

## **Supplemental figure legends**

**Figure S1. miR-124 regulates IFN- $\gamma$  expression.** The expression of IFN- $\gamma$  was detected by qRT-PCR in A549 cells transfected with pcDNA3.1, miR-124 nc, miR-124 mimic or miR-124 inhibitor followed by infected without (A) or with BCG (B). Compared with pcDNA3.1 group \*: p<0.05. Data represented the mean ± SD from three independent triplicated experiments (N=6).

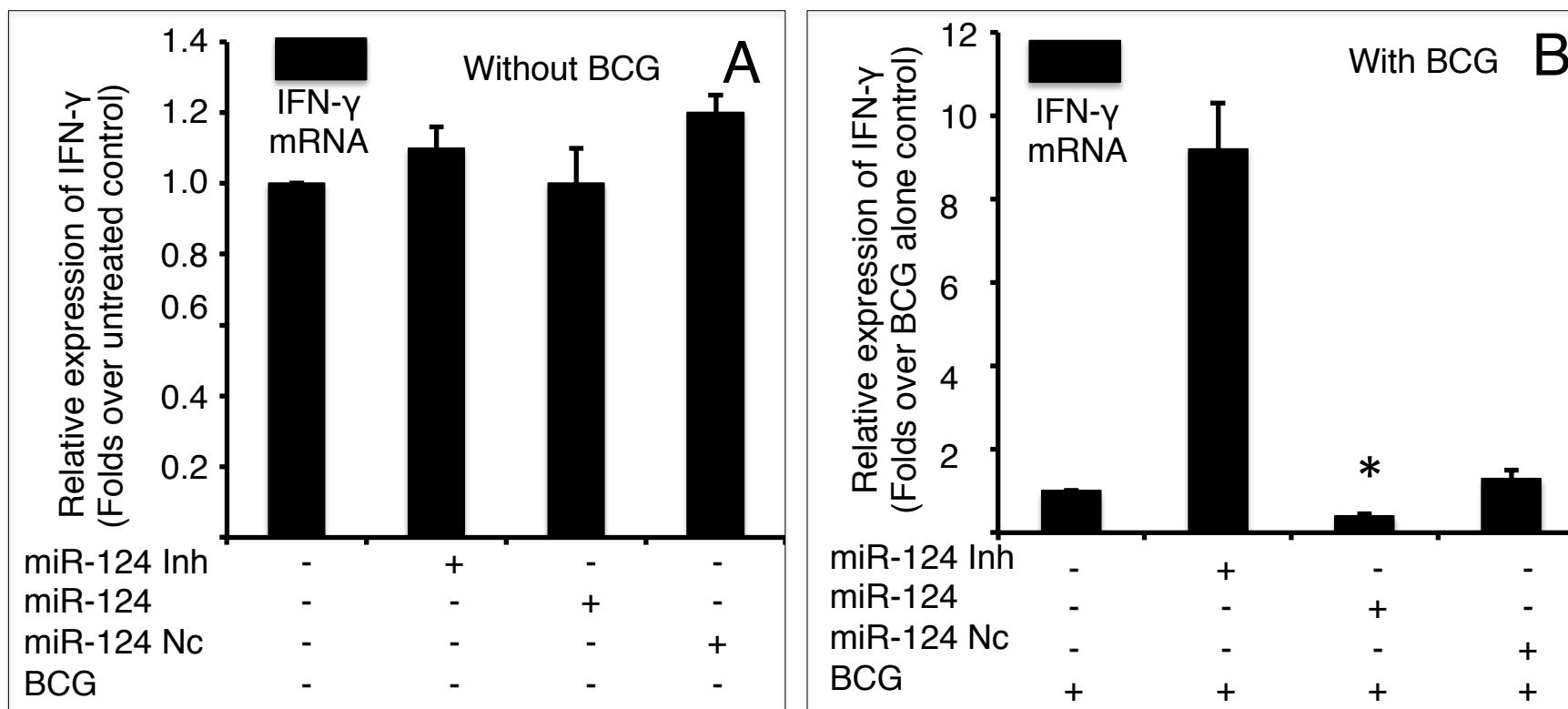
**Figure S2. miR-124 regulates IL-1 $\alpha$  expression.** The expression of IL-1 $\alpha$  was detected by qRT-PCR in A549 cells transfected with pcDNA3.1, miR-124 nc, miR-124 mimic or miR-124 inhibitor followed by infected without (A) or with BCG (B). Compared with pcDNA3.1 group \*: p<0.05. Data represented the mean ± SD from three independent triplicated experiments (N=6).

