Supporting information

Synthesis, DFT Studies on a Series of Tunable Quinolines Derivatives

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1. General methods

The reactions were conducted in round bottom flasks, and all solvents and chemical materials were obtained from commercial sources. The preparation of 1-(6-amino-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-3-yl)-ethan-1-one followed reported protocols. The ¹H and ¹³C NMR spectra were obtained using a Bruker Avance 400 spectrometer and referenced to the residual solvent signal CDCl₃: (7.26) for ¹H and (77.16) for ¹³C NMR; dimethyl sulfoxide- d_6 (2.50) for ¹H and (39.50) for ¹³C. Chemical shifts (δ) are given in ppm, and coupling constants (*J*) were measured in Hz. The following abbreviations were used: s-singlet, d-doublet, dd-doublet of the doublet, t-triplet, m (multiple), and br-broad. HR ESI-MS values were obtained using Xeo G2-XS QTof (Waters) and given in m/z. Absorption was recorded using a *J*ASCO V-670 spectrometer. Steady-state fluorescence spectra were recorded on

the Hitachi F-7000 FL spectroflurophotometer by excitation at the respective absorption maxima. Column chromatography was performed using silica gel (100-200 mesh) packed in glass columns. Analytical TLC was conducted on Macherey-Nagel 60 F245 aluminium-backed silica gel plates.



2. Synthesis of Functionalized Quinoline and Nitro to Amine reduction:

Figure-S1

2.1; The Preparation of 1-(2-Methyl-6-nitro-4-phenylquinolin-3-yl)ethan-1-one.



(2-Amino-5-nitrophenyl) (phenyl)methanone (2×7.5 g, 0.0309 moles), pentane-2,4-dione (17.41mL, 0.1549 moles), Conc.HCl (1.6 mL) in 200 mL of AR grade EtOH 500 mL round bottomflask was stirred at 80° C temperature under the nitrogen gas for 6 hours. Reaction monitored by TLC. After completion of the reaction, the reaction mixture was added to the cold water and formed a precipitate. Precipitate filtered and washed with n-pentane. The crude compound was purified by column chromatography using silica gel (100-200 mesh and Eluent: 25 EtOH in Hexane) a to obtain the Title Product. The product was confirmed by 1H NMR, Yield (76.47%).

¹**H NMR**: (400 MHz, DMSO-d₆): δ ppm 8.59 (d, J = 2.40 Hz, 1H), 8.51 (dd, J = 2.40, 9.20 Hz, 1H), 8.56 (m, 1H), 7.62-7.61 (m, 3H), 7.40-7.39 (m, 2H), 2.78 (s, 3H), 2.04 (s, 3H).

2.2; The Preparation of Ethyl 2-methyl-6-nitro-4-phenylquinoline-3-carboxylate.



(2-Amino-5-nitrophenyl) (phenyl)methanone (2×10 g, 0.0413 moles), ethyl 3-oxobutanoate (53.7 mL, 04132 moles), Conc.HCl 2.2 mL) in 150 of AR grade EtOH 10 mL round bottom flask was stirred at room temperature under the nitrogen gas for 6 hours. Reaction monitored by TLC. After completion of the reaction, the reaction mixture was added to the cold water and formed a precipitate. Precipitate filtered and washed with n-pentane. The crude compound was purified by column chromatography using silica gel (100-200 mesh and Eluent: 20 EtOH in Hexane) to obtain the Title Product. The product was confirmed by ¹H NMR, Yield (24.12 g, 86.88 %).

¹**H NMR:** (400 MHz, DMSO-d₆); δ ppm 8.46 (d, J = 2.40 Hz, 1H), 8.40 (dd, J = 2.40, 9.20 Hz, 1H), 8.12 (d, J = 9.20 Hz, 1H), 7.48-7.48 (m, 3H), 7.31-7.30 (m, 2H), 4.02 (q, J = 6.80 Hz, 2H), 2.76 (s, 3H), 0.90 (t, J = 6.80 Hz, 3H).

2.3; The Preparation 1-(6-Amino-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-3-yl)ethan-1-one.



1-(2-Methyl-6-nitro-4-phenylquinolin-3-yl)ethan-1-one (14 g, 0.0457 moles), Zinc dust (17.29 g, 0.2742 moles), Ammonium chloride (14.53 g, 0.2742 moles) in 75 mL dioxane and 75 mL of water in round bottom flask was stirred at room temperature under the nitrogen gas for 30 min. Reaction monitored by TLC, After completion of the reaction, the reaction mixture was added to the water (100mL) and extracted with ethyl acetate (2×100 mL). The organic layer was washed with brine water (100 mL) and distilled under high vacuum to obtain the Title Product. The product was confirmed by ¹H NMR. ¹H NMR: (400 MHz, DMSO-d₆), δ ppm 7.70 (d, J = 8.80 Hz, 1H), 7.57-7.57 (m, 3H), 7.31-7.31 (m, 2H), 7.16 (dd, J = 2.40, 8.80 Hz, 1H), 6.44 (d, J = 2.00 Hz, 1H), 5.60 (s, 2H), 2.47 (s, 3H), 1.98 (s, 3H).

2.4; The Preparation Ethyl 6-amino-2-methyl-4-phenylquinoline-3-carboxylate



Ethyl 2-methyl-6-nitro-4-phenylquinoline-3-carboxylate (20 g, 0.0595 moles), Zinc dust (22.5 g, 0.3571 moles), Ammonium chloride (18.92 g, 0.3571 mole in 100 mL dioxane AR grade and 100 mL of water in round bottom flask was stirred at room temperature under the nitrogen gas for 30 min. Reaction monitored by TLC, After completion of the reaction, the reaction mixture was added to the water (100mL) and extracted with ethyl acetate (2×100 mL). The organic layer was washed with brine water (100 mL) and distilled under high vacuum to obtain the Title Product. The product was confirmed by ¹H and ¹³C NMR,

¹**H NMR:** (400 MHz, DMSO-d₆); δ 7.71 (d, J = 8.80 Hz, 1H), 7.54-7.53 (m, 3H), 7.30-7.30 (m, 2H), 7.18 (dd, J = 2.40, 8.80 Hz, 1H), 6.43 (d, J = 2.40 Hz, 1H), 5.60 (s, 2H), 3.98 (q, J = 6.80 Hz, 2H), 2.54 (s, 3H), 0.86 (t, J = 7.20 Hz, 3H).

3: Acid Amine Cross-Coupling Reaction





Figure-S2

Synthesized Derivatives (6a-6z):



Figure-S3

Scheme-2



Figure-S4

Synthesized Derivatives (6aa-6aw):z



Figure-S5

3.1 Experimental procedure:

General procedure for the synthesis of 6a-6z: 1-(6-amino-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-3-yl) ethan-1-one (300-500 mgs), substituted carboxylic acids (1.5 to 5.0 equiv), HATU (2.0 to 2.5 equivalents) and DIPEA (2.5 equivalents) in 10 mL of AR grade DMF 50 mL round bottom flask was stirred at room temperature under the nitrogen gas for 6-12 hours. After completion of the reaction, the reaction mixture was added to the cold water and extracted with ethyl acetate (2×25 mL). The organic layer was washed with brine water (25mL). The Organic layer concentrates under a high vacuum to get crude compound. The crude compound was purified by using column chromatography to obtain pure products **6a-6z and 6aa-6aw**.

3.2 Plausible Mechanism:



Figure.S6

3.3 Procedure and Identification Analytical data of the compounds

N-(3-Acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)acetamide (6a).



1-(6-amino-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-3-yl)ethan-1-one (300 mg, 1.0869 mmole), acetic acid (130 mg, 2.1739mmole), HATU (1.02 g, 2.7173), DIPEA (304 mg, 4.0869 mmole) in DMF (10 mL) at RT 10 h. The title compound was isolated (Eluent 80% ethyl acetate in Hexane). TLC: $R_f = 0.8$ (EtOAc/Hexane 5:5) [silica gel, UV and KMnO₄ stain]. Brown solid, yield 58%, m.p. 190–192° C; ¹H **NMR** (400 MHz, DMSO-d₆): δ 10.21 (s, 1H), 8.01 (dd, J = 2.00, 8.80 Hz, 1H), 7.95 (d, J = 9.20 Hz, 1H), 7.85 (d, J = 1.60 Hz, 1H), 7.58-7.57 (m, 3H), 7.34-7.33 (m, 2H), 2.555 (s, 3H), 2.010 (s, 3H), 2.004 (s, 3H); ¹³C **NMR** (100 MHz DMSO-d₆): δ ppm 205.77, 169.10, 151.68, 144.14, 143.01, 138.12, 135.37, 135.33, 130.15, 129.18, 125.43, 124.17, 113.32, 32.24, 24.38, 23.63; **IR Stretching**: N-H (3585 cm⁻¹), C=O (1702 cm⁻¹). **HRMS (ESI) m/z:** [M + H] + Calcd for C₂₀H₁₈N₂O₂ 319.1446; Found 319.1473.

N-(3-Acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2-cyanoacetamide (6b).



1-(6-amino-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-3-yl)ethan-1-one (400 mg, 1.4492 mmole), 2cyanoacetic acid (246 mg, 2.8985 mmole), HATU (1.3 g, 3.6231 mmole), DIPEA (467 mg, 3.6231 mmole) in DMF (10 mL) at RT 10 h. The title compound was isolated (Eluent 50% ethyl acetate in Hexane). TLC: $R_f = 0.6$ (EtOAc/Hexane 5:5) [silica gel, UV and KMnO₄ stain] Pale yellow solid, yield 60%, m.p. 160–162^o C; ¹H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO-d₆): δ ppm 10.56 (s, 1H), 8.00 (d, J = 9.20 Hz, 1H), 7.96 (dd, J = 2.00, 9.00 Hz, 1H), 7.82 (d, J = 2.00 Hz, 1H), 7.59-7.58 (m, 3H), 7.35-7.34 (m, 2H), 3.89 (s, 3H), 2.57 (s, 3H), 2.02 (s, 3H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, DMSO-d₆): δ ppm 205.67, 162.79, 161.82, 152.27, 144.40, 143.11, 137.17, 135.44, 135.21, 130.14, 129.23, 125.38, 123.92, 116.20, 113.94, 32.24, 27.25, 23.66; IR Stretching; N-H (3299 cm⁻¹), C=O (1686 cm⁻¹); HRMS (ESI) m/z: [M + H]+ Calcd for $C_{21}H_{17}N_3O_2$ 344.1390; Found 344.1410.

N-(3-Acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2,2,2-trifluoroacetamide (6c).



1-(6-amino-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-3-yl)ethan-1-one (400 mg, 1.4492 mmole), 2,2,2trifluoroacetic acid (330 mg, 2.8985 mmole), HATU (1.3 g, 3.6231 mmole), DIPEA (467 mg, 3.6231 mmole) in DMF (10 mL) at RT 8 h. The title compound was isolated (Eluent 40% ethyl acetate in Hexane). TLC: $R_f = 0.5$ (EtOAc/Hexane 5:5) [silica gel, UV and KMnO₄ stain] Pale yellow solid Pale yellow solid, yield 60%, m.p. 134–136⁰ C; ¹H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO-d₆): δ ppm 11.51 (s, 1H), 8.13 (dd, J = 2.00, 9.00 Hz, 1H), 8.06 (d, J = 9.20 Hz, 1H), 7.98 (d, J = 2.40 Hz, 1H), 7.60-7.60 (m, 3H), 7.37-7.37 (m, 2H), 2.60 (s, 3H), 2.03 (s, 3H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, DMSO-d₆): δ ppm 205.51, 158.79, 157.82, 153.28, 145.04, 143.48, 135.60, 135.26, 134.98, 130.21, 129.25, 124.69, 123.92, 116.20, 113.94, 55.35, 32.21, 23.80; **IR Stretching**; N-H (3299 cm⁻¹), C=O (1686 cm⁻¹); **HRMS (ESI)** m/z: [M + H] + Calcd for C₂₆H₂₂N₂O₂ 373.1163; Found 373.1190

N-(3-Acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2-phenylacetamide (6d).



1-(6-amino-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-3-yl)ethan-1-one (500 mg, 1.8115 mmole), 2phenylacetic acid (369 mg, 2.7173 mmole), HATU (1.7 g, 4.5289 mmole), DIPEA (584 mg, 4.5289 mmole) in DMF (10 mL) at RT 12 h. The title compound was isolated (Eluent 50% ethyl acetate in Hexane). TLC: $R_f = 0.5$ (EtOAc/Hexane 5:5) [silica gel, UV and KMnO₄ stain]. Pale yellow solid; **yield** 80%, **m.p**. 140–142^o C; ¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, DMSO-d₆): δ ppm 10.45 (s, 1H), 8.02 (d, J = 8.80 Hz, 1H), 7.97 (d, J = 9.20 Hz, 1H), 7.93 (s, 1H), 7.57-7.55 (m, 3H), 7.34-7.33 (m, 7H), 3.63 (s, 2H), 2.56 (s, 3H), 2.00 (s, 3H); ¹³C **NMR** (100 MHz, DMSO-d₆): δ ppm 205.66, 169.89, 151.79, 144.06, 143.16, 138.10, 136.16, 135.33, 130.14, 129.65, 129.21, 128.75, 127.02, 125.47, 124.20, 113.41, 43.70, 32.23, 23.59; **IR Stretching;** N-H (3582 cm⁻¹), C=O (1698 cm⁻¹, C=C (1559 cm⁻¹)); **HRMS (ESI) m/z**: [M + H] + Calcd for C₂₂H₁₅N₂O 395.1759; Found 395.1798.

N-(3-Acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2-(p-tolyl)acetamide (6e).



1-(6-amino-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-3-yl)ethan-1-one (200 mg, 0.7246 mmole), 2-(p-tolyl)acetic acid (217 mg, 1.4492 mmole), HATU (550 g, 1.4492 mmole), DIPEA (233 mg, 1.8115 mmole) in DMF (12 mL) at RT 12 h. The title compound was isolated (Eluent 50%)

ethyl acetate in Hexane). TLC: $R_f = 0.4$ (EtOAc/Hexane 5:5) [silica gel, UV and KMnO₄ stain]. White solid, yield 82%, m.p: 112-114⁰ C;¹ H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO-d₆): δ ppm 10.43 (s, 1H), 8.03 (dd, J = 1.60, 9.20 Hz, 1H), 7.97 (d, J = 8.80 Hz, 1H), 7.92 (s, 1H), 7.57-7.55 (m, 3H), 7.34-7.33 (m, 2H), 7.18 (d, J = 8.00 Hz, 2H), 7.10 (d, J = 7.60 Hz, 2H), 3.57 (s, 2H), 2.56 (s, 3H), 2.25 (s, 3H), 2.00 (s, 3H), ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, DMSO-d₆): δ ppm 205.69, 170.04, 151.74, 144.23, 143.23, 138.11, 136.04, 135.39, 133.11, 130.15, 129.55, 129.49, 129.34, 129.30, 129.19, 125.44, 124.15, 113.40, 43.33, 32.22, 23.65, 21.08, IR Stretching; N-H (3489 cm⁻¹), C=O (1705 cm⁻¹, C=C (1540 cm⁻¹)), HRMS (ESI) m/z: [M + H] + Calculated for C₂₇H₂₅N₂O₂ 409.1910; Found 409.1909

N-(3-Acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2-(2-methoxyphenyl)acetamide (6f).



1-(6-amino-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-3-yl)ethan-1-one (200 mg, 0.7246 mmole), 2-(2methoxyphenyl)acetic acid (180 mg, 1.0869 mmole), HATU (550 g, 1.4492 mmole), DIPEA (233 mg, 1.8115 mmole) in DMF (10 mL) at RT 12 h. The title compound was isolated (Eluent 50% ethyl acetate in Hexane). TLC: R_f = 0.4 (EtOAc/Hexane 5:5) [silica gel, UV and KMnO₄ stain]. White solid, yield 88%, m.p. 158–160^o C; ¹ **H** NMR (400 MHz, DMSO-d₆): δ ppm 10.33 (s, 1H), 8.01-7.99 (m, 3H), 7.56 -7.54 (m, 3H), 7.33 (d, J = 7.20 Hz, 2H), 7.23 (t, J = 8.00 Hz, 1H), 7.17 (d, J = 7.20 Hz, 1H), 6.95 (d, J = 8.00 Hz, 1H), 6.88 (t, J = 7.60 Hz, 1H), 3.73 (s, 3H), 3.62 (s, 2H), 2.56 (s, 3H), 2.01 (s, 3H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz DMSO-d₆): δ ppm 205.76, 169.88, 157.68, 151.64, 144.16, 143.00, 138.22, 135.41, 135.36, 131.46, 130.15, 129.54, 132.34, 129.18, 128.54, 125.47, 124.36, 124.16, 120.59, 113.21, 111.12, 55.84, 38.11, 32.26, 23.67; IR Stretching; N-H (3344 cm⁻¹), C=O (1691 cm⁻¹, C=C (1540 cm⁻¹); HRMS (ESI) m/z: [M + H] + Calculated for C₂₇H₂₅N₂O₃ 425.1859; Found 425.1859 N-(3-Acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2-(4-methoxyphenyl)acetamide (6g).



1-(6-amino-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-3-yl)ethan-1-one (400 mg, 1.4492 mmole), 2-(4methoxyphenyl)acetic acid (366 mg, 2.1739 mmole), HATU (1.1 g, 2.8985 mmole), DIPEA (560 mg,4.3478 mmole) in DMF (10 mL) at RT 12 h. The title compound was isolated (Eluent 50% ethyl acetate in Hexane). TLC: R_f = 0.4 (EtOAc/Hexane 5:5) [silica gel, UV and KMnO₄ stain]. White solid, yield : 70%, m.p. 160–162^o C; ¹ **H** NMR (400 MHz, DMSO-d₆): δ ppm 10.41 (s, 1H), 7.95-7.95 (m, 3H), 7.54-7.53 (m, 3H), 7.28-7.27 (m, 2H), 7.17 (d, J = 8.80 Hz, 2H), 6.83 (d, J = 8.80 Hz, 2H), 3.68 (s, 3H), 3.51 (s, 2H), 2.52 (s, 3H), 1.97 (s, 3H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, DMSO-d₆): δ ppm 206.16, 170.53, 158.48, 151.94, 144.00, 143.31, 137.92, 135.40, 130.65, 130.00, 129.46, 129.31, 129.23, 127.92, 125.44, 124.28, 114.19, 113.49, 55.45, 42.73, 32.21, 23.42 ; **IR Stretching;** N-H (349 cm⁻¹), C=O (1686 cm⁻¹, C=C (1535 cm⁻¹); **HRMS (ESI) m/z**: [M + H] + Calculated for C₂₆H₂₂N₂O₃ 425.1865; Found 425.1885

N-(3-Acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2-(2-chlorophenyl)acetamide (6h).



