2H), 7.10 (q, $J = 7.0$ Hz, 4H), 4.70 (d, $J = 16.0$ Hz, 1H), 3.99 (d, $J = 16.0$ Hz, 1H), 3.41 (s, 1H), 2.35 (s, 3H), 0.07 (s, 9H). ¹³C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 172.7, 137.3, 136.9, 136.5, 135.6, 129.5, 129.1, 128.8, 128.6, 127.8, 127.6, 127.1, 126.4, 55.8, 53.6, 27.9, 26.9, 21.1, 17.5, 13.6, 0.0 HRMS (ESI): C₂₅H₂₉NNaOSi (M+Na)⁺ calc: 410.1911 observed: 410.1915

V. Reaction of Complex A with (SnBu₃)₂

Complex **A** $[Pd(Cl)(\eta^2-CH(C_6H_5)N(CH_2C_6H_5)(COC_6H_5))]_2^3$ (4.2 mg, 0.005 mmol) and benzyl benzoate standard (ca. 12.0 mg, 0.05 mmol) were dissolved in CD_2Cl_2 (1 mL) in a J-Young NMR tube. An initial NMR was taken of this mixture. $(SnBu_3)_2$ (34.8 mg, 0.06 mmol) was dissolved in minimal CD_2Cl_2 and added dropwise to the NMR tube, eliciting the solution to immediately turn purple. The reaction was allowed to stand for 1 h at room temperature and the yield (49%) of amidostannane was determined by 1H NMR analysis.

VI. Typical Synthesis of α-Amido Acid Derivatives

In a flame dried 25 mL Schlenk flask, under argon, the α-amidostannane from Table 2, entry 3 (66.8 mg, 0.123 mmol, 1 eq) was dissolved in 2 mL of dry THF. The flask was cooled to -78°C and *n*-butyllithium (1.5 M, 85.0 μL, 0.128 mmol, 1.05 eq) was added dropwise, during which the reaction solution turned purple. The solution was stirred for 15 min at -78°C. At this point, the flow of argon gas was stopped and CO₂ (gas) was purged into the flask until the disappearance of the purple color (5 min). The flask was then replaced under an argon atmosphere and allowed to warm to ambient temperature. NaHSO₄ (10% wt., 5 mL) was then slowly added to quench the reaction. The organic layer was extracted with EtOAc (3 x 10 mL) and the combined organic fractions were dried with MgSO₄, filtered and concentrated to give an off-white residue. The residue was dissolved in a minimal amount of dichloromethane (0.5 mL) and pentane (20 mL) was carefully layered on top of the solution. This mixture was allowed to stand in a -10°C freezer for 24 h, eliciting the formation of a white precipitate. The pentane was decanted and the precipitate was further washed with pentane to afford amino-acid derivative (24.8 mg, 0.079 mmol, 65%) as a white solid.

Yield 69% ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.53-7.51 (m, 2H), 7.43-Ph 7.35 (m, 5H), 7.35-7.30 (m, 4H), 7.22-7.17 (m, 2H), 7.06 (d, J = 6.4 Hz, Ph COOH 2H), 5.35-5.34 (br s, 1H), 4.82 (dd J = 16.1, 1H), 4.34 (d, J = 16.5 Hz, 1H). ¹³C NMR (126 MHz; CDCl₃) (broad due to amide rotamers): δ 173.6, 172.8, 136.2, 135.1, 133.3, 130.4, 129.4, 128.9, 128.7, 128.6 (2 carbons), 127.5, 127.0₁, 126.9₇, 63.9, 53.2 HRMS (ESI): $C_{22}H_{20}O_3N$ (M+1)⁺ calc: 346.14377 observed: 346.14324

Yield 65% ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃):
$$\delta$$
 7.48-7.39 (m, 5H), 7.34-7.30 (m, 1H), 7.19 (t, $J = 8.6$ Hz, 2H), 5.71 (s, 1H), 3.43-3.29 (m, 2H), 2.36 (s, 3H), 0.90 (t, $J = 7.1$ Hz, 3H). ¹³C NMR (126 MHz; CDCl₃) (broad due to amide rotamers): δ 173.8, 173.5, 138.6, 135.7, 130.7, 129.9, 129.5, 128.9, 128.5, 126.6, 63.1, 43.8, 21.2, 14.8 HRMS (ESI): $C_{18}H_{20}O_3N$ (M+1)⁺ calc: 298.14377 observed: 298.14328

Yield 69% ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.58-7.51 (m, 2H), Ph 7.47-7.33 (m, 3H), 7.11 (dd, J = 7.3, 3.7 Hz, 2H), 6.97-6.92 (m, COOH 1H), 6.77-6.70 (m, 2H), 5.95 (d, J = 5.4 Hz, 2H), 5.23 (s, 1H), 4.83 (d, J = 16.6 Hz, 1H), 4.36 (d, J = 16.4 Hz, 1H). ¹³C NMR (75 MHz; CDCl₃) (broad due to amide rotamers): δ 173.6, 173.4, 147.97, 147.88, 136.3, 135.0, 130.3, 128.8, 128.6, 127.5, 126.99, 126.93, 123.7, 110.0, 108.1, 101.3, 77.2, 63.2

135.0, 130.3, 128.8, 128.6, 127.5, 126.99, 126.93, 123.7, 110.0, 108.1, 101.3, 77.2, 63.2, 52.7 HRMS (ESI): $C_{23}H_{20}O_5N$ (M+1)⁺ calc: 390.13360 observed: 390.13297

Yield 82% ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.48 (d, J = 8.5 Hz, 2H), 7.31-7.28 (m, 1H), 7.19 (d, J = 7.9 Hz, 2H), 6.93 (d, J = 8.7 Hz, 2H), 5.58 (s, 1H), 3.84 (s, 3H), 3.56-3.40 (m, 2H), 2.35 (s, 3H), 1.01 (t, J = 6.9 Hz, 3H). ¹³C NMR (75

MHz; CDCl₃) (broad due to amide rotamers): δ 173.9, 172.8, 161.4, 138.5, 130.8, 129.5, 129.1, 128.0, 127.3, 113.9, 64.9, 55.4, 45.3, 21.1, 14.5 HRMS (ESI): $C_{19}H_{22}O_4N$ (M+1)⁺ calc: 328.15433 observed: 328.15364

Yield 79% ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.60-7.58 (m, 2H), 7.48-7.41 (m, 3H), 7.41-7.38 (m, 2H), 7.34-7.29 (m, 3H), 7.07 (d, J = 8.3 Hz, 1H), 6.42 (dd, J = 8.3, 2.4 Hz, 1H), 6.35 (d, J = 2.3 Hz, 1H), 5.20 (s, 1H), 4.81 (d, J = 15.3 Hz, 1H), 4.42 (d, J = 15.3 Hz, 1H), 3.78 (s, 3H), 3.68 (d, J = 10.3 Hz, 3H). ¹³C NMR (126 MHz; CDCl₃) (broad due to amide rotamers): δ 174.6, 171.5, 161.1, 158.4, 135.0, 134.0, 130.8, 130.2, 128.5₁, 128.4₆, 128.3, 128.0, 127.6, 104.1, 98.5, 66.0, 55.3, 55.0, 51.9 HRMS (ESI): $C_{24}H_{24}O_{5}N$ (M+1)⁺ calc: 406.16490 observed: 406.16421

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