

Supporting Information Table 1

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	17	SLLPAIVEL
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	34	KLVANNTRL
	35	RLTRFLSRV
	36	GILGFVFTL
	37	KLLEPVLLL
	38	YLSGANLNL
HLA-A*02:01 (and T134K) All Peptides Non-SYFPEITHI	39	I LAKFLHWL
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7	7	SLLPAIVEL
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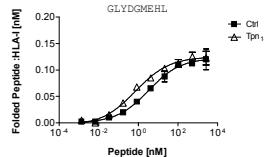
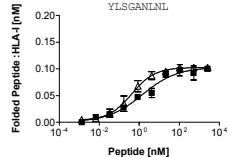
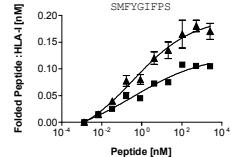
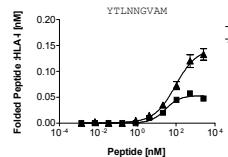
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	5	KEFEDDIINW		12	RREGGGAVR
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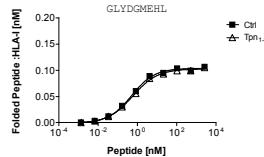
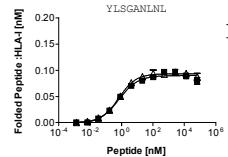
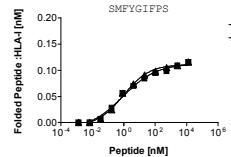
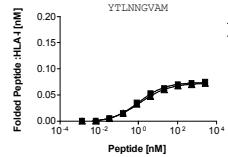
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Non-SYFPEITHI Peptides

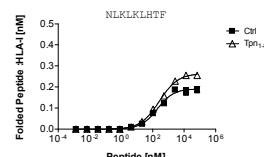
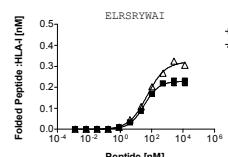
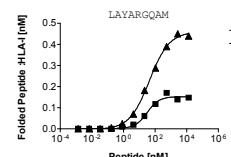
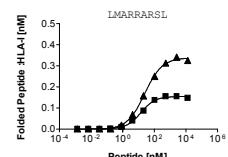