1-(6-amino-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-3-yl)ethan-1-one (200 mg, 0.7246 mmole), 2-(2chlorophenyl)acetic acid (246 mg, 1.4492 mmole), HATU (550 mg, 1.4492 mmole), DIPEA (233 mg, 1.8115 mmole) in DMF (10 mL) at RT 12 h. The title compound was isolated (Eluent 50% ethyl acetate in Hexane). TLC: $R_f = 0.4$ (EtOAc/Hexane 5:5) [silica gel, UV and KMnO₄ stain]. White solid, yield : 75%, m.p. 208–210⁰ C;¹ H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO-d₆): δ ppm δ 10.53 (s, 1H), 8.01 (dd, J = 2.00, 9.00 Hz, 1H), 7.98 (d, J = 9.20 Hz, 1H), 7.94 (s, 1H), 7.56-7.55 (m, 3H), 7.43-7.42 (m, 2H), 7.34-7.34 (m, 4H), 3.84 (s, 2H), 2.57 (s, 3H), 2.01 (s, 3H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, DMSO-d₆): δ ppm 206.1, 168.68, 151.76, 144.24, 143.04, 138.04, 135.42, 135.39, 134.17, 134.13, 132.75, 130.14, 129.61, 129.44, 129.36, 129.19, 129.08, 127.51, 125.48, 124.11, 113.34, 41.19, 32.24, 23.66; **IR Stretching;** N-H (3275 cm⁻¹), C=O (1704 cm⁻¹, C=C (1537 cm⁻¹); **HRMS (ESI) m/z**: [M + H] + Calculated for C₂₆H₂₂ClN₂O₂ 429.1364; Found 429.1362

N-(3-Acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2-(4-chlorophenyl)acetamide (6i).



1-(6-amino-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-3-yl)ethan-1-one (200 mg, 0.7246 mmole), 2-(4chlorophenyl)acetic acid (246 mg, 1.4492 mmole), HATU (550 mg, 1.4492 mmole), DIPEA (233 mg, 1.8115 mmole) in DMF (10 mL) at RT 12 h. The title compound was isolated (Eluent 50% ethyl acetate in Hexane). TLC: $R_f = 0.4$ (EtOAc/Hexane 5:5) [silica gel, UV and KMnO₄ stain]. White solid, yield : 80%, m.p. 92–94^o C; ¹ H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO-d₆): δ ppm 10.46 (s, 1H), 8.02 (d, J = 9.20 Hz, 1H), 7.97 (d, J = 8.80 Hz, 1H), 7.91 (s, 1H), 7.57-7.55 (m, 3H), 7.37-7.35 (m, 6H), 3.64 (s, 2H), 2.56 (s, 3H), 2.00 (s, 3H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, DMSO-d₆): δ ppm 205.72, 169.50, 151.82, 144.24, 143.02, 137.97, 135.40, 135.35, 135.14, 131.60, 130.15, 129.21, 128.67, 125.43, 124.09, 113.42, 42.80, 32.24, 23.67; **IR Stretching;** N-H (3579 cm⁻¹), C=O (1706 cm⁻¹, C=C (1494 cm⁻¹); **HRMS (ESI) m/z**: [M + H] + Calculated for C₂₆H₂₂ClN₂O₂ 429.1364; Found 429.1363

N-(3-Acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2-(3-bromophenyl)acetamide (6j).



1-(6-amino-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-3-yl)ethan-1-one (200 mg, 0.7246 mmole), 2-(3bromophenyl)acetic acid (334 mg, 1.4492 mmole), HATU (550 mg, 1.4492 mmole), DIPEA (233 mg, 1.8115 mmole) in DMF (10 mL) at RT 12 h. The title compound was isolated (Eluent 50% ethyl acetate in Hexane). TLC: $R_f = 0.5$ (EtOAc/Hexane 5:5) [silica gel, UV and KMnO₄ stain]. White solid, yield : 78%, m.p. 142–144° C; ¹**H** NMR (400 MHz, DMSO-d₆): δ ppm 10.45 (s, 1H), 8.02 (d, J = 8.40 Hz, 1H), 7.97 (d, J = 9.20 Hz, 1H), 7.90 (s, 1H), 7.56-7.51 (m, 4H), 7.45-7.43 (m, 1H), 7.33 (d, J = 6.80 Hz, 2H), 7.28 (d, J = 8.00 Hz, 2H), 3.66 (s, 2H), 2.56 (s, 3H), 2.00 (s, 3H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, DMSO-d₆): δ ppm 205.71, 169.31, 151.86, 144.26, 143.04, 138.82, 137.92, 135.41, 135.34, 132.48, 130.88, 130.15, 129.93, 129.63, 129.39, 129.22, 128.89, 125.43, 124.10, 121.91, 113.46, 42.98, 32.24, 23.68; **IR Stretching;** N-H (3332 cm⁻¹), C=O (1695 cm⁻¹, C=C (1534 cm⁻¹); **HRMS (ESI) m/z**: [M + H] + Calculated for C₂₆H₂₂BrN₂O₂ 473.0859; Found 473.0858

N-(3-Acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2-(4-bromophenyl)acetamide(6k).



1-(6-amino-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-3-yl)ethan-1-one (200 mg, 0.7246 mmole), 2-(4bromophenyl)acetic acid (334 mg, 1.4492 mmole), HATU (550 mg, 1.4492 mmole), DIPEA (233 mg, 1.8115 mmole) in DMF (10 mL) at RT 12 h. The title compound was isolated (Eluent 50% ethyl acetate in Hexane). TLC: R_f = 0.5 (EtOAc/Hexane 5:5) [silica gel, UV and KMnO₄ stain].White solid, yield : 70%, m.p.: 108–110^o C; ¹ H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO-d₆): δ ppm 400 MHz, CDCl3: δ 10.50 (s, 1H), 8.02 (dd, J = 1.60, 9.00 Hz, 1H), 7.97 (d, J = 8.80 Hz, 1H), 7.92 (s, 1H), 7.57-7.55 (m, 3H), 7.50-7.48 (m, 2H), 7.33 (d, J = 2.00 Hz, 2H), 7.25 (d, J = 8.00 Hz, 2H), 3.63 (s, 2H), 2.56 (s, 3H), 2.00 (s, 3H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, DMSO-d₆): δ ppm 205.72, 169.44, 151.82, 144.24, 143.03, 137.98, 135.57, 135.39, 135.35, 132.0, 131.59, 130.14, 129.60, 129.37, 129.21, 125.43, 124.10, 120.26, 113.42, 42.86, 32.24, 23.67; **IR Stretching:** N-H (3396 cm⁻¹), C=O (1691 cm⁻¹, C=C (1485 cm⁻¹); **HRMS (ESI) m/z**: [M + H] + Calculated for C₂₆H₂₂BrN₂O₂ 473.0859; Found 473.0856

N-(3-Acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2-phenoxyacetamide (6l).



1-(6-amino-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-3-yl)ethan-1-one (400 mg, 1.4492 mmole), 2-phenoxyacetic

acid (286 mg, 1.8840 mmole), HATU (1.3 g,3.6231 mmole), DIPEA (476 mg, 3.6231 mmole) in DMF (10 mL) at RT 12 h. The title compound was isolated (Eluent 40% ethyl acetate in Hexane). TLC: $R_f = 0.6$ (EtOAc/Hexane 5:5) [silica gel, UV and KMnO₄ stain]. Pale yellow solid, yield 72%, m.p.: 196–198° C; ¹H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO-d₆): δ ppm 10.41 (s, 1H), 8.06 (dd, J = 2.00, 9.00 Hz, 1H), 8.00 (d, J = 4.80 Hz, 1H), 7.95 (d, J = 2.00 Hz, 1H), 7.58-7.57 (m, 3H), 7.36-7.35 (m, 4H), 6.97-6.96 (m, 3H), 4.68 (s, 2H), 2.57 (s, 3H), 2.01 (s, 3H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, DMSO-d₆): δ ppm 210.48, 172.11, 162.99, 156.83, 149.15, 147.88, 142.03, 140.16, 140.04, 134.93, 134.74, 133.97, 130.13, 129.28, 126.38, 119.79, 72.17, 37.00, 28.45; IR Stretching; N-H (3394 cm⁻¹), C=O (1690 cm⁻¹, C=C (1526 cm⁻¹); HRMS (ESI) m/z: [M + H] + Calculated for C₂₆H₂₂N₂O₃ 411.1708; Found 411.1719

N-(3-Acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2-(benzyloxy)acetamide (6m).



1-(6-amino-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-3-yl)ethan-1-one (400 1.4492 mmole), 2mg, (benzyloxy)acetic acid (360 mg, 2.1739 mmole), HATU (1.1 g,2.8985 mmole), DIPEA (560 mg, 4.3478 mmole) in DMF (10 mL) at RT 12 h. The title compound was isolated (Eluent 40% ethyl acetate in Hexane). TLC: $R_f = 0.6$ (EtOAc/Hexane 5:5) [silica gel, UV and KMnO₄ stain]. White solid, yield 62%, m.p. 138–140° C; ¹H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO-d₆): δ ppm 10.12 (s, 1H), 8.07 (dd, J = 2.40, 9.00 Hz, 1H), 7.98 (d, J = 8.80 Hz, 1H), 7.96 (d, J = 2.00 Hz, 1H), 7.59-7.57 (m, 3H), 7.37-7.37 (m, 7H), 4.59 (s, 2H), 4.07 (s, 2H), 2.57 (s, 3H), 2.01 (s, 3H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, DMSOd_{6m}): δ ppm 210.49, 173.54, 156.72, 149.12, 147.87, 142.89, 142.09, 140.13, 140.09, 134.95, 134.12, 133.95, 133.50, 133.01, 132.88, 130.09, 129.45, 119.02, 77.61, 74.57, 37.00, 28.45; IR Stretching; N-H (3275 cm⁻¹), C=O (1704 cm⁻¹) C=C (1537 cm⁻¹); HRMS (ESI) m/z: [M + H] + Calculated for C₂₇H₂₄N₂O₃ 425.1865; Found 425.1888

N-(3-Acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)cinnamamide (6n).



1-(6-amino-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-3-yl)ethan-1-one (500 mg, 1.8115 mmole), cinnamic acid (536 mg, 3.6231 mmole), HATU (1.7 g, 4.5289 mmole), DIPEA (701 mg, 5.4347 mmole) in DMF (10 mL) at RT 12 h. The title compound was isolated (Eluent 60% ethyl acetate in Hexane). TLC: R_f = 0.4 (EtOAc/Hexane 5:5) [silica gel, UV and KMnO₄ stain]. Pale yellow solid, yield 70%, **m.p.** 188–190° C; ¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, DMSO-d₆): δ ppm 10.49 (s, 1H), 8.10 (dd, J = 2.40, 7.80 Hz, 1H), 8.06 (d, J = 1.60 Hz, 1H), 8.01 (d, J = 8.80 Hz, 1H), 7.61-7.60 (m, 6H), 7.44-7.42 (m, 1H), 6.80 (d, J = 15.60 Hz, 1H), 2.58 (s, 3H), 2.02 (s, 3H); ¹³**C NMR** (100 MHz, DMSO-d₆): δ ppm 205.71, 172.45, 164.23, 151.86, 144.32, 143.09, 141.12, 138.11, 135.41, 135.11, 130.20, 129.48, 129.22. 128.21, 125.54, 124.20, 122.31, 121.18, 113.71, 32.27, 23.69; **IR Stretching;** N-H (3317 cm⁻¹), C=O (1688 cm⁻¹), C=C (1551 cm⁻¹); **HRMS (ESI) m/z**: [M + H] + Calculated for C₂₇H₂₂N₂O₂ 407.1759; Found 407.1785

(E)-N-(3-Acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-3-(4methoxyphenyl)acrylamide(60).



1-(6-amino-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-3-yl)ethan-1-one (450 mg, 1.6304 mmole), (E)-3-(4methoxyphenyl)acrylic acid (435 mg, 3.6231 mmole), HATU (1.7 g, 4.5289 mmole), DIPEA (701 mg, 5.4347 mmole) in DMF (10 mL) at RT 12 h. The title compound was isolated (Eluent 60% ethyl acetate in Hexane). TLC: $R_f = 0.4$ (EtOAc/Hexane 5:5) [silica gel, UV and KMnO₄ stain]. Pale yellow solid, yield 64%, **m.p**. 228–230° C; ¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, DMSO-d₆): δ ppm 10.39 (s, 1H), 8.10 (dd, J = 2.40, 9.00 Hz, 1H), 8.04 (d, J = 2.00 Hz, 1H), 7.97 (d, J = 11.60 Hz, 1H), 7.60-7.30 (m, 3H), 7.56-7.55 (m, 3H), 7.38-7.37 (m, 2H), 7.00 (d, J = 8.80 Hz, 2H), 6.65 (d, J = 15.60 Hz, 1H), 3.80 (s, 3H), 2.57 (s, 3H), 2.02 (s, 3H); ¹³C **NMR** (100 MHz, DMSO-d₆): δ ppm 205.74, 164.56, 161.14, 151.75, 144.25, 143.04, 140.89, 138.26, 135.43, 135.38, 130.20, 129.87, 129.21, 127.67, 125.54, 124.19, 119.68, 114.94, 113.53, 55.37, 32.27, 23.69; **IR Stretching;** N-H (3369 cm⁻¹), C=O (1678 cm⁻¹), C=C (1493 cm⁻¹); **HRMS (ESI) m/z**: [M + H] + Calculated for C₂₈H₂₄N₂O₃ 437.1865; Found 437.1895 **N-(3-Acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2,6-dichloroisonicotinamide (6p).**



1-(6-amino-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-3-yl)ethan-1-one (400 mg, 1.4492 mmole), 2,6dichloroisonicotinic acid (333 mg, 1.7309 mmole), HATU (1.3 g, 3.6231 mmole), DIPEA (476 mg, 3.6231 mmole) in DMF (10 mL) at RT 12 h. The title compound was isolated (Eluent 50% ethyl acetate in Hexane). TLC: $R_f = 0.5$ (EtOAc/Hexane 5:5) [silica gel, UV and KMnO₄ stain]. Brown solid, yield 70%, **m.p.** 179–181° C; ¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, DMSO-d₆): δ ppm 10.85 (bs, 1H), 8.17 (dd, J = 2.40, 8.80 Hz, 1H), 8.05 (d, J = 9.20 Hz, 2H), 7.98 (s, 2H), 7.60-7.59 (m, 3H), 7.38-7.37 (m, 2H), 2.59 (s, 3H), 2.03 (s, 3H); ¹³C **NMR** (100 MHz DMSO-, d₆): δ ppm 205.66, 172.49, 161.99, 152.62, 150.22, 148.46, 144.73, 143.33, 173.06, 135.52, 135.20, 130.19, 129.26, 125.29, 124.89, 122.40, 115.45, 32.24, 23.75; **IR Stretching;** N-H (3337 cm⁻¹), C=O (1690 cm⁻¹), C=C (1535 cm⁻¹); **HRMS (ESI) m/z**: [M + H] + Calculated for C₂₄H₁₇Cl₂N₃O₂ 450.0776 Found 450.0777

N-(3-Acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-3,6-dichloropicolinamide (6q).



DMSO-d₆): δ ppm 205.66, 162.50, 151.80, 148.20, 144.63, 143.26, 142.33, 137.11, 135.52, 135.21, 130.21, 129.24, 127.93, 127.53, 125.42, 124.23, 114.67, 32.26, 23.76; **IR Stretching;** N-H (3217 cm⁻¹), C=O (1680 cm⁻¹), C=C (1503 cm⁻¹); **HRMS (ESI) m/z**: [M + H] + Calculated for C₂₄H₁₇Cl₂N₃O₂ 450.0776; Found 450.077

N-(7-Acetyl-6-methyl-8-phenylnaphthalen-2-yl)-5-bromonicotinamide (6r).



1-(6-amino-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-3-yl)ethan-1-one (400 mg, 1.4492 mmole), 5-bromonicotinic acid (434 mg, 2.1739 mmole), HATU (1.3 g,3.6231 mmole), DIPEA (467 mg, 3.6231 mmole) in DMF (10 mL) at RT 12 h. The title compound was isolated (Eluent 70% ethyl acetate in Hexane). TLC: $R_f = 0.3$ (EtOAc/Hexane 5:5) [silica gel, UV and KMnO₄ stain]. Yellow solid, yield 60%, m.p.: 152–154^o C; ¹H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO-d₆) δ ppm 10.74 (s, 1H), 9.03 (s, 1H), 8.87 (s, 1H), 8.50 (s, 1H), 8.18 (d, J = 5.20 Hz, 1H), 8.07-8.04 (m, 2H), 7.58 (s, 3H), 7.38 (s, 2H), 2.58 (s, 3H), 2.02 (s, 3H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, DMSO-d₆): δ ppm 205.69, 163.27, 162.78, 153.23, 152.34, 147.88, 144.62, 143.24, 138.23, 137.50, 135.46, 135.29, 132.36, 130.21, 129.53, 129.43, 129.23, 125.30, 124.96, 120.38, 115.11, 32.22, 23.73; **IR Stretching;** N-H (3436 cm⁻¹), C=O (1686 cm⁻¹); **HRMS** (**ESI) m/z**: [M + H] + Calculated for C₂₄H₁₉BrN₃O₂ 460.0660 ; Found 460.0657

N-(3-Acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2-hydroxybenzamide (6s).



1-(6-amino-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-3-yl)ethan-1-one (400 mg, 1.4492 mmole), 2-hydroxybenzoic acid (300 mg, 2.1739 mmole), HATU (1.1 g, 2.8985 mmole), DIPEA (373 mg, 2.8985 mmole) in DMF (10 mL) at RT 12 h. The title compound was isolated (Eluent 50% ethyl acetate in Hexane). TLC: $R_f = 0.5$ (EtOAc/Hexane 5:5) [silica gel, UV and KMnO₄ stain]. Yellow solid, yield 50%, m.p.: 168–170° C; ¹H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO-d₆) δ ppm 11.563 (bs, 400 MHz, CDCl3: δ 11.563 (bs, 1H),

10.605 (bs, 1H), 8.11 (dd, J = 2.40, 9.00 Hz, 1H), 8.04-8.02 (m, 2H), 7.87 (dd, J = 1.20, 8.00 Hz, 1H), 7.60-7.60 (m, 3H), 7.44-7.44 (m, 3H), 6.98-6.96 (m, 2H), 2.592 (s, 3H), 2.026 (s, 3H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, DMSO-d₆): δ ppm 205.68, 172.44, 167.20, 158.62, 152.29, 144.62, 143.25, 137.15, 135.45, 135.30, 134.09, 130.25, 129.22, 125.59, 125.35, 119.49, 117.59, 115.49, 32.24, 23.73; **IR Stretching;** N-H (3331 cm⁻¹), C=O (1694 cm⁻¹); **HRMS (ESI) m/z**: [M + H] + Calculated for C₂₅H₂₀N₂O₃ 397.1552; Found 397.1584

N-(3-Acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2-amino-5-iodobenzamide (6t).



