

## Cobaltoceniumselenide coordination chemistry

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In recent work we have shown that the selenium derivative (CcC-Se) of the novel mesoionic carbene cobaltocenylidene (CcC) can be generated by nucleophilic aromatic substitution of iodocobaltocenium salts [1] with sodium selenide [2]. This zwitterionic cobaltoceniumselenide (or cobaltoceniumselenolate) is an unusual new redox-active ligand with quite interesting coordination chemistry. Selected late transition metal complexes of CcC-Se (Figure 1) will be presented and spectroscopic and structural data will be discussed.

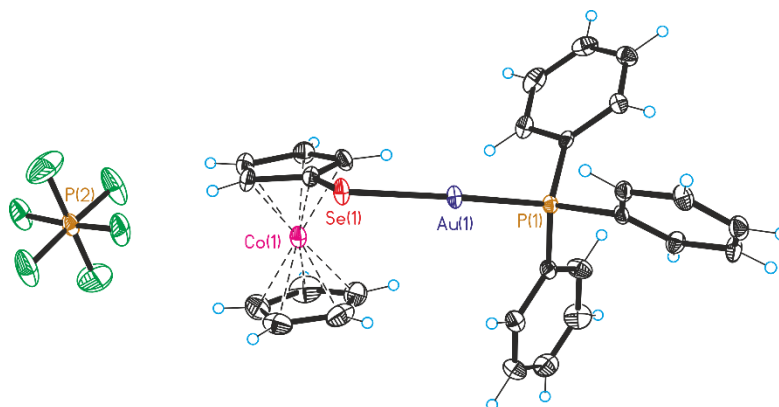


Figure 1. Molecular structure of  $[\text{CcC-Se}]\text{Au}[\text{P}(\text{C}_6\text{H}_5)_3]\text{PF}_6$

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