## SUPPLEMENTARY MATERIAL

## The microbiome in lung cancer tissue and recurrence-free survival

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**Supplementary Figure 1.** Histograms of the number of sequence reads per sample (a-b) by batch pre- and post-Deblur and (c-d) by sample tissue type pre- and post-Deblur.



**Supplementary Figure 2.** Rarefaction curves of number of observed OTUs (top) and Shannon index (bottom) in paired lung tumor and normal samples. Left panel shows depth up to 1000 sequence reads per sample. Right panel shows depth up to 63 sequences per sample (lowest observed depth among the samples).



**Supplementary Figure 3.** β-diversity in normal lung tissue and survival. Principal coordinate analysis of the unweighted UniFrac distance, weighted UniFrac distance, and Jaccard index (non-rarefied and rarefied to an even depth of 63 sequence reads per sample), with samples annotated according to recurrence status, histology, and person days.



**Supplementary Figure 4.** α-diversity in tumor lung tissue and survival. Boxplots show distribution of (a) number of OTUs and (d) Shannon index at an even depth of 63 sequence reads per sample in tumor lung tissue by disease status of patients (p-values are from Kruskal-Wallis tests). Kaplan-Meier plots show recurrence-free and disease-free survival curves for patients grouped in tertiles of (b-c) number of OTUs and (e-f) Shannon index at an even depth of 63 sequence reads per sample in tumor lung tissue (p-values are from log-rank tests for trend).



**Supplementary Figure 5.** β-diversity in tumor lung tissue according to lung cancer recurrence status. Principal coordinate analysis of the Bray-Curtis dissimilarity, with samples annotated according to recurrence status, histology, and person days. (a) non-rarefied, (b) rarefied to an even depth of 63 sequence reads per sample.



**Supplementary Figure 6.** Principal coordinate analysis of unweighted and weighted UniFrac distances, Bray-Curtis dissimilarity, and Jaccard index. Gray lines connecting normal (blue) and tumor (purple) samples indicate samples from the same individual.

**Recurrence or new** Extraction ID Histology Number of sequence reads batch<sup>c</sup> primary Tumor Normal NYU 330 2 Recurrence Adenocarcinoma 308 366 NYU 454 Recurrence Adenocarcinoma 2 350 302 NYU 1832 Recurrence Adenocarcinoma 2 357 131 NYU 1831 Recurrence Adenocarcinoma 2 773 332 2 NYU 408 Recurrence Adenocarcinoma 968 107 NYU 259 2 Recurrence Adenocarcinoma 1106 471 2 63 NYU 586 New primary Squamous cell carcinoma 1601 2 NYU 729 New primary Squamous cell carcinoma 271 1617 NYU 777 1907 25140 Recurrence Adenocarcinoma 1 2 NYU 735 New primary Adenocarcinoma 2360 351 NYU 213 Recurrence Adenocarcinoma 1 3306 NA NYU 1675 Recurrence 4279 253 Adenocarcinoma 1 2 NYU 62 95 103 No Adenocarcinoma 2 NYU 689 No 155 124 Adenocarcinoma 2 NYU 1763 No Adenocarcinoma 218 3033 2 NYU 63 No Adenocarcinoma 232 406 2 NYU 1405 No Sarcomatoid carcinoma 245 175 NYU 1950 Missing<sup>b</sup> Squamous cell carcinoma 1 2415 2379 NYU 38 Missing<sup>b</sup> Squamous cell carcinoma 1 12666 262

Supplementary Table 1. Number of sequence reads<sup>a</sup> in paired lung tumor and normal samples.

<sup>a</sup>Number of reads determined after Deblur workflow.

<sup>b</sup>No follow up due to postoperative death.

<sup>c</sup>Samples were extracted/amplified in two batches (batch 1 = 10 samples and batch 2 = 28 samples); all samples were sequenced in one batch on the Illumina MiSeq.