1-(6-amino-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-3-yl)ethan-1-one (450 mg, 1.6304 mmole), 2-amino-4iodobenzoic acid (514 mg, 1.9565 mmole), HATU (1.5 g, 4.0760 mmole), DIPEA (525 mg, 4.0760 mmole) in DMF (10 mL) at RT 12 h. The title compound was isolated (Eluent 40% ethyl acetate in Hexane). TLC: $R_f = 0.6$ (EtOAc/Hexane 5:5) [silica gel, UV and KMnO₄ stain]. Yellow solid, yield 62%, m.p.: 108–110° C; ¹H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO-d₆) ppm δ 10.36 (s, 1H), 8.15 (dd, J = 2.40, 9.20 Hz, 1H), 8.00 (d, J = 9.20 Hz, 1H), 7.92 (d, J = 2.40 Hz, 1H), 7.84 (d, J = 2.00 Hz, 1H), 7.60-7.58 (m, 3H), 7.52 (dd, J = 2.00, 51.60 Hz, 1H), 7.38-7.38 (m, 2H), 6.60 (d, J = 8.40 Hz, 1H), 6.42 (s, 2H), 2.70 (s, 3H), 2.01 (s, 3H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, DMSO-d₆): δ ppm 205.77, 167.10, 151.99, 149.76, 144.46, 143.11, 140.65, 137.97, 136.90, 135.37, 130.28, 129.23, 125.67, 125.25, 119.34, 117.69, 115.17, 32.25, 23.73; **IR Stretching;** N-H (3471 cm⁻¹), C=O (1696 cm⁻¹); **HRMS (ESI) m/z**: [M + H] + Calculated for C₂₅H₂₀IN₃O₂ 522.0878; Found 522.0685

N-(3-Acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-3,5-dimethoxybenzamide (6u).



1-(6-amino-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-3-yl)ethan-1-one (500 mg, 1.8115 mmole), 3,5dimethoxybenzoic acid (494 mg, 2.7173 mmole), HATU (1.7 g, 4.5289 mmole), DIPEA (584 mg, 4.5289 mmole) in DMF (10 mL) at RT 12 h. The title compound was isolated (Eluent 60% ethyl acetate in Hexane). TLC: $R_f = 0.5$ (EtOAc/Hexane 5:5) [silica gel, UV and KMnO₄ stain]. Yellow solid, yield 76%, m.p.: 179–181° C; ¹H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO-d₆) ppm δ 10.45 (s, 1H), 8.18-8.17 (m, 2H), 8.02 (d, J = 9.20 Hz, 1H), 7.06 (d, J = 2.00 Hz, 1H), 6.70 (s, 1H), 3.81 (s, 6H), 2.58 (s, 3H), 2.02 (s, 3H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, DMSO-d₆): δ ppm 205.76, 172.47, 165.84, 160.81, 152.08, 144.49, 143.23, 137.91, 137.16, 135.41, 135.38, 130.23, 129.41, 129.33, 129.22, 125.38, 125.32, 115.01, 160.14, 103.95, 55.97, 32.25, 23.71; **IR Stretching;** N-H (3369 cm⁻¹), C=O (1678 cm⁻¹) C=C (1493 cm⁻¹); **HRMS (ESI) m/z**: [M + H] Calculated for C₂₈H₂₅NO₂ 441.1814; Found 441.1838

N-(3-Acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2-amino-5-chloro-3-methylbenzamide (6v).



1-(6-amino-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-3-yl)ethan-1-one (500 mg, 1.8115 mmole), 2-amino-5-chloro-3-methylbenzoic acid (435 mg, 2.3550 mmole), HATU (1.7 g, 4.5289 mmole), DIPEA (584 mg, 4.5289 mmole) in DMF (10 mL) at RT 12 h. The title compound was isolated (Eluent 40% ethyl acetate in Hexane). TLC: $R_f = 0.6$ (EtOAc/Hexane 5:5) [silica gel, UV and KMnO₄ stain].Yellow solid, yield 65%, m.p.: 130–132° C; ¹H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO-d₆): δ ppm 10.32 (s, 1H), 8.10 (dd, J = 2.00, 9.00 Hz, 1H), 7.93 (d, J = 8.80 Hz, 1H), 7.87 (d, J = 2.40 Hz, 1H), 7.53-7.51 (m, 4H), 7.30 (dd, J = 2.00, 7.40 Hz, 2H), 7.12 (d, J = 2.00 Hz, 1H), 5.69 (s, 2H), 2.51 (s, 3H), 2.04 (s, 3H), 1.94 (s, 3H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, DMSO-d₆): δ ppm 205.76, 172.46, 167.73, 152.03, 147.12, 144.47, 143.14, 137.94, 135.35, 132.82, 130.27, 129.39, 129.21, 126.18, 126.06, 125.64, 125.25, 118.18, 116.07, 115.26, 55.37, 32.25, 23.73, 21.51; **IR Stretching;** N-H (3355 cm⁻¹), C=O (1692 cm⁻¹) C=C (1539 cm⁻¹); **HRMS (ESI) m/z**: [M + H] Calculated for C₂₆H₂₃ClN₃O₂ 444.1473; Found 444.1473 **N-(3-Acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-5-chloro-2-nitrobenzamide (6w).**



1-(6-amino-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-3-yl)ethan-1-one (500 mg, 1.8115 mmole), 5-chloro-2nitrobenzoic acid (543 mg, 2.3550 mmole), HATU (1.7 g, 4.5289 mmole), DIPEA (584 mg, 4.5289 mmole) in DMF (10 mL) at RT 12 h. The title compound was isolated (Eluent 50% ethyl acetate in Hexane). TLC: $R_f = 0.5$ (EtOAc/Hexane 5:5) [silica gel, UV and KMnO₄ stain]. Brown solid, yield 50%, m.p.: 118–120° C; ¹H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO-d₆) δ ppm 10.98 (s, 1H), 8.18 (d, J = 8.80 Hz, 1H), 8.13 (dd, J = 2.00, 9.00 Hz, 1H), 8.05 (d, J = 9.20 Hz, 1H), 7.97 (d, J = 2.40 Hz, 1H), 7.91 (d, J = 2.00 Hz, 1H), 7.84 (dd, J = 2.40, 8.80 Hz, 1H), 7.59-7.57 (m, 3H), 7.38-7.38 (m, 2H), 2.60 (s, 3H), 2.04 (s, 3H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, DMSO-d₆): δ ppm 205.67, 172.47, 163.23, 152.36, 145.29, 144.56, 143.21, 139.31, 137.51, 135.50, 135.23, 134.44, 131.33, 130.18, 129.82, 129.74, 129.42, 129.23, 126.80, 125.41, 124.22, 114.42, 32.27, 23.75; IR Stretching; N-H (3266 cm⁻¹), C=O (1688 cm⁻¹), C=C (1519 cm⁻¹); HRMS (ESI) m/z: [M + H] Calculated for C₂₆H₂₂ClN₃O₂ 460.1064; Found 460.1076

N-(3-Acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-3-chloro-2-nitrobenzamide (6x).



1-(6-amino-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-3-yl)ethan-1-one (450 mg, 1.6304 mmole), 3-chloro-2nitrobenzoic acid (456 mg, 2.2826 mmole), HATU (1.5 g, 4.0760 mmole), DIPEA (525 mg, 4.0760 mmole) in DMF (10 mL) at RT 12 h. The title compound was isolated (Eluent 60% ethyl acetate in Hexane). TLC: $R_f = 0.4$ (EtOAc/Hexane 5:5) [silica gel, UV and KMnO₄ stain]. Pale Yellow solid, yield 86 %, m.p.: 124–126^o C; ¹H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO-d₆) δ ppm 11.15 (s, 1H), 8.21 (d, J = 8.40 Hz, 1H), 8.09 (d, J = 9.20 Hz, 1H), 7.95-7.93 (m, 4H), 7.59 (s, 3H), 7.29 (s, 2H), 2.63 (s, 3H), 2.03 (s, 3H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz DMSO-d₆): δ ppm 205.03, 162.76, 162.64, 152.60, 147.40, 144.68, 143.12, 137.63, 135.61, 134.86, 133.67, 132.78, 131.38, 130.15, 129.71, 129.32, 128.80, 128.53, 125.58, 125.24, 125.18, 115.15, 31.22, 23.13; IR Stretching; N-H (3393 cm⁻¹), C=O (1688 cm⁻¹), C=C (1534 cm⁻¹); HRMS (ESI) m/z: [M + H] Calculated for C₂₈H₂₅NO₂ 460.1064; Found 460.1064 **N-(7-Acetyl-6-methyl-8-phenylnaphthalen-2-yl)-2-(phenylamino)benzamide(6y).**



1-(6-amino-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-3-yl)ethan-1-one (400 1.4492 mmole), 2mg, (phenylamino)benzoic acid (401 mg, 1.8840 mmole), HATU (1.1 g, 3.6231 mmole), DIPEA (476 mg, 3.6231 mmole) in DMF (10 mL) at RT 12 h. The title compound was isolated (Eluent 60% ethyl acetate in Hexane). TLC: $R_f = 0.4$ (EtOAc/Hexane 5:5) [silica gel, UV and KMnO₄ stain]. White solid, yield 80%, m.p.: 208–208° C; ¹H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO-d₆) δ ppm 10.61 (s, 1H), 8.949 (s, 1H), 8.20 (dd, J = 1.60, 9.00 Hz, 1H), 8.01 (d, J = 9.20 Hz, 1H), 7.94 (d, J = 1.60 Hz, 1H), 7.72 (d, J = 7.20 Hz, 1H), 7.59-7.57 (m, 3H), 7.37-7.36 (m, 3H), 7.30-7.28 (m, 3H), 7.13 (d, J = 7.60 Hz, 2H), 6.97-6.95 (m, 2H), 2.59 (s, 3H), 2.01 (s, 3H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, DMSO-d₆): δ ppm 205.76, 168.25, 152.11, 144.53, 144.38, 143.15, 142.12, 137.84, 135.37, 135.33, 132.68, 130.27, 129.80, 129.21, 125.56, 125.26, 122.22, 120.93, 119.85, 119.04, 116.27, 115.34, 32.23, 23.73; IR Stretching; N-H (3328 cm⁻¹), C=O (1710 cm⁻¹), C=C (1591 cm⁻¹); HRMS (ESI) m/z: [M + H] Calculated for C31H25N3O2 472.2025; Found 472.2027

N-(7-Acetyl-6-methyl-8-phenylnaphthalen-2-yl)-1-butyl-1H-indazole-3-carboxamide (6z).



1-(6-Amino-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-3-yl)ethan-1-one (400 mg, 1.4492 mmole), 1-butyl-1Hindazole-3-carboxylic acid (379 mg, 1.7391 mmole), HATU (1.1 g, 2.8985 mmole), DIPEA (560 mg, 4.3478 mmole) in DMF (10 mL) at RT 12 h. The title compound was isolated (Eluent 60% ethyl acetate in Hexane). TLC: $R_f = 0.5$ (EtOAc/Hexane 5:5) [silica gel, UV and KMnO₄ stain]. White solid, yield 90%, m.p.: 180–182° C; ¹H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO-d₆) δ ppm 10.60 (s, 1H), 8.33 (dd, J = 2.00, 9.00 Hz, 1H), 8.23 (d, J = 2.00 Hz, 1H), 8.17 (d, J = 8.40 Hz, 1H), 8.02 (d, J = 9.20 Hz, 1H), 7.81 (d, J = 8.40 Hz, 1H), 7.62-7.60 (m, 3H), 7.48 (t, J = 7.20 Hz, 1H), 7.37 (dd, J = 2.00, 27.40 Hz, 2H), 7.30 (t, J = 7.60 Hz, 1H), 4.53 (t, J = 7.20 Hz, 2H), 2.59 (s, 3H), 2.02 (s, 3H), 1.880 (qt, 3H), 1.2765 (sext, 2H), 0.89 (t, J = -7.20 Hz, 3H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, DMSO-d₆): δ ppm 205.80, 161.28, 151.91, 144.45, 143.19, 141.12, 137.71, 137.26, 135.46, 135.39, 130.30, 129.38, 129.25, 127.19, 125.47, 125.34, 123.11, 122.88, 122.19, 115.01, 110.97, 49.09, 32.22, 31.97, 23.71, 19.90, 13.98; **IR Stretching;** N-H (3335 cm⁻¹), C=O (1698 cm⁻¹), C=C (1543 cm⁻¹); **HRMS (ESI) m/z**: [M + H] Calculated for C₃₁H₂₉N₃O₂ 477.2290; Found 477.2280

Ethyl 6-Acetamido-2-methyl-4-phenylquinoline-3-carboxylate (6aa).



Ethyl 6-amino-2-methyl-4-phenylquinoline-3-carboxylate (500 mg, 1.6339 mmole), acetic acid (980 mg, 16.3398 mmole), HATU (1.2 g, 3.2679 mmole), DIPEA (526 mg, 4.0849 mmole) in DMF (10 mL) at RT 10 h. The title compound was isolated (Eluent 80% ethyl acetate in Hexane). TLC: R_f = 0.3 (EtOAc/Hexane 5:5) [silica gel, UV and KMnO₄ stain]. Brown solid, yield 60%, m.p.: 158–160° C; ¹H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO-d₆): ppm δ 10.20 (s, 1H), 8.04 (dd, J = 2.00, 9.00 Hz, 1H), 7.97 (d, J = 9.20 Hz, 1H), 7.84 (d, J = 2.00 Hz, 1H), 7.55-7.55 (m, 3H), 7.34-7.33 (m, 2H), 4.01 (q, J = 7.20 Hz, 2H), 2.63 (s, 3H), 2.01 (s, 3H), 0.87 (t, J = 7.20 Hz, 3H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, DMSO-, d₆): δ ppm 169.07, 168.16, 152.41, 145.20, 144.42, 138.20, 135.70, 129.55, 129.01, 128.84, 127.70, 125.32, 124.48, 113.48, 61.45, 24.41, 23.52, 12.88. HRMS (ESI) m/z: [M + H] + Calcd for C₂₁H₂₁N₂O₃ 349.1547; Found 349.1543.

Ethyl 2-Methyl-4-phenyl-6-(2,2,2-trifluoroacetamido)quinoline-3-carboxylate (6ab).



Ethyl 6-amino-2-methyl-4-phenylquinoline-3-carboxylate (500 mg, 1.6339 mmole), trifluoroacetic acid (745 mg, 6.5359 mmole), HATU (993 mg, 2.6143 mmole), DIPEA (421 mg, 3.2679 mmole) in DMF (10 mL) at RT 10 h. The title compound was isolated (Eluent 80% ethyl acetate in Hexane).

TLC: $R_f = 0.5$ (EtOAc/Hexane 5:5) [silica gel, UV and KMnO₄ stain]. Brown solid, yield 65%, m.p.: 138–140° C; ¹H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO-d₆): δ ppm 11.52 (s, 1H), 8.15 (dd, J = 2.00, 9.20 Hz, 1H), 8.08 (d, J = 9.20 Hz, 1H), 7.98 (d, J = 2.00 Hz, 1H), 7.58-7.57 (m, 3H), 7.37-7.36 (m, 2H), 4.03 (q, J = 6.80 Hz, 2H), 2.67 (s, 3H), 0.88 (t, J = 7.20 Hz, 3H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, DMSO-d₆): δ ppm 167.94, 153.99, 145.73, 145.30, 135.37, 135.28, 130.0, 129.58, 129.22, 128.93, 128.02, 125.05, 116.75, 61.59, 3.66, 13.87; HRMS (ESI) m/z: [M + H] + Calcd for C₂₁H₁₈F₃N₂O₃ 403.1264; Found 403.1257

Ethyl 6-(2-Cyanoacetamido)-2-methyl-4-phenylquinoline-3-carboxylate (6ac).



Ethyl 6-amino-2-methyl-4-phenylquinoline-3-carboxylate (500 mg, 1.6339 mmole), 2-cyanoacetic acid (416 mg, 4.9019 mmole), HATU (1.2 gm, 2.6143 mmole), DIPEA (526 mg, 4.0849 mmole) in DMF (10 mL) at RT 10 h. The title compound was isolated (Eluent 50% ethyl acetate in Hexane). TLC: $R_f = 0.5$ (EtOAc/Hexane 5:5) [silica gel, UV and KMnO₄ stain]. Brown solid, yield 68%, m.p.: 198–200° C; ¹H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO-d₆): δ ppm 10.60 (s, 1H), 8.01 (dd, J = 9.20, 11.00 Hz, 1H), 7.97 (d, J = 1.60 Hz, 1H), 7.82 (d, J =8.00 Hz, 1H), 7.57-7.55 (m, 3H), 7.35-7.34 (m, 2H), 4.02 (q, J = 6.80 Hz, 2H), 3.89 (s, 2H), 2.64 (s, 3H), 0.88 (t, J = 7.20 Hz, 3H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, DMSO-d₆): δ ppm 168.05, 161.88, 152.99, 145.35, 144.69, 137.25, 135.52, 129.90, 129.54, 129.12, 128.90, 127.84, 125.28, 124.29, 116.19, 114.16, 61.51, 27.25, 23.58, 13.88; HRMS (ESI) m/z: [M + H] + Calcd for C₂₂H₂₀N₃O₃ 374.1499; Found 374.1495

Ethyl 2-Methyl-4-phenyl-6-(2-Phenylacetamido)quinoline-3-carboxylate (6ad).



Ethyl 6-amino-2-methyl-4-phenylquinoline-3-carboxylate (650 mg, 2.1241 mmole), 2-phenylacetic acid (577 mg, 4.2483 mmole), HATU (1.6 gm, 4.2483 mmole), DIPEA (685 mg, 5.3104 mmole) in DMF (10 mL) at RT 12 h. The title compound was isolated (Eluent 40% ethyl acetate in Hexane).

TLC: $R_f = 0.4$ (EtOAc/Hexane 5:5) [silica gel, UV and KMnO₄ stain]. Pale yellow solid, yield 90%, m.p.: 150–152° C; ¹H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO-d₆): δ ppm 10.37 (s, 1H), 7.97 (dd, J = 1.60, 9.20 Hz, 1H), 7.91 (d, J = 9.20 Hz, 1H), 7.84 (s, 1H), 7.47-7.46 (m, 3H), 7.26-7.25 (m, 6H), 3.93 (q, J = 7.20 Hz, 2H), 3.55 (s, 2H), 2.56 (s, 3H), 0.80 (t, J = 6.80 Hz, 3H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, DMSO-d₆): δ ppm 169.89, 168.13, 152.51, 145.24, 144.50, 138.12, 136.16, 135.67, 129.66, 129.54, 129.04, 128.87, 128.76, 127.02, 125.33, 124.44, 113.57, 61.46, 55.38, 43.70, 23.53, 13.88; HRMS (ESI) m/z: [M + H] + Calcd for C₂₇H₂₅N₂O₃ 425.1859; Found 425.1854

Ethyl 2-Methyl-4-phenyl-6-(2-(p-tolyl)acetamido)quinoline-3-carboxylate (6ae).



