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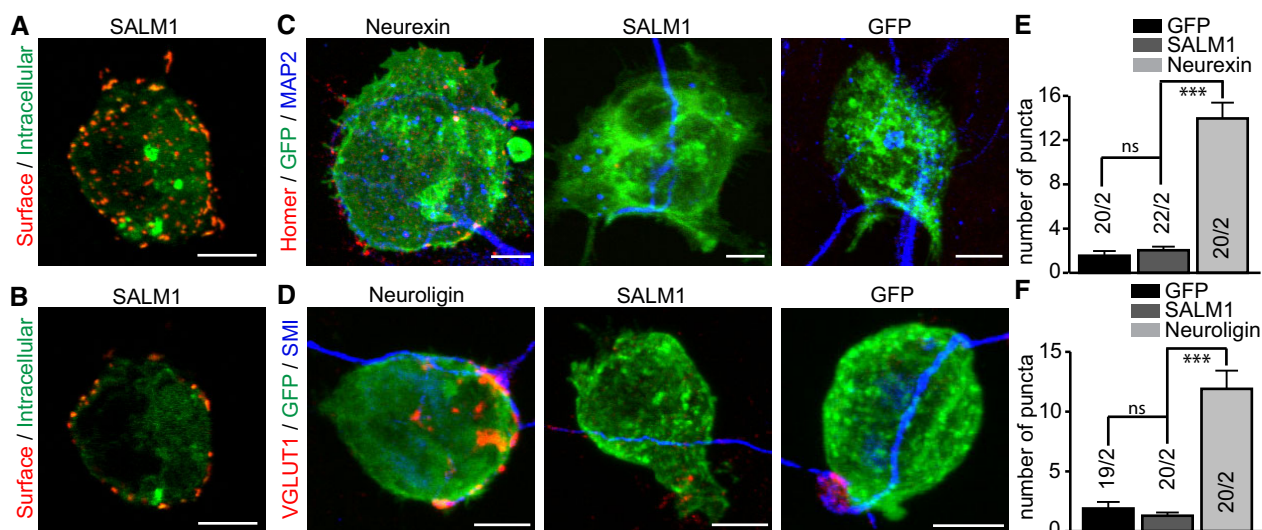


Figure EV1. SALM1 does not induce synaptogenesis in mixed culture assays.

- A Collapsed z-stack image of a calcium phosphate transfected HEK cell showing surface expression (red) and intracellular expression (green) of SALM1-pHI.
- B Single z-slice from the z-stack image given in (A).
- C, D Example images of calcium phosphate transfected HEK cells expressing GFP, SALM1-pHI, Nrnx1 β -pHI, or HA-Nlg1 (green) co-cultured with DIV9-10 sandwich-cultured mouse hippocampal neurons. Dendrites were stained for MAP2 (blue), postsynapses for Homer (C), and presynapses for VGLuT1 (D) (red).
- E, F Average number of postsynapses \pm SEM (E) or presynapses \pm SEM (F) per HEK cell. Numbers in bars indicate total number of cells/total number of independent cultures. Kruskal–Wallis tests with post hoc pairwise comparisons were used for (E) ($P < 0.001$) and (F) ($P < 0.001$). ns = not significant and *** $P < 0.001$.

Data information: Scale bars (A–D) = 5 μ m.

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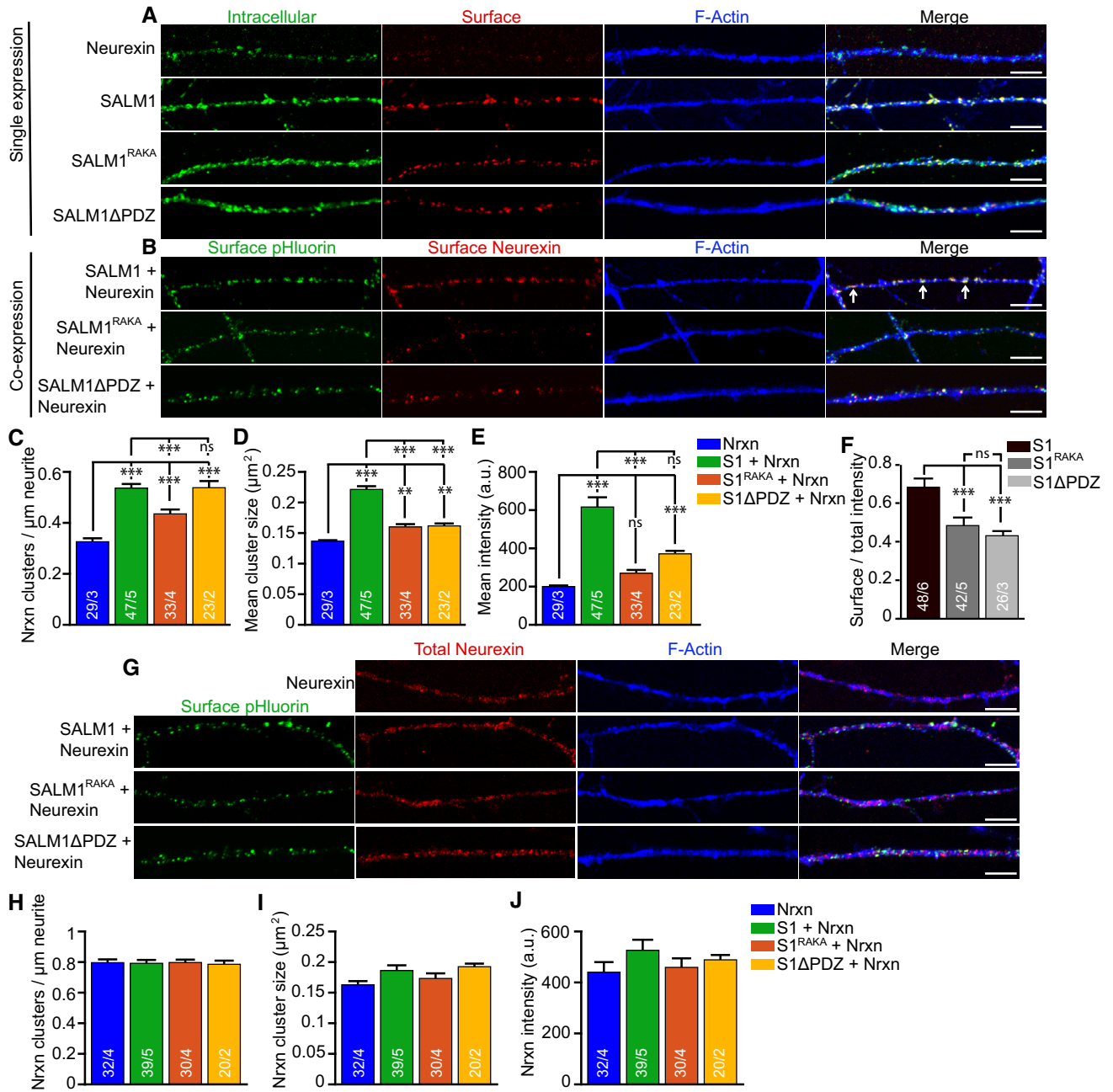