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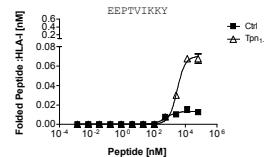
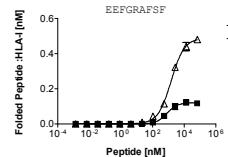
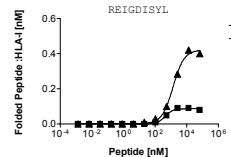
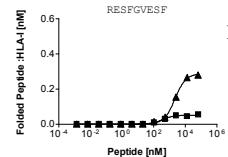
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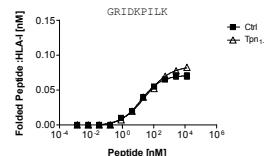
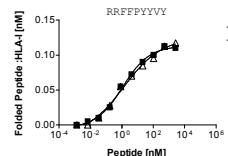
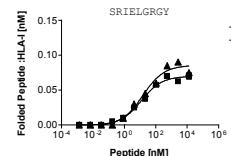
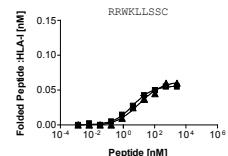
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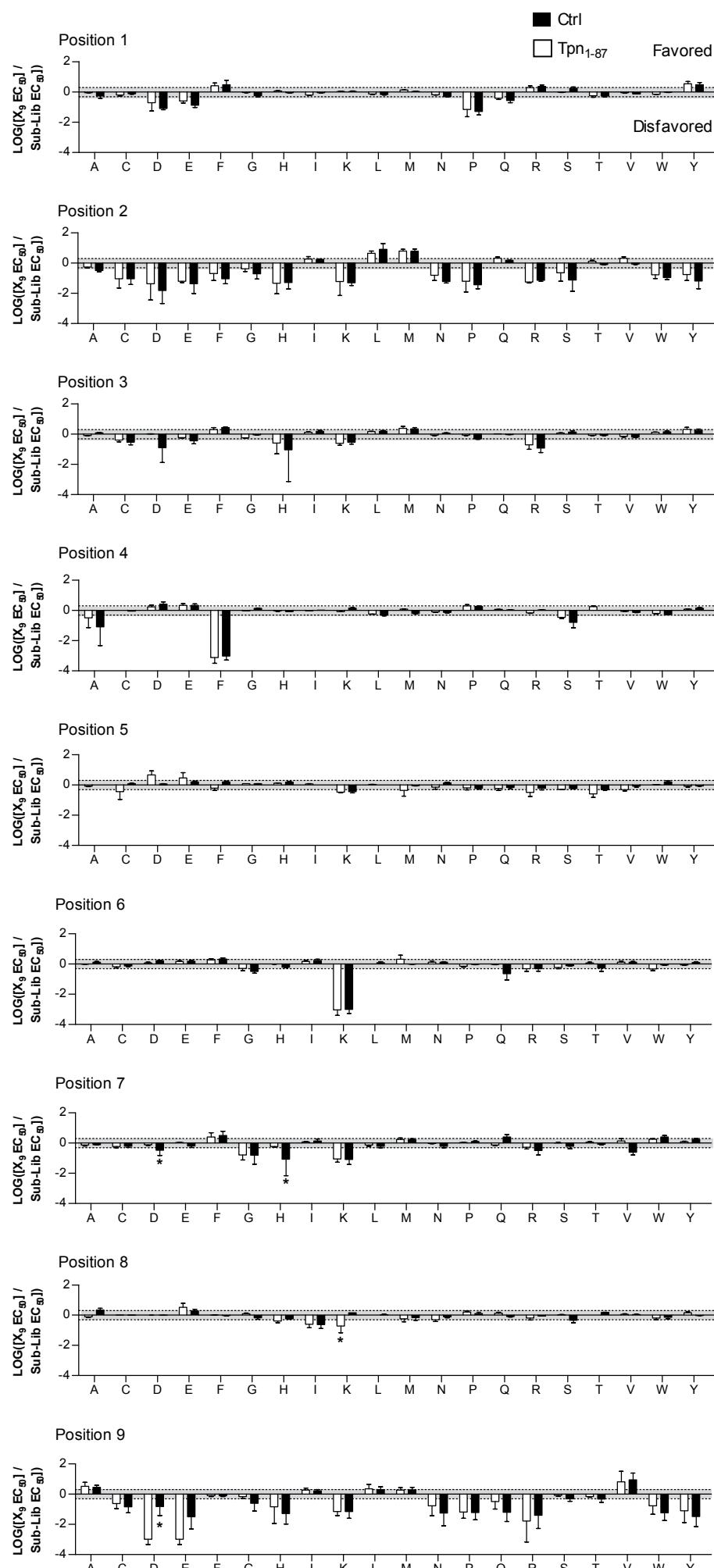


Supporting Information Figure 1

Tpn₁₋₈₇ differentially facilitates folding of peptide-HLA-I complexes.

Fixed concentrations of $\beta_2\text{m}$ and HLA-I heavy chains were mixed with titrated concentrations of peptide in the presence or absence of Tpn₁₋₈₇. The mixtures were incubated at 18 °C for 48 hrs, and folded peptide-HLA-I complexes were detected by the W6/32 monoclonal antibody in a homogenous assay (Harndahl et al, 2009).