**Figure S3. miR-124 regulates IL-8 expression.** The expression of IL-8 was detected by qRT-PCR in A549 cells transfected with pcDNA3.1, miR-124 nc, miR-124 mimic or miR-124 inhibitor followed by infected without (A) or with BCG (B). Compared with pcDNA3.1 group \*: p<0.05. Data represented the mean ± SD from three independent triplicated experiments (N=6).

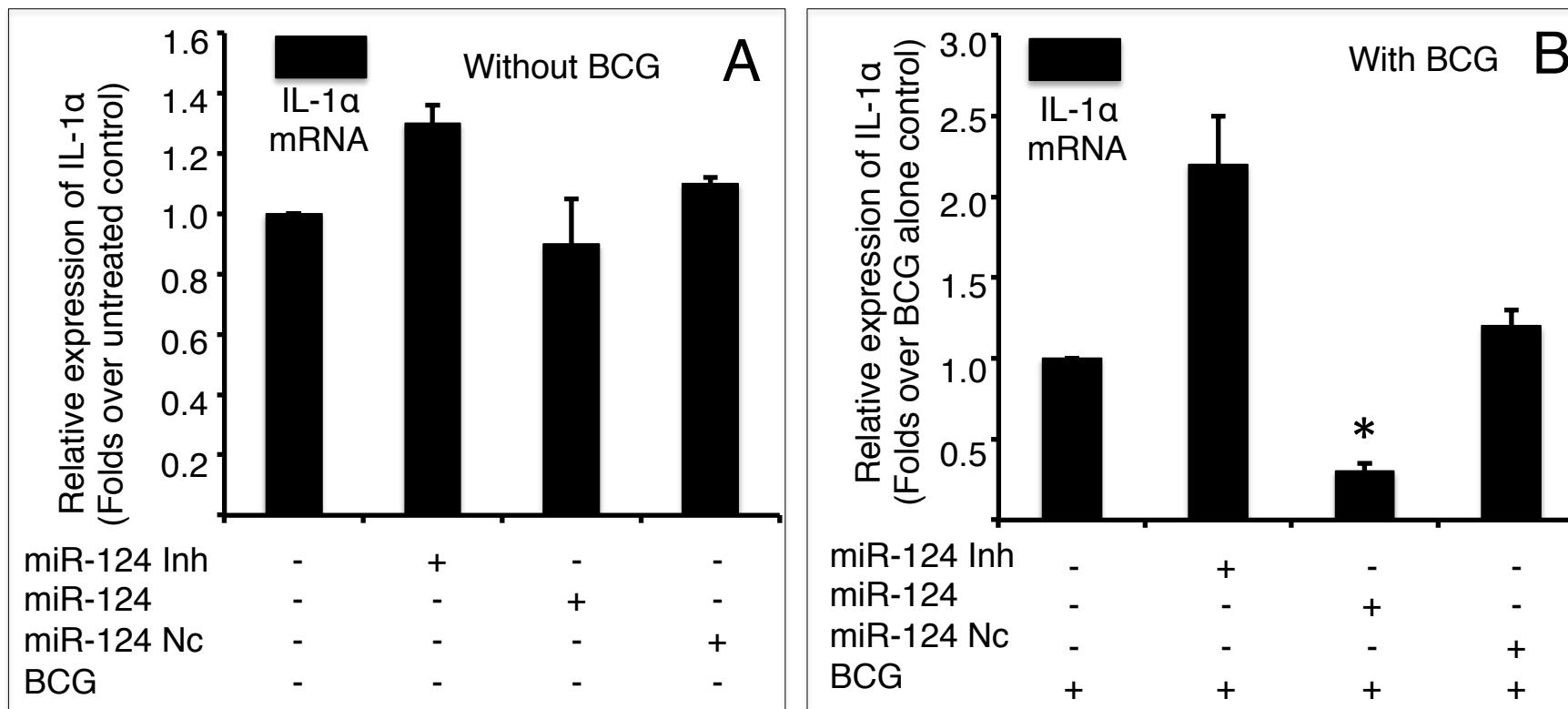
**Figure S4. miR-124 regulates IL-12 $\alpha$  expression.** The expression of IL-12 $\alpha$  was detected by qRT-PCR in A549 cells transfected with pcDNA3.1, miR-124 nc, miR-124 mimic or miR-124 inhibitor followed by infected without (A) or with BCG (B). Compared with pcDNA3.1 group \*: p<0.05. Data represented the mean ± SD from three independent triplicated experiments (N=6).