Ethyl 6-amino-2-methyl-4-phenylquinoline-3-carboxylate (700 mg, 2.2875 mmole), 2-(p-tolyl)acetic acid (514 mg, 4.2483 mmole), HATU (1.7 gm, 4.5751 mmole), DIPEA (737 mg, 5.7189 mmole) in DMF (10 mL) at RT 12 h. The title compound was isolated (Eluent 50% ethyl acetate in Hexane). TLC: $R_f = 0.5$ (EtOAc/Hexane 5:5) [silica gel, UV and KMnO₄ stain]. White solid, yield 92%, m.p.: 162–1164^o C; ¹ **H NMR** (400 MHz, DMSO-d₆): δ ppm 10.41 (s, 1H), 8.04 (d, J = 9.20 Hz, 1H), 7.98 (d, J = 9.20 Hz, 1H), 7.91 (s, 1H), 7.53-0.00 (m, 3H), 7.32 (d, J = 5.60 Hz, 2H), 7.17 (d, J = 7.60 Hz, 2H), 7.10 (d, J = 7.60 Hz, 2H), 4.01 (q, J = 5.60 Hz, 2H), 3.57 (s, 2H), 2.63 (s, 3H), 2.26 (s, 3H), 0.87 (t, J = 7.20 Hz, 3H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, DMSO-d₆): δ ppm 170.06, 168.14, 152.48, 145.23, 144.47, 138.15, 136.05, 135.67, 133.08, 129.53, 129.50, 129.31, 128.87, 127.77, 125.32, 124.44, 113.54, 61.46, 43.32, 23.53, 21.10, 13.88; HRMS (ESI) m/z: [M + H] + Calculated for C₂₈H₂₇N₂O₃ 439.2016; Found 439.2009

Ethyl-6-(2-(2-Methoxyphenyl)acetamido)-2-methyl-4-phenylquinoline-3-carboxylate (6af)



Ethyl 6-amino-2-methyl-4-phenylquinoline-3-carboxylate (600 mg, 1.9607 mmole), 2-(2methoxyphenyl)acetic acid (488 mg, 2.9411 mmole), HATU (1.4 gm, 3.9215 mmole), DIPEA (632 mg, 4.9019 mmole) in DMF (10 mL) at RT 12 h. The title compound was isolated (Eluent 50% ethyl acetate in Hexane). TLC: $R_f = 0.5$ (EtOAc/Hexane 5:5) [silica gel, UV and KMnO₄ stain]. White solid, yield 94%, m.p.: 164–166° C; ¹H NMR (100 MHz, DMSO-d₆): δ ppm 10.37 (s, 1H), 8.02 (dd, J = 2.00, 9.20 Hz, 1H), 7.99 (d, J = 9.20 Hz, 1H), 7.96 (d, J = 1.60 Hz, 1H), 7.54-7.52 (m, 3H), 7.33-7.33 (m, 2H), 7.25-7.25 (m, 2H), 6.95 (d, J = 8.00 Hz, 1H), 6.88 (t, J = 7.60 Hz, 1H), 4.01 (q, J = 6.80 Hz, 2H), 3.73 (s, 3H), 3.62 (s, 2H), 3.62 (s, 3H), 2.64 (s, 3H), 0.87 (t, J = 7.20 Hz, 3H), ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, DMSO-d₆): δ ppm 169.92, 168.17, 157.67, 152.37, 145.22, 144.44, 138.28, 135.72, 131.46, 129.63, 129.53, 129.02, 128.84, 128.54, 127.74, 125.37, 124.49, 124.34, 120.58, 113.41, 111.09, 61.45, 55.83, 38.12, 23.53, 13.88; HRMS (ESI) m/z: [M + H] + Calculated for C₂₈H₂₇N₂O₄ 455.1965; Found 455.1962

Ethyl 6-(2-(4-Methoxyphenyl)acetamido)-2-methyl-4-phenylquinoline-3-carboxylate (6ag)



Ethyl 6-amino-2-methyl-4-phenylquinoline-3-carboxylate (700 mg, 2.2875 mmole), 2-(4methoxyphenyl)acetic acid (569 mg, .3.4315 mmole), HATU (1.7 gm, 4.5751 mmole), DIPEA (737 mg, 5.7189 mmole) in DMF (10 mL) at RT 12 h. The title compound was isolated (Eluent 50% ethyl acetate in Hexane). TLC: $R_f = 0.5$ (EtOAc/Hexane 5:5) [silica gel, UV and KMnO₄ stain]. White solid, yield : 92 %, m.p.: 138–140° C; ¹H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO-d₆): δ ppm 10.29 (s, 1H), 8.05 (dd, J = 2.00, 9.00 Hz, 1H), 7.98 (d, J = 9.20 Hz, 1H), 7.91 (s, 1H), 7.55-7.53 (m, 3H), 7.33-7.33 (m, 2H), 7.21 (d, J = 8.40 Hz, 2H), 6.86 (d, J = 8.40 Hz, 2H), 4.01 (q, J = 6.80 Hz, 2H), 3.71 (s, 3H), 3.55 (s, 2H), 2.63 (s, 3H), 0.87 (t, J = 7.20 Hz, 3H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, DMSO-d₆): δ ppm 170.24, 168.14, 158.53, 145.22, 144.49, 138.18, 135.70, 130.62, 129.63, 129.54, 129.02, 128.85, 128.06, 127.78, 125.34, 124.46, 114.20, 61.44, 55.48, 42.83, 23.51, 13.87; HRMS (ESI) m/z: [M + H] + Calculated for C₂₈H₂₇N₂O₄ 455.1965; Found 455.1960 Ethyl 6-(2-(2-Chlorophenyl)acetamido)-2-methyl-4-phenylquinoline-3-carboxylate (6ah).



Ethyl 6-amino-2-methyl-4-phenylquinoline-3-carboxylate (700 mg, 2.2875 mmole), 2-(2-chlorophenyl)acetic acid (583 mg, 3.4313 mmole), HATU (1.7 gm, 4.5751 mmole), DIPEA (737 mg, 5.7189 mmole) in DMF (10 mL) at RT 12 h. The title compound was isolated (Eluent 50% ethyl acetate in Hexane). TLC: R_f = 0.5 (EtOAc/Hexane 5:5) [silica gel, UV and KMnO₄ stain]. Pale yellow solid, yield : 86%, m.p.: 152–154^o C; ¹H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO-d₆): δ ppm 10.56-0.00 (m, 1H), 8.07 (dd, J = 2.00, 8.80 Hz, 1H), 8.04 (d, J = 8.80 Hz, 1H), 7.98 (d, J = 1.60 Hz, 1H), 7.58-7.56 (m, 3H), 7.48-7.47 (m, 2H), 7.36-7.36 (m, 4H), 4.05 (q, J = 7.20 Hz, 2H), 3.88 (s, 2H), 2.68 (s, 3H), 0.91 (t, J = 7.20 Hz, 3H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, DMSO-d₆): δ ppm 168.72, 168.14, 152.50, 145.25, 144.48, 138.09, 135.67, 134.14, 134.12, 132.80, 129.72, 129.52, 129.44, 129.11, 129.05, 128.87, 127.79, 127.52, 125.36, 124.40, 113.47, 61.47, 41.20, 23.54, 13.88; IR Stretching; N-H (3354 cm⁻¹), C=O (1701 cm⁻¹, C=C (1539 cm⁻¹); HRMS (ESI) m/z: [M + H] + Calculated for C₂₇H₂₄ClN₂O₃ 459.1470; Found 459.1465

Ethyl 6-(2-(4-Chlorophenyl)acetamido)-2-methyl-4-phenylquinoline-3-carboxylate (6ai).



Ethyl 6-amino-2-methyl-4-phenylquinoline-3-carboxylate (650 mg, 2.1241 mmole), 2-(4chlorophenyl)acetic acid (541 mg, 3.1862 mmole), HATU (1.6 gm, 4.2483 mmole), DIPEA (685 mg, 5.3104 mmole) in DMF (10 mL) at RT 12 h. The title compound was isolated (Eluent 60% ethyl acetate in Hexane). TLC: R_f = 0.4 (EtOAc/Hexane 5:5) [silica gel, UV and KMnO₄ stain]. pale yellow solid, yield : 85%, m.p ; 158–160° C; ¹H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO-d₆): δ ppm 10.46 (s, 1H), 8.03 (dd, J = 2.00, 9.20 Hz, 1H), 7.99 (d, J = 9.20 Hz, 1H), 7.90 (d, J = 1.60 Hz, 1H), 7.55-7.53 (m, 3H), 7.36 (d, J = 8.40 Hz, 2H), 7.33-7.32 (m, 4H), 4.01 (q, J = 6.80 Hz, 2H), 3.64 (s, 2H), 2.63 (s, 3H), 0.87 (t, J = 7.20 Hz, 3H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, DMSO-d₆): δ ppm 169.53, 168.13, 152.56, 145.25, 144.50, 138.03, 135.65, 135.12, 131.61, 129.53, 128.87, 128.68, 125.32, 124.42, 113.61, 61.47, 42.79, 23.54, 13.88; **HRMS (ESI) m/z**: [M + H] + Calculated for C₂₇H₂₄ClN₂O₃ 459.1470; Found 459.1465 **Ethyl 6-(2-(3-Bromophenyl)acetamido)-2-methyl-4-phenylquinoline-3-carboxylate (6aj).**



Ethyl 6-amino-2-methyl-4-phenylquinoline-3-carboxylate (700 mg, 2.2875 mmole), 2-(3bromophenyl)acetic acid (730 mg, 3.4313 mmole), HATU (1.7 gm, 4.5751 mmole), DIPEA (737 mg, 5.7189 mmole) in DMF (10 mL) at RT 12 h. The title compound was isolated (Eluent 60% ethyl acetate in Hexane). TLC: $R_f = 0.4$ (EtOAc/Hexane 5:5) [silica gel, UV and KMnO₄ stain]. White solid, yield: 88%, m.p. 144–146^o C; ¹H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO-d₆): δ ppm 10.46 (s, 1H), 8.04 (d, J = 8.80 Hz, 1H), 7.99 (d, J = 9.20 Hz, 1H), 7.90 (s, 1H), 7.55-7.53 (m, 4H), 7.44 (d, J = 6.80 Hz, 1H), 7.33-7.31 (m, 4H), 4.01 (q, J = 7.20 Hz, 2H), 3.66 (s, 1H), 2.63 (s, 3H), 0.87 (t, J = 7.20 Hz, 3H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, DMSO-d₆): δ ppm 169.33, 168.12, 152.58, 145.25, 144.53, 138.81, 137.98, 135.66, 132.49, 130.87, 129.71, 129.53, 129.06, 128.88, 127.79, 125.32, 124.44, 121.91, 113.66, 61.46, 55.38, 42.98, 23.54, 13.88; HRMS (ESI) m/z: [M + H] + Calculated for C₂₇H₂₄BrN₂O₃ 503.0964; Found 503.0959

Ethyl 6-(2-(4-Bromophenyl)acetamido)-2-methyl-4-phenylquinoline-3-carboxylate (6ak).



Ethyl 6-amino-2-methyl-4-phenylquinoline-3-carboxylate (650 mg, 2.1241 mmole), 2-(4bromophenyl)acetic acid (678 mg, 3.1862 mmole), HATU (1.6 gm, 4.2483 mmole), DIPEA (685 mg, 5.3104 mmole) in DMF (10 mL) at RT 12 h. The title compound was isolated (Eluent 60% ethyl acetate in Hexane). TLC: $R_f = 0.4$ (EtOAc/Hexane 5:5) [silica gel, UV and KMnO₄ stain]. Pale yellow solid, yield : 86%, m.p. 160–162° C; ¹H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO-d₆): δ ppm 10.45 (s, 1H), 8.04 (dd, J = 1.60, 9.20 Hz, 1H), 7.98 (d, J = 9.20 Hz, 1H), 7.90 (s, 1H), 7.54-7.53 (m, 3H), 7.49 (d, J = 8.40 Hz, 2H), 7.32 (d, J = 7.60 Hz, 2H), 7.25 (d, J = 8.40 Hz, 2H), 4.01 (q, J = 6.80 Hz, 2H), 3.62 (s, 2H), 2.63 (s, 3H), 0.87 (t, J = 7.20 Hz, 3H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, DMSO-d₆): δ ppm 169.44, 168.13, 152.56, 145.24, 144.52, 138.02, 135.66, 135.54, 131.99, 131.60, 129.53, 129.05, 128.87, 127.78, 125.32, 124.42, 120.27, 113.62, 61.46, 42.87, 23.54, 13.88;

Ethyl 2-methyl-6-(2-Phenoxyacetamido)-4-phenylquinoline-3-carboxylate (6al).



Ethyl 6-amino-2-methyl-4-phenylquinoline-3-carboxylate (500 mg, 1.6339 mmole), 2-phenoxyacetic acid (496 mg, 3.2679 mmole), HATU (1.2 g, 4.2483 mmole), DIPEA (526 mg, 4.0849 mmole) in DMF (10 mL) at RT 12 h. The title compound was isolated (Eluent 50% ethyl acetate in Hexane). TLC: $R_f = 0.6$ (EtOAc/Hexane 5:5) [silica gel, UV and KMnO₄ stain]. White solid, yield 80%, m.p.: 196–198° C; ¹H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO-d₆): δ ppm 10.41 (s, 1H), 8.08 (dd, J = 1.60, 9.00 Hz, 1H), 8.01 (d, J = 9.20 Hz, 1H), 7.94 (d, J = 1.60 Hz, 1H), 7.55-7.54 (m, 3H), 7.34-7.34 (m, 4H), 6.97-6.96 (m, 3H), 4.67 (s, 2H), 4.01 (q, J = 6.80 Hz, 2H), 2.64 (s, 3H), 0.88 (t, J = 7.20 Hz, 3H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, DMSO-d₆): δ ppm 168.11, 167.38, 158.25, 152.80, 145.35, 144.68, 137.35, 135.60, 129.98, 129.68, 129.56, 129.08, 128.88, 127.81, 125.27, 124.87, 121.63, 115.04, 114.44, 67.42, 61.49, 23.57, 13.89; HRMS (ESI) m/z: [M + H] + Calculated for C₂₇H₂₅N₂O₄ 441.1808; Found 414.1804 **Ethyl 6-(2-(Benzyloxy)acetamido)-2-methyl-4-phenylquinoline-3-carboxylate (6am).**



Ethyl 6-amino-2-methyl-4-phenylquinoline-3-carboxylate (500 mg, 1.6339 mmole), 2-(benzyloxy)acetic acid (542 mg, 3.2679 mmole), HATU (1.2 g, 3.2679 mmole), DIPEA (526 mg, 4.0849 mmole) in DMF (10 mL) at RT 12 h. The title compound was isolated (Eluent 70% ethyl acetate in Hexane). TLC: $R_f = 0.3$ (EtOAc/Hexane 5:5) [silica gel, UV and KMnO₄ stain]. White solid, yield 75%, **m.p.**:118–120^o C; ¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, DMSO-d₆): δ ppm 10.14 (s, 1H), 8.09 (dd, J = 2.40, 9.20 Hz, 1H), 7.99 (d, J = 9.20 Hz, 1H), 7.96 (d, J = 2.40 Hz, 1H), 7.56-7.55 (m, 3H), 7.37-7.37 (m, 7H), 4.58 (s, 2H), 4.08 (s, 2H), 4.02 (q, J = 7.20 Hz, 2H), 2.64 (s, 3H), 0.88 (t, J = 7.20 Hz, 3H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, DMSO-d₆): δ ppm 168.82, 168.14, 152.69, 145.32, 144.64, 138.15, 137.42, 135.65, 129.57, 129.54, 129.05, 128.86, 128.75, 128.26, 128.12, 127.77, 125.24, 125.04, 114.46, 72.85, 69.81, 61.47, 23.56, 13.89; HRMS (ESI) m/z: [M + H] + Calculated for C₂₈H₂₇N₂O₄ 455.1965; Found 4505.1961

Ethyl 6 Cinnamamido-2-methyl-4-phenylquinoline-3-carboxylate (6an).



Ethyl 6-amino-2-methyl-4-phenylquinoline-3-carboxylate (400 mg, 1.3071 mmole), cinnamic acid (383 mg, 2.6143 mmole), HATU (993 mg, 2.6143 mmole), DIPEA (412 mg, 3.2679 mmole) in DMF (10 mL) at RT 12 h. The title compound was isolated (Eluent 60% ethyl acetate in Hexane). TLC: R_f = 0.4 (EtOAc/Hexane 5:5) [silica gel, UV and KMnO₄ stain]. Brown solid, yield 70%, **m.p.**: 194–196^o C; ¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, DMSO-d₆): δ ppm 10.50 (s, 1H), 8.12 (dd, J = 2.00, 9.20 Hz, 1H), 8.05 (d, J = 1.60 Hz, 1H), 8.02 (d, J = 9.20 Hz, 1H), 7.61-7.60 (m, 6H), 7.44-7.42 (m, 3H), 7.38-7.37 (m, 2H), 6.80 (d, J = 15.60 Hz, 1H), 4.02 (q, J = 7.20 Hz, 2H), 2.59 (s, 3H), 0.89 (t, J = 7.20 Hz, 3H); ¹³C **NMR** (100 MHz, DMSO-d₆): δ ppm 168.16, 164.25, 152.60, 145.30, 144.59, 141.16, 138.17, 135.09, 130.34, 129.72, 129.59, 129.48, 129.05, 128.88, 128.22, 127.77, 125.42, 124.53, 122.26, 113.91, 61.47, 23.56, 13.89; **HRMS (ESI) m/z**: [M + H] + Calculated for C₂₈H₂₆N₂O₃ 437.1859; Found 437.1853

Ethyl 6-(4-Amino-2-methylbenzamido)-2-methyl-4-phenylquinoline-3-carboxylate (6ao).



Ethyl 6-amino-2-methyl-4-phenylquinoline-3-carboxylate (360 mg, 1.1764 mmole), 4-amino-2methylbenzoic acid (355 mg, 2.3529 mmole), HATU (894 mg, 2.33529 mmole), DIPEA (379 mg, 3.2679 mmole) in DMF (10 mL) at RT 10 h. The title compound was isolated (Eluent 70% ethyl acetate in Hexane). TLC: $R_f = 0.4$ (EtOAc/Hexane 5:5) [silica gel, UV and KMnO₄ stain]. Pale yellow solid, yield 74%, **m.p**. 104–106^o C; ¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, DMSO-d₆); δ ppm δ 8.83-8.82 (m, 1H), 8.74-8.73 (m, 1H), 8.12 (d, J = 8.80 Hz, 1H), 7.72 (d, J = 8.80 Hz, 1H), 7.54-7.53 (m, 3H), 7.29 (d, J = 7.60 Hz, 2H), 7.19 (d, J = 8.80 Hz, 1H), 6.58 (s, 2H), 6.44 (s, 1H), 3.98 (q, J = 7.20 Hz, 2H), 2.54 (s, 2H), 2.43 (s, 3H), 0.86 (t, J = 7.20 Hz, 3H). ¹³C **NMR** (100 MHz, DMSO-d₆): δ ppm 168.60, 161.95, 155.92, 152.79, 151.34, 148.00, 147.85, 145.86, 142.80, 141.77, 140.90, 136.51, 134.97, 134.42, 130.12, 129.78, 129.54, 129.20, 128.75, 128.60, 127.29, 126.71, 122.81, 121.94, 121.05, 116.47, 111.65, 107.00, 103.60, 61.16, 23.12, 22.53, 13.89; **HRMS (ESI) m/z**: [M + H] + Calculated for C₂₇H₂₆N₃O₃ 440.1969; Found 440.1960

Ethyl-6-(2-Amino-5-chloro-3-methylbenzamido)-2-methyl-4-phenylquinoline-3carboxylate (6ap).



