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Software and code

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Data collection Automated data collection on the Titan Krios was performed using serialEM.

Data analysis The following software was used in this study: MotionCor2.1, gCTF, RELION 4.0, UCSF Chimera, UCSF Chimera X, Coot, Phenix, Graphpad Prism, Pymol 2.1.

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The cryo-EM density map for the BAM8-22-MRGPRX1-Gq, CNF-Tx2-MRGPRX1-Gi and BAM8-22-MRGPRX1-Gi complexes have been deposited in the Electron Microscopy Data Bank (EMDB) under accession codes EMD-36232, EMD-36229, EMD-36233. The coordinates for the model of BAM8-22- MRGPRX1-Gq, CNF-Tx2-MRGPRX1-Gi and BAM8-22- MRGPRX1-Gi complexes have been deposited in the PDB under accession numbers 8JGF, 8JGB, and 8JGG. All other data are available

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Population characteristics	N/A
Recruitment	N/A
Ethics oversight	N/A

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Life sciences study design

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Sample size	For structural determination, 5,601 movies of BAM8-22-MRGPRX1-Gq complex, 3,085 movies of CNF-Tx2-MRGPRX1-Gi complex, 5,540 movies of BAM8-22-MRGPRX1-Gi complex were collected using an Titan Krios equipped with a Gatan K2 or K3 Summit direct electron detector. For ligand-binding, α -Gy dissociation, α -Gy dissociation and Elisa assays, at least three biologically independent experiments (n=3) were performed as depicted in related Figure legends. Data were analyzed by fitting various ligand concentrations and readouts using appropriate equations in GraphPad Prism 8.0.
Data exclusions	No data was systematically excluded. The procedure of generating 3D maps from cryo-EM particles involves sorting of particles that are damaged or are false-picked that are unlikely to refine correctly. This is implemented in RELION 4.0.
Replication	Each experiment was reproduced at least three times on separate occasions. Experimental findings were reliably reproduced.
Randomization	No randomization was attempted or needed. Randomization was not necessary as the independent variables to be tested were sufficient for the functional interpretation within this study. i.e. WT vs mutant vs control conditions or dose-response determination.
Blinding	Blinding is not necessary or valid for the purposes of structural determination. For cryo-EM study, purified ligand bound-MRGPRX1-G α complex samples were applied onto a glow-discharged holey carbon grid and subsequently vitrified using a Vitrobot Mark IV. cryo-EM imaging was collected on a Titan Krios equipped with a Gatan K2 or K3 Summit direct electron detector. The microscope was operated at 300 kV accelerating voltage, at a nominal magnification of x130,000 in counting mode, with pixel sizes on the object scale being 1.04 Å (BAM8-22-MRGPRX1-Gq), 1.08 Å (CNF-Tx2-MRGPRX1-Gi) and 0.89 Å (BAM8-22-MRGPRX1-Gi). In total, 5,601 movies of BAM8-22-MRGPRX1-Gq complex, 3,085 movies of CNF-Tx2-MRGPRX1-Gi complex, 5,540 movies of BAM8-22-MRGPRX1-Gi were collected at an accumulated dose of 50, 50, 60 electrons per Å ² and a total of 36, 32, 32 frames per movie, respectively. The defocus values ranged from -0.8 to -2.2 μ m. For functional analysis, blinding was not necessary due to the quantitative nature of the experiment. All experimental data acquired or analyzed in this study are included in this published article, and subjected to statistical analysis whenever necessary.

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n/a	Involvement
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> ChIP-seq
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Antibodies

Antibodies used

For measurement of receptor cell surface expression, monoclonal anti-FLAG primary antibody (Sigma Aldrich, Catalog # F1804) and goat anti-mouse secondary antibody (Thermo Fisher, Catalog # 31430) were used. The primary antibody was used in 1:1000 dilution, and the secondary antibody in 1:5000 dilution.

Validation

All antibodies used are commercially purchased and have been validated by the vendors. All antibodies are well characterized and were applied according to data sheet information details.
 Monoclonal anti-FLAG: <https://www.sigmaaldrich.com/catalog/product/sigma/f1804>;
 Goat anti-Mouse secondary antibody: <https://www.thermofisher.com/cn/zh/antibody/product/Goat-anti-Mouse-IgG-H-LCrossAdsorbed-Secondary-Antibody-Polyclonal/A-21235>.

Eukaryotic cell lines

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Cell line source(s)

HEK293 cells were obtained from Cell Resource Center of Shanghai Institute for Biological Sciences (Chinese Academy of Sciences, Shanghai, China). Sf9 cells were purchased from Expression Systems (Cat 94-001S).

Authentication

All of the cell lines are maintained by the supplier. No additional authentication was performed by the authors of this study.

Mycoplasma contamination

Cell lines are tested by manufacturer for contamination. Sf9 and HEK293 cell lines tested negative for mycoplasma contamination has been declared in methods section.

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No commonly misidentified cell lines were used.