				Recurrence-free survival		Disease-free survival		
	Disassa-frag	Median Recurrence	New primary	P-value <sup>b</sup>	HR° (95% CI)	P-value <sup>c</sup>	HR° (95% CI)	P-value <sup>c</sup>
	(n=5)	(n=9)	(n=3)					
Normal tissue								
Number of OTUs	16.19	20.73	24.04	0.01	1.07 (0.99, 1.16)	0.08	1.09 (1.01, 1.17)	0.03
Shannon index	3.43	3.94	3.99	0.06	3.60 (1.10, 11.81)	0.03	3.97 (1.24, 12.70)	0.02
Tumor tissue <sup>d</sup>								
Number of OTUs	12.27	16.37	14.65	0.10	1.04 (0.96, 1.14)	0.35	1.05 (0.96, 1.14)	0.28
Shannon index	3.26	3.55	3.29	0.11	1.87 (0.62, 5.67)	0.27	2.08 (0.72, 6.05)	0.18

**Supplementary Table 2.** Relation of lung tissue  $\alpha$ -diversity<sup>a</sup> with lung cancer recurrence-free and disease-free survival.

<sup>a</sup>Number of OTUs and Shannon index were obtained by averaging over 100 iterations at a common depth of 63 sequences per sample. <sup>b</sup>Kruskal-Wallis test comparing α-diversity index between disease-free and recurrence or new primary groups.

<sup>c</sup>α-diversity index used as predictor in Cox proportional hazards model.

<sup>d</sup>One subject with recurrence was missing tumor data; results for normal tissue were similar when excluding that subject.

	Adenocarcinoma only <sup>a</sup>		Batch 2 only <sup>b</sup>		Non-smokers only <sup>c</sup>		Stage I-II only <sup>a</sup>		≥124 reads/sample only <sup>d</sup>	
	RFS	DFS	RFS	DFS	RFS	DFS	RFS	DFS	RFS	DFS
Normal tissue										
Shannon index <sup>e</sup>	2.49 (0.13)	2.73 (0.09)	9.67 (0.05)	11.75 (0.03)	4.10 (0.04)	4.68 (0.02)	5.53 (0.02)	6.20 (0.01)	2.51 (0.08)	2.65 (0.06)
Weighted UniFrac <sup>f</sup>	0.09	0.08	0.10	0.07	0.01	0.02	0.02	0.03	0.05	0.07
Bray-Curtis <sup>f</sup>	0.10	0.03	0.15	0.04	0.09	0.01	0.11	0.02	0.19	0.13
Tumor tissue										
Shannon index <sup>e</sup>	1.82 (0.30)	1.93 (0.25)	2.04 (0.41)	2.55 (0.26)	2.65 (0.23)	2.79 (0.20)	1.62 (0.48)	1.91 (0.31)	1.65 (0.42)	1.66 (0.42)
Weighted UniFrac <sup>f</sup>	0.79	0.73	0.47	0.56	0.80	0.72	0.82	0.63	0.79	0.68
Bray-Curtis <sup>f</sup>	0.99	0.99	0.79	0.89	0.97	0.97	0.74	0.78	0.99	0.99

**Supplementary Table 3.** Sensitivity analyses for association of  $\alpha$ - and  $\beta$ -diversity with recurrence-free and disease-free survival.

<sup>a</sup>Normal tissue n=14, tumor tissue n=13.

<sup>b</sup>Normal tissue n=14, tumor tissue n=14.

°Normal tissue n=15, tumor tissue n=14.

<sup>d</sup>Normal tissue n=16, tumor tissue n=13.

eValues are HR (p) from Cox model; Shannon index obtained by averaging over 100 iterations at a common depth of 63 (or 124 for ≥124 reads/sample analysis) sequences per sample.

<sup>f</sup>Values are P-values from the community-level test of association between the microbiota and survival times (MiRKAT-S). Bray-Curtis dissimilarity based on non-rarefied data.