Ethyl 6-amino-2-methyl-4-phenylquinoline-3-carboxylate (360 mg, 1.1764 mmole), 2-amino-5chloro-3-methylbenzoic acid (435 mg, 2.3529 mmole), HATU (849 mg, 2.3529 mmole), DIPEA (379 mg, 2.3529 mmole) in DMF (10 mL) at RT 10 h. The title compound was isolated (Eluent 70% ethyl acetate in Hexane). TLC: $R_f = 0.4$ (EtOAc/Hexane 5:5) [silica gel, UV and KMnO₄ stain]. Brown solid, yield 60%, **m.p.**: 178–180° C; ¹H **NMR** (400 MHz, DMSO-d₆): δ ppm 10.38 (s, 1H), 8.76 (s, 1H), 8.53 (d, J = 7.20 Hz, 1H), 8.20 (d, J = 8.40 Hz, 1H), 8.03-8.01 (m, 2H), 7.55-7.38 (m, 7H), 6.20 (s, 2H), 4.03 (d, J = 5.20 Hz, 2H), 2.66 (s, 3H), 2.12 (s, 6H), 0.90 (s, 3H); ¹³C **NMR** (100 MHz, DMSO-d₆): δ ppm 169.44, 168.17, 167.75, 152.76, 151.52, 149.14, 147.11, 145.34, 144.75, 140.10, 138.02, 135.69, 135.10, 134.19, 132.82, 129.64, 125.98, 125.16, 121.15, 117.84, 116.07, 115.48, 115.48, 61.47, 23.58, 17.86, 13.89; **HRMS (ESI) m/z**: [M + H] + Calculated for C₂₇H₂₅ClN₃O₃ 474.1579; Found 474.1573

Ethyl 6-(2-Amino-3,4-difluorobenzamido)-2-methyl-4-phenylquinoline-3-carboxylate (6aq).



Ethyl 6-amino-2-methyl-4-phenylquinoline-3-carboxylate (400 mg, 1.3071 mmole), 2-amino-3,4difluorobenzoic acid (452 mg, 2.6143 mmole), HATU (993 mg, 2.6143 mmole), DIPEA (421 mg, 3.2679 mmole) in DMF (10 mL) at RT 10 h. The title compound was isolated (Eluent 70% ethyl acetate in Hexane). TLC: $R_f = 0.3$ (EtOAc/Hexane 5:5) [silica gel, UV and KMnO₄ stain]. Pale Yellow solid, yield 70%, m.p. : 188–190^o C; ¹H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO-d₆); δ ppm 10.20 (s, 1H), 8.10 (dd, J = 1.60, 9.20 Hz, 1H), 7.95 (d, J = 9.20 Hz, 1H), 7.84 (d, J = 1.60 Hz, 1H), 7.69-7.67 (m, 1H), 7.50-7.48 (m, 3H), 7.30-7.30 (m, 2H), 6.66-6.64 (m, 1H), 6.42 (s, 2H), 3.95 (q, J = 6.80 Hz, 2H), 2.58 (s, 3H), 0.82 (t, J = 7.20 Hz, 3H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz DMSO-, d₆): δ ppm 168.16, 166.75, 152.77, 145.32, 144.72, 137.93, 135.65, 129.76, 129.62, 129.53, 129.31, 129.09, 128.89, 128.76, 128.62, 122.82, 115.35, 61.49, 23.56, 13.89; HRMS (ESI) m/z: [M + H] + Calculated for C₂₆H₂₂F₂N₃O₃ 462.1623; Found 462.1617

Ethyl 6-(5-Chloro-2-nitrobenzamido)-2-methyl-4-phenylquinoline-3-carboxylate (6ar).



Ethyl 6-amino-2-methyl-4-phenylquinoline-3-carboxylate (300 mg, 1.3071 mmole), 5-chloro-2nitrobenzoic acid (294 mg, 1.4705 mmole), HATU (745 mg, 1.9607 mmole), DIPEA (316 mg, 2.4509 mmole) in DMF (8 mL) at RT 10 h. The title compound was isolated (Eluent 70% ethyl acetate in Hexane). TLC: $R_f = 0.3$ (EtOAc/Hexane 5:5) [silica gel, UV and KMnO₄ stain].Yellow solid, yield 82%, m.p.: 210–212° C; ¹H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO-d₆) δ ppm 400 MHz, CDCl3: δ 10.99 (s, 1H), 8.19-8.16 (m, 2H), 8.06 (d, J = 9.20 Hz, 1H), 7.96 (d, J = 2.00 Hz, 1H), 7.91 (s, 1H), 7.56-7.54 (m, 3H), 7.37-7.35 (m, 2H), 4.03 (q, J = 7.20 Hz, 2H), 2.66 (s, 3H), 0.89 (t, J = 7.20 Hz, 3H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, DMSO-d₆): δ ppm 168.06, 163.24, 153.08, 145.44, 145.29, 144.84, 139.31, 137.57, 135.54, 134.43, 131.34, 129.91, 129.75, 129.56, 129.10, 128.89, 128.75, 127.91, 126.79, 125.30, 124.57, 114.64, 61.52, 23.60, 13.89; **HRMS (ESI) m/z**: [M + H] + Calculated for C₂₆H₂₁ClN₃O₅ 490.1165; Found 490.1159

Ethyl 6-(3-Chloro-2-nitrobenzamido)-2-methyl-4-phenylquinoline-3-carboxylate (6as).



Ethyl 6-amino-2-methyl-4-phenylquinoline-3-carboxylate (400 mg, 1.3071 mmole), 3-chloro-2nitrobenzoic acid (394 mg, 1.9607 mmole), HATU (993 mg, 2.6143 mmole), DIPEA (421 mg, 3.2679 mmole) in DMF (10 mL) at RT 10 h. The title compound was isolated (Eluent 60% ethyl acetate in Hexane). TLC: $R_f = 0.4$ (EtOAc/Hexane 5:5) [silica gel, UV and KMnO₄ stain]. Yellow solid, yield 80%, m.p. : 124–126^o C; ¹H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO-d₆) δ ppm 8.14 (dd, J = 1.60, 9.20 Hz, 1H), 8.03 (d, J = 9.20 Hz, 1H), 7.93 (d, J = 8.00 Hz, 2H), 7.86 (s, 1H), 7.75 (t, J = 8.00 Hz, 1H), 7.56-7.54 (m, 3H), 7.36-7.36 (m, 2H), 4.02 (q, J = 7.20 Hz, 2H), 2.66 (s, 3H), 0.88 (t, J = 7.20 Hz, 3H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, DMSO-d₆): δ ppm 168.10, 162.63, 152.95, 147.47, 145.37, 144.85, 138.37, 135.58, 133.30, 132.60, 132.02, 129.67, 129.58, 129.09, 128.88, 127.84, 125.42, 125.24, 125.01, 115.37, 61.50, 23.59, 13.89; HRMS (ESI) m/z: [M + H] + Calculated for C₂₆H₂₁ClN₃O₅ 490.1164; Found 490.1155

Ethyl 6-(3,5-Dimethoxybenzamido)-2-methyl-4-phenylquinoline-3-carboxylate (6at).



Ethyl 6-amino-2-methyl-4-phenylquinoline-3-carboxylate (500 mg, 1.3071 mmole), 3,5dimethoxybenzoic acid (446 mg, 2.4509 mmole), HATU (1.2 mg, 3.2679 mmole), DIPEA (526 mg, 4.0849 mmole) in DMF (10 mL) at RT 12 h. The title compound was isolated (Eluent 50% ethyl acetate in Hexane). TLC: $R_f = 0.4$ (EtOAc/Hexane 5:5) [silica gel, UV and KMnO₄ stain]. Yellow solid, yield 74%, m.p.: 170–172° C; ¹H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO-d₆) δ ppm 10.46 (s, 1H), 8.19 (dd, J = 2.00, 9.20 Hz, 1H), 8.14 (d, J = 2.00 Hz, 1H), 8.03 (d, J = 9.20 Hz, 1H), 7.57-7.56 (m, 3H), 7.387.37 (m, 2H), 7.07 (d, J = 2.00 Hz, 2H), 6.71 (s, 1H), 4.04 (q, J = 3.60 Hz, 2H), 3.81 (s, 6H), 2.66 (s, 3H), 0.89 (t, J = 7.20 Hz, 3H). ¹³**C NMR** (100 MHz, DMSO-d₆): δ ppm 168.17, 165.87, 160.80, 152.79, 145.42, 144.78, 137.98, 137.14, 135.70, 129.61, 129.42, 129.07, 128.88, 127.81, 125.70, 125.22, 115.19, 106.14, 103.95, 61.48, 55.96, 23.57, 13.89; **HRMS (ESI) m/z**: [M + H] + Calculated for C₂₈H₂₇N₂O₅ 471.1914; Found 471.1912

Ethyl 6-(3,6-Dichloropicolinamido)-2-methyl-4-phenylquinoline-3-carboxylate (6au).



Ethyl 6-amino-2-methyl-4-phenylquinoline-3-carboxylate (300 mg, 0.9803 mmole), 3,6dichloropicolinic acid (279 mg, 1.4705 mmole), HATU (745 mg, 1.9607 mmole), DIPEA (316 mg, 2.4509 mmole) in DMF (8 mL) at RT 12 h. The title compound was isolated (Eluent 40% ethyl acetate in Hexane). TLC: $R_f = 0.6$ (EtOAc/Hexane 5:5) [silica gel, UV and KMnO₄ stain]. Yellow solid, yield 76%, m.p.: 174–176⁰ C; ¹H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO-d₆) δ ppm 11.06 (s, 1H), 8.18-8.16 (m, 2H), 8.07 (d, J = 9.20 Hz, 1H), 7.99 (s, 1H), 7.74 (d, J = 8.80 Hz, 1H), 7.57-7.55 (m, 3H), 7.38-7.36 (m, 2H), 4.03 (q, J = 6.80 Hz, 2H), 2.66 (s, 3H), 0.88 (t, J = 7.2 Hz, 3H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, DMSO-d₆): δ ppm 168.07, 162.56, 153.18, 151.84, 148.19, 145.48, 144.89, 142.31, 137.28, 135.52, 129.95, 129.59, 129.11, 128.90, 127.91, 127.50, 125.30, 124.64, 114.91, 61.53, 23.62, 13.89; HRMS (ESI) m/z: [M + H] Calculated for C₂₅H₂₀Cl₂N₃O₃ 480.0871; Found 480.0872

Ethyl 6-(2,6-Dichloroisonicotinamido)-2-methyl-4-phenylquinoline-3-carboxylate (6av).



Ethyl 6-amino-2-methyl-4-phenylquinoline-3-carboxylate (400 mg, 1.3071 mmole), 2,6dichloroisonicotinic acid (372 mg, 1.9607 mmole), HATU (993 mg, 2.6143 mmole), DIPEA (421 mg, 3.2679 mmole) in DMF (10 mL) at RT 12 h. The title compound was isolated (Eluent 60% ethyl acetate in Hexane). TLC: $R_f = 0.4$ (EtOAc/Hexane 5:5) [silica gel, UV and KMnO₄ stain]. Yellow solid, yield 70%, m.p. : 238–240° C; ¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, DMSO-d₆): δ ppm 10.87 (s, 1H), 8.18 (dd, J = 1.20, 9.00 Hz, 1H), 8.07 (d, J = 2.40 Hz, 2H), 7.98-0.00 (m, 2H), 7.56-0.00 (m, 2H), 7.37-7.36 (m, 2H), 4.03 (q, J = 6.80 Hz, 2H), 2.66 (s, 3H), 0.88 (t, J = 6.80 Hz, 3H). ¹³**C NMR** (100 MHz, DMSO-d₆): δ ppm 168.04, 162.03, 153.33, 150.22, 145.55, 145.01, 137.15, 135.51, 129.75, 129.57, 129.16, 128.93, 128.76, 127.93, 125.24, 122.42, 115.65, 61.54, 23.62, 13.89;

Ethyl 2-methyl-4-phenyl-6-(2-(Phenylamino)benzamido)quinoline-3-carboxylate (6aw).



Ethyl 6-amino-2-methyl-4-phenylquinoline-3-carboxylate (400 mg, 1.3071 mmole), 2-(phenylamino)benzoic acid (427 mg, 1.9607 mmole), HATU (993 mg, 2.6143 mmole), DIPEA (421 mg, 3.2679 mmole) in DMF (10 mL) at RT 12 h. The title compound was isolated (Eluent 70% ethyl acetate in Hexane). TLC: R_f = 0.2 (EtOAc/Hexane 5:5) [silica gel, UV and KMnO₄ stain]. White yield 60%, m.p.: 78–80° C; ¹H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO-d₆) δ ppm 10.54 (s, 1H), 8.84 (s, 1H), 8.13 (dd, J = 2.00, 9.20 Hz, 1H), 7.95 (d, J = 9.20 Hz, 1H), 7.86 (d, J = 2.00 Hz, 1H), 7.65-7.65 (m, 1H), 7.50-7.48 (m, 3H), 7.30-7.30 (m, 3H), 7.23-7.21 (m, 2H), 7.07-7.05 (m, 2H), 6.90-6.88 (m, 2H), 3.95 (q, J = 7.20 Hz, 2H), 2.58 (s, 3H), 0.82 (t, J = 7.20 Hz, 3H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, DMSO-d₆): δ ppm 168.25, 168.16, 152.83, 145.35, 144.79, 144.31, 142.13, 137.91, 135.62, 132.68, 130.09, 129.80, 129.63, 129.36, 129.08, 128.88, 127.77, 125.90, 125.15, 122.20, 121.01, 119.83, 119.06, 116.28, 115.51, 61.50, 23.59, 13.90; MS (ESI) m/z: [M + H] Calculated for C₃₂H₂₇N₃O₃ 502.2; Found 502.2

4. DFT Calculations for all Quinoline Derivatives (6a-6az) and (6aa-6aw)

DFT calculations were conducted at B3LYP/6-31+ G'(d,p) level using the Gaussian 09 program package. The results were related to compounds **6a** (also depicted in the main text), **6b-6w**, **6aa-6aw**, and related compounds. Figure 7(1)–V(49) illustrates the HOMO and LUMO molecular orbitals of the molecules **6a–6z** and **6a–6aw**. While all LUMOs are essentially identical and delocalize primarily on the quinoline ring and carboxylic amide groups regardless of the substitution, the geometries of the HOMOs show clearly how the substituent at C4 has an impact. The table made it abundantly evident

that the substituent at quinoline's C6 position has a significant impact on the HOMO levels of each derivative. In compound **6a-6m**, the transition from the quinoline ring to the carboxylic amide group is prominently visible. Compound 6n's entire quinoline moiety contribution towards the amide group, while compound (6q,6p)'s pyridine ring's 6q LUMO (-2.41 eV) contribution only the coupling substituent of the quinoline moiety's HOMO (-5.79 eV) and ΔE is 3.37 eV. The HOMO and LUMO orbitals are frontier orbitals that govern reactivity. EHOMO and ELUMO are important parameters that determine electron donation ease and electron acceptance, respectively. Apart from these, there are several other reactivity parameters that play a crucial role in understanding the electron behavior of a molecule. Some of these parameters are global hardness (h), softness (S), electronegativity (c), chemical potential (m), electrophilicity index (w), electron-donating power (w-), and electronaccepting power (w+). The global reactivity descriptors of a molecule, including the HOMO and LUMO values, are listed in Table VIII. In a specific analysis, it was found that compound - 6c has the highest HOMO energy (-6.31 eV), indicating strong electron-donating ability, while molecule 6w has the lowest LUMO energy (-3.90 eV), indicating superior electron-accepting properties. By studying these descriptors, we can gain insights into the molecular behavior, facilitating our understanding of chemical reactivity, reactivity parameters include global calculated formulae: $\Delta E = LUMO$ -HOMO (eV), I = -EHOMO (eV), A = -ELUMO (eV), $\chi = (I + A)/2$ (eV), $\mu = -\chi$ (eV), $\eta = (I - A)/2$ (eV), S = 1/ η (eV), $\omega = \mu^2/2 \eta$ (eV), $\omega^2 = (3I + A)^2/16(I - A), \omega^+ = (I + 3A)^2/16(I - A).$

The electronic chemical potentials of acid amine cross-coupling reactions with some reagents used have tabulated in Table VIII. Compound 6w, for example, has an electronic chemical potential of 4.87 eV and acts as a strong electron-donating molecule. However, as the substituent present becomes more electron-withdrawing, the electronic chemical potential of the corresponding quinoline derivative decreases, as seen in the order 6w < 6x < 6ar < 6as. This causes an increase in the polar character of the reactions towards compounds 6t, 6v, 6ap, 6aq and 6a

 Table S1: FMO parameters and Global reactivity Description of the compounds.

