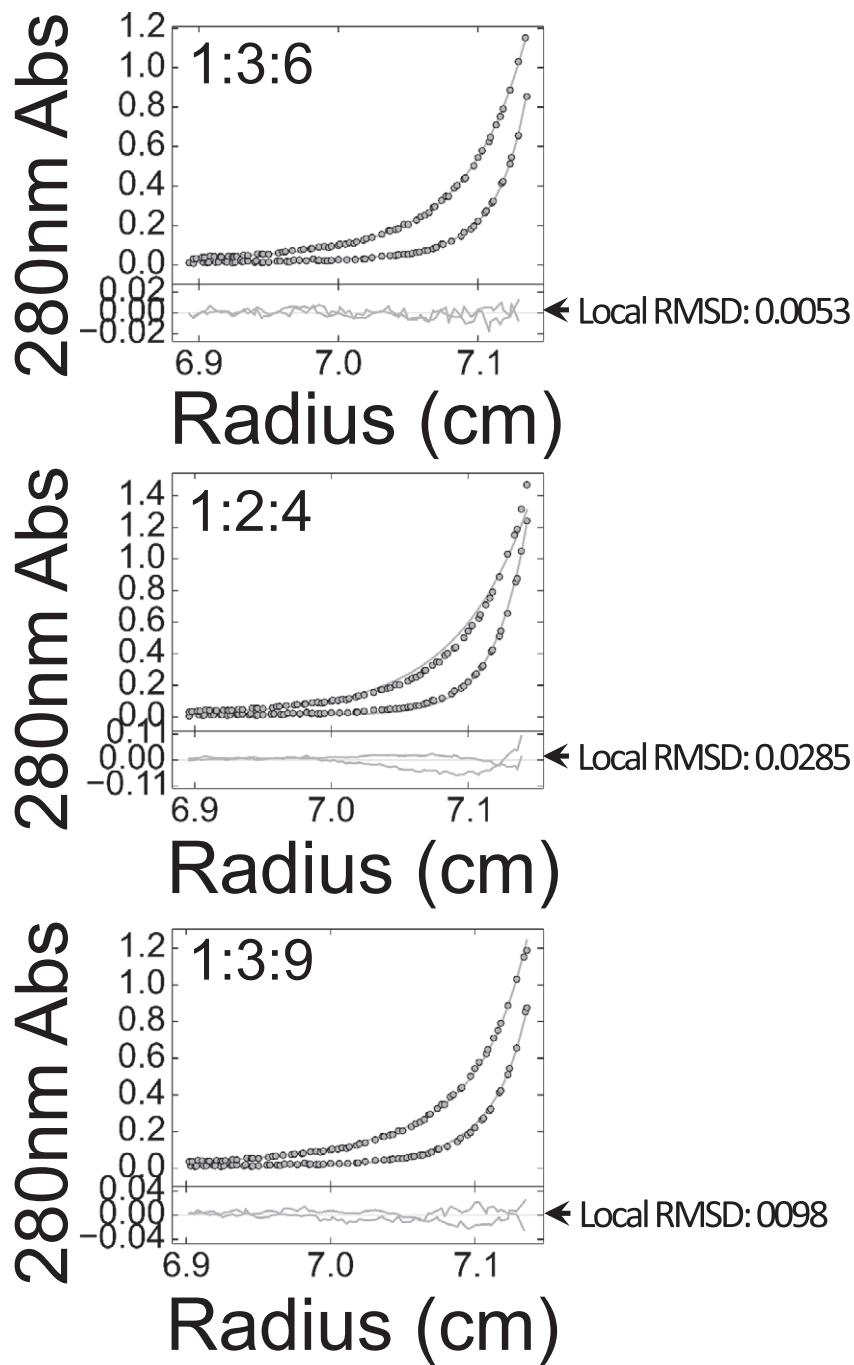


## Expanded View Figures



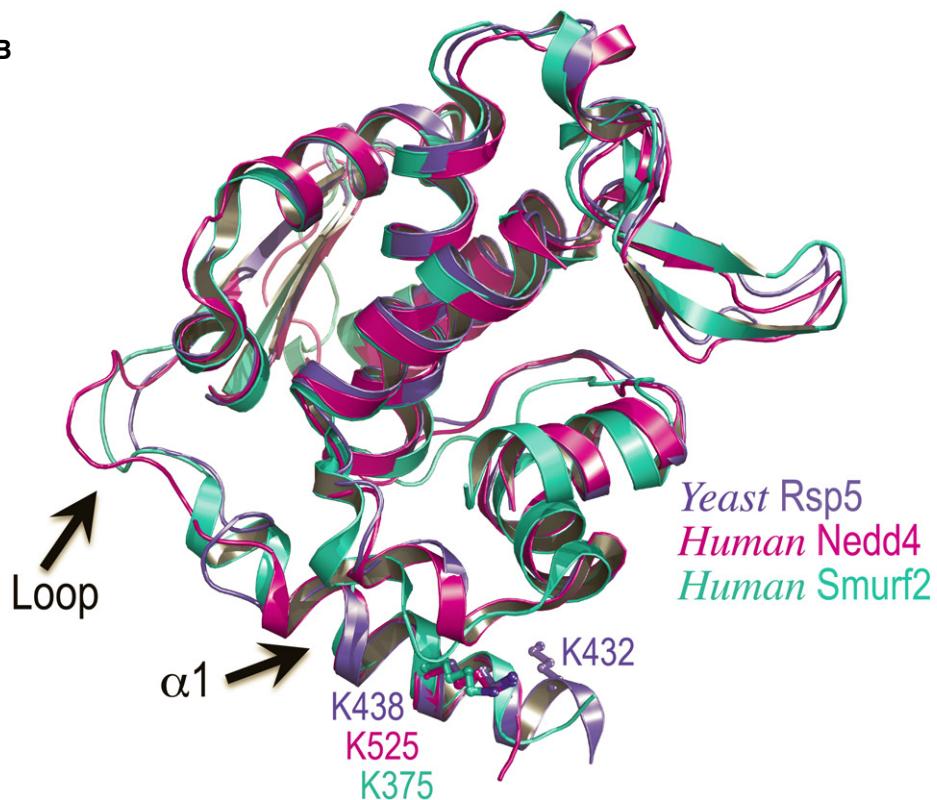
**Figure EV1. Comparing alternative models for  $\Delta\alpha 1$  self-association in SE analysis.**

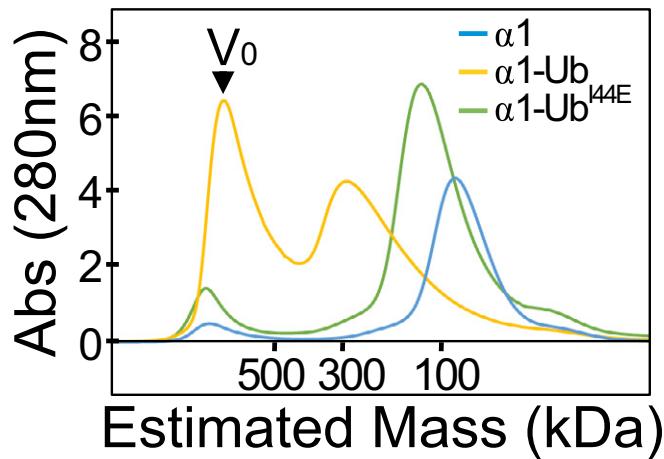
Interpretation of SE data from analytical ultracentrifugation of  $\Delta\alpha 1$  in terms of self-assembly with orders of 1:3:6, 1:2:4 or 1:3:9.  $A_{280}$  was collected at 8,000 and 12,000 rpm. Data points, best fits, residuals and local RMSD values of each analysis are shown.

