APENDIX A

Spectra of compounds in chapter II



¹H NMR spectrum (400 MHz, DMSO- d_6) of H_2L^1



¹³C NMR spectrum (400 MHz, DMSO- d_6) of H_2L^1



IR spectrum (KBr) of H_2L^1



¹H NMR spectrum (400 MHz, DMSO- d_6) of $\mathbf{H}_2 \mathbf{L}^2$



¹³C NMR spectrum (400 MHz, DMSO- d_6) of H_2L^2



IR spectrum (KBr) of H_2L2



¹H NMR spectrum (400 MHz, DMSO- d_6) of H_2L^3



¹H NMR spectrum (400 MHz, THF- d_8) of H_2L^3



¹³C NMR spectrum (400 MHz, DMSO- d_6) of H_2L^3



¹³C NMR spectrum (400 MHz, THF- d_8) of H_2L^3



IR spectrum (KBr) of H_2L^3



¹H NMR spectrum (400 MHz, DMSO- d_6) of [**Zn**(**HL**¹)₂]



¹³C NMR spectrum (400 MHz, DMSO- d_6) of [**Zn**(**HL**¹)₂]



IR spectrum (KBr) of [Zn(HL¹)₂]



¹H NMR spectrum (400 MHz, DMSO- d_6) of [Ni(HL¹)₂].H₂O



IR spectrum (KBr) of [Ni(HL¹)₂].H₂O



¹H NMR spectrum (400 MHz, DMSO- d_6) of [Ni(HL²)₂]



IR spectrum (KBr) of [Ni(HL²)₂]



UV-Vis spectrum (solid) of [Ni(HL²)₂]



¹H NMR spectrum (400 MHz, DMSO- d_6) of [Cd(HL²)₂]



¹³C NMR spectrum (400 MHz, DMSO- d_6) of [Cd(HL²)₂]



IR spectrum (KBr) of [Cd(HL²)₂]



¹H NMR spectrum (400 MHz, DMSO- d_6) of [**Zn**(**HL**²)₂]



¹³C NMR spectrum (400 MHz, DMSO- d_6) of [**Zn(HL**²)₂]



IR spectrum (KBr) of [**Zn(HL**²)₂]





¹H NMR spectrum (400 MHz, THF- d_8) of [Cd(HL³)₂]



¹³C NMR spectrum (400 MHz, THF- d_8) of [Cd(HL³)₂]



IR spectrum (KBr) of [Cd(HL³)₂]



NOESY spectrum (400 MHz, THF- d_8) of [Cd(HL³)₂]



COSY spectrum (400 MHz, THF- d_8) of [Cd(HL³)₂]



HMQC spectrum (400 MHz, THF- d_8) of [Cd(HL³)₂]



¹H NMR spectrum (400 MHz, DMSO- d_6) of [Zn(L³)(H₂O)]



¹³C NMR spectrum (400 MHz, DMSO- d_6) of [**Zn**(**L**³)(**H**₂**O**)]



IR spectrum (KBr) of $[Zn(L^3)(H_2O)]$



¹H NMR spectrum (400 MHz, DMSO- d_6) of [Cd(L³)(H₂O)]



¹³C NMR spectrum (400 MHz, DMSO- d_6) of [Cd(L³)(H₂O)]



IR spectrum (KBr) of $[Cd(L^3)(H_2O)]$



IR spectrum (KBr) of $[Ni(L^3)(H_2O)]$



UV-Vis spectrum (solid) of $[Ni(L^3)(H_2O)]$



IR spectrum (KBr) of $[Ni(L^3)(Et_3N)(H_2O)]$

APENDIX B

Spectra of compounds in chapter III



¹H NMR spectrum (400 MHz, DMSO- d_6) of **2a**



¹³C NMR spectrum (400 MHz, DMSO- d_6) of **2a**



¹H NMR spectrum (400 MHz, DMSO- d_6) of **3a**



¹³C NMR spectrum (400 MHz, DMSO- d_6) of **3a**



¹H NMR spectrum (400 MHz, DMSO- d_6) of **3b**



¹³C NMR spectrum (400 MHz, DMSO- d_6) of **3b**



¹H NMR spectrum (400 MHz, DMSO- d_6) of **3c**



¹³C NMR spectrum (400 MHz, DMSO- d_6) of **3c**



¹H NMR spectrum (400 MHz, DMSO- d_6) of **3d**



¹³C NMR spectrum (400 MHz, DMSO- d_6) of **3d**


¹H NMR spectrum (400 MHz, DMSO- d_6) of **3e**



¹³C NMR spectrum (400 MHz, DMSO- d_6) of **3e**







¹³C NMR spectrum (400 MHz, DMSO- d_6) of **3f**





¹³C NMR spectrum (400 MHz, DMSO-*d*₆) of **7a**

APENDIX C

Spectra of compounds in chapter IV



¹H NMR spectrum (400 MHz, CDCl₃) of **2-(diformylmethylidene)-3,3-dimethylindole**



¹³C NMR spectrum (400 MHz, CDCl₃) of **2-(diformylmethylidene)-3,3-dimethylindole**



IR spectrum (ATR) of **2-(diformylmethylidene)-3,3-dimethylindole**







UV-Vis spectrum (solid) of Co(II) complex $\mathbf{1}$



IR spectrum (ATR) of Co(II) complex ${\bf 2}$



UV-Vis spectrum (solid) of Co(II) complex ${f 2}$



IR spectrum (ATR) of Ni(II) complex 3



UV-Vis spectrum (solid) of Ni(II) complex 3



IR spectrum (ATR) of Ni(II) complex 4



UV-Vis spectrum (solid) of Ni(II) complex 4







UV-Vis spectrum (solid) of Cu(II) complex 5



IR spectrum (ATR) of Zn(II) complex 6



IR spectrum (ATR) of Zn(II) complex 7



IR spectrum (ATR) of Cd(II) complex 8



IR spectrum (ATR) of Cd(II) complex 9



¹H NMR spectrum (400 MHz, CDCl₃) of Pd(II) complex **10**



¹³C NMR spectrum (400 MHz, CDCl₃) of Pd(II) complex 10







UV-Vis spectrum (solid) of Pd(II) complex 10

APENDIX D

Spectra of compounds in chapter V





 13 C NMR spectrum (400 MHz, DMSO- d_6) of 4



IR spectrum (KBr) of 4







IR spectrum (KBr) of 5





¹³C NMR spectrum (400 MHz, DMSO- d_6) of **6**



IR spectrum (KBr) of 6





¹³C NMR spectrum (400 MHz, DMSO- d_6) of **7**



IR spectrum (KBr) of 7





¹³C NMR spectrum (400 MHz, CDCl₃) of **8**



IR spectrum (KBr) of 8



¹H NMR spectrum (400 MHz, DMSO- d_6) of **9**



¹³C NMR spectrum (400 MHz, DMSO- d_6) of **9**



IR spectrum (KBr) of 9



¹H NMR spectrum (400 MHz, CDCl₃) of **11**



¹³C NMR spectrum (400 MHz, CDCl₃) of **11**



IR spectrum (KBr) of 11







IR spectrum (KBr) of 12

APENDIX E

Spectra of compounds in chapter VI





¹H NMR spectrum (400 MHz, CDCl₃) of **1**



¹³C NMR spectrum (400 MHz, CDCl₃) of **1**



IR spectrum (ATR) of 1



IR spectrum (ATR) of 5
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