Supplemental table 1				
Predicted potential binding site (s) of miR-124 in the 3'-UTR of molecules of human TLR signaling pathway and interleukines				
Signaling	Position of mRNA 3' UTR has-miR-124	predicted consequential pairing of target region (top) and miRNA (bottom)	seed match	probability of preferential conservation
TLR1	none			
TLR2	none			
TLR3	none			
TLR4	none			
TLR5	none			
TLR6	Position 1584-1590	5' ...UCAUGCUGGCCUGUCUGCCUUAU...       3' CCGUAAGUGGCGCACGGAAU	7mer-1A	poorly conserved
TLR7	none			
TLR8	none			
TLR9	none			
TLR10	none			
TLR11	unkown			
TLR12	unkown			
Myd88	Position 916-922	5' ...ACUUUGUACCUUGAUUGCCUUAC...       poorly conserved 3' CCGUAAGUGGCGCACGGAAU	7mer-1A	poorly conserved
TRAF6	Position 42-48 of TRAF6 3' UTR	5' ...UACCUGGAGAAAACAGUGCCUU...       conserved 3' CCGUAAGUGGCGCACGGAAU	7mer-m8	
	Position 1674-1680	5' ...UUGUGUCCCCUCAGCU-GUGCCUUC...       poorly conserved 3' CCGUAAGUGGCGCACGGAAU	7mer-m8	poorly conserved
	Position 3849-3855	5' ...ACCUAACAGUGCAAUGCCUAAA...       poorly conserved 3' CCGUAAGUGGCGCACGGAAU	7mer-1A	
IRAK1	none			
IRAK1BP1	none			
IRAK2	none			