**Supplementary Table 4.** Relation of lung tissue  $\beta$ -diversity<sup>a</sup> with lung cancer recurrence-free and disease-free survival.

	Recurrence-free survival P-value	Disease-free survival P-value
Normal tissue (non-rarefied)		
MiRKAT-S (unweighted UniFrac)	0.02	0.04
MiRKAT-S (weighted UniFrac)	0.03	0.04
MiRKAT-S (Bray-Curtis)	0.09	0.02
MiRKAT-S (Jaccard)	0.08	0.02
OMISA	0.20	0.12
Normal tissue (rarefied <sup>b</sup> )		
MiRKAT-S (unweighted UniFrac)	0.005	0.02
MiRKAT-S (weighted UniFrac)	0.02	0.03
MiRKAT-S (Bray-Curtis)	0.22	0.09
MiRKAT-S (Jaccard)	0.19	0.06
OMiSA	0.07	0.07
Tumor <sup>c</sup> tissue (non-rarefied)		
MiRKAT-S (unweighted UniFrac)	0.70	0.66
MiRKAT-S (weighted UniFrac)	0.73	0.64
MiRKAT-S (Bray-Curtis)	0.95	0.95
MiRKAT-S (Jaccard)	0.95	0.95
OMiSA	0.64	0.48
Tumor <sup>c</sup> tissue (rarefied <sup>b</sup> )		
MiRKAT-S (unweighted UniFrac)	0.54	0.57
MiRKAT-S (weighted UniFrac)	0.60	0.56
MiRKAT-S (Bray-Curtis)	0.56	0.65
MiRKAT-S (Jaccard)	0.48	0.60
OMISA	0.56	0.39

<sup>a</sup>β-diversity was assessed by unweighted and weighted UniFrac phylogenetic distances, Bray-Curtis dissimilarity, and the Jaccard index. P-values were obtained by the community-level test of association between the microbiota and survival times (MiRKAT-S) and the optimal microbiome-based survival analysis test (OMiSA), all with 10,000 permutations.

<sup>b</sup>OTU table rarefied to an even depth of 63 sequences per sample prior to calculating distances.

<sup>c</sup>One subject with recurrence was missing tumor data; results for normal tissue were similar when excluding that subject.

**Supplementary Table 6.**  $\alpha$ - and  $\beta$ -diversity in relation to lung tumor and normal tissue type.

	Med	P-value <sup>a</sup>		
	Normal	Tumor		
	(n=18)	(n=18)		
α-diversity <sup>b</sup>				
Number of OTUs	20.73	16.08	0.0001	
Shannon index	3.94	3.49	<0.0001	
β-diversity <sup>c</sup> (non-rarefied)				
Unweighted UniFrac	NA	NA	0.17	
Weighted UniFrac	NA	NA	0.26	
Bray-Curtis	NA	NA	0.07	
Jaccard	NA	NA	0.07	
β-diversity <sup>c</sup> (rarefied <sup>d</sup> )				
Unweighted UniFrac	NA	NA	0.16	
Weighted UniFrac	NA	NA	0.58	
Bray-Curtis	NA	NA	0.43	
Jaccard	NA	NA	0.45	

<sup>a</sup>Wilcoxon signed-rank paired test was used for comparing  $\alpha$ -diversity index between paired tumor and normal tissue; permutational multivariate analysis of variance with tissue pair as strata and 10,000 permutations was used for  $\beta$ -diversity.

<sup>b</sup>Number of OTUs and Shannon index were obtained by averaging over 100 iterations at a common depth of 63 sequences per sample.  $^{\circ}\beta$ -diversity was assessed by unweighted and weighted UniFrac phylogenetic distances, Bray-Curtis dissimilarity, and the Jaccard index. <sup>d</sup>OTU table rarefied to an even depth of 63 sequences per sample prior to calculating distances.