



- Bisnortriterpenoid isolated by Prof. Su-Gong Wu and coworkers in 2003 and structurally elucidated by Prof. Han-Dong Sun and coworkers in 2006
- Identified in leaves and stem of *Schisandra rubriflora*
- Only grows naturally in the western Sichuan province of China
- Bioactive against HIV-1 replication with $EC_{50} = 9.75 \mu\text{g/mL}$
- Low cytotoxicity
- First asymmetric total synthesis herein reported



Schisandra rubriflora



