## Supplemental Data

The C-terminal region of A-kinase anchor protein 350 (AKAP350A) enables formation of microtubule-nucleation centers and interacts with pericentriolar proteins

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## AKAP350A promotes microtubule nucleation

Truncation of	Vector	Restriction	Primers: S/AS
AKAP350A		sites	
F2F3Δ1 (1882-3907)	pEGFP-C1	HindIII/BamHI	gage AAGCTTcgAGCTTCCGGCAGAAGCAGGAAGCCAC gageggateeTCATCTCCGCATGCCGGCGTGGA
F2F3A2	pEGFP-C1	HindIII/BamHI	gageAAGCTTcgAAGCCCGAACTGAGCCTGGAAGTGCAG
(2182-3907)	provi er		gageggatecTCATCTCCGCATGCCGGCGTGGA
E2F3A3	nEGEP-C1	HindIII/BamHI	gage A AGCTTegT A CTTC A AGTCCTTCGA AGAGA A CGGC A AGGGC A
(2482-3907)	pron en	IIIIaiii/Duilliii	gageggateeTCATCTCCGCATGCCGGCGTGGA
(2402-5707) E2A1	nEGEP_C3	XhoI/BamHI	mageCTCGAGAAAAAGGCCTGCATGTTCGAGCCCCTGC
(2762, 3907)	pLOIT-C5	Alloi/ Dallii II	gageggatecTCATCTCCGCATGCCGGCGTGGA
(2702-3907)	nEGEP C3	YhoI/BamHI	
(3285, 3007)	phon -cs	All01/Dall111	gagee reconcidence for reconcidence and a second se
(3283-3907)	nEGED C2	VhoI/PamUI	
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(5456-5907)	mCharry C1	Soll/DomUI	
(1982-2182)	inclienty-c1	Sall/Dallini	gagagagateoTCA GGCCTCCA CGGCCGCA A GTGCTTTCT
Inhibitory Region	nBD Bam	BamHI/Sall	gageggatereAGCTTCCGGCAGAAGCAGGAAGCCA
(1882-2182)	pbD-Dam	Dammisan	gagcotcgacGGCCTCCACGGCGCCGAAGTGCTTTCT
Promoting Region	mCherry-C3	XhoI/BamHI	gageCTCGAGAAAAAGGCCTGCATGTTCGAGCCCCTGC
(2762-3458)	meneny-es	Alloi/ Dallin II	gageereenenandhoudeereeneereeree
Promoting Region	nBD-Bam	BamHI/Sall	gageggatecAAAAAGGCCTGCATGTTCGAGCCCCTG
(2762-3458)	pbb built	Dummigoun	
Fragment 3	pBD-Bam	BamHI/SalI	gageggatec CTCGAGGCCCTGAGAGCCGAGA
(2691-3907)	P		gagcgtcgac TCATCTCCGCATGCCGGCGTG
F2F3Λ1	pBD-Bam	BamHI/SalI	gageggatec AGCTTCCGGCAGAAGCAGGAAGCCAC
(1882-3907)	r		gagegtegae TCATCTCCGCATGCCGGCGTG
F3A1	pBD	EcoRI/SalI	gage GAATTC AAAAAGGCCTGCATGTTCGAGCCCCTGC
(2762-3907)	1		gage GTCGAC TCATCTCCGCATGCCGGCGTGGA
F3A2	pBD	EcoRI/SalI	gage GAATTC GACGCACAGCTGTCCGAGGAACAGGGAC
(3285-3907)	-		gage GTCGAC TCATCTCCGCATGCCGGCGTGGA
F3Δ3	pBD	EcoRI/SalI	gage GAATTC CGCATCCTGTACCAGAATCTGAACGAGCCT
(3458-3907)			gage GTCGAC TCATCTCCGCATGCCGGCGTGGA
Gene/Ref	Vector	Restriction	Primers: S/AS
		sites	
Cep170	mCherry-C1	SalI/SacII	GAGCGTCGACATGAGCTTAACATCCTGGTTTTTGGTGAGC
TRANSOMIC			GAGCCCGCGGTCATTCTTGTACTGTAACATCTTCCTCTTCCC
BC143762			
Cep170	pEGFP-C1	Sall/SacII	re-cloned from mCherry-Cl
Cep170	pAD	Ndel/Sall	ctcgagcatatg AIGAGCIIAACAICCIGGIIIIIGGIGAGC
$C_{\rm em} 170(1.952)$	. AD	NJ-I/C-II	
Cep170(1-852)	pAD	Nuel/Sall	tatatatagan TCAAACTTCTATCGGTATCTTTCGGCTGGG
Cen170(1-1112)	nAD	NdeI/Sall	etegageatatg ATGAGCTTAACATCCTGGTTTTTGGTGAGC
Cop170(11112)	prid	i vaci/ bull	tatatagtcgac TCATGAAGCTTCACCAAGTCGTGCTCTG
Cdk5RAP2(Cep215)	mCherry-C2	EcoRI/SalI	GAGCGAATTCATGATGGACTTGGTGTTGGAAGAGGACGT
TRANSOMIC			GAGCGTCGAC TCAGGAGCCTGGTCTGCTGGGA
BC140794			
Cdk5RAP2(Cep215)	pAD	EcoRI/SalI	re-cloned from mCherry-C2
Cdk5RAP2(Cep215)	pBD-GAL4	EcoRI/SalI	re-cloned from mCherry-C2
Cep68	mCherry-C2	EcoRI/SalI	GAGCGAATTC ATGGCCCTGGGTGAAGAAAAGGC
NM 015147.2	, i i i i i i i i i i i i i i i i i i i		GAGCGTCGAC TTAAACCCCTTCACATGGGTGCTCC
Cep68	pAD	EcoRI/SalI	re-cloned from mCherry-C2
Cep68	pMyc-C2	EcoRI/SalI	re-cloned from mCherry-C2

