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Software and code

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Data collection

Data analysis

purrr_0.3.4, readr_2.1.2, tibble_3.1.8, tidyverse_1.3.2, topGO_2.40.0, SparseM_1.81, GO.db_3.11.4, AnnotationDbi_1.52.0, IRanges_2.22.2, S4Vectors_0.26.1, Biobase_2.48.0, graph_1.66.0, BiocGenerics_0.36.1, RColorBrewer_1.1-3, jsonlite_1.8.0, rjson_0.2.21, gplots_3.1.3, cowplot_1.1.1, tidyr_1.2.0, ggplot2_3.3.6, dplyr_1.0.10, ggh4x_0.2.2

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Data

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All manuscripts must include a [data availability statement](#). This statement should provide the following information, where applicable:

- Accession codes, unique identifiers, or web links for publicly available datasets
- A description of any restrictions on data availability
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The datasets generated and analyzed during this study are available in the European Genome phenome Archive (EGA), and can be accessed with the ID EGAS00001006298. Mass spectrometry data and Spectronaut parameters are available via ProteomeXchange with identifier PXD034772.

The TRACERx NSCLC WES and RNAseq data files were downloaded from the EGA archive (EGAD00001004591 and EGAD00001003206). Gartner et al. WES and RNAseq data were downloaded from dbGap accession number phs001003v1.p1. Source data have been provided as Source Data files. All other data supporting the findings of this study are available from the corresponding author on reasonable request.

Databases can be accessed through:

ProteinAtlas: www.proteinatlas.org/about/download

TCGA: www.cancer.gov/about-nci/organization/ccg/research/structural-genomics/tcga/using-tcga/citing-tcga

NCBI (Virus): support.nlm.nih.gov/knowledgebase/article/KA-03391/en-us

GTEX: www.gtexportal.org/home/datasets

ENSEMBL: <https://www.ensembl.org/info/about/publications.html>

COSMIC: cancer.sanger.ac.uk/cosmic/license

SNPEff: pcingola.github.io/SnpEff/

GENCODE: www.genencodegenes.org/human/release_32lift37.html

Refseq: www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/assembly/GCF_000001405.13/

nuORFdb: www.nature.com/articles/s41587-021-01021-3#MOESM4

GenBank CDS translations: ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/genbank

PDB: rcsb.org

Uniprot: <https://www.uniprot.org/>

PIR: proteininformationresource.org

PRF: prf.or.jp

The source data underlying the Figures and Supplementary Figures, where applicable, are provided as a Source Data file

Human research participants

Policy information about [studies involving human research participants and Sex and Gender in Research](#).

Reporting on sex and gender

Male/female information was collected based on informed consent. In this small cohort separate analysis based on sex and gender was not performed. No correlations with sex or gender were performed or analyzed.

Population characteristics

This information is available in Supplemental Table 1.

Sample_name Cancer_Type Sex Grade

C3N-02672 LUAD female G3

C3N-02671 LUAD female G2

C3N-02287 LUAD male G3

C3N-02288 LUSC female G2

C3N-02289 LUSC male G2

C3N-02290 LUAD male G2

C3N-03023 LCNEC female G3

C3N-03421 LUAD female G2

Recruitment

Tissues were collected and biobanked. We selected all available tissues from these patients. The sample material was in all cases large enough to conduct immunopeptidomics, DNA and RNA extraction and FFPE staining. The selection of samples should not have any impact on the results obtained.

Ethics oversight

Informed consent of the participants was obtained following requirements of the institutional review board (Ethics Commission CHUV, Bioethics Committee, Poznan University of Medical Sciences, Poznan, Poland).

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Life sciences study design

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Sample size	We surveyed 8 Patients and in total 61 regions. Samples were collected and included in this exploratory study only Tbased on their availability.
Data exclusions	No patients or macro-regions of the 8 Lung cohort patients were excluded throughout the analysis. From the TRACERx cohort, we excluded from the analysis samples CRUK0079-R3 due to RNAseq pipeline errors, CRUK0004 because no synonymmous mutations were found, and CRUK0012 because only 3 alleles were available for predictions and no synonymous mutations predicted to be binders to the patient's HLA were found. In the RosenbergNCI dataset, we excluded patients 1913, 2098, 2224 and 3309 were as for those only positive n mers were included in the dataset.
Replication	Technical replicates were performed on the MS measurement of DDA or DIA samples. No oarticular measures were set to test reproducibility of methods.
Randomization	Data was not randomized.
Blinding	Data collection and analysis were not performed blind to the conditions of the experiments.