**A**

Rsp5_S.cerevisiae	432-KRD <b>FRRKVIYFRSQP</b> -446
Pub1_S.pombe	390-KRD <b>FRRKLIYFLSQP</b> -404
Smurf2_G.Gallus	374-KRD <b>LVQQLKILRQEL</b> -388
Smurf2_H.sapiens	369-KRD <b>LVQQLKILRQEL</b> -383
Smurf2_M.musculus	356-KRD <b>LVQQLKILRQEL</b> -370
Smurf2_D.rerio	386-KRD <b>LVQQLKILRQEL</b> -400
Nedd4E_D.melanogaster	453-SRD <b>YKQKYEYFKSHI</b> -467
Nedd4_G.Gallus	408-SRD <b>YKRYEFFRKKL</b> -422
Nedd4_H.sapiens	519-SRD <b>YKRYEFFRKKL</b> -533
Nedd4_M.musculus	506-SRD <b>YKRYEFFRKKL</b> -520
Nedd4a_D.rerio	529-SRD <b>YKQYEYFRKKL</b> -543
E3_ligase1_T.thaliana	3542-LIDFDNK <b>KAYFRSRI</b> -3556

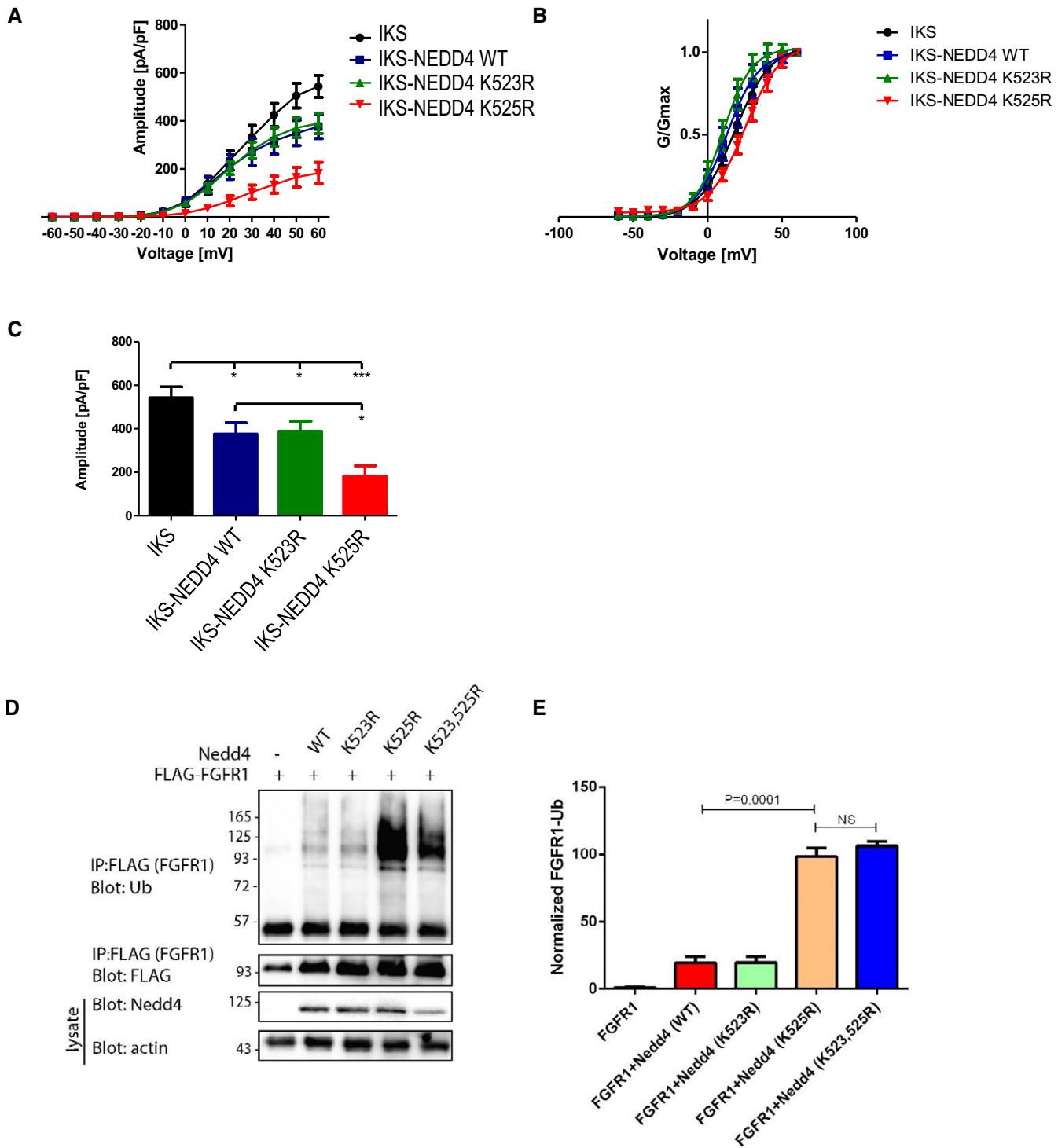
: : \* .   \*   : : :   .