**Table S1.** A summary of cloning of AKAP350A-truncation mutants used in mapping of functional regions of AKAP350A and AKAP350A-binding proteins.



Figure S1. Mapping of AKAP350A regions responsible for formation of supernumerary MTNCs (see schematic on Figure 8). HeLa cells were transected with truncations of synthetic EGFP-AKAP350A, fixed with cold methanol and stained for pericentrin (red). Note: lower magnification was used for F3 $\Delta$ 2 to include two transected cells with different phenotypes (hollow arrow indicates single centrosome, and solid arrow indicates cell with numerous MTNCs). Bar = 10 µm.



Figure S2. Mapping of AKAP350A regions responsible for formation of supernumerary MTNCs (see schematic on Figure 8). HeLa cells were transfected with full length synthetic AKAP350A or truncations of synthetic EGFP-AKAP350A as indicated at the left, fixed with cold methanol and stained for pericentrin (red). Bar =  $10 \mu m$ .



Figure S3. Dual over-expression of EGFP-F2F3 $\Delta$ 1-AKAP350A with Cherry-F3-AKAP350A restores single centrosome phenotype and led to enlargement of PCM. HeLa cells were fixed with methanol and stained for pericentrin (blue). Bar 10 =  $\mu$ m.



Figure S4. mCherry-fused chimeras of Cdk5RAP2, Cep170 and Cep68 colocalized with over-expressed of EGFP-F3-AKAP350A on supernumerary MTNCs. HeLa cells were fixed with methanol or with 4% PFA for Cdk5RAP2 staining, and immunostained for endogenous Cdk5RAP2, Cep170 or Cep68 (red). The degree of co-localization between EGFP-F3-AKAP350A (green) and mCherry-fused Cdk5RAP2/Cep170/Cep68 (red) were quantified using Pearson's Correlation Coefficient (PCC). PCCs were determined using JACOP plug-in of ImageJ software. PCC: Cep68:AKAP350  $0.98\pm0.02$ ; Cep170:AKAP350  $0.95\pm0.04$ ; Cdk5RAP:AKAP350  $0.97\pm0.03$ . Bar 15 =  $\mu$ m (applies to all images).



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Figure S5. Depletion of AKAP350A by siRNA interference. A. Western blotting was performed for AKAP350A using 14G2 anti-AKAP350A monoclonal antibody and  $\alpha$ -tubulin as a loading control. Dual detection was performed on the same membrane for both AKAP350A and  $\alpha$ -tubulin using Odyssey Li-Cor system.

B. HeLa cells were transfected with either non-specific scrambled RNA duplexes or siRNA duplexes specific for AKAP350A, fixed and dual stained for AKAP350A (green in merged images) and Cep68 (red in merged images). Arrows indicate cells with AKAP350 at centrosome, co-localized with Cep68. Arrowheads indicate cells with displacement of both AKAP350A and Cep68. Bar =  $10 \mu m$ .



**Figure S6. Depletion of AKAP350A by siRNA interference.** U2OS cells were transfected with either non-specific scrambled RNA duplexes or siRNA duplexes specific for AKAP350A, fixed and dual stained for AKAP350A (green in merged images) and  $\gamma$ -tubulin (red in merged images). Arrows indicate cell depleted for AKAP350A, but still positive for  $\gamma$ -tubulin. Bar = 10 µm.

**Fig.5video1.** *De novo* formation of supernumerary MTNCs induced by over expression of EGFP-F3-AKAP350A. Video was started 6 h following transfection and recorded for 80 minutes. Snapshots of video were taken every 10 min. Nikon Confocal Microscopy.

**Fig.5video2.** Live imaging of GFP-F3-AKAP350A showing presence of multiple rings of supernumerary MTNCs. Video was started 20h after transfection and recorded for 2h every 2 min. DeltaVision deconvolution microscopy.