Supporting Information Figure 2

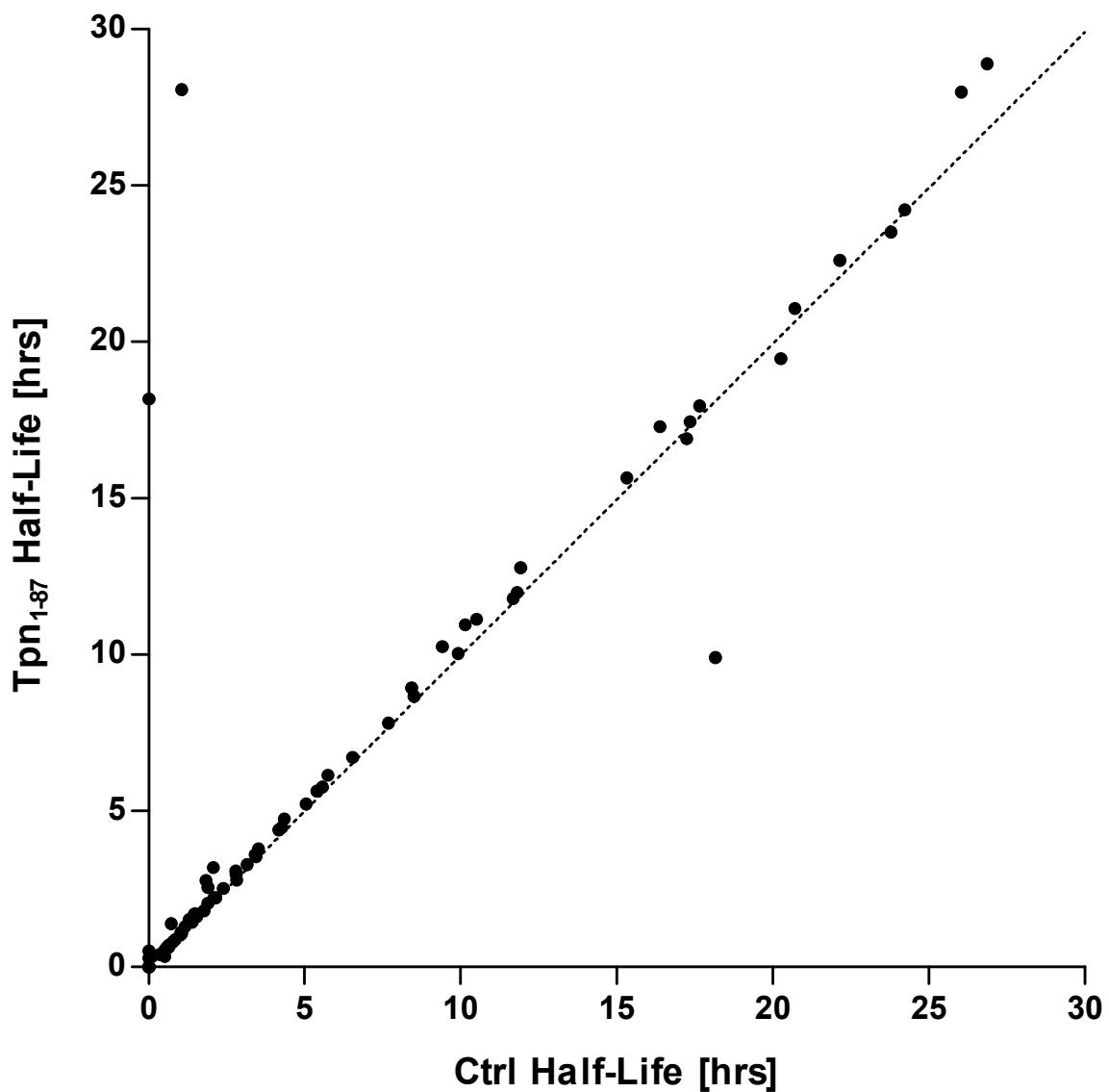


Supporting Information Figure 2

*Tpn₁₋₈₇ does not grossly alter the peptide binding specificity of HLA-A*02:01; a complete amino acid substitution scan across the entire peptide.*

