Total Synthesis of the Monoterpenoid Indole Alkaloid (±)-Aspidophylline A

Problem:

• Give the mechanism of the two steps, and the reaction's name of the second.

R	Conditions	Product (yield %)
Н	LiHMDS, THF,HMPA -40°C, then I ₂ , -40 °C to 0° C	6 (36%)
Н	LiHMDS, THF, -40°C, then I_2 , -40 °C to 0° C	4/5 (2/1, 54%)

Propose some intermediates to rationalize the results observed for the preparation of tetracycle 4

- Give the mechanism of the 1st step (Bachelor and Master)
- Give the mechanism of the conversion from 8 to 9,
- Provide the conditions and give the name of the formation of 10 from 9

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Deprotection Ts

Mitsonobu

Intermolecular oxydative coupling

Decarboxylation, Krapcho:

+ reprotection of the Boc

Selenoxyde elimination

Staudinger