

SUPPLEMENTAL FIGURES

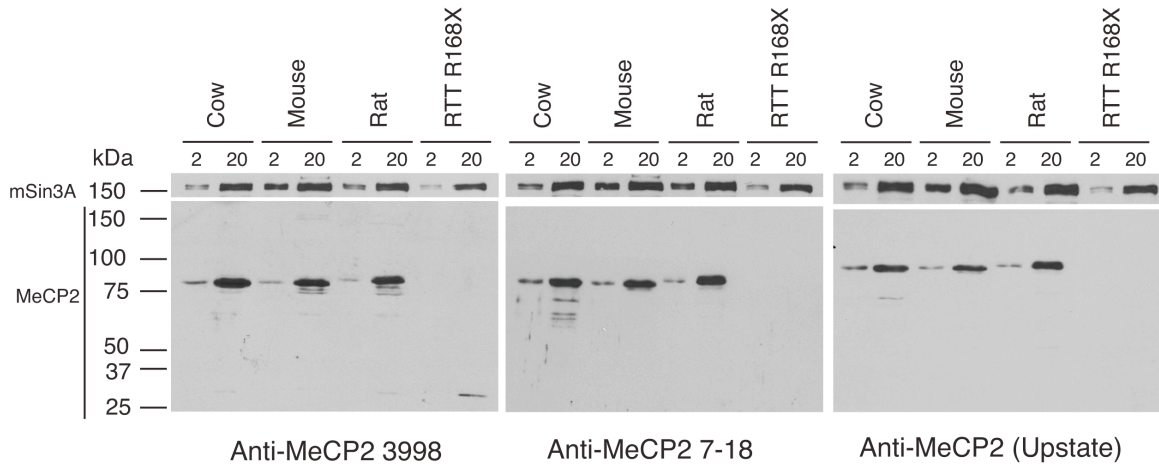


Figure S1. Anti-MeCP2 antibodies react specifically with MeCP2 from multiple protein sources. Antibodies against MeCP2 were used in western blotting of brain nuclear extracts from cow, mouse, and rat, and nuclear extracts from human lymphoblasts expressing the RTT R168X truncation to show their specificities. The Jones lab-generated anti-MeCP2 3998 (left panel) [17], and anti-MeCP2 7-18 (center panel) were compared with an anti-MeCP2 antibody purchased from Upstate Biotech (right panel). All three antibodies react with a single polypeptide migrating at ~80 kDa, consistent with MeCP2's known migration on SDS-PAGE, in brain nuclear extracts (2 or 20 µg/lane) from cow, mouse, and rat. These antibodies show no reactivity to any polypeptides in the human MeCP2 RTT R168X extracts by western blot analysis. These data confirm that the anti-MeCP2 7-17 antibody used in this study is specific for MeCP2. Load controls using an antibody for Sin3A [3] are shown above.

MeCP2 MonoQ flow-thru (QFT): Sequence coverage 41%

MVAGMLGLRKEK**SEDQDLQGLKEK**PLKFKKVKKDKKEDKEGKHEPLQPSAHH
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GRKPGSVVAAAAEAKKKAVKESSIR**SVQETVLP**IKKR**KTRET**VSIEVKEVVKPL
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PMPLPPPPPEPQSS**EDPISPEPQDLSSSICKEEKMPRAGSLESDGCPKEPAKTQP**
MVAAAATTTTTTTTTTVAEKYK**HRGEGERKD****IVSSSM**PRPN**REEPVDSRTPVTER**
VS

MeCP2 MonoQ bound 2 (QB2): Sequence coverage 23%

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LKQRKSGR**SAGKYDVYLN**PQGKA**FRSKVELIAYFEK**VGDTSLDPNDFDFTVTG
RGSPSRREQKPPKPKSPKAPGTGRGRGRPKGSGTGRP**KAASEGVQVKRVLEK**
SPGKLLVK**MPFQASPGGK**GEGGGATTSAQVMVIK**RPGRKRKAEADPQAIPKKR**
GRKPGSVVAAAAEAKKKAVKESSIR**SVQETVLP**IKKR**KTRET**VSIEVKEVVKPL
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MVAAAATTTTTTTTTTVAEKYK**HRGEGERKD****IVSSSM**PRPN**REEPVDSRTPVTER**
VS

