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Data collection

Data were collected using the software of the instrument described in each experiment. FACSDiva 6.3.1 Software (flow cytometry), Spectrum Living Image 4.4.5 Software (live animal imaging), Zetasizer 7.11 Software (size and zeta potential), TEM Imaging & Analysis (transmission electron microscopy), MiSeq Illumina sequencing platform (16S rDNA sequencing).

Data analysis

All statistical analyses were performed on Graphpad Prism (version 8.3.0). The flow cytometry data were analyzed using FlowJo software package (version 10.6.2). Perkin Elmer Living image software was used to analyze bioluminescent and fluorescent images (version 4.5.5). The histological section images were analyzed using CaseViewer (version 2.0). 16S rDNA analysis of gut microbiota was performed using Qiime2 (version 2022.2) and monther software (version 1.30).

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All data generated or analysed during this study are included in this published article, Supplementary Information and Source data file. 16s rDNA sequencing data have been deposited in the NCBI Sequence Read Archive (<https://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/bioproject/PRJNA986432>; accession number: PRJNA986432). Species taxonomic analysis refer to Silva 138/16s bacteria database (<https://www.arb-silva.de/search/>). H&E-stained tissue section images and flow cytometry data are available in the Science Data Bank (<https://cstr.cn/31253.11.sciencedb.09258>; accession code: 31253.11.sciencedb.09258). TEM images and LSCM images are available in the Science Data Bank (<https://cstr.cn/31253.11.sciencedb.09096>; accession code: 31253.11.sciencedb.09096).

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## Life sciences study design

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### Sample size

Sample size was chosen to ensure reproducibility of the experiments in accordance with the replacement, reduction and refinement principles of animal ethics regulation. Sample sizes employed in this study were referenced previously published studies (Nat Nanotech, 2021, 16, 1271–1280). No statistical method was used to predetermine sample size.

### Data exclusions

No samples were excluded from the analyses.

### Replication

All experimental findings were reliably reproduced. All in vitro and in vivo experiments were carried out with at least 3 biological replicates for each experimental group. Biological replicates are indicated within figure legends.

Randomization	All samples were randomly allocated into experimental groups.
Blinding	No blinding was used throughout experiments. The Investigators were not blinded to allocation during experiments and outcome assessment, and the data analyses were based on objectively measurable data.

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<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> Clinical data
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### Methods

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

## Antibodies

### Antibodies used

Anti-CD8 Rabbit Monoclonal Antibody (Servicebio, cat. no. GB13429, 1:800 dilution)  
 Anti-CD31 Mouse Monoclonal Antibody (Servicebio, cat. no. GB12063, 1:300 dilution)  
 Alexa488-conjugated Goat Anti-Rabbit IgG (Servicebio, cat. no. GB25303, 1:400 dilution)  
 CY3-conjugated Goat Anti-Mouse IgG (Servicebio, cat. no. GB21303, 1:300 dilution)  
 Anti-mouse CD16/CD32 antibodies (TONBO Bioscience, cat. no. 70-0161-U100, Clone: 2.4G2, 1:100 dilution).  
 APC-eFluor 780-Anti-mouse CD11c (eBioscience, cat. no. 12-0112-82, Clone: N418, 1:100 dilution)  
 PE-anti-mouse CD80 (eBioscience, cat. no. 12-0801-82, Clone: 16-10A1, 1:100 dilution)  
 APC-anti-mouse CD86 (eBioscience, cat. no. 17-0862-81, Clone: GL1, 1:100 dilution)  
 APC-eFluor 780-CD45 Rat Monoclonal Antibody (eBioscience, cat. no. 47-0451-80, Clone: 30-F11, 1:100 dilution)  
 PerCP-Cy5.5-anti-mouse CD3 (TONBO Bioscience, cat. no. 65-0031-U100, Clone: 145-2C11, 1:100 dilution)  
 PE-Cy7-anti-mouse CD4 (BioLegend, cat. 100527, Clone: RM4-5, 1:100 dilution)  
 APC-anti-mouse CD8a (BioLegend, cat. no. 100711, Clone: 53-6.7, 1:100 dilution)  
 PE-anti-mouse Foxp3 (TONBO Bioscience, cat. no. 50-5773-U025, Clone: 3G3, 1:100 dilution)

### Validation

anti-CD8 Rabbit Monoclonal Antibody  
<https://shoposs.servicebio.cn/d/file/p/20200611/4a422e02568648e76b22abb6929e9e13.pdf>

anti-CD31 Mouse Monoclonal Antibody  
<https://shoposs.servicebio.cn/2023/05/24/1684914947824vsNZzs.pdf>

Alexa488-conjugated Goat Anti-Rabbit IgG  
<https://shoposs.servicebio.cn/d/file/p/20200508/2d79ecef85445afaad1a856b42a6db65.pdf>

CY3-conjugated Goat Anti-Mouse IgG  
<https://shoposs.servicebio.cn/d/file/p/20200508/2d79ecef85445afaad1a856b42a6db65.pdf>

