CD138+ cells isolated from either normal BM (n=3) or MM BM (n=6), and MM cell lines (MM.1S, OPM1, OPM2, RPMI.8226, U266, LR7, H929) has been incubated with isotype control or with anti- E, L or P-selectin ( $10\mu g/ml$ ) for 1hr followed by FITC-conjugated secondary antibody. Expression of E-, L- and P-selectins has been evaluated using flow cytometry and expressed as ratio between MFI of selectin/MFI of isotype control. Normal plasma cells, MM primary cells, and MM cell lines presented lack of expression of E, L and P-selectins on.

#### Figure S2

MM1s cells were transfected with either PSGL-1 siRNA or scramble siRNA, and the expression of PSGL-1 has been evaluated using flow cytometry and expressed as ratio between mean fluorescence intensity (MFI) of PSGL-1 and MFI of isotype control. Down-regulation of PSGL-1 by siRNA was detected at the protein level using flow cytometry.

#### Figure S3

MM1s, RPMI8226, H929 and HUVECs (0.5 x 106 cell/ml) were cultured with increasing concentrations of GMI-1070 (0.1, 0.25, 0.5 and 1 mg/ml) for 24 hours. Cell survival was assessed by measuring 3-(4, 5-dimethylthiazol-2-yl)-2,5-diphenyltetrazolium bromide (MTT; Chemicon International, Temecula, CA) dye absorbance. GMI-1070 did not have cytotoxic effects on MM cell lines (MM1s, H929 and RPMI8226) and on HUVECs.

#### Figure S4

HUVECs were transfected with scramble siRNAs or with E (i), L (ii) or P-selectin (iii) siRNA. HUVECs has been incubated with isotype control or with anti- E, L or P-selectin (10µg/ml) for 1hr followed by FITC-conjugated secondary antibody. Expression of E-, L- and P-selectins has been evaluated using flow cytometry and expressed as ratio between MFI of selectin/MFI of isotype control. E and P selectins were downregulated in HUVEC cells, and the absence of expression of L-selectin was not changed..

MM1S cells were co-cultured with stromal cells and treated with GMI-1070 500 $\mu$ M for 24hrs and changes in the mitochondrial potential in response to the Bcl-2 family of proteins were measured by BH3 profiling. BH3 profiling is a functional assay that enables measurement of changes to the Bcl-2 family of proteins regulates the mitochondrial apoptotic pathway (1-3). The BH3-only peptides used sequence and method of synthesis is as previously described(4). The percentage loss of mitochondrial membrane potential is calculated by normalization to the solvent only control DMSO (1%) and the positive control FCCP (100%), and values were expressed as percentile of MM1s cell when cultured alone with no treatment.

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