MeCP2 MonoQ bound 3 (QB3): Sequence coverage 33%

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MVAAAATTTTTTTTTTVAEKYK**HRGEGERKD****IVSSSM**PRPN**REEPVDSRTPVTER**
VS

Figure S2. Mass spectrometry MeCP2 peptide identifications. MS identified peptides (in red) are shown in the predicted amino acid sequences for rat MeCP2 from the QF, QB2, and QB3 pools of MeCP2.

EIF2S1 [eukaryotic translation initiation factor 2, subunit 1] Sequence Coverage: 33%

MPGLSCRFYQHKFPEVEDVVMVNVRSIAEMGAYVSLLEYNNIEGMILLSSELSRR
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~~LDLNEDEREVLINNINRRLTPQAVKIRADIEVACYGYEGIDAVKEALRAGLNCST~~
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EIF2S2 [eukaryotic translation initiation factor 2, subunit 2] Sequence Coverage: 30%

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TSFVNFTDICKLLHRQPKHLLAFLLAELGTSGSIDGNNQLVIKGRFQQ~~KQIENVLR~~
~~RYIKEYVTCHTCRSPDTILQKDTRL~~YFLQCETCHSRCSVASIK~~TGFQAVTGKRAQ~~
LRAKAN

EIF2S3 [eukaryotic translation initiation factor 2, subunit 3] Sequence Coverage: 37%

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Mecp2 [Methyl-CpG-binding protein 2] Sequence Coverage: 23%

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VS

PRPF3 [PRP3 pre-mRNA processing factor 3 homolog] Sequence Coverage: 9%

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ABCF1 [PREDICTED: similar to ATP-binding cassette sub-family F member 1 (ATP-binding cassette 50)]
Sequence Coverage: 32%

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SDCCA1 [similar to serologically defined colon cancer antigen 1]
Sequence Coverage: 3%

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QSSARKKKI

Figure S3. Mass spectrometry identifications of MeCP2 co-purifying peptides. MS identified peptides (in red) for the MeCP2 co-purifying polypeptides from the QB2 pool of MeCP2.

