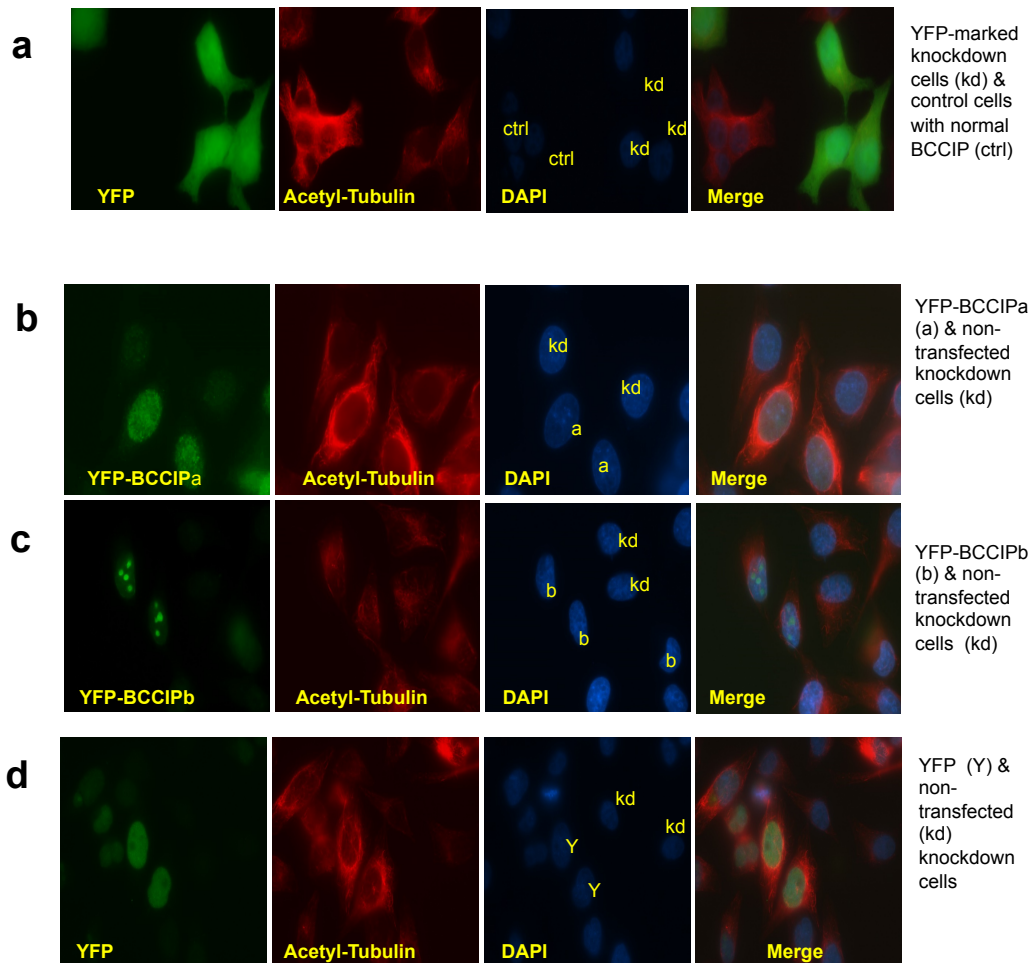


Supplement S4. Representative images of acetylated-tubulin staining in BCCIP knockdown cells that express RNAi-resistant BCCIP.



To eliminate any potential bias when comparing staining intensity between two cell types, mixtures of BCCIP proficient and BCCIP-deficient cells marked by differential YFP status were used to assess acetyl-tubulin staining.

A: Control cells (GFP-negative) were co-seeded with BCCIP knockdown cells (GFP-positive), and stained for acetyl-tubulin. The knockdown cells can be easily distinguished from control cells due to the expression of GFP.

B, C, & D: YFP-negative BCCIP knockdown HeLa cells were stably transduced with YFP-BCCIP α (**S4B**), YFP-BCCIP β (**S4C**), or YFP (**S4D**), co-seeded with BCCIP-knockdown cells (GFP-negative), fixed and probed with anti-acetyl tubulin. Note that after extraction, YFP-BCCIP β positive cells can be identified by the retention of YFP-BCCIP β in the nucleolus while YFP-BCCIP α can be visualized by nuclear staining. BCCIP re-expressing cells can be distinguished from YFP-negative (BCCIP knockdown) cells in the case of YFP-BCCIP α / β rescue (**S4B and S4C**), or GFP-control cells in the case of BCCIP-knockdown cells expressing GFP reporter construct (**S4D**).