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Materials & experimental systems

n/a	Involved in the study
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Antibodies
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Eukaryotic cell lines
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> Palaeontology and archaeology
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> Animals and other organisms
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> Clinical data
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> Dual use research of concern

Methods

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<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> ChIP-seq
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> Flow cytometry
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> MRI-based neuroimaging

Antibodies

Antibodies used

Multiplex staining consisted in multiple rounds of staining. Each round of multiplex staining included: non-specific sites blocking (DISCOVERY Goat Ig Block (#760-6008) and DISCOVERY Inhibitor (#760-4840), Roche Diagnostics), primary antibody incubation, secondary HRP-labeled antibody incubation for 16 minutes (DISCOVERY OmniMap anti-Rb HRP (#760-4311, Roche Diagnostics) or DISCOVERY OmniMap anti-Ms HRP (#760-4310, Roche Diagnostics)), OPALTM reactive fluorophore detection (Akoya Biosciences, Marlborough, MS, USA) that covalently label the primary epitope (incubation time of 12 minutes) followed by antibodies heat denaturation (100°C for 8 minutes).

Sequence of antibodies ffor the first panel:, the following sequence of antibodies was used in the multiplex staining with the associated OPAL: mouse monoclonal anti-human PD1 antibody (clone NAT105, Biocare, # ACI3137C, 1hour, RT), OPAL570 (Akoya Biosciences, # FP1488001KT); rabbit polyclonal anti-CD3 antibody (0.4 g/l, Dako, # A0452, 32 minutes, 37°C), OPAL480 (Akoya Biosciences, # FP1500001KT); mouse monoclonal anti-GranzymeB antibody, Clone GrB-7, Monosan, # MON7029-1, 1hour, RT), OPAL620 (Akoya Biosciences, # FP1495001KT); rabbit monoclonal anti-Ki67 antibody (1 µg/ml, Clone SP6, Cellmarque, # 275R-16, 1hour, 37°C), OPAL520 (Akoya Biosciences, # FP1487001KT); mouse monoclonal anti-Cytokeratin antibody (1 µg/ml, Clone AE1/AE3, Dako, # M3515, 1hour, RT), OPAL690 (Akoya Biosciences, # FP1497001KT); rabbit monoclonal anti-CD8 antibody (76.9 µg/ml, clone SP16, Cellmarque, # 108R-16-RUO, 1hour, 37°C), OPAL780 (Akoya Biosciences, # FP1501001KT). Sequence of antibodies ffor the second panel, the following sequence of antibodies was used with the associated OPAL: rabbit polyclonal anti-CD3 antibody, OPAL570; rabbit monoclonal anti-human FoxP3 antibody (clone SP97, Spring, # M3974, 1hour, 37°C), OPAL520; rabbit polyclonal anti-CD20 antibody (126 mg/l, Dako, # M0755, 1hour, 37°C), OPAL620 ; mouse monoclonal anti-HLA-DR antibody (Clone TAL-1B5, Dako, # M0746, 1hour, 37°C), OPAL480; mouse monoclonal anti-Cytokeratin antibody, OPAL690; rabbit monoclonal anti-CD8

antibody, OPAL780. Nuclei were visualized by a final incubation with Spectral DAPI (1/10, # FP1490, Akoya Biosciences) for 12 minutes. Slides were mounted with Fluorescence Mounting Medium (Agilent Technologies, # S302380-2) and coverslipped.

Anti HLA-I antibody : from hybridoma "HB-95"
 Company name : ATCC
 Catalog number : HB-95
 Lot number: 7001294
 Clone name: W6/32
 Antigenic determinant: HLA-A, B, C
 Isotype: IgG2a
 Host: mouse
 Cell type: Hybridoma: B lymphocyte
 Clonality: monoclonal
 Amount used: 1mg per 1ml of Protein A beads.

Anti HLA-II antibody : from hybridoma "HB-145"
 Company name : ATCC
 Catalog number : HB-145
 Lot number:59681660
 Clone name: iva12
 Amount used: 1mg per 1ml of Protein A beads.

Validation

Validation by vendor following ATCC guidelines. Certificate of Analysis can be found here:https://www.lgcstandards-atcc.org/Products/All/HB-95.aspx?geo_country=ch#documentation and https://www.lgcstandards-atcc.org/Products/All/HB-145.aspx?geo_country=ch#documentation
 Additionally, anti-HLA-I and -II antibodies were validated directly in our laboratory, through the use of these antibodies for immuno-affinity purification of HLA-I and -II peptides from cell lines and tissue samples. These peptides were measured by mass spectrometry, and their characteristics fit that of HLA-I and -II peptides, respectively.

Eukaryotic cell lines

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Cell line source(s)

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 Anti HLA-II antibody : from hybridoma "HB-145"
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Authentication

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Mycoplasma contamination

All cell lines were tested negative for mycoplasma.

Commonly misidentified lines (See [ICLAC](#) register)

Not applicable.