Table S1: PCR and RT-PCR oligonucleotide primers

Primer	Plasmid Construct	Sequence (5'-3')
1	pGEM ratAbcf1	ATGCCGAAGGGTCCCAAGCAGC
2	pGEM ratAbcf1	TCAATCCCGAGGTTCGGTTGAC
3	pGEM ratEif2s1	ATGCCGGGTCTAAGTTGTAGATTTTATCAACAC
4	pGEM ratEif2s1	TTAATCTTCAGCTTTGGCTTCCATTTCTTCTGC
5	pGEM ratEif2s2	ATGTCCGGGGACGAGATGATTTTTGATCCTAC
6	pGEM ratEif2s2	TTAGTTAGCTTTGGCACGGAGCTG
7	pGEM ratEif2s3	ATGGCTGGGGGTGAGGCTG
8	pGEM ratEif2s3	TCAGTCATCATCTACAGTCGGCTTAATG
9	pGEM ratMeCP2	ATGGTAGCTGGGATGTTAGGGC
10	pGEM ratMeCP2	TCAGCTAACTCTCTCGGTCACG
11	pGEM ratPrpf3	ATGGCACTGTCTAAGCGGGAAGTGGATG
12	pGEM ratPrpf3	CTACAGAGAACATGGCGCGTGA
13	pGEM ratSdccag1	ATGAAGACCCGCTTCAGCACTGTTGAC
14	pGEM ratSdccag1	CTATTTTCTTTTACGTGCAGAAGATTGGG
15	pGEM human Prpf3	ATGGCACTGTCAAAGAGGGAGC
16	pGEM human Prpf3	TCAATCAGTGGACTCTAAC
17	pCDNA3.1 ratAbcf1	GCGGCCGCATGCCGAAGGGTCC
18	pCDNA3.1 ratAbcf1	CGCTCGAGTCAATCCCGAGGTCCG
19	pCDNA3.1 ratEif2s1	GCGGCCGCATGCCGGGTCTAAG
20	pCDNA3.1 ratEif2s1	CGCTCGAGTTAATCTTCAGCTTTGGCTTC
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22	pCDNA3.1 ratEif2s2	CGCTCGAGTTAGTTAGCTTTGGCACG
23	pCDNA3.1 ratEif2s3	GCGGCCGCATGGCTGGGGGTG
24	pCDNA3.1 ratEif2s3	CGCTCGAGTCAGTCATCATCTACAGTCG
25	pCDNA3.1 ratMeCP2	GCGGCCGCATGGTAGCTGGGATG
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27	pCDNA3.1HA humanMeCP2	GCGGCCGCATGGTAGCTGGGATG
28	pCNA3.1HA humanMeCP2	CGCTCGAGTCAGCTAACTCTCTCGGTC
29	pCDNA3.1 ratPrpf3	GCGGCCGCATGGCACTGTCTAAGC
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33	pCDNA3.1 humanPrpf3	AGAATTCATGGCACTGTCAAAGAG
34	pCDNA3.1 humanPrpf3	CTCGAGTCAATCAGTGGACTCTAAC
35	pGEX5X ratPrpf3	AGAATTCATGGCACTGTCTAAGC
36	pGEX5X ratPrpf3	CTCGAGTCACGCGCCATGTTCTC
37	pGEX5X MeCP2 d1	AGAATTCGCTCCCCCAAACAG
38	pGEX5X MeCP2 d1	CTCGAGTCAGCTAACTCTCTCGG
39	pGEX5X MeCP2 d2	AGAATTC AAGCAAAGGAAATCTGGC
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43	pGEX5X MeCP2 d4	AGAATTCACGGTCAGCATCGAG
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48	pGEX5X MeCP2 d6	CTCGAGACCGAGGGTGGACAC
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64	pGEX5X MeCP2 R168X	ACTCGAGTCATCATCTCGCCGGGAGGG
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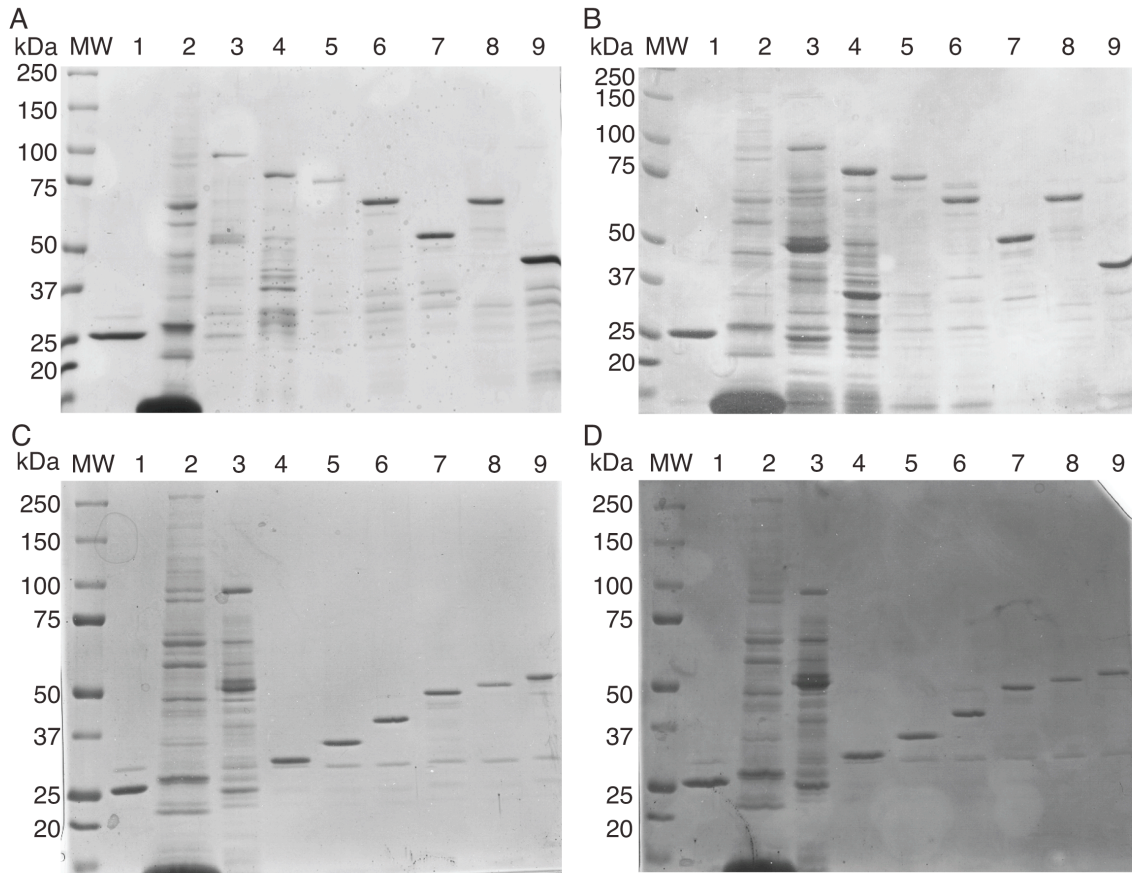