Fixed concentrations of β_2 -microglobulin and HLA-A*02:01 heavy chain were mixed with titrated concentrations of each 9-mer peptide sub-library in the presence or absence of Tpn₁₋₈₇. The mixture was incubated at 18 °C for 48 hrs, and subsequently folded peptide-HLA-A*02:01 complexes were measured in a biochemical assay. Each sub-library has one amino acid fixed in a position in the 9-mer peptide, and thus for a 9-mer peptide library there are 180 different sub-libraries and a library containing random amino acids at all positions (X_9). Relative binding (RB) values were calculated as the ratio between the affinity for the X_9 library and the affinity of each sub-library. The RB values were normalized to the total sum of 20 for each position in the peptide, and the log values of the normalized RB values are shown along the y-axis. The amino acid substitutions are shown along the x-axis. Each experiment was done four times, and the average and standard deviations are shown in the graph. Significant differences between RB values in the presence and absence of Tpn₁₋₈₇ were determined by unpaired t tests, and are marked with an asterisk. Only differences between RB values outside the grey area are marked, since only these are relevant for the peptide binding specificity.

Supporting Information Figure 3



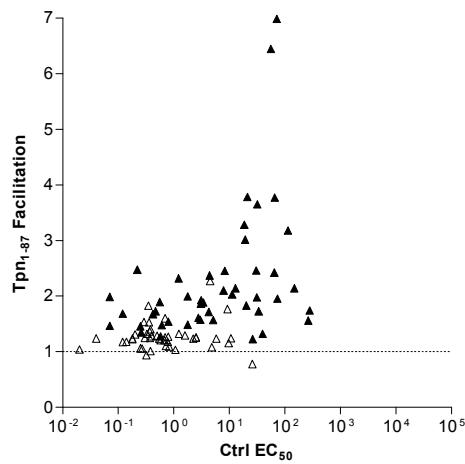
Supporting Information Figure 3

*Tpn₁₋₈₇ does not alter the stability of the peptide-HLA-A*02:01 complex.*

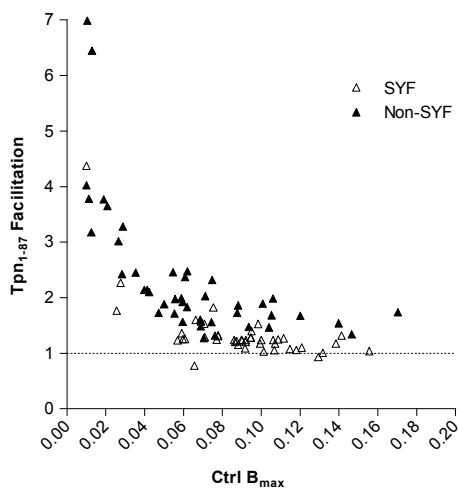
Peptide and HLA-A*02:01 heavy chain in the absence (Ctrl) or presence (Tpn₁₋₈₇) of Tpn₁₋₈₇ were incubated with ¹²⁵I labeled β₂-microglobulin. After 18 hrs of incubation at 18 °C, an excess amount of cold β₂-microglobulin was added, and the reaction was incubated at 37 °C, and read at regular intervals. The stabilities of the peptide-HLA-I complexes were calculated as half-lifes from the read-out using one-phase dissociation kinetics.

