Supplementary information

Single human B cell-derived monoclonal anti-*Candida* **antibodies enhance phagocytosis and protect against disseminated candidiasis**

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Supplementary Table 1 – Clinical isolates and strains used in this study.

Supplementary Table 2 – Primers for Reverse Transcription-Polymerase Chain Reaction

Supplementary Table 3 – Nested PCR primers for VH

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Supplementary Table 6 – Purified recombinant human IgG1 mAbs generated using the single B cell technology.

Supplementary Table 7 – Fungal, Bacterial and Plant Polysaccharide Array. Saccharide probes included in the Fungal, Bacterial and Plant polysaccharide array and the fluorescence binding intensities elicited with all the mAbs investigated and Dectin-1 used as a reference in the analysis.

a Unless otherwise indicated the saccharide probes are polysaccharides: NSG, Neutral soluble β-glucan; PGG, Poly-(1,6)-D-glucopyranosyl-(1,3)- D-glucopyranose ^b Glc, Glucose; Man, Mannose; Gal, Galactose; Ara, Arabinose; Xyl, xylose; GlcA, Glucuronic acid; Fuc, fucose; GlcNAc, *N*-acetylglucosamine.
^c These are means of fluorescence intensities of duplicate spots printed at

errors (half of the difference of signal intensities of duplicate spots for each saccharide/glycan probe).

d,e Curdlan polysaccharide was solubilized in 50mM NaOH and Glucurono-XyloMannan in 150 mM NaCl, prior printing.

f GN6-AO, neoglycolipid (NGL) probe prepared from reducing hexasaccharide of chitin (β1,4-linked *N-*acetylglucosamine, GlcNAc) by oxime ligation with an aminooxy (AO) functionalized DHPE (19).

Supplementary Table 8 – *N***-glycan Array Set 3. Oligosaccharide probes included in the** *N***glycan microarray and the fluorescence binding intensities elicited with mAb PGT 128 used as a reference in the analysis.**

^a The oligosaccharide probes are all lipid-linked, and are from the collection assembled in the course of research in Glycosciences Laboratory. DH, designates neoglycolipids (NGLs) prepared from reducing oligosaccharides by reductive amination with the amino lipid, 1,2-dihexadecyl-*sn*-glycero-3 phosphoethanolamine (DHPE) (20).
 \overline{b} These are means of fluorescence intensities of duplicate spots printed at the high level of probe

arrayed (5 fmol/spot); '–', less than 1; The numbers in brackets are the errors (half of the difference of signal intensities of duplicate spots for each glycan probe).

Supplementary Figure 1 – Expression and purification of recombinant Hyr1 protein amino acid sequence. (**a**) Recombinant Hyr1 protein amino acid sequence. Highlighted yellow is the leader sequence, highlighted blue is the 6xHis tag and highlighted red is the linker. Hyr1 protein amino acids 63-350 make up the remainder of the sequence. (**b**) SDS-PAGE gel analysis of purified recombinant Hyr1 protein fragment. (**c**) Chromatograph showing purified recombinant Hyr1 protein fragment following analytical size exclusion chromatography (SEC). NR - non-reduced; R - reduced.

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Supplementary Figure 2 – Schematic of VH, Vκ-Cκ and Vλ-Cλ cloning into pTT5 expression vector. B cells positive for antigen binding in the initial ELISA screen were lysed. mRNA in B cell lysate was used as a template for VH, Vκ-Cκ and Vλ-Cλ gene amplification via RT-PCR. RT-PCR was carried out using forward primers specific to human V domain leader sequences and reverse primers specific for human IgCH1, Cκ or Cλ regions or light chain UTR. To increase the specificity of gene amplification, nested PCR was carried out using RT-PCR products as the template. Forward primers specific for human VH FW1 sequences and reverse primers specific for human VH FW4 sequences were used to amplify VH genes. To capture Vκ-Cκ and Vλ-Cλ genes, forward primers specific to human Vκ and human Vλ FW1 sequences were used in combination with reverse primers specific to the 3' end of the human Cκ or human Cλ regions. Primers used in nested PCR reactions contained 15 bp extensions which were complementary to the pTT5 expression vector to facilitate downstream Infusion cloning. Amplification of VH, Vκ-Cκ and Vλ-Cλ genes were done in separate reactions. RT-PCR – reverse transcriptase polymerase chain reaction; UTR untranslated region; L – leader sequence; V_H – heavy chain variable domain; Vκ – kappa chain variable domain; Vλ – lambda chain variable domain; C_H – heavy chain constant domain; Cκ – kappa chain constant domain; Cλ – lambda chain constant domain.