S No.	Code	номо	LUMO	ΔΕ	I	А	χ	μ	η	S	ω	ω-	ω+
1	6a	-5.954	-2.234	3.720	5.954	2.234	4.094	-4.094	1.86	0.538	4.506	6.785	2.691
2	6b	-6.173	-2.341	3.832	6.173	2.341	4.257	-4.257	1.916	0.522	4.729	7.097	2.84
3	6c	-6.317	-2.377	3.940	6.317	2.377	4.347	-4.347	1.97	0.508	4.796	7.215	2.868
4	6d	-5.837	-2.084	3.753	5.837	2.084	3.9605	-3.961	1.877	0.533	4.179	6.394	2.433
5	6e	-5.818	-2.071	3.747	5.818	2.071	3.9445	-3.945	1.874	0.534	4.152	6.358	2.414
6	6f	-5.755	-2.059	3.696	5.755	2.059	3.907	-3.907	1.848	0.541	4.13	6.314	2.407
7	6g	-5.893	-2.159	3.734	5.893	2.159	4.026	-4.026	1.867	0.536	4.341	6.587	2.561
8	6h	-5.893	-2.063	3.830	5.893	2.063	3.978	-3.978	1.915	0.522	4.132	6.36	2.382
9	6i	-5.91	-2.114	3.796	5.91	2.114	4.012	-4.012	1.898	0.527	4.24	6.483	2.471
10	6j	-5.901	-2.106	3.795	5.901	2.106	4.0035	-4.004	1.898	0.527	4.223	6.462	2.458
11	6k	-5.903	-2.108	3.795	5.903	2.108	4.0055	-4.006	1.898	0.527	4.228	6.467	2.462
12	61	-5.964	-2.191	3.773	5.964	2.191	4.0775	-4.078	1.887	0.53	4.407	6.681	2.603
13	6m	-5.912	-2.156	3.756	5.912	2.156	4.034	-4.034	1.878	0.532	4.333	6.584	2.55
14	6n	-5.756	-2.159	3.597	5.756	2.159	3.9575	-3.958	1.799	0.556	4.354	6.557	2.6
15	60	-5.702	-2.122	3.580	5.702	2.122	3.912	-3.912	1.79	0.559	4.275	6.454	2.542
16	6р	-6.211	-2.603	3.608	6.211	2.603	4.407	-4.407	1.804	0.554	5.383	7.811	3.404
17	6q	-5.794	-2.417	3.377	5.794	2.417	4.1055	-4.106	1.689	0.592	4.991	7.254	3.149
18	6r	-6.065	-2.315	3.750	6.065	2.315	4.19	-4.19	1.875	0.533	4.682	7.011	2.821
19	6s	-6.001	-2.192	3.809	6.001	2.192	4.0965	-4.097	1.905	0.525	4.406	6.692	2.595
20	6t	-5.772	-2.132	3.640	5.772	2.132	3.952	-3.952	1.82	0.549	4.291	6.494	2.542
21	6u	-5.851	-2.177	3.674	5.851	2.177	4.014	-4.014	1.837	0.544	4.385	6.622	2.608
22	6v	-5.67	-2.268	3.402	5.67	2.268	3.969	-3.969	1.701	0.588	4.631	6.827	2.858
23	6w	-5.844	-3.908	1.936	5.844	3.908	4.876	-4.876	0.968	1.033	12.28	14.84	9.963
24	6x	-5.779	-3.851	1.928	5.779	3.851	4.815	-4.815	0.964	1.037	12.03	14.55	9.738
25	6у	-5.415	-2.069	3.346	5.415	2.069	3.742	-3.742	1.673	0.598	4.185	6.264	2.522
26	6z	-5.597	-1.939	3.658	5.597	1.939	3.768	-3.768	1.829	0.547	3.881	5.993	2.225
27	6aa	-5.856	-2.114	3.742	5.856	2.114	3.985	-3.985	1.871	0.534	4.244	6.47	2.485
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28	6ab	-6.198	-2.259	3.939	6.198	2.259	4.2285	-4.229	1.97	0.508	4.539	6.899	2.671
29	6ac	-6.067	-2.225	3.842	6.067	2.225	4.146	-4.146	1.921	0.521	4.474	6.787	2.641
30	6ad	-5.747	-1.961	3.786	5.747	1.961	3.854	-3.854	1.893	0.528	3.923	6.086	2.232
31	6ae	-5.736	-1.968	3.768	5.736	1.968	3.852	-3.852	1.884	0.531	3.938	6.099	2.247
32	6af	-5.682	-1.977	3.705	5.682	1.977	3.8295	-3.83	1.853	0.54	3.958	6.104	2.274
33	6ag	-5.629	-1.823	3.806	5.629	1.823	3.726	-3.726	1.903	0.525	3.648	5.748	2.022
34	6ah	-5.639	-1.801	3.838	5.639	1.801	3.72	-3.720	1.919	0.521	3.606	5.705	1.985
35	6ai	-5.806	-1.991	3.815	5.806	1.991	3.898	-3.898	1.908	0.524	3.983	6.171	2.273
36	6aj	-5.782	-1.967	3.815	5.782	1.967	3.8745	-3.875	1.908	0.524	3.935	6.11	2.236
37	6ak	-5.798	-1.985	3.813	5.798	1.985	3.8915	-3.892	1.907	0.525	3.972	6.155	2.264
38	6al	-5.866	-2.072	3.794	5.866	2.072	3.969	-3.969	1.897	0.527	4.152	6.373	2.404
39	6am	-5.817	-2.039	3.778	5.817	2.039	3.928	-3.928	1.889	0.529	4.084	6.284	2.356
40	6an	-5.669	-2.071	3.598	5.669	2.071	3.87	-3.87	1.799	0.556	4.163	6.322	2.452
41	6ao	-5.494	-1.884	3.610	5.494	1.884	3.689	-3.689	1.805	0.554	3.77	5.839	2.15
42	6ap	-5.623	-2.149	3.474	5.623	2.149	3.886	-3.886	1.737	0.576	4.347	6.506	2.62
43	6aq	-5.925	-2.164	3.761	5.925	2.164	4.0445	-4.045	1.881	0.532	4.349	6.606	2.562
44	6ar	-5.701	-3.822	1.879	5.701	3.822	4.7615	-4.762	0.94	1.064	12.07	14.56	9.802
45	6as	-5.563	-3.721	1.842	5.563	3.721	4.642	-4.642	0.921	1.086	11.7	14.13	9.492
46	6at	-5.761	-2.056	3.705	5.761	2.056	3.9085	-3.909	1.853	0.54	4.123	6.308	2.4
47	6au	-5.81	-2.415	3.395	5.81	2.415	4.1125	-4.113	1.698	0.589	4.982	7.25	3.137
48	6av	-6.107	-2.551	3.556	6.107	2.551	4.329	-4.329	1.778	0.562	5.27	7.656	3.327
49	6aw	-5.341	-1.946	3.395	5.341	1.946	3.6435	-3.644	1.698	0.589	3.91	5.944	2.3



Figure S7.5:

HOMO (6e)

LUMO (6e)







Figure S7.6:

HOMO (6f)

LUMO (6f)







Figure S7.7:

HOMO (6g)

LUMO (6g)



Figure S7.8:

HOMO (6h)





Figure S7.9:

HOMO (6i)

LUMO (6i)



Figure S7.10:

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LUMO (6k)

Figure S7.11:

6j

HOMO (6k)



Figure S7.12:

HOMO (6l)

LUMO (6l)



HOMO (6m)

LUMO (6m)



Figure S7.14:

HOMO (6n)

LUMO (6n)





Figure S7.15:

HOMO (60)

LUMO (60)



Figure S7.16:

HOMO (6p)

LUMO (6p)



Figure S7.17:

HOMO (6q)

LUMO (6q)



Figure S7.18:

HOMO (6r)

LUMO (6r)



Figure S7.19:

HOMO (6s)

LUMO (6s)



Figure S7.20:

HOMO (6t)

LUMO (6t)



Figure S7.21:

HOMO (6u)

LUMO (6u)



Figure S7.22:

HOMO (6v)

LUMO (6v)







Figure S7.23:

HOMO (6w)

LUMO (6w)



Figure S7.24:

HOMO (6x)

LUMO (6x)

Figure S7.25:

HOMO (6y)

LUMO (6y)



Figure S7.26:

HOMO (6z)

LUMO (6z)



Figure S7.27:

HOMO (6aa)

HOMO (6ab)

LUMO (6aa)



Figure S7.28:



LUMO (6ab)





HOMO (6ac)

LUMO (6ac)



HOMO (6ad)

Figure S7.30:







LUMO (6ad)

Figure S7.31:

HOMO (6ae)

LUMO (6ae)



Figure S7.32:

HOMO (6af)

LUMO (6af)



Figure S7.33:



LUMO (6ag)



Figure S7.37:

HOMO (6ak)

LUMO (6ak)



Figure S7.38:

HOMO (6al)

LUMO (6al)



Figure S7.39:

HOMO (6am)

LUMO (6am)



Figure S7.40:

HOMO (6an)

LUMO (6an)





Figure S7.46:

HOMO (6at)

LUMO (6at)





Figure S8: MEP Diagrams of compounds 6a-6z and 6aa-6aw.



6ah

6ai

6aj



6ao 6al 6am 6an 6ap 6ar 6aq



TD-DFT

TD-DFT empowers investigations into various processes involving excited states, offering insights into phenomena such as molecular transitions and optical properties. This methodological synergy between DFT and TD-DFT furnishes a robust toolkit for comprehensively analyzing molecular behavior, thereby advancing our understanding of chemical reactivity, spectroscopy, and materials science applications. Time-Dependent Density Functional Theory (TD-DFT) serves as a prevalent computational method for predicting absorption spectra in molecules. Subsequently, UV-vis spectra were calculated using the TD-DFT approach employing the B3LYP functional and 6-31G' (d,p) basis sets. These findings underscore the importance of meticulous analysis to reconcile theoretical predictions with experimental observations in spectral studies. All 31 compounds theoretical and experimental UV-vis spectra and λ max, Oscillation strength f, Energy.

C. M.	C	Experimental	Theoretical	Oscillation		
Sr. No.	Compound code	λmax nm	λmax nm	strength, f	Energy eV	
1	6a	341.12	374.55	0.0328	3.3102	
2	6b	338.22	364.20	0.0657	3.403	
3	6d	340.38	373.20	0.0356	3.3222	
4	6e	342.76	373.72	0.0323	3.3176	
5	6f	341.45	376.92	0.0139	3.2894	
6	6g	343.51	373.09	0.0324	3.3232	
7	6h	340.28	372.44	0.0373	3.329	
8	6i	344.68	369.36	0.0458	3.3568	
9	6j	341.09	369.49	0.0452	3.3555	
10	6k	340.29	369.37	0.0453	3.3566	
11	61	338.87	370.21	0.0481	3.349	
12	6m	337.12	368.49	0.042	3.3647	
13	6s	352.83	368.85	0.0632	3.3614	
14	6u	352.63	375.31	0.0045	3.3035	
15	6v	347.33	380.24	0.0416	3.2607	
16	6z	309.18	371.00	0.0013	3.3419	
17	6aa	338.87	341.23	0.0030	3.6335	
18	6ab	372.65	359.51	0.0775	3.1749	
19	6ac	339.11	339.97	0.0020	3.6469	
20	6ad	342.78	335.07	0.0037	3.3143	
21	6ae	341.95	334.9	0.0004	3.7021	
22	6af	340.42	332.86	0.0077	3.7249	
23	6ag	342.67	335.54	0.0042	3.6951	
24	6ah	340.22	335.19	0.0032	3.6989	
25	6ai	340.43	335.73	0.0014	3.693	
26	6aj	339.17	336.72	0.0018	3.6821	
27	6ak	340.54	336.32	0.0021	3.6865	
28	6al	337.72	338.72	0.0018	3.6604	
29	6am	338.16	338.24	0.0023	3.6656	
30	6ao	370.32	374.17	0.0023	3.3135	
31	6ap	350.27	373.76	0.0728	3.3172	

Table S2: Theoretical λ max, experimental λ max, Oscillation strength, ΔE of compounds.

Table S3. Selected electronic transitions contribution obtained from TD-DFT calculation withB3LYP/6-31 G' (d, p) basic level of Compounds.

	Compound	λmax (nm)	Oscillation	Energy	Selected Major
Sr. No.	code		strength, f	(eV)	Contribution
		414.28 nm	0.0004	2.9927 eV	H-1 -> L (66 %)
1	6a	383.65 nm	0.0343	3.2317 eV	H -> L (53 %)
		374.55 nm	0.0328	3.3102 eV	H -> L (42 %)
		417.23 nm	0.0002	2.9716 eV	H-1 -> L (70 %)
2	6b	382.29 nm	0.0076	3.2432 eV	H-2 -> L (65 %)
		364.20 nm	0.0657	3.4043 eV	H -> L (79 %)
		409.82 nm	0.0005	3.0253 eV	H-1 ->L (54 %)
3	6d	383.11 nm	0.0211	3.2362 eV	H ->L (40 %)
		373.20 nm	0.0356	3.3222 eV	H ->L (54 %)
		409.43 nm	0.0005	3.0282 eV	H-1 ->L (53 %)
4	6e	383.27 nm	0.0231	3.2349 eV	H ->L (44 %)
		373.72 nm	0.0323	3.3176 eV	H ->L (50 %)
		408.64 nm	0.0009	3.0340 eV	H-1 ->L+1 (52 %)
5	6f	386.27 nm	0.0393	3.2098 eV	H ->L (73 %)
		376.92 nm	0.0139	3.2894 eV	H-1 ->L (42 %)
		411.70 nm	0.0004	3.0115 eV	H-1 ->L (61 %)
6	6g	383.10 nm	0.0318	3.2363 eV	H->L (53 %)
		373.09 nm	0.0324	3.3232 eV	H ->L (42 %)
		409.61 nm	0.0005	3.0269 eV	H-1 ->L+1 (54 %)
7	6h	382.31 nm	0.0194	3.2431 eV	H-2 ->L (41 %)
		372.44 nm	0.0373	3.3290 eV	H ->L (57 %)
		410.87 nm	0.0003	3.0176 Ev	H-1 ->L (56 %)
8	<u>6i</u>	381.52 nm	0.0122	3.2497 eV	H-2 ->L (48 %)
		369.36 nm	0.0458	3.3568 eV	H ->L (69 %)
		410.58 nm	0.0004	3.0197 eV	H-1 ->L (56 %)
9	6j	381.66 nm	0.0123	3.2485 eV	H-2 ->L (48 %)
		369.49 nm	0.0452	3.3555 eV	H ->L (69 %)

		410.76 nm	0.0003	3.0184 eV	H-1 ->L (56 %)
10	6k	381.39 nm	0.0124	3.2509 eV	H-2 ->L (48 %)
		369.37 nm	0.0453	3.3566 eV	H ->L (69 %)
		412.60 nm	0.0003	3.0049 eV	H-1 ->L (64 %)
11	61	380.95 nm	0.0225	3.2546 eV	H-2 ->L (47 %)
		370.21 nm	0.0481	3.3490 eV	H ->L (59 %)
		418.60 nm	0.0003	2.9619 eV	H-1 ->L (82 %)
12	6m	378.81 nm	0.0263	3.2730 eV	H-2 ->L (53 %)
		368.49 nm	0.0452	3.3647 eV	H ->L (55 %)
		412.70 nm	0.0004	3.0042 eV	H-1 ->L (61 %)
13	6 s	379.63 nm	0.0110	3.2659 eV	H-2 ->L (57 %)
		368.85 nm	0.0632	3.3614 eV	H ->L (78 %)
		411.77 nm	0.0009	3.0110 eV	H-2 ->L (62 %)
14	6u	387.23 nm	0.0644	3.2018 eV	H ->L (89 %)
		375.31 nm	0.0045	3.3035 eV	H-3 ->L (59 %)
		416.32 nm	0.0133	2.9781 eV	H ->L (94 %)
15	6v	412.71 nm	0.0021	3.0041 eV	H-2 ->L (62 %)
		380.24 nm	0.0416	3.2607 eV	H-1 ->L (54 %)
		405.20 nm	0.0021	3.0599 eV	H-1 ->L (56 %)
16	6z	389.29 nm	0.0626	3.1849 eV	H ->L (91 %)
		371.00 nm	0.0013	3.3419 eV	H-2 ->L (55 %)
		389.26 nm	0.0138	3.1851 eV	H-1 -> L (86 %)
17	6aa	377.12 nm	0.0669	3.2877 eV	H -> L (83 %)
		341.23 nm	0.0030	3.6335 eV	H-2 -> L (91 %)
		390.51 nm	0.0058	3.1749 eV	H-1 ->L (86 %)
18	6ab	359.51 nm	0.0775	3.4486 eV	H ->L (68 %)
		334.90 nm	0.0080	3.7021 eV	H-2 ->L (76 %)
		391.08 nm	0.0079	3.1703 eV	H-1 -> L (89 %)
19	6ac	367.69 nm	0.0772	3.3719 eV	H -> L (80 %)
		339.97 nm	0.0020	3.6469 eV	H-2 -> L (85 %)
		386.39 nm	0.0046	3.2087 eV	H-1 ->L (95 %)
20	6ad	374.09 nm	0.0634	3.3143 eV	H ->L (92 %)
		335.07 nm	0.0037	3.7003 eV	H-2 ->L (89 %)
		386.77 nm	0.0042	3.2057 eV	H-1 ->L (95 %)
21	6ae	376.27 nm	0.0617	3.2951 eV	H ->L (93 %)
		334.90 nm	0.0044	3.7021 eV	H-2 ->L (83 %)

		386.60 nm	0.0043	3.2071 eV	H-1 ->L (96 %)
22	6af	383.60 nm	0.0566	3.2321 eV	H-3 ->L (94 %)
		332.86 nm	0.0077	3.7249 eV	H-2 ->L (72 %)
		386.59 nm	0.0047	3.2072 eV	H-1 ->L (95 %)
23	6ag	376.06 nm	0.0612	3.2969 eV	H ->L (93 %)
		335.54 nm	0.0042	3.6951 eV	H-3 ->L (88 %)
		386.06 nm	0.0050	3.2115 eV	H-1 ->L (94 %)
24	6ah	373.50 nm	0.0640	3.3195 eV	H ->L (92 %)
		335.19 nm	0.0032	3.6989 eV	H-2 ->L (90 %)
		390.42 nm	0.0038	3.1757 eV	H-1 ->L (94 %)
25	6ai	365.56 nm	0.0652	3.3916 eV	H ->L (90 %)
		335.73 nm	0.0014	3.6930 eV	H-2 ->L (80 %)
		386.71 nm	0.0063	3.2061 eV	H-1 ->L (92 %)
26	6aj	371.15 nm	0.0634	3.3405 eV	H ->L (88 %)
		336.72 nm	0.0018	3.6821 eV	H-2 ->L (89 5)
		386.78 nm	0.0053	3.2055 eV	H ->L (93 %)
27	6ak	371.41 nm	0.0631	3.3382 eV	H ->L (90 %)
		336.32 nm	0.0021	3.6865 eV	H-2 ->L (90 5)
		387.18 nm	0.0104	3.2022 eV	H-1 ->L (89 %)
28	6al	372.38 nm	0.0742	3.3295 eV	H ->L (85 %)
		338.72 nm	0.0018	3.6604 eV	H-3 ->L (90 %)
		385.51 nm	0.0145	3.2161 eV	H-1 ->L (86 %)
29	6am	373.92 nm	0.0680	3.3158 eV	H ->L (82 %)
		338.24 nm	0.0023	3.6656 eV	H-2 ->L (90 %)
		394.79 nm	0.0756	3.1405 eV	H ->L (93 %)
30	6a0	383.47 nm	0.0015	3.2333 eV	H-2 ->L (91 %)
		374.17 nm	0.0023	3.3135 eV	H-1 ->L (96 %)
		408.41 nm	0.0154	3.0358 eV	H ->L (98 %)
31	6ap	386.31 nm	0.0151	3.2094 eV	H-2 ->L (83 %)
		373.76 nm	0.0728	3.3172 eV	H-1 ->L (81 %)

Table S4. Density surface of the selected major contributions of compounds frontier molecular orbitals involved in electronic transitions of at Basic set level of B3LYP/6-31+ G'(d,p) using iso-surface value of 0.02 au.
































































Figure S9: Theoretical UV-Vis spectra of compounds by TD-DFT at level using the the B3LYP/6-

31G'(d,p).







5. Photophysical characteristics Study and Fluorescent Spectra.

The structural quinoline and extended π conjugation induced by the aromatic- system and amide functional group encouraged us to investigate the photophysical properties of compounds Thus, absorption and emission spectra were recorded for 31 compound the compounds (fig 9(1) – 9(31)) in methanol. In the absorption spectra of compounds 31 compounds. a higher energy band in the range of 250 to 320 nm begins with π - π * electronic transition [intramolecular charge transfer (ICT)] and other bands with lower energy n- π * electronic transition in the region 320 to 380 nm were observed. The corresponding emission band was observed in the 410–520 nm region. In the emission spectra, it was observed that with the increase in the size of the aromatic ring connected by the pivotal bond to the quinoline core, the emission band has been shifted to higher wavelengths. All fluorescent spectra below Fig S9.1 to Fig S9.34.

All the compounds exhibited Absorbance, Emission and Stoke's shift values (Table 2, entries 1–31).