Supporting Information Figure 4

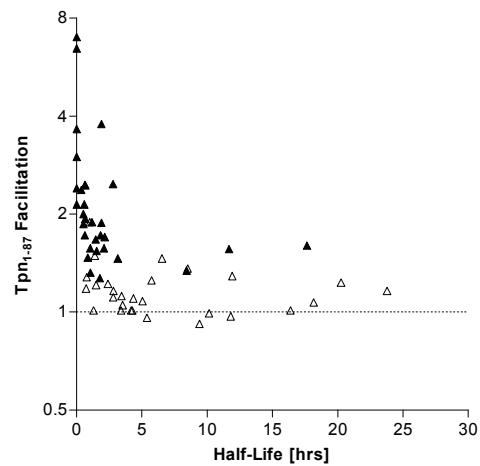
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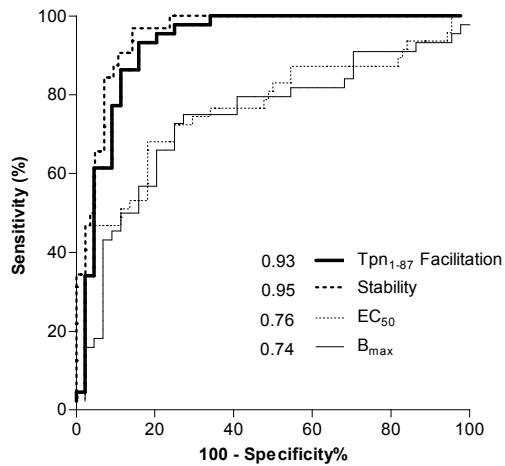
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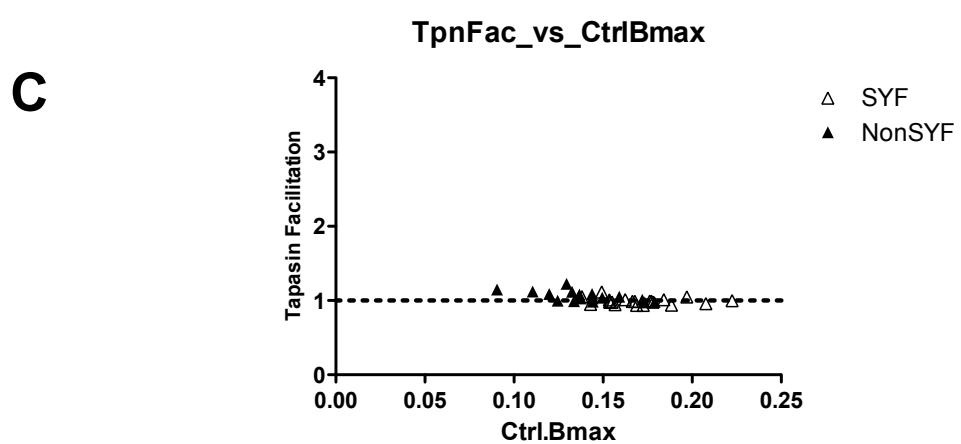
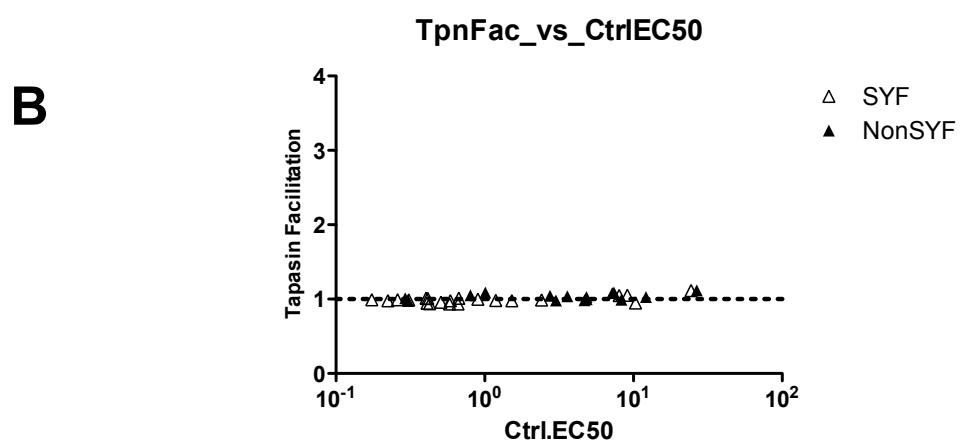
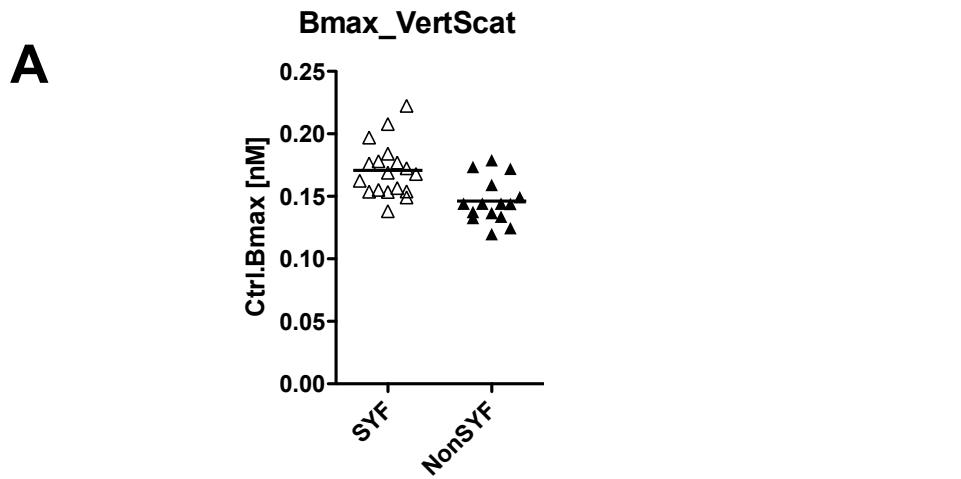


