

- (A) BRCA1 occupancy at *U1* and *FOS* loci. qChIP analysis of *U1* locus and *FOS* transcription start site were performed in MCF10A cells, comparing the antibody used for ChIP-seq (I-20) to two different antibodies raised against distinct portions of BRCA1 (D-9 is a mouse monoclonal against the C-terminus and D-20 is rabbit polyclonal recognizing a N-terminal epitope). Additional proof of binding is shown in HeLa and MCF7 cells, using the D-9 antibody. The extent of the enrichment is greater in HeLa cells, consistent with BRCA1 being more abundant in this cell line (data not shown).
- (B) Additional validation of BRCA1 peaks in MCF10A cells. qChIP were performed using the D-20 antibody and total rabbit IgG as a control. Columns represent the average percent of input, from three IPs.
- (C) Specificity of BRCA1 binding. HeLa cells were transfected with a specific BRCA1 or a non-target shRNA vector (CTRL sh), cells were selected with puromycin and harvested 96h after transfection. BRCA1 ChIP signal dramatically decreases after shRNA-mediated depletion, both at U snRNAs and coding genes. Monoclonal D-9 antibody was used in the analysis.
- (D) Validation of PALB2 peaks in HeLa cells. qChIP confirmed that PALB2 is greatly enriched at the *U1* snRNA locus, where the mature transcript is encoded, and its signal dramatically decreases further downstream. *NFKBIA* and the long non-coding RNA *MALAT1* are also shown.
- (E) Specificity of PALB2 binding. HeLa cells were transfected with a specific PALB2 or a non-target shRNA vector (CTRL sh), cells were selected with puromycin and harvested 96h after transfection. PALB2 ChIP signal dramatically decreases after shRNA-mediated depletion, both at U snRNAs and coding genes. Anti-PALB2 antibody was the same used in ChIP-seq.

(F) Validation of PALB2 binding. ChIP was performed in 293T cells stably transfected with a FLAG-PALB2 or the empty vector (mock).