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Application of Baylis–Hillman methodology in the direct construction of chromone derivatives



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Pyridinium chlorochromate oxidation of Baylis–Hillman-derived *tert*-butyl 2*H*-chromene-3-carboxylates affords chromone-3-carboxylate esters, providing the first application of Baylis–Hillman methodology in a direct and convenient three-step synthesis of chromone derivatives.

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