<u>Fig. 5.</u> Supplemental material Confocal fluorescence microscopy of *T. cruzi* metacyclic trypomastigotes. (**a-d**) and *in vitro* differentiated amastigotes (**e-h**). Differential interference contrast (DIC) images (**a,e**); anti-TcPUF6 (1/100) (**b,f**); DAPI images (**c,g**); superimposition of anti-TcPUF6 and DAPI (**d,h**).

<u>Fig. 6.</u> Supplemental material. Confocal fluorescence microscopy of *T. cruzi* log-phase epimastigotes. (**a,b**) Nomarski differential interference contrast (DIC) images; (**c,d**) anti-TcPUF6; **e:** anti-ribosomal protein P; (**f**) anti-Ptr1; (**g**) superimposition of anti-TcPUF6 (green) and anti-ribosomal protein P (red); (**h**) superimposition of anti-TcPUF6 (green) and anti-Ptr1 (red). DAPI images (blue). Magnification bars = 5 μ m.

Fig. 7. Supplemental material. Scatterplot showing the technical (a) and biological (b) reproducibility of the microarray data derived from the transfectant. (a) Comparison of two slides hybridized with control and TcPUF6-pTEX in a dye swap design; (b) comparison of two different sets of control and TcPUF6-pTEX (data from the replicated hybridizations were averaged). No filter was applied and all probe data are shown

<u>Fig. 8.</u> Supplemental material. Scatterplot showing the reproduciliby of selected probes from the transfectant mRNA analysis. Axis values are log2(FC) from experiment A (X-axis) and experiment B (Y-axis).

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