

Generating Complexity with a Simple Calcium Catalyst

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Professional career



Meike Niggemann was born in Hamm, (Westf.) Germany, in 1979. She graduated from the Technical University of Dortmund in 2003 and received her doctoral degree in synthetic organic chemistry from the same university in 2007 under the supervision of Prof. Dr. B. Plietker. She joined Prof. Dr. S. F. Martin's group at the University of Texas at Austin as a Postdoctoral fellow in 2007. End of 2008 she moved back to Europe and started her independent career as a Junior-Professor at RWTH Aachen University.

Research Interests

Her research is focused on the development of new reactions for organic synthesis that can be accomplished by calcium based catalysts.