**B****Figure EV2.** Sequence and structural conservation of the  $\alpha 1$  helix.A Sequence alignment of  $\alpha 1$  showing that K525 of human Nedd4 is fully conserved in the indicated organisms.B The conserved Rsp5 K432 and the Nedd4 K525 are shown as ball and sticks. The loop connecting  $\alpha 1$  to the HECT domain is highlighted. The significantly high B-factor values of the loop atoms and the different conformations assumed in each of the structures indicate that the loop is highly flexible.



**Figure EV3.** Size-exclusion chromatography of His<sub>6</sub>-MBP-Nedd4 fusion proteins.

Full-length protein and WT or I44E mutant of Ub-fused HECT were separated on a Superdex 200 16/60 column, and elution was monitored by A<sub>280</sub> detection.



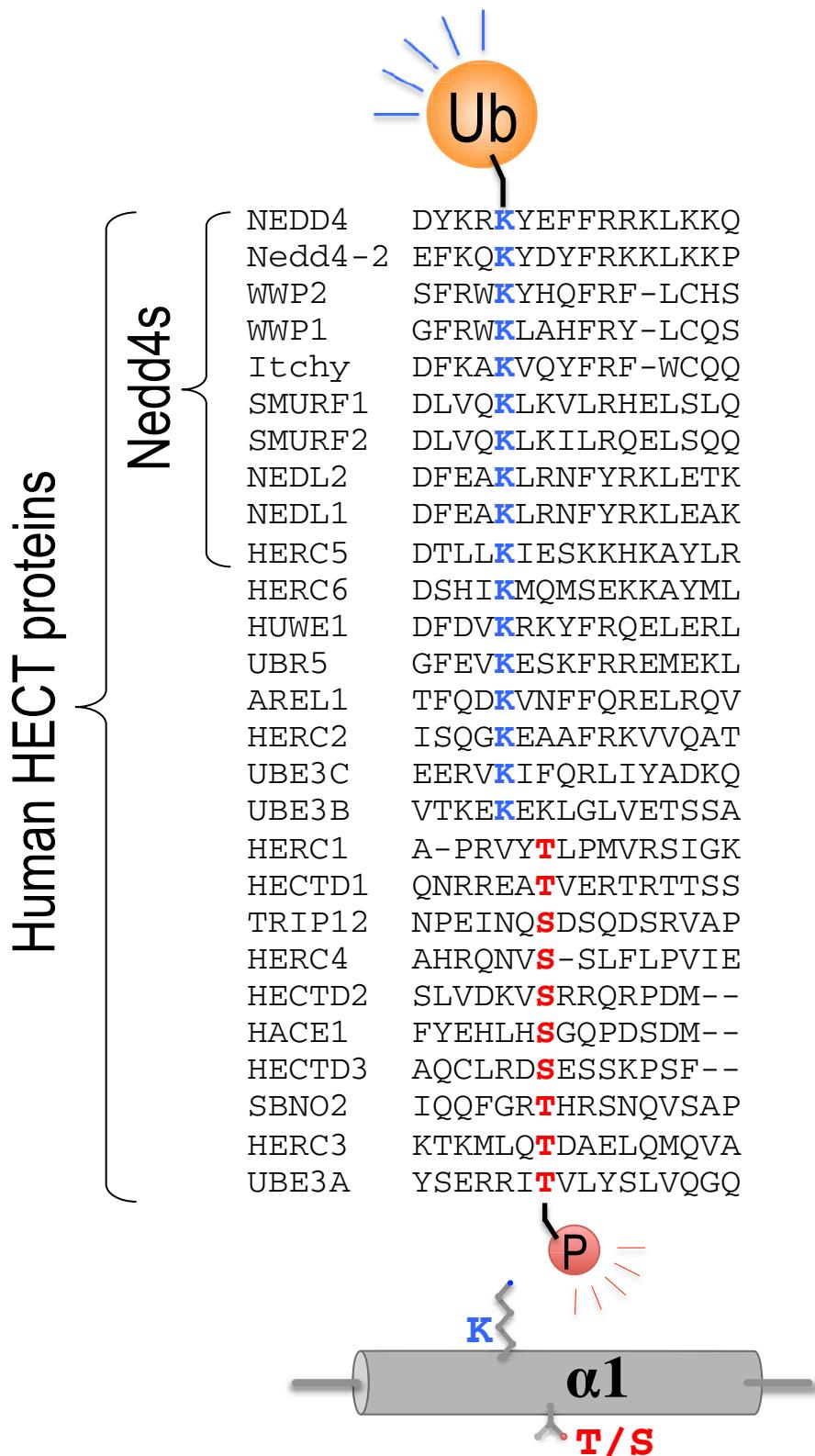
**Figure EV4.** Dissecting the role of individual lysine residues in Nedd4 regulation.

A, B Quantification (mean  $\pm$  SEM) of (A) current-voltage and (B) conductance-voltage relationships of the recorded cells ( $n = 8\text{--}12$ ), following co-expression of I<sub>Ks</sub> with Nedd4<sup>WT</sup> or mutants bearing individual lysine mutations, that is Nedd4<sup>K523R</sup> or Nedd4<sup>K525R</sup>. Cells were held at  $-90$  mV. Membrane voltage was stepped for 3 s from  $-60$  mV to  $+60$  mV in 10 mV increments followed by repolarization to  $-60$  mV for 1.5 s. Normalized conductance curves were fitted to a single Boltzmann function.

C Quantified (mean  $\pm$  SEM) amplitude at  $-60$  mV, for each cell type ( $n = 8\text{--}12$ ). One-way ANOVA; and Bonferroni's multiple comparison test; \* $P < 0.05$ , \*\* $P < 0.001$ .

D Representative immunoblot of FGFR1 ubiquitylation (in the presence of serum) upon transfection of the indicated wild-type and mutant human Nedd4 constructs.

E Quantified (mean  $\pm$  SEM) ubiquitylated/total FGFR1 ratio from three separate experiments.  $P$ -values are from Student's  $t$ -test.



**Figure EV5. Multiple sequence alignment of α1 sequences and post-translation modification sites.**

The α1 sequences of human Nedd4, Rsp5 and other HECT ligases were aligned with ClustalW. The conserved lysine residue of the Nedd4 family and the threonine residue of E6AP that undergo ubiquitylation and phosphorylation are indicated.