

**Supplementary table S1.****Characteristics of HC and patients with SLE in the RNA-seq analysis**

	Healthy controls	SLE
Number, n	5	5
Females/males, n	3/2	3/2
Age, years, median (IQR)	33.0 (28.5-52.5)	30.0 (28.5-50.0)
Disease duration, years, median (IQR)	-	1.8 (0.05-19.5)
Medications		
Medication naïve, n	-	2
Prednisone, n	-	3
Prednisone dose, mg/day, median (IQR)	-	11.0 (10.0-20.0)
HCQ, n	-	1
Immunosuppressive agent <sup>a</sup> , n	-	2

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IQR, interquartile range

<sup>a</sup>mycophenolate mofetil, tacrolimus, azathioprine

**Supplementary table S2.****Characteristics of HC and patients with SLE in the RT-PCR analysis**

	Healthy controls	SLE
Number, n	6	10
Females/males, n	5/1	9/1
Age, years, median (IQR)	37.5 (30.5-48.8)	45.5 (35.3-50.0)
Disease duration, years, median (IQR)	-	17 (4.0-24.0)
Medications		
Medication naïve, n	-	1
Prednisone, n	-	9
Prednisone dose, mg/day, median (IQR)	-	7.75 (7.0-8.0)
HCQ, n	-	5
Immunosuppressive agent <sup>a</sup> , n	-	4

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IQR, interquartile range

<sup>a</sup>mycophenolate mofetil, tacrolimus

**Supplementary table S3.****Characteristics of HC and patients with SLE in SA- $\beta$ -Gal analysis**

	Healthy controls	SLE
Number, n	6	10
Females/males, n	5/1	8/2
Age, years, median (IQR)	42 (31.3-53.3)	47 (37.0-60.0)
Disease duration, years, median (IQR)	-	1.8 (0.05-19.5)
Medications		
Medication naïve, n	-	0
Prednisone, n	-	10
Prednisone dose, mg/day, median (IQR)	-	4.8(3.4-5.8)
HCQ, n	-	3
Immunosuppressive agent <sup>a</sup> , n	-	7

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IQR, interquartile range

<sup>a</sup>mycophenolate mofetil, tacrolimus, azathioprine

**Supplementary table S4.**

**Primers used in this study for mRNA quantification.**

Name	Forward	Reverse
GAPDH	CAGTCAGCCGCATCTTCTTTTG	GCGCCCAATACGACCAAAT
CDKN2A	GAAGGTCCCTCAGACATCCC	GGACCTTCGGTGACTGATGA
GATA4	GTCATCTCACTACGGGCACA	TAGCCTTGTGGGGAGAGCTT
IFNA1	GGAGGAAGGAATAACATCTGGTCC	GCAGGGGTGAGAGTCTTTGAA
IFNB1	GCTCTGGCACAACAGGTAG	TAGTGGAGAAGCACAACAGG
IFIT1	GCCTCCTTGGGTTTCGTCTATAA	TCAAAGTCAGCAGCCAGTCTCA
IFIT2	CACTGCAACCATGAGTGAGAACA	AGATAGGCCAGTAGGTTGCAC
IFIT3	GGCAGTCATGAGTGAGGTC	TGAATAAGTTCAGGTGAAATGGC

**Supplementary table S5.****Publicly-available ChIP-seq datasets, which were processed and obtained from the ChIP-Atlas database in Supplementary figure S3A.**

	Accession No.	Sample	Cell	ChIP_antibody	Source_publication
1	GSM2262943	RPMI_1h_rep1_H3K4me1	Monocyte	H3K4me1	Novakovic, et al. Cell 167, 1354–1368 (2016)
2	GSM2262941	LPS_1h_rep1_H3K4me1	Monocyte	H3K4me1	Novakovic, et al. Cell 167, 1354–1368 (2016)
3	GSM2262948	RPMI_4h_rep1_H3K4me1	Monocyte	H3K4me1	Novakovic, et al. Cell 167, 1354–1368 (2016)
4	GSM2263049	LPS_4h_rep1_H3K4me1	Monocyte	H3K4me1	Novakovic, et al. Cell 167, 1354–1368 (2016)
5	GSM2263026	RPMI_1h_rep1_H3K27ac	Monocyte	H3K27ac	Novakovic, et al. Cell 167, 1354–1368 (2016)
6	GSM2262923	LPS_1h_rep1_H3K27ac	Monocyte	H3K27ac	Novakovic, et al. Cell 167, 1354–1368 (2016)
7	GSM2263019	RPMI_4h_rep1_H3K27ac	Monocyte	H3K27ac	Novakovic, et al. Cell 167, 1354–1368 (2016)
8	GSM2263011	LPS_4h_rep1_H3K27ac	Monocyte	H3K27ac	Novakovic, et al. Cell 167, 1354–1368 (2016)
9	GSM2262926	RPMI_1h_rep1_H3K4me3	Monocyte	H3K4me3	Novakovic, et al. Cell 167, 1354–1368 (2016)
10	GSM2262987	LPS_1h_rep1_H3K4me3	Monocyte	H3K4me3	Novakovic, et al. Cell 167, 1354–1368 (2016)
11	GSM2262976	RPMI_4h_rep1_H3K4me3	Monocyte	H3K4me3	Novakovic, et al. Cell 167, 1354–1368 (2016)
12	GSM2263038	LPS_4h_rep1_H3K4me3	Monocyte	H3K4me3	Novakovic, et al. Cell 167, 1354–1368 (2016)
13	GSM1250896	AGS GATA4	AGS cellline	GATA4	Chia N, Deng N, Das K, et al. Gut 64, 707-719 (2015)
14	GSM2430676	GATA4 ChIP	BJFOXA2 line	GATA4	Donaghey J, Thakurela S, Charlton J, Chen JS et al. Nat Genet 50, 250-258 (2018)