IRAK3	Position 179-186	5' ...AAACCCUAAACAGAGUGGCCUUA...     poorly conserved 3' CCGUAAGUGGCG-CACGGAAU	8mer	poorly conserved
	Position 2779-2785	5' ...AUCCGUGAAAAUCGUUGCCUUA...     poorly conserved 3' CCGUAAGUGGCGCACGGAAU	7mer-1A	poorly conserved
IRAK4	none			
IL-1a	none			
IL-1B	Position 134-140 of IL1B 3' UTR	5' ...CAAUGCCAACUGCCUGCCUAG...       poorly conserved 3' CCGUAAGUGGCGCACGGAAU	7mer-1A	poorly conserved
IL-2	none			
IL-3	none			
IL-4	none			
IL-5	none			
IL-6	none			
	none			
IL-7	Position 605-611 of IL7 3' UTR	5' ...UGAAUGUGUAACACAGUGCCUUC...       poorly conserved 3' CCGUAAGUGGCGCACGGAAU	7mer-m8	poorly conserved
IL-8	none			
IL-9	none			
IL-10	none			
IL-11	Position 150-157	5' ...GCCUGGGGGCAUCUGUGCCUAA...     conserved 3' CCGUAAGUGGCGCACGGAAU	8mer	poorly conserved
IL-12a	none			
IL-12b	none			
IL-13	none			
IL-15	none			
IL-16	none			
IL-17a,b,c,d,f	none			
IL-18	none			
IL-19	none			
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IL-21	none			
IL-23	none			
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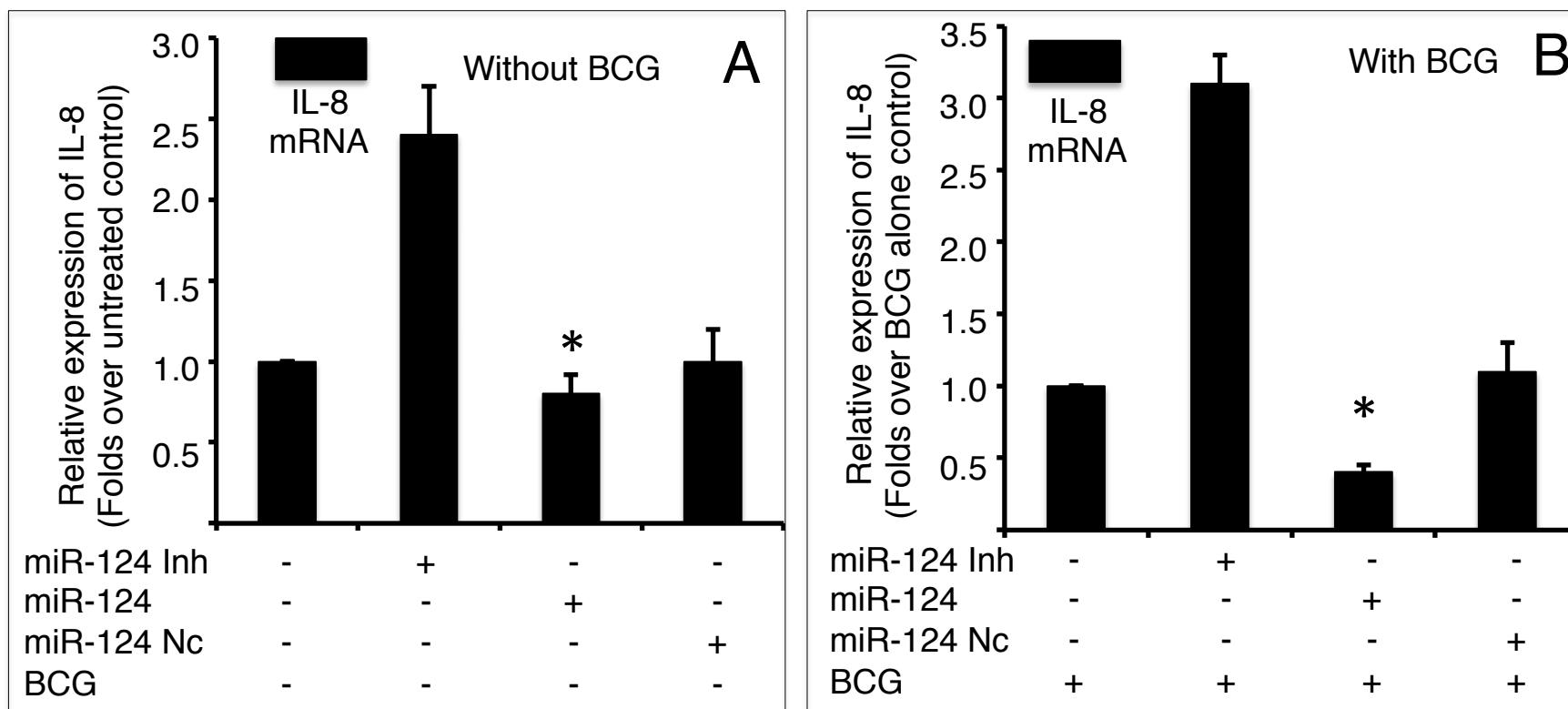
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