Supporting Information Figure 4

*Tpn₁₋₈₇ facilitates folding of peptide-HLA-A*02:01 complexes, and the facilitation inversely correlates with the intrinsic stability of the peptide-HLA-A*02:01 complex.*

The Tpn₁₋₈₇ facilitation was analyzed using the same set of peptides tested on HLA-A*02:01 in Fig. 1. **(A)** The Tpn₁₋₈₇ facilitation was plotted against Ctrl EC₅₀, the affinity measured in the absence of Tpn₁₋₈₇. **(B)** The Tpn₁₋₈₇ facilitation was plotted against the Ctrl B_{max}, the saturation plateau measured in the absence of Tpn₁₋₈₇. **(C)** The Tpn₁₋₈₇ facilitation was plotted against the intrinsic stability of the peptide-HLA-A*02:01 complex. **(D)** A ROC analysis was used on all four parameters (EC₅₀, B_{max}, stability and Tpn₁₋₈₇ facilitation) to determine which parameter best correlates with the folding facilitation. To determine whether significant differences exist between the areas under the ROC curves a jack-knife analysis was performed on the ROC areas. A student's t test was used to determine statistical significant differences between the parameters tested.

Supporting Information Figure 5



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*Tpn_{I-87} does not facilitate folding of HLA-A*02:01-T134K.*

Twenty-one SYFPEITHI and 21 non-SYFPEITHI peptides were paired, based upon affinity to HLA-A*02:01. Fixed concentrations of β_2m and HLA-A*02:01-T134K HC were mixed with various concentrations of peptide in the presence or absence of Tpn_{I-87}. **(A)** The B_{max} values for the SYFPEITHI and non-SYFPEITHI peptides in the absence of Tpn_{I-87} were plotted in a vertical scatter diagram. **(B)** The peptide affinities (EC_{50}) to the HLA-I molecules were calculated as the peptide concentration required to reach the half-saturation point on the sigmoidal dose-response curve. The Tpn_{I-87} facilitation was plotted against EC_{50} . **(C)** The Tpn_{I-87} facilitation was plotted against the saturation plateau, B_{max} .

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SYFPEITHI peptides				Non-SYFPEITHI peptides			
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4228	MVDGTLLLL	V	L	16782	RSLYNTIATL	S	L
4229	LLGATCMFV	L	V	16784	RSLFNTVAVL	S	L
4231	KLVANNTRL	L	L	17803	SLFGAAVSL	L	L
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4239	IILAKFLHWL	L	L	18928	TLKPGTMSV	L	V
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