Figure S4. GST input control gels. Coomassie brilliant blue stained SDS-PAGE gels from GST pull-down experiments show equivalent levels of GST-fusion proteins in each pull-down reaction. A) GST-fusion proteins from Figure 4C, Prpf3. B) GST-fusion proteins from Figure 4C, Sdccag1. C) GST-fusion proteins from Figure 6A, Prpf3. D) GST-fusion proteins from Figure 6A, Sdccag1.

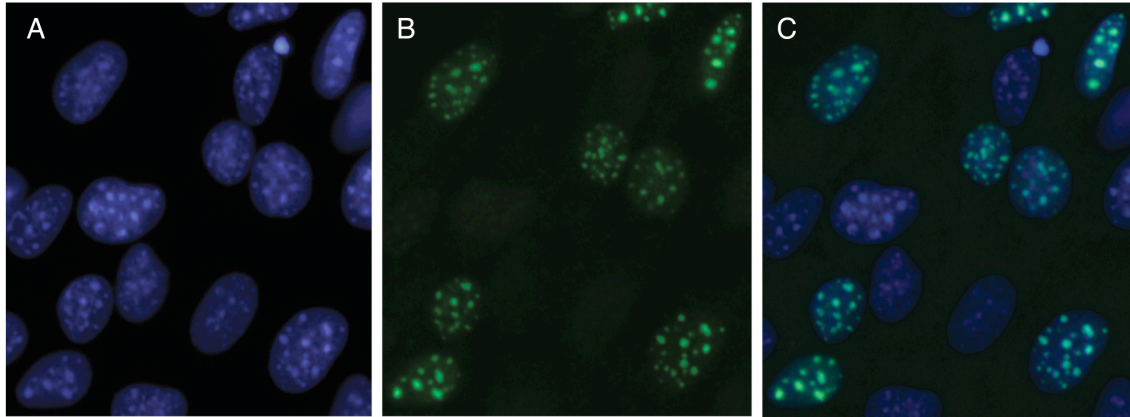


Figure S5. Characterization of HA-MeCP2 expressing HT22 cells. HT22 hippocampal neuronal cells stably transfected with HA-MeCP2, visualized by A) DAPI staining and B) indirect immunofluorescence for HA-MeCP2 with C) images merged, show HA-MeCP2 localizes to heterochromatic foci.