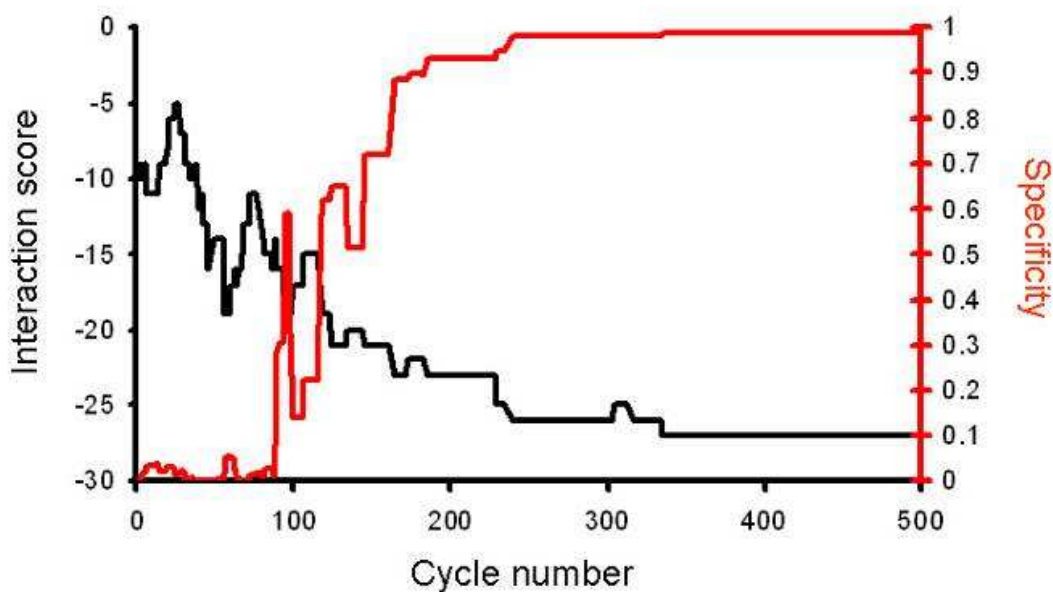


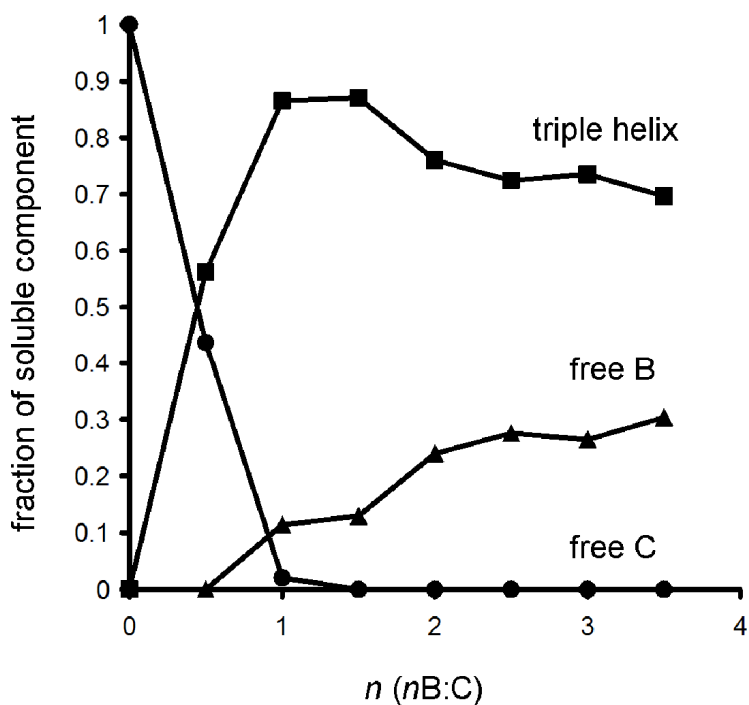
# De Novo Self-Assembling Collagen Heterotrimers using Explicit Positive and Negative Design

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## SUPPLEMENTARY DATA



**Figure S1:** Trajectory of stability,  $E_{ABC}$ , and specificity,  $P_{ABC}$ , for a single optimization. Energies calculated using the sequence-based scoring function (Eq. 1).



**Figure S2:** Separation of the  $nB:C$  Job plot (Figure 7B) into components for the triple-helix, B-type monomer and C-type monomer CD spectra. Using a conjugate gradient optimization, experimental spectra for each ratio  $n$  of  $nB:C$  were fit to  $\alpha_{helix}S_{helix} + \alpha_{freeB}S_{freeB} + \alpha_{freeC}S_{freeC}$ . 0.2 mM CD spectra for free B and C were used for  $S_{freeB}$  and  $S_{freeC}$ .  $(POG)_{10}$  was used for  $S_{helix}$ .  $\alpha$ 's were normalized to total soluble concentration.

**Table S1.** The top 5 sequences of chains A, B, and C (sorted by  $E_{GAP}$ ) from the simultaneous optimization of interaction score of species ABC and its specificity.

Sequences	$E_{ABC}$	$E_{GAP}$	Number of Glu	Number of Arg
A: EOGROGPEGPEGPEGEEOGEOGPEGROGPRG B: PEGEOGROGROGPRGPRGPRGROGROGPRG C: PRGROGROGROGPRGEOGPEGPEGEEOGEOG	-29	22	14	16
A: PRGEOGROGROGPEGPEGEEOGEOGROGPRG B: EOGPOGPEGEEOGPEGPRGPRGROGROGPRG C: PEGPEGROGPRGROGPRGEOGPEGEEOGEOG	-23	22	15	14
A: ROGPRGPRGROGROGPEGEEOGPEGROGPRG B: PRGEOGPEGPEGEEOGPRGPRGROGROGPRG C: PRGEOGPEGROGPRGROGPEGPEGEEOGEOG	-25	22	13	17
A: PRGPRGPRGROGROGPRGEOGPEGEEOGEOG B: EOGPRGPEGPEGPEGEEOGPEGROGPRGROG C: PEGEOGPEGROGPRGPRGROGPRGEOGPEG	-21	22	15	15
A: PRGEOGPEGEEOGPEGROGPRGROGPEGEEOG B: EOGPEGPRGPRGROGROGEOGPEGEEOGROG C: PEGROGPRGPEGPEGEEOGPEGPRGROGEOG	-13	21	17	13

**Table S2.** Interaction scores using the structure-based model of all the species of peptides A, B, and C at pH 1.1.

<b>Species</b>	<b>Interaction Scores</b>
AAA	0
BBB	10
CCC	8
ABB	2
BAB	8
BBA	4
AAB	0
ABA	2
BAA	2
BCC	4
CBC	4
CCB	4
BBC	2
CBB	2
BCB	6
ACC	4
CAC	2
CCA	4
AAC	2
ACA	2
CAA	2
ABC	2
ACB	0
BAC	4
BCA	2
CAB	2
CBA	2