Anti-mouse CD16/CD32 antibodies  
<https://cytekbio.com/products/purified-anti-mouse-cd16-cd32-2-4g2-fc-block>

APC-eFluor 780-Anti-mouse CD11c  
<https://www.thermofisher.cn/cn/zh/antibody/product/CD11b-Antibody-clone-M1-70-Monoclonal/12-0112-82>

PE-anti-mouse CD80  
<https://www.thermofisher.cn/cn/zh/antibody/product/CD80-B7-1-Antibody-clone-16-10A1-Monoclonal/12-0801-82>

APC-anti-mouse CD86  
<https://www.thermofisher.cn/cn/zh/antibody/product/CD86-B7-2-Antibody-clone-GL1-Monoclonal/17-0862-81>

APC-eFluor 780-CD45 Rat Monoclonal Antibody  
<https://www.thermofisher.cn/cn/zh/antibody/product/CD45-Antibody-clone-30-F11-Monoclonal/47-0451-80>

PerCP-Cy5.5-anti-mouse CD3  
<https://cytekbio.com/products/percp-cyanine5-5-anti-mouse-cd3e-145-2c11>

PE-Cy7 anti-mouse CD4  
<https://www.biolegend.com/en-us/products/pe-cyanine7-anti-mouse-cd4-antibody-193>

APC-anti-mouse CD8a  
<https://www.biolegend.com/en-us/products/apc-anti-mouse-cd8a-antibody-150>,

PE-anti-mouse Foxp3  
<https://cytekbio.com/products/pe-anti-mouse-foxp3-3g3>

## Eukaryotic cell lines

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Cell line source(s)	CT26 murine colon carcinoma cells and CT26-luc cells were kindly provided by Prof. Yongzhuo Huang's lab in Shanghai Institute of Materia Medica, CAS. MC38 murine colon carcinoma cells (cat. no. FH0125) were obtained from Fuheng Biology Co. Ltd (Shanghai, China).
Authentication	These cell lines were authenticated by the supplier using STR analysis.
Mycoplasma contamination	No mycoplasma contamination was found.
Commonly misidentified lines (See <a href="#">ICLAC</a> register)	These all cell lines that we used were not listed in commonly misidentified lines in ICLAC register.

## Animals and other research organisms

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Laboratory animals	The female Balb/c mice aged 4-6 weeks (18-22 g) and female C57BL/6 mice aged 4-6 weeks (18-22 g) were obtained from Beijing Charles River Laboratory Animal Technology Co., Ltd (Beijing, China) and raised in the animal care facility in the SPF grade environment with sterilized food pellets and distilled water under a 12 h light/dark cycle. The normal chow included $\geq 18\%$ protein, $\geq 4\%$ fat, $\leq 5\%$ crude fibre, $\leq 8\%$ ash, 1.0-1.8% Calcium and less than 10% moisture (Keao Xieli Feed Co.,Ltd., cat. no. 1016706714625204224). The temperature range for the housing room was $\sim 24^\circ\text{C}$ and the humidity range was $\sim 50\%$ .
Wild animals	The study did not involve wild animals.
Reporting on sex	We did not consider the influence of sex in the study design. Female mice were used for all the animal assay as reported in the literature studies.
Field-collected samples	The study did not involve samples collected from the field.
Ethics oversight	All animal procedures were performed with ethical compliance and approved by the Institutional Animal Care and Use Committee of the Shanghai Institute of Materia Medica, Chinese Academy of Sciences.

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## Flow Cytometry

### Plots

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### Methodology

Sample preparation	For DC maturation level evaluation, the lymph nodes were grinded in PBS (1 mL), filtered with nylon nets, and then centrifuged at 500 g for 15 min. After the supernatant was removed, 300 $\mu\text{L}$ of PBS was added to resuspend cells. The cells were washed with PBS, stained with viability dye, and blocked with Anti-mouse CD16/CD32 antibodies. The cells were then stained with the designated antibodies. To investigate the tumor-infiltration of T lymphocytes, the tumor tissues were crushed, and treated with 2 mL of the mixture solution of 1 mg mL <sup>-1</sup> collagenase IV, 1 mg mL <sup>-1</sup> hyaluronidase, and 0.2 mg mL <sup>-1</sup> DNase I for 2 h at 37°C. After removing the
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	tumor debris with nylon nets, the filtrate was centrifuged at 500 g for 5 min, then the supernatant was removed. The cells were washed with PBS, stained with viability dye, and blocked with Anti-mouse CD16/CD32 antibodies. The cells were then stained with the designated antibodies.
Instrument	BD Fortessa flow cytometer (USA)
Software	BD FACSDiva software (version 6.3.1) were used for data collection, and Flowjo software package (version 10.6.2) was used for data analysis.
Cell population abundance	Cell populations of interest were collected as much as possible in the intratumoural immunology assay. No post-sort fractions were collected. Flow cytometry was used for quantification only.
Gating strategy	Cells were gated first by morphology to exclude cell debris, doublets were then gated out by FSC-A/FSC-W, followed by exclusion of dead cells by gating on dye negative cells.

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