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Data analysis

matplotlib (version 3.3.2).
scipy (version 1.7.3)

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The data that support this study are available from the corresponding author upon reasonable request. Hi-C, CUT&RUN, ChIP-seq, ATAC-seq, RNA-seq and SLAM-seq data sets generated this study have been deposited in the GEO database, under accession code GSE247105. Source data are provided with this paper.

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<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ChIP-seq
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Flow cytometry
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Antibodies

Antibodies used

anti-Matrin3 proteintech, 12202-2-AP 1:40 for CUT&RUN
 anti-Matrin3 Sigma HPA036565 1:1000 for WB
 anti-Matrin3 abcam151739 1:200 for IF
 anti-DMD a gift from Kunkel Laboratory 1:500 for IF, 1:1000 for WB
 anti-DCAF8 Bethyl Laboratories® Catalog # A301-556A 1:500 for IF, 1:5000 for WB
 anti-myosin heavy chain DSHB Hybridoma Product MF 20, deposited to the DSHB by Fischman, D.A 1:40 for IF, 1:400 for WB
 anti-GAPDH abcam: ab9485 1:10,000 for WB
 anti-HA-Tag (C29F4) Rabbit mAb cell signaling, HA-Tag (C29F4) Rabbit mAb #3724 1:1000 for WB
 anti-CTCF Abcam, ab70303 5 -10µg antibody per ChIP reaction
 anti-CTCF Millipore 07-729 1:100 for CUT&RUN
 anti-Rad21 Abcam, ab992 5 -10µg antibody per ChIP, 1:100 for CUT&RUN
 MyoD Santa cruz, Anti-MyoD Antibody (5.8A), sc-32758 X 1:100 for CUT&RUN
 anti-YY1 santa cruz, sc-7341X 1:100 for CUT&RUN
 Histone H3K4me3 antibody (pAb) active motif, 39159 1:50 for CUT&RUN
 Anti-acetyl-Histone H3 (Lys27) Antibody, clone RM172 millipore, MABE647 1:50 for CUT&RUN

Validation

anti-Matrin3 proteintech, 12202-2-AP for CUT&RUN, PMID: 37000624.
 anti-Matrin3 Sigma HPA036565, western blots, <https://www.sigmaaldrich.com/US/en/coa/SIGMA/HPA036565/R33715>
 anti-Matrin3 abcam151739 for IF, <https://www.abcam.com/products/primary-antibodies/matrin-3-antibody-epr10634b-ab151739.html>, PMID: 30015619
 anti-DCAF8 Bethyl Laboratories® Catalog # A301-556A 1 for IF and WB, <https://www.thermofisher.com/antibody/product/WDR42A-Antibody-Polyclonal/A301-556A>
 anti-myosin heavy chain DSHB Hybridoma Product MF 20, <https://dshb.biology.uiowa.edu/MF-20>
 anti-GAPDH abcam: ab9485, <https://www.abcam.com/products/primary-antibodies/gapdh-antibody-loading-control-ab9485.html>
 anti-HA-Tag (C29F4) Rabbit mAb cell signaling, HA-Tag (C29F4) Rabbit mAb #3724 1:1000 for WB
 anti-CTCF Abcam, ab70303 (<https://www.abcam.com/ctcf-antibody-ab70303.html>).
 anti-CTCF Millipore 07-729 https://www.emdmillipore.com/US/en/product/Anti-CTCF-Antibody,MM_NF-07-729?ReferrerURL=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.google.com%2F
 anti-Rad21 Abcam, ab992, (<https://www.abcam.com/rad21-antibody-ab992.html>)
 MyoD Santa cruz, Anti-MyoD Antibody (5.8A), sc-32758 X, <https://www.scbt.com/p/myod-antibody-5-8a>
 anti-YY1 santa cruz, sc-7341X, <https://www.scbt.com/p/yy1-antibody-h-10>
 Histone H3K4me3 antibody (pAb) active motif, 39159, <https://www.activemotif.com/catalog/details/39159/histone-h3-trimethyl-lys4-antibody-pab>
 Anti-acetyl-Histone H3 (Lys27) Antibody, clone RM172 millipore, MABE647, https://www.emdmillipore.com/US/en/product/Anti-acetyl-Histone-H3-Lys27-Antibody-clone-RM172,MM_NF-MABE647

Eukaryotic cell lines

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Cell line source(s)	C2C12 cells were purchased from ATCC.
Authentication	Cell lines were not authenticated.
Mycoplasma contamination	All cell lines were tested negative for mycoplasma contamination by PCR.
Commonly misidentified lines (See CLAC register)	None

Plants

Seed stocks	Report on the source of all seed stocks or other plant material used. If applicable, state the seed stock centre and catalogue number. If plant specimens were collected from the field, describe the collection location, date and sampling procedures.
Novel plant genotypes	Describe the methods by which all novel plant genotypes were produced. This includes those generated by transgenic approaches, gene editing, chemical/radiation-based mutagenesis and hybridization. For transgenic lines, describe the transformation method, the number of independent lines analyzed and the generation upon which experiments were performed. For gene-edited lines, describe the editor used, the endogenous sequence targeted for editing, the targeting guide RNA sequence (if applicable) and how the editor was applied.
Authentication	Describe any authentication procedures for each seed stock used or novel genotype generated. Describe any experiments used to assess the effect of a mutation and, where applicable, how potential secondary effects (e.g. second site T-DNA insertions, mosaicism, off-target gene editing) were examined.

ChIP-seq

Data deposition

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- Confirm that you have deposited or provided access to graph files (e.g. BED files) for the called peaks.

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Methodology

Replicates	In general, ChIP-seq experiments were performed in at least two replicates. The number of replicates is indicated in each file name.
Sequencing depth	Describe the sequencing depth for each experiment, providing the total number of reads, uniquely mapped reads, length of reads and whether they were paired- or single-end.
Antibodies	anti-CTCF Abcam, ab70303 anti-Rad21 Abcam, ab992
Peak calling parameters	Specify the command line program and parameters used for read mapping and peak calling, including the ChIP, control and index files used.
Data quality	verified by FastQC
Software	Describe the software used to collect and analyze the ChIP-seq data. For custom code that has been deposited into a community repository, provide accession details.

Flow Cytometry

Plots

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- All plots are contour plots with outliers or pseudocolor plots.
- A numerical value for number of cells or percentage (with statistics) is provided.

Methodology

Sample preparation	C2C12 cells were trypsinized and washed with growth medium. Cells were filtered and resuspended in 1X PBS with 1%FCS and 7-AAD.
Instrument	JF Aria II
Software	FlowJo

Cell population abundance

select the top 0.2% GFP positive cells

Gating strategy

a figure exemplifying the gating strategy is provided in the Supplementary Information

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