Supplementary information, Fig. S5

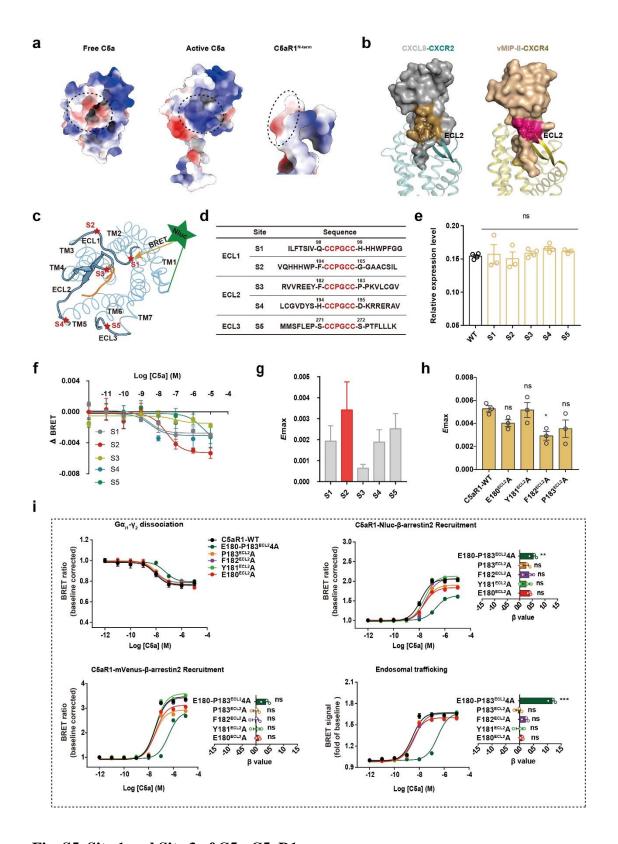


Fig. S5. Site 1 and Site 3 of C5a-C5aR1.

- **a,** The electrical charge distribution of free state C5a (left panel), active state C5a (middle panel) and N-terminus of C5a-bound C5aR1 (right panel). The region of C5a interact with the N-terminus of C5aR1 were highlighted with black-dashed circles.
- **b,** Both of ECL2 in CXCR2 (PDB: 6LFM) and CXCR4 (PDB:4RWS) involved in the ligand recognition, forming a binding site equivalent to the site 3 in C5a-bound C5aR1.
- **c**, FlAsH-BRET assay design of C5aR1. The Nluc was fused to the N-terminus of C5aR1, and the FlAsH motif were inserted in 5 different extracellular loop regions. The designated positions were indicated as red stars.
- **d,** The detail FlAsH motif incorporation sites in C5aR1. The FlAsH motifs are highlighted in red colors.
- **e,** The expression levels of wild-type (WT) C5aR1 and five FlAsH motif incorporated FlAsH-BRET sensors detected by ELISA experiments. Data represent the mean \pm SEM from three independent experiments performed in triplicate. ns, no significant difference.
- **f,** The representative curve for C5a-induced BRET ratio in response to five C5aR1 FlAsH-BRET sensors. Values are mean \pm SEM from three independent experiments performed in triplicate.
- **g**, The efficacy changes for C5a-induced BRET ratio in response to five C5aR1 FlAsH-BRET sensors. Values are mean \pm SEM from three independent experiments performed in triplicate.
- **h,** The calculated efficacy (*E*max) changes upon C5a activation by different FlAsH-BRET S2 mutants.
- i, The mutagenesis effects of residues in site 3 of C5aR1 on C5a induced different signaling pathways. The G_i protein signaling was examined by G_i protein dissociation assay, β -arrestin2 recruitment was detected by BRET assay including C5aR1 labeled with Nluc and mVenus and C5a-dependent endosomal trafficking of C5aR1 was measured by bBRET with FYVE-mVenus. The bias factors derived from curve fit parameters and show in the right side respectively. P values were determined by oneway ANOVA. The asterisk symbols indicate statistically significant difference (**P < 0.01, ***P < 0.001, ns: no significance). Data shown are mean \pm SEM of a representative experiment performed in triplicate.