Supplementary Figure 3 - Main stages of the generation of fully human anti-*Candida* **mAbs.** (**a, b**) Representative agarose gel images following RT-PCR and nested PCR of VH and Vk-Ck genes respectively. (**c, d**) An example of the quality control carried out on the purified recombinant IgG1 mAbs via analytical mass spectrometry of full length de-glycosylated IgG1 (**c**) and analytical SEC (**d**). Further quality control was carried out by SDS-PAGE gel analysis under non-reducing and reducing conditions as shown in (**e**) and **(f**) respectively.

Supplementary Figure 4 - Concentration response curves of purified anti-Hyr1 mAbs screened for binding to unrelated proteins. (**a, b**) Purified anti-Hyr1 mAbs screened against HSA and HEK NA respectively via ELISA. (**c, e**) Purified cell wall mAbs screened against HSA. (**d, f**) Purified cell wall mAbs screened against HEK NA via ELISA. Values represent mean (n=2-4).

Supplementary Figure 5 – Indirect immunofluorescence of mAbs binding to WT CAI4-CIp10 before and after enzymatic modification of the cell wall. Endoglycosidase H treatment was used to reduce N-linked glycans on the CAI4-CIp10 cell wall; α -mannosidase treatment was used to cleave α-linked mannose from the cell wall; Proteinase K treatment was used to reduce protein residues; Zymolyase 20T enzyme was used to digest ß-1,3-glucans. Shown are example images of AB119 (**a**), AB135 (**b**) and AB120 (**c**) binding to WT *C. albicans* CAI4-CIp10 before/after enzymatic treatment with Endoglycosidase-H, α-mannosidase, Zymolyase 20T and Proteinase K respectively. (**d**) Binding of anti-whole cell mAbs to WT *C. albicans* CAI4-CIp10 cells following the different enzymatic treatments depicted in a heatmap. Decrease in indirect immunofluorescence after enzymatic treatments suggested the nature of the mAb epitopes. A fluorescently conjugated secondary goat anti-human IgG antibody was used to detect anti-*Candida* mAb binding. Scale bars represent 7 µm.

Supplementary Figure 6 – Gating strategy used to determine mAb binding to *Candida* **cells via FACS.** Panels represent gating strategy employed to identify single cells (middle panels) in antibody positive (AF488+) cell populations (left panels). Median fluorescence intensity (right panels) was determined from the single cell population. (**a**) unstained control sample with *C. albicans*; (**b**) secondary antibody control sample with *C. albicans*; and (**c**) AB135 with *C. albicans*. The same strategy was used to determine mAb binding to all *Candida* and *Saccharomyces* species tested. These data are presented in Figures 5 and 6.

Supplementary Figure 7 – Human monocyte-derived macrophage phagocytosis of live *C. albicans* **cells pre-incubated with saline, isotype control mAb or anti-***Candida* **mAb**. (**a**) Time at which an uptake event occurred over the first 90 min of the assay following *C. albicans* pre-incubation with saline, an IgG1 control antibody, an anti-whole cell reactive mAb (AB119 and AB140) or an anti-Hyr1 mAb (AB120). Bars represent percentage of uptake events (n = 2). (**b**) Percentage of these uptake events that occurred within the first 30 min of the assay. Dots represent average from individual experiments, line represents average (n = 2) and (**c**) average time taken for a macrophage to engulf a live *C. albicans* cell following pre-incubation with saline, an IgG1 control antibody, an anti-whole cell mAb (AB119 and AB140) or an anti-Hyr1 mAb (AB120) at a MOI of 3 (n = 2).

Supplementary Figure 8 – Change in mouse body weight during disseminated candidiasis infection. (**a**) *C. albicans* SC5314 was pre-incubated with saline, IgG1 control, anti-whole cell mAb (AB119) or anti-Hyr1 mAb (AB120) and then injected iv into the tail vein of female BALB/c mice (n=6 per group). (**b**) IgG1 control or anti-whole cell mAb (AB119) was administered ip 4 h prior to injection of *C. albicans* SC5314 iv into the lateral tail vein of male CD1 mice (n=10 per group). Dots represent the mean body weight as a percentage of mouse starting body weight ± SEM.

Supplementary Note: Glycan Microarray Document

Based on (21) MIRAGE Glycan Microarray Guidelines - Beilstein-Institut

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