Photophysical Data (Table – S3)

Entry	Compound code	$\lambda_{Absorption (nm)}$	λ _{Emission (nm)}	Stokes shift	Molar extinction	<mark>Quantum</mark>
				$\Delta \times 10^4$	Coefficient ×10 ⁴	Yield (ϕ)
1	<mark>6a</mark>	<mark>341.12</mark>	<mark>455.19</mark>	<mark>0.7347</mark>		
<mark>2</mark>	<mark>6b</mark>	<mark>338.22</mark>	<mark>440.15</mark>	<mark>0.6858</mark>	<mark>6.2125</mark>	<mark>0.0020</mark>
<mark>3</mark>	<mark>6d</mark>	<mark>340.38</mark>	<mark>462.33</mark>	<mark>0.7766</mark>	<mark>4.6795</mark>	<mark>0.0014</mark>
<mark>4</mark>	<mark>6e</mark>	<mark>342.76</mark>	<mark>452.81</mark>	<mark>0.7116</mark>	<mark>5.1485</mark>	<mark>0.0019</mark>
<mark>5</mark>	<mark>6f</mark>	<mark>341.45</mark>	<mark>457.39</mark>	<mark>0.7444</mark>	<mark>5.0510</mark>	<mark>0.0022</mark>
<mark>6</mark>	<mark>6g</mark>	<mark>343.51</mark>	<mark>450.43</mark>	<mark>0.6932</mark>	<mark>3.0205</mark>	<mark>0.0057</mark>
<mark>7</mark>	<mark>6h</mark>	<mark>340.28</mark>	<mark>451.36</mark>	<mark>0.7239</mark>	<mark>5.3315</mark>	<mark>0.0020</mark>
<mark>8</mark>	<mark>6i</mark>	<mark>344.68</mark>	<mark>448.98</mark>	<mark>0.6748</mark>	<mark>4.8225</mark>	<mark>0.0037</mark>
<mark>9</mark>	<mark>6j</mark>	<mark>341.09</mark>	<mark>450.16</mark>	<mark>0.7103</mark>	<mark>4.2445</mark>	<mark>0.0038</mark>
<mark>10</mark>	<mark>6k</mark>	<mark>340.29</mark>	<mark>450.38</mark>	<mark>0.7189</mark>	<mark>4.8250</mark>	<mark>0.0015</mark>
<mark>11</mark>	<mark>61</mark>	<mark>338.87</mark>	<mark>441.77</mark>	<mark>0.691</mark>	<mark>4.4505</mark>	<mark>0.0030</mark>
<mark>12</mark>	<mark>6m</mark>	<mark>337.12</mark>	<mark>446.06</mark>	<mark>0.7252</mark>	<mark>3.6155</mark>	<mark>0.0050</mark>
<mark>13</mark>	<mark>6s</mark>	<mark>352.83</mark>	<mark>452.8</mark>	<mark>0.6286</mark>	<mark>5.3030</mark>	<mark>0.0035</mark>
<mark>14</mark>	<mark>6u</mark>	<mark>352.63</mark>	<mark>434.54</mark>	<mark>0.5368</mark>	<mark>6.2180</mark>	<mark>0.0005</mark>
<mark>15</mark>	<mark>6v</mark>	<mark>347.33</mark>	<mark>450.28</mark>	<mark>0.5959</mark>	<mark>3.6155</mark>	<mark>0.00012</mark>
<mark>16</mark>	<mark>6z</mark>	<mark>309.18</mark>	<mark>457.29</mark>	<mark>1.0411</mark>	<mark>7.9805</mark>	<mark>0.0012</mark>
<mark>17</mark>	<mark>6aa</mark>	<mark>338.87</mark>	<mark>442.94</mark>	<mark>0.6961</mark>	<mark>6.4730</mark>	<mark>0.0013</mark>
<mark>18</mark>	<mark>6ab</mark>	<mark>372.65</mark>	<mark>501.58</mark>	<mark>0.6921</mark>	<mark>6.5455</mark>	<mark>0.0021</mark>
<mark>19</mark>	<mark>6ac</mark>	<mark>339.11</mark>	<mark>411.03</mark>	<mark>0.5168</mark>	<mark>5.3670</mark>	<mark>0.0171</mark>
<mark>20</mark>	<mark>6ad</mark>	<mark>342.78</mark>	<mark>417.73</mark>	<mark>0.5259</mark>	<mark>8.2825</mark>	<mark>0.0096</mark>
<mark>21</mark>	<mark>6ae</mark>	<mark>341.95</mark>	<mark>423.86</mark>	<mark>0.5685</mark>	<mark>8.3715</mark>	<mark>0.0103</mark>
<mark>22</mark>	<mark>6af</mark>	<mark>340.42</mark>	<mark>420.21</mark>	<mark>0.5602</mark>	<mark>7.1585</mark>	<mark>0.0156</mark>
<mark>23</mark>	<mark>6ag</mark>	<mark>342.67</mark>	<mark>420.73</mark>	<mark>0.543</mark>	<mark>8.3370</mark>	<mark>0.0110</mark>
<mark>24</mark>	<mark>6ah</mark>	<mark>340.22</mark>	<mark>418.34</mark>	<mark>0.5488</mark>	<mark>8.8605</mark>	<mark>0.0124</mark>
<mark>25</mark>	<mark>6ai</mark>	<mark>340.43</mark>	<mark>423.52</mark>	<mark>0.5771</mark>	<mark>9.5080</mark>	<mark>0.0062</mark>
<mark>26</mark>	<mark>6aj</mark>	<mark>339.17</mark>	<mark>422.27</mark>	<mark>0.5802</mark>	<mark>8.3370</mark>	<mark>0.0150</mark>
<mark>27</mark>	<mark>6ak</mark>	<mark>340.54</mark>	<mark>417.61</mark>	<mark>0.5431</mark>	<mark>7.9785</mark>	<mark>0.0188</mark>
<mark>28</mark>	<mark>6al</mark>	<mark>337.72</mark>	<mark>416.98</mark>	<mark>0.5635</mark>	<mark>9.0055</mark>	<mark>0.0179</mark>
<mark>29</mark>	<mark>6am</mark>	<mark>338.16</mark>	<mark>416.04</mark>	<mark>0.5547</mark>	<mark>8.1260</mark>	<mark>0.0053</mark>
<mark>30</mark>	<mark>6ao</mark>	<mark>370.32</mark>	<mark>502.67</mark>	<mark>0.7107</mark>	<mark>9.1775</mark>	<mark>0.0082</mark>
<mark>31</mark>	<mark>6ap</mark>	<mark>350.27</mark>	<mark>454.16</mark>	<mark>0.6545</mark>	<mark>6.9935</mark>	<mark>0.0154</mark>

4.1 Fluorescent Spectra

Fig S9.1 to S9.34

S9.1: N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl) acetamide (6a).



S9.2 (3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2-cyanoacetamide (6b).





10⁻⁵ M solution in Methanol

- Maximum absorption: 338 nm
- Maximum emission: 440 nm
- ➢ Stokes Shift:0.6858×10^{−4}

S9.3: N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2-phenylacetamide (6d).



S9.4: N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2-(p-tolyl) acetamide (6e).





10⁻⁵ M solution in Methanol Maximum absorption: 342 nm Maximum emission: 452 nm Stokes Shift:0.7116×10⁻⁴

S9.5: N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2-(2-methoxyphenyl) acetamide (6f).









10⁻⁵ M solution in Methanol

- Maximum absorption: 343 nm
- Maximum emission: 450 nm
- ➢ Stokes Shift:0.6932×10^{−4}



S9.7: N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2-(2-chlorophenyl) acetamide (6h).

chlorophenyl) acetamide (6i).





- Maximum absorption: 340 nm
- Maximum emission: 451 nm
- Stokes Shift:0.7239×10⁻⁴

S9.8: N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2-(2-



10⁻⁵ M solution in Methanol

- Maximum absorption: 344 nm
- Maximum emission: 448 nm
- Stokes Shift:0.6748×10⁻⁴

S9.9: N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2-(3-bromophenyl) acetamide (6j).





10⁻⁵ M solution in Methanol

- Maximum absorption: 341 nm
- Maximum emission: 450 nm

➢ Stokes Shift:0.7103×10^{−4}





S9.11: N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2-phenoxy acetamide (61).





10⁻⁵ M solution in Methanol

- Maximum absorption: 338 nm
- Maximum emission: 441 nm
- Stokes Shift:0.6910×10⁻⁴







S9.13: N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2-hydroxybenzamide (6s).

S9.14: N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-3,5-dimethoxybenzamide (6u).



S9.15: N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2-amino-5-chloro-3-methylbenzamide (6v).





10⁻⁵ M solution in Methanol

Maximum absorption: 347 nm

- Maximum emission: 450 nm
- ➢ Stokes Shift:0.5929×10^{−4}





S9.17: Ethyl 6-acetamido-2-methyl-4-phenylquinoline-3-carboxylate (6aa).





10⁻⁵ M solution in Methanol

Maximum absorption: 338 nm

Maximum emission: 442 nm

Stokes Shift:0.6961×10⁻⁴







10⁻⁵ M solution in Methanol

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- Maximum absorption: 372 nm
- Maximum emission: 501 nm
- ➢ Stokes Shift:0.6921×10^{−4}

S9.19: Ethyl 6-(2-cyanoacetamido)-2-methyl-4-phenylquinoline-3-carboxylate (6ac).



S9.20: Ethyl 2-methyl-4-phenyl-6-(2-phenylacetamido) quinoline-3-carboxylate (6ad).





10⁻⁵ M solution in Methanol

- Maximum absorption: 342 nm
- Maximum emission: 417 nm
 - Stokes Shift:0.5259×10⁻⁴







10⁻⁵ M solution in Methanol

Maximum absorption: 341 nm

Maximum emission: 423 nm

Stokes Shift: 0.5685×10⁻⁴

S9.22: Ethyl 6-(2-(2-methoxyphenyl) acetamido)-2-methyl-4-phenylquinoline-3-carboxylate

(6af).





10⁻⁵ M solution in Methanol

- Maximum absorption: 340 nm
- Maximum emission: 420 nm
- Stokes Shift:0.5602×10⁻⁴

S9.23: Ethyl 6-(2-(4-methoxyphenyl) acetamido)-2-methyl-4-phenylquinoline-3-carboxylate (6ag).

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S9.24: Ethyl 6-(2-(2-chlorophenyl)acetamido)-2-methyl-4-phenylquinoline-3carboxylate (6ah).

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10⁻⁵ M solution in Methanol Maximum absorption: 340 nm Maximum emission: 418 nm

Stokes Shift:0.5488×10⁻⁴

S9.25: Ethyl 6-(2-(4-chlorophenyl)acetamido)-2-methyl-4-phenylquinoline-3-



S9.26: Ethyl 6-(2-(3-bromophenyl) acetamido)-2-methyl-4-phenylquinoline-3-



S9.27: Ethyl 6-(2-(4-bromophenyl) acetamido)-2-methyl-4-phenylquinoline-3-



carboxylate (6ak)

Maximum absorption:

- Maximum emission: 417 nm
- ➢ Stokes Shift:0.5439×10^{−4}





S9.29: Ethyl 6-(2-(benzyloxy)acetamido)-2-methyl-4-phenylquinoline-3-carboxylate



S9.30: Ethyl 6-(4-amino-2-methylbenzamido)-2-methyl-4-phenylquinoline-3-carboxylate (6ao).



S9.31: Ethyl 6-(2-amino-5-chloro-3-methylbenzamido)-2-methyl-4-phenylquinoline-3-





10⁻⁵ M solution in Methanol

Maximum absorption: 350 nm

Maximum emission: 454 nm

➢ Stokes Shift:0.6545×10^{−4}







Solid State

- \triangleright Maximum absorption: 360 nm
- ⋟ Maximum emission: 464 nm
 - Stokes Shift: 0.6226 ×10⁻⁴

S9.33: N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2-(2-methoxyphenyl) acetamide (6f).

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Solid State Maximum absorption: 363 nm Maximum emission: 448 nm Stokes Shift: 0.5226×10⁻⁴

S9.34: N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2-(2-chlorophenyl) acetamide (6h).

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Solid State

- Maximum absorption: 347 nm
- Maximum emission: 471 nm
- Stokes Shift: 0.7587×10⁻⁴

6. IR, ¹H, ¹³C, DEPT-135 and 2D NMR and HRMS Spectra.



Fig.S10 ¹H NMR of N-(3-Acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)acetamide (6a).



Fig.S11 ¹³C NMR of N-(3-Acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)acetamide (6a)



Fig.S12 DEPT-DEPT-135 of NMR of N-(3-Acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)acetamide (6a).



Fig.S13 H-H COSY NMR of N-(3-Acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)acetamide (6a).



Fig.S14 Enlarged H-H COSY NMR of N-(3-Acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)acetamide (6a).



Fig.S15 Enlarged H-H COSY NMR of N-(3-Acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)acetamide (6a).



Fig.S16 HSQC NMR of N-(3-Acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)acetamide (6a).



Fig.S17 Enlarged HSQC NMR of N-(3-Acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)acetamide (6a).



Fig.S18 Enlarged HSQC NMR of N-(3-Acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)acetamide (6a).



Fig.S19 HRMS of N-(3-Acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)acetamide (6a).



Fig.S20 ¹H NMR of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2-cyanoacetamide (6b).



Fig.S21¹³C NMR of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2-cyanoacetamide (6b).


Fig.S22 DEPT-135 NMR of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2-cyanoacetamide (6b).



Fig.S23 H-H COSY of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2-cyanoacetamide (6b).

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Fig.S24 HSQC of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2-cyanoacetamide (6b).



Fig.S25 HRMS of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2-cyanoacetamide (6b).



Fig.S26 FT-IR of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2-cyanoacetamide (6b).



Fig.S27 ¹H NMR of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2,2,2-trifluoroacetamide (6c).



Fig.S28¹³C NMR of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2,2,2-trifluoroacetamide (6c).



Fig.S29 DEPT-135 of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2,2,2-trifluoroacetamide



Fig.S30¹⁹F NMR of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2,2,2-trifluoroacetamide (6c).



Fig.S31 H-H COSY of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2,2,2-trifluoroacetamide (6c).



Fig.S32 HSQC of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2,2,2-trifluoroacetamide (6c).



Fig.S33 HRMS of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2,2,2-trifluoroacetamide (6c).



Fig.S34 ¹H NMR of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2-phenylacetamide (6d).



Fig.S35 ¹³C NMR of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2-phenylacetamide (6d).



Fig.S36 DEPT-135 of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2-phenylacetamide (6d).



Fig.S37 H-H COSY of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2-phenylacetamide (6d).



Fig.S38 HRMS of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2-phenylacetamide (6d).



Fig.S39 FT-IR of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2-phenylacetamide (6d).



Fig.S40 ¹H NMR of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2-(p-tolyl)acetamide (6e).



Fig.S41 ¹³C NMR of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2-(p-tolyl)acetamide (6e).



Fig.S42 DEPT-135 of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2-(p-tolyl)acetamide (6e).



Fig.S43 HRMS of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2-(p-tolyl)acetamide (6e).







Fig.S45 ¹H NMR of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2-(2-methoxyphenyl)acetamide



Fig.S46 ¹³C NMR of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2-(2-methoxyphenyl)acetamide

(6f).



Fig.S47 DEPT-135 of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2-(2-methoxyphenyl)acetamide



Fig.S48 HRMS of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2-(2-methoxyphenyl)acetamide (6f).



Fig.S49 FT-IR of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2-(2-methoxyphenyl)acetamide (6f).

(6f).



Fig.S50 ¹H NMR of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2-(4-methoxyphenyl)acetamide

(6g).



Fig.S51 ¹³C NMR of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2-(4-methoxyphenyl)acetamide



Fig.S52 DEPT-135 of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2-(4-methoxyphenyl)acetamide

(6g).



Fig.S53 HRMS of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2-(4-methoxyphenyl)acetamide (6g).



Fig.S54 FT-IR of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2-(4-methoxyphenyl)acetamide (6g).



Fig.S55 ¹H NMR of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2-(2-chlorophenyl)acetamide (6h).



Fig.S56¹³C NMR of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2-(2-chlorophenyl)acetamide (6h).



Fig.S57 DEPT-135 of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2-(2-chlorophenyl)acetamide



Fig.S58 HRMS of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2-(2-chlorophenyl)acetamide (6h).



Fig.S59 FT-IR of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2-(2-chlorophenyl)acetamide (6h).



Fig.S60 ¹H NMR of 1-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-3-(4-chlorophenyl)propan-2-one1 (6i).



Fig.S61 ¹³C NMR of 1-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-3-(4-chlorophenyl)propan-2-one1



Fig.S62 DEPT-135 of 1-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-3-(4-chlorophenyl)propan-2-one1

(6i).



Fig.S63 HRMS of 1-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-3-(4-chlorophenyl)propan-2-one1



Fig.S64 FT-IR of 1-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-3-(4-chlorophenyl)propan-2-one1 (6i).



Fig.S65 ¹H NMR of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2-(3-bromophenyl)acetamide (6j).



Fig.S66 ¹³C NMR of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2-(3-bromophenyl)acetamide (6j).



Fig.S67 DEPT-135 of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2-(3-bromophenyl)acetamide



Fig.S68 HRMS of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2-(3-bromophenyl)acetamide (6j).



Fig.S69 FT-IR of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2-(3-bromophenyl)acetamide (6j).



Fig.S70 ¹H NMR of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2-(4-bromophenyl)acetamide (6k).



Fig.S71 ¹³C NMR of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2-(4-bromophenyl)acetamide (6k).



Fig.S72 DEPT-135 of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2-(4-bromophenyl)acetamide

(6k).



Fig.S73 HRMS of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2-(4-bromophenyl)acetamide (6k)



Fig.S74 FT-IR of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2-(4-bromophenyl)acetamide (6k).



Fig.S75 ¹H NMR of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2-phenoxyacetamide (61).



Fig.S76¹³C NMR of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2-phenoxyacetamide (6l).



Fig.S77 DEPT-135 of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2-phenoxyacetamide (6l).



Fig.S78 H-H COSY of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2-phenoxyacetamide (6l).



Fig.S79 Enlarged H-H COSY of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2-phenoxyacetamide



Fig.S80 Enlarged H-H COSY of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-ph enylquinolin-6-yl)-2-phenoxyacetamide

(6l).



Fig.S81 HSQC of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2-phenoxyacetamide (6l).







Fig.S83 Enlarged HSQC of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2-phenoxyacetamide (61).



Fig.S84 HRMS of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2-phenoxyacetamide (61).



Fig.S85 HRMS of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2-phenoxyacetamide (61).



Fig.S86 ¹H NMR of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2-(benzyloxy)acetamide (6m).



Fig.S87¹³C NMR of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2-(benzyloxy)acetamide (6m).



Fig.S88 DEPT-135 of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2-(benzyloxy)acetamide (6m).



Fig.S89 H-H COSY of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2-(benzyloxy)acetamide (6m).





Fig.S90 Enlarged H-H COSY of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2-(benzyloxy)acetamide (6m).



Fig.S91 Enlarged H-H COSY of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2-(benzyloxy)acetamide (6m).



Fig.S92 HRMS of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2-(benzyloxy)acetamide (6m).



Fig.S93 FT-IR of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2-(benzyloxy)acetamide (6m).


Fig.S94 ¹H NMR of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)cinnamamide (6n).



Fig.S95¹³C NMR of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)cinnamamide (6n).



Fig.S96 DEPT-135 of NMR OF N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)cinnamamide (6n).



Fig.S97 HRMS OF NMR of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)cinnamamide (6n).







Fig.S99 ¹H NMR of (E)-N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-3-(4-methoxyphenyl)acrylamide



Fig.S100 ¹³C NMR of (E)-N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-3-(4-methoxyphenyl)acrylamide (60).



Fig.S101 DEPT-135 of (E)-N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-3-(4-methoxyphenyl)acrylamide (60).



Fig.S102 HRMS of (E)-N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-3-(4-methoxyphenyl)acrylamide



(60).

Fig.S103 FT-IR of (E)-N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-3-(4-methoxyphenyl)acrylamide



Fig.S104 ¹H NMR of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2,6-dichloroisonicotinamide (6p).



Fig.S105¹³C NMR of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2,6-dichloroisonicotinamide (6p).



Fig.S106 H-H COSY of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2,6-dichloroisonicotinamide

(6p).



Fig.S107 H-H COSY of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2,6-dichloroisonicotinamide



Fig.S108 HRMS of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2,6-dichloroisonicotinamide (6p).



Fig.S109 FT-IR of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2,6-dichloroisonicotinamide (6p).



Fig.S110 ¹H NMR of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-3,6-dichloropicolinamide (6q).



Fig.S111 ¹³C NMR of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-3,6-dichloropicolinamide (6q).



Fig.S112 DEPT-135 of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-3,6-dichloropicolinamide (6q).



Fig.S113 HRMS of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-3,6-dichloropicolinamide (6q).



Fig.S114 FT-IR of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-3,6-dichloropicolinamide (6q).



Fig.S115 ¹H NMR of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-5-bromonicotinamide (6r).



Fig.S116¹³C NMR of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-5-bromonicotinamide (6r).



Fig.S117 DEPT-135 of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-5-bromonicotinamide (6r).



Fig.S118 HRMS of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-5-bromonicotinamide (6r).



Fig.S119 FT-IR of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-5-bromonicotinamide (6r).



Fig.S120 ¹H NMR of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2-hydroxybenzamide (6s).



Fig.S121 ¹³C NMR of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2-hydroxybenzamide (6s).



Fig.S122 DEPT-135 of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2-hydroxybenzamide (6s).











Fig.S125 ¹H NMR of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2-amino-4-iodobenzamide (6t).



Fig.S126¹³C NMR of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2-amino-4-iodobenzamide (6t).



Fig.S127 DEPT-135 of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2-amino-4-iodobenzamide (6t).



Fig.S128 H-H COSY of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2-amino-4-iodobenzamide (6t).



Fig.S129 Enlarged H-H COSY of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2-amino-4-

iodobenzamide (6t).



Fig.S130 Enlarged H-H COSY of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2-amino-4-



iodobenzamide (6t).

Fig.S131 HSQC of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2-amino-4-iodobenzamide (6t).

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Fig.S132 Enlarged HSQC of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2-amino-4-iodobenzamide

(6t).



Fig.S133 Enlarged HSQC of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2-amino-4-iodobenzamide



Fig.S134 HRMS of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2-amino-4-iodobenzamide (6t).



Fig.S135 FT-IR of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2-amino-4-iodobenzamide (6t).



Fig.S136 ¹H NMR of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-3,5-dimethoxybenzamide (6u).



Fig.S137 ¹³C NMR of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-3,5-dimethoxybenzamide (6u).



Fig.S138 DEPT-135 of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-3,5-dimethoxybenzamide (6u).







Fig.S140 FT-IR of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-3,5-dimethoxybenzamide (6u).



Fig.S141 ¹H NMR of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2-amino-5-chloro-3-

methylbenzamide (6v).



Fig.S142 ¹³C NMR of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2-amino-5-chloro-3-

methylbenzamide (6v).



Fig.S143 DEPT-135 of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2-amino-5-chloro-3-

methylbenzamide (6v).



Fig.S144 HRMS of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2-amino-5-chloro-3-



methylbenzamide (6v).

Fig.S145 FT-IR of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2-amino-5-chloro-3-

methylbenzamide (6v).





Fig.S146 ¹H NMR of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-5-chloro-2-nitrobenzamide (6w).



Fig.S147¹³C NMR of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-5-chloro-2-nitrobenzamide (6w).



Fig.S148 DEPT-135 of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-5-chloro-2-nitrobenzamide (6w).







Fig.S150 ¹H NMR of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-3-chloro-2-nitrobenzamide (6x).



Fig.S151 DEPT-135 of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-3-chloro-2-nitrobenzamide (6x).



Fig.S152 HRMS of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-3-chloro-2-nitrobenzamide (6x).



Fig.S153 FT-IR of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-3-chloro-2-nitrobenzamide (6x).



Fig.S154 ¹H NMR of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2-(phenylamino)benzamide (6y).



Fig.S155 ¹³C NMR of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2-(phenylamino)benzamide (6y).



Fig.S156 DEPT-135 of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2-(phenylamino)benzamide (6y).



Fig.S157 HRMS of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2-(phenylamino)benzamide (6y).



Fig.S158 FT-IR of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-2-(phenylamino)benzamide (6y).



Fig.S159 ¹H NMR of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-1-butyl-1H-indazole-3-

carboxamide (6z).



Fig.S160 ¹³C NMR of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-1-butyl-1H-indazole-3-

carboxamide (6z).



Fig.S161 DEPT-135 of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-1-butyl-1H-indazole-3-

carboxamide (6z).



Fig.S162 HRMS of N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-1-butyl-1H-indazole-3-carboxamide

(6z).



Fig.S163 FT-IR OF N-(3-acetyl-2-methyl-4-phenylquinolin-6-yl)-1-butyl-1H-indazole-3-carboxamide



Fig.S164 ¹H NMR of Ethyl 6-acetamido-2-methyl-4-phenyl quinoline-3-carboxylate (6aa)



Fig.S165¹³C NMR of Ethyl 6-acetamido-2-methyl-4-phenyl quinoline-3-carboxylate (6aa).






Fig.S167 HRMS of Ethyl 6-acetamido-2-methyl-4-phenyl quinoline-3-carboxylate (6aa).



Fig.S168 ¹H NMR of Ethyl 2-methyl-4-phenyl-6-(2,2,2-trifluoroacetamido) quinoline-3-carboxylate (6ab).



Fig.S169 ¹³C NMR of Ethyl 2-methyl-4-phenyl-6-(2,2,2-trifluoroacetamido) quinoline-3-carboxylate (6ab).



Fig.S170 DEPT-135 of Ethyl 2-methyl-4-phenyl-6-(2,2,2-trifluoroacetamido) quinoline-3-carboxylate (6ab).



Fig.S171 HRMS of Ethyl 2-methyl-4-phenyl-6-(2,2,2-trifluoroacetamido) quinoline-3-carboxylate (6ab).



Fig.S172 ¹H NMR of Ethyl 6-(2-cyanoacetamido)-2-methyl-4-phenylquinoline-3-carboxylate (6ac). Signature SIF VIT VELLORE VN-075



Fig.S173 ¹³C NMR of Ethyl 6-(2-cyanoacetamido)-2-methyl-4-phenylquinoline-3-carboxylate (6ac).



Fig.S174 DEPT-135 of Ethyl 6-(2-cyanoacetamido)-2-methyl-4-phenylquinoline-3-carboxylate (6ac).



Fig.S175 HRMS of Ethyl 6-(2-cyanoacetamido)-2-methyl-4-phenylquinoline-3-carboxylate (6ac).



Fig.S176 ¹H NMR of Ethyl 2-methyl-4-phenyl-6-(2-phenylacetamido) quinoline-3-carboxylate(6ad).



Fig.S177¹³C NMR of Ethyl 2-methyl-4-phenyl-6-(2-phenylacetamido) quinoline-3-carboxylate(6ad).



Fig.S178 DEPT-135 of Ethyl 2-methyl-4-phenyl-6-(2-phenylacetamido) quinoline-3-carboxylate(6ad).



Fig.S179 HRMS of Ethyl 2-methyl-4-phenyl-6-(2-phenylacetamido) quinoline-3-carboxylate(6ad).



Fig.S180 ¹H NMR of Ethyl 2-methyl-4-phenyl-6-(2-(p-tolyl)acetamido)quinoline-3-carboxylate (6ae).



Fig.S181 ¹³C NMR of Ethyl 2-methyl-4-phenyl-6-(2-(p-tolyl)acetamido)quinoline-3-carboxylate (6ae).



Fig.S182 DEPT-135 of Ethyl 2-methyl-4-phenyl-6-(2-(p-tolyl)acetamido)quinoline-3-carboxylate (6ae).



Fig.S183 HRMS of Ethyl 2-methyl-4-phenyl-6-(2-(p-tolyl)acetamido)quinoline-3-carboxylate (6ae).



Fig.S184 ¹H NMR of Ethyl 6-(2-(2-methoxyphenyl)acetamido)-2-methyl-4-phenylquinoline-3carboxylate (6af).



Fig.S185¹³C NMR of Ethyl 6-(2-(2-methoxyphenyl) acetamido)-2-methyl-4-phenylquinoline-3carboxylate (6af).



Fig.S186 DEPT-135 of Ethyl 6-(2-(2-methoxyphenyl) acetamido)-2-methyl-4-phenylquinoline-3carboxylate (6af).



carboxylate (6af).



Fig.S188 ¹H NMR of Ethyl 6-(2-(4-methoxyphenyl) acetamido)-2-methyl-4-phenylquinoline-3carboxylate (6ag).



Fig.S189 ¹³C NMR of Ethyl 6-(2-(4-methoxyphenyl) acetamido)-2-methyl-4-phenylquinoline-3carboxylate (6ag).



Fig.S190 DEPT-135 of Ethyl 6-(2-(4-methoxyphenyl) acetamido)-2-methyl-4-phenylquinoline-3carboxylate (6ag).



Fig.S191 HRMS of Ethyl 6-(2-(4-methoxyphenyl) acetamido)-2-methyl-4-phenylquinoline-3carboxylate (6ag)



Fig.S192 ¹H NMR of Ethyl 6-(2-(2-chlorophenyl) acetamido)-2-methyl-4-phenylquinoline-3carboxylate (6ah).



Fig.S193 ¹³C NMR of Ethyl 6-(2-(2-chlorophenyl) acetamido)-2-methyl-4-phenylquinoline-3carboxylate (6ah).



Fig.S194 DEPT-135 of Ethyl 6-(2-(2-chlorophenyl) acetamido)-2-methyl-4-phenylquinoline-3carboxylate (6ah).



Fig.S195 HRMS of Ethyl 6-(2-(2-chlorophenyl) acetamido)-2-methyl-4-phenylquinoline-3-carboxylate (6ah).



Fig.S197¹³CNMR of Ethyl 6-(2-(4-chlorophenyl) acetamido)-2-methyl-4-phenylquinoline-3carboxylate (6ai).



Fig.S198 DEPT-135 of Ethyl 6-(2-(4-chlorophenyl) acetamido)-2-methyl-4-phenylquinoline-3carboxylate (6ai).



Fig.S199 HRMS of Ethyl 6-(2-(4-chlorophenyl) acetamido)-2-methyl-4-phenylquinoline-3-carboxylate (6ai).





Fig.S201 ¹³C NMR of Ethyl 6-(2-(3-bromophenyl) acetamido)-2-methyl-4-phenylquinoline-3carboxylate (6aj).



Fig.S202 DEPT-135 of Ethyl 6-(2-(3-bromophenyl) acetamido)-2-methyl-4-phenylquinoline-3carboxylate (6aj).



Fig.S203 HRMS of Ethyl 6-(2-(3-bromophenyl) acetamido)-2-methyl-4-phenylquinoline-3carboxylate (6aj).



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Fig.S204 ¹H NMR of Ethyl 6-(2-(4-bromophenyl) acetamido)-2-methyl-4-phenylquinoline-3carboxylate (6ak).



Fig.S205 ¹³C NMR of Ethyl 6-(2-(4-bromophenyl) acetamido)-2-methyl-4-phenylquinoline-3carboxylate (6ak).

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Fig.S206 DEPT-135 of Ethyl 6-(2-(4-bromophenyl) acetamido)-2-methyl-4-phenylquinoline-3carboxylate (6ak).



Fig.S207 ¹H NMR of Ethyl 2-methyl-6-(2-phenoxyacetamido)-4-phenylquinoline-3-carboxylate (6al).



Fig.S208 ¹³C NMR of Ethyl 2-methyl-6-(2-phenoxyacetamido)-4-phenylquinoline-3-carboxylate (6al).



Fig.S209 DEPT-135 of Ethyl 2-methyl-6-(2-phenoxyacetamido)-4-phenylquinoline-3-carboxylate (6al).



Fig.S210 HRMS of Ethyl 2-methyl-6-(2-phenoxyacetamido)-4-phenylquinoline-3-carboxylate (6al).



Fig.S211 ¹H NMR of Ethyl 6-(2-(benzyloxy)acetamido)-2-methyl-4-phenylquinoline-3-carboxylate (6am).





Fig.S212 13C NMR of Ethyl 6-(2-(benzyloxy)acetamido)-2-methyl-4-phenylquinoline-3-carboxylate (6am).



Fig.S213 DEPT-135 of Ethyl 6-(2-(benzyloxy)acetamido)-2-methyl-4-phenylquinoline-3-carboxylate (6am).



Fig.S215 HRMS of Ethyl 6-(2-(benzyloxy)acetamido)-2-methyl-4-phenylquinoline-3-carboxylate (6am).

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Fig.S216 ¹H NMR of Ethyl 6-(2-(benzyloxy)acetamido)-2-methyl-4-phenylquinoline-3-carboxylate (6an).



Fig.S217 ¹³C NMR of Ethyl 6-(2-(benzyloxy)acetamido)-2-methyl-4-phenylquinoline-3-carboxylate (6an).



Fig.S218 DEPT-135 of Ethyl 6-(2-(benzyloxy)acetamido)-2-methyl-4-phenylquinoline-3-carboxylate (6an).



(6an).



Fig.S220 ¹H NMR of Ethyl 6-(4-amino-2-methylbenzamido)-2-methyl-4-phenylquinoline-3carboxylate (6ao).



Fig.S221 ¹³C NMR of Ethyl 6-(4-amino-2-methylbenzamido)-2-methyl-4-phenylquinoline-3carboxylate (6ao).



Fig.S222 DEPT-135 of Ethyl 6-(4-amino-2-methylbenzamido)-2-methyl-4-phenylquinoline-3carboxylate (6ao).



Fig.S223 HRMS of Ethyl 6-(4-amino-2-methylbenzamido)-2-methyl-4-phenylquinoline-3-carboxylate (6ao).



Fig.S224 ¹H NMR of Ethyl 6-(2-amino-5-chloro-3-methylbenzamido)-2-methyl-4-phenylquinoline-3carboxylate (6ap).



Fig.S225 ¹³C NMR of Ethyl 6-(2-amino-5-chloro-3-methylbenzamido)-2-methyl-4-phenylquinoline-3carboxylate (6ap).



Fig.S226 DEPT-135 of Ethyl 6-(2-amino-5-chloro-3-methylbenzamido)-2-methyl-4-phenylquinoline-3carboxylate (6ap).



Fig.S227 HRMS of Ethyl 6-(2-amino-5-chloro-3-methylbenzamido)-2-methyl-4-phenylquinoline-3-carboxylate (6ap).



Fig.S228 ¹H NMR of Ethyl 6-(2-amino-3,4-difluorobenzamido)-2-methyl-4-phenylquinoline-3carboxylate (6aq).



Fig.S229 ¹³C NMR of Ethyl 6-(2-amino-3,4-difluorobenzamido)-2-methyl-4-phenylquinoline-3carboxylate (6aq).



Fig.S230 DEPT-135 of Ethyl 6-(2-amino-3,4-difluorobenzamido)-2-methyl-4-phenylquinoline-3carboxylate (6aq).



Fig.S231 HRMS of Ethyl 6-(2-amino-3,4-difluorobenzamido)-2-methyl-4-phenylquinoline-3carboxylate (6aq).





Fig.S232 ¹H NMR of Ethyl 6-(5-chloro-2-nitrobenzamido)-2-methyl-4-phenylquinoline-3-carboxylate (6ar).



Fig.S233 ¹³C NMR of Ethyl 6-(5-chloro-2-nitrobenzamido)-2-methyl-4-phenylquinoline-3-carboxylate (6ar).



Fig.S234 DEPT-135 of Ethyl 6-(5-chloro-2-nitrobenzamido)-2-methyl-4-phenylquinoline-3carboxylate (6ar).



Fig.S235 HRMS of Ethyl 6-(5-chloro-2-nitrobenzamido)-2-methyl-4-phenylquinoline-3- carboxylate (6ar).



Fig.S236 ¹H NMR of Ethyl 6-(3-chloro-2-nitrobenzamido)-2-methyl-4-phenylquinoline-3-carboxylate (6as).



Fig.S237 ¹³C NMR of Ethyl 6-(3-chloro-2-nitrobenzamido)-2-methyl-4-phenylquinoline-3-carboxylate (6as).


Fig.S238 DEPT-135 of Ethyl 6-(3-chloro-2-nitrobenzamido)-2-methyl-4-phenylquinoline-3carboxylate (6as).



Fig.S239 HRMS of Ethyl 6-(3-chloro-2-nitrobenzamido)-2-methyl-4-phenylquinoline-3-carboxylate (6as).



Fig.S240 ¹H NMR of Ethyl 6-(3,5-dimethoxybenzamido)-2-methyl-4-phenylquinoline-3-carboxylate (6at).



Fig.S241 ¹³C NMR of Ethyl 6-(3,5-dimethoxybenzamido)-2-methyl-4-phenylquinoline-3-carboxylate (6at).



Fig.S242 DEPT-135 of Ethyl 6-(3,5-dimethoxybenzamido)-2-methyl-4-phenylquinoline-3-carboxylate (6at).



Fig.S243 HRMS of Ethyl 6-(3,5-dimethoxybenzamido)-2-methyl-4-phenylquinoline-3-carboxylate (6at).



Fig.S244 ¹H NMR of Ethyl 6-(3,6-dichloropicolinamido)-2-methyl-4-phenylquinoline-3-carboxylate (6au).



Fig.S245 ¹³C NMR of Ethyl 6-(3,6-dichloropicolinamido)-2-methyl-4-phenylquinoline-3-carboxylate (6au).



Fig.S246 DEPT-135 of Ethyl 6-(3,6-dichloropicolinamido)-2-methyl-4-phenylquinoline-3-carboxylate (6au).



Fig.S247 HRMS of Ethyl 6-(3,6-dichloropicolinamido)-2-methyl-4-phenylquinoline-3-carboxylate (6au).





Fig.S248 ¹H NMR of Ethyl 6-(2,6-dichloroisonicotinamido)-2-methyl-4-phenylquinoline-3carboxylate (6av).



Fig.S249 ¹³C NMR of Ethyl 6-(2,6-dichloroisonicotinamido)-2-methyl-4-phenylquinoline-3carboxylate (6av).



Fig.S250 DEPT-135 of Ethyl 6-(2,6-dichloroisonicotinamido)-2-methyl-4-phenylquinoline-3carboxylate (6av).



Fig.S251 ¹H NMR of Ethyl 2-methyl-4-phenyl-6-(2-(phenylamino)benzamido)quinoline-3-carboxylate (6aw).



Fig.S252 ¹³C NMR of Ethyl 2-methyl-4-phenyl-6-(2-(phenylamino)benzamido)quinoline-3carboxylate (6aw).



Fig.S253 DEPT-135 of Ethyl 2-methyl-4-phenyl-6-(2-(phenylamino)benzamido)quinoline-3carboxylate (6aw).



Fig.S254 MS-ESI of Ethyl 2-methyl-4-phenyl-6-(2-(phenylamino)benzamido)quinoline-3-carboxylate (6aw).