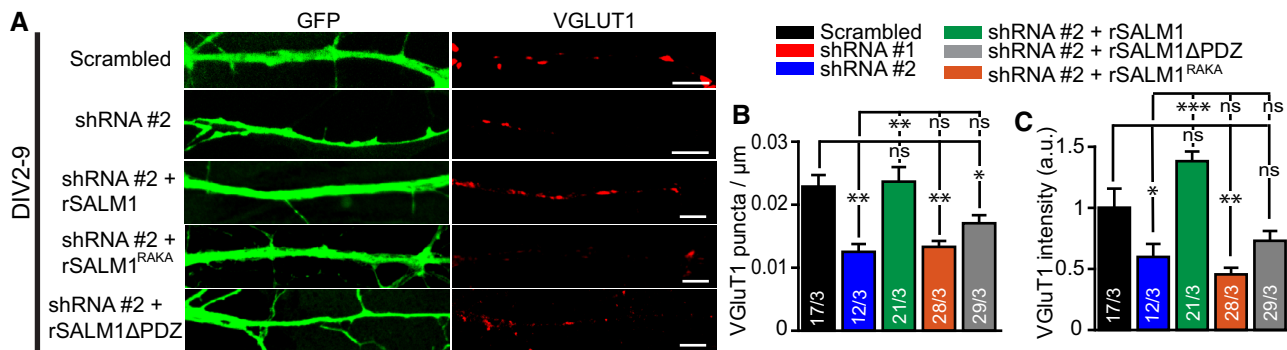
Figure EV2.

Figure EV2. SALM1 mediates Nrnx1 β expression on the surface of hippocampal neurons.

- A Example images of neurites from DIV 11 sandwich-cultured mouse excitatory hippocampal neurons lentivirally infected at DIV4 with Nrnx1 β -FLAG, SALM1-pHI, or SALM1^{RAKA}-pHI. Intracellular and surface stainings are shown for each construct. Bars = 5 μ m.
- B Example images of neurites from DIV 11 sandwich-cultured mouse excitatory hippocampal neurons lentivirally co-infected at DIV4 with Nrnx1 β -FLAG and SALM1-pHI or Nrnx1 β -FLAG and SALM1^{RAKA}-pHI. Surface stainings are shown for each construct. Arrows indicate examples of overlap between SALM1-pHI and Nrnx1 β -FLAG clusters. Bars = 5 μ m.
- C–E Average number (C), size (D), and intensity (E) \pm SEM of surface Nrnx1 β -FLAG clusters.
- F Average ratio \pm SEM of surface over total staining intensity for SALM1-pHI and SALM1^{RAKA}-pHI.
- G Example images of neurites from DIV 11 sandwich-cultured mouse excitatory hippocampal neurons lentivirally co-infected at DIV4 with Nrnx1 β -FLAG and SALM1-pHI or Nrnx1 β -FLAG and SALM1^{RAKA}-pHI. Surface stainings are shown for SALM1-pHI and SALM1^{RAKA}-pHI. Total staining is shown for Nrnx1 β -FLAG. Bars = 5 μ m.
- H–J Average number (H), size (I), and intensity (J) \pm SEM of total (intracellular and surface) Nrnx1 β -FLAG clusters.

Data information: For all graphs, the n is indicated in the bars and represents the total number of cells/total number of independent cultures. A one-way ANOVA test with post hoc Bonferroni test was used for (C) ($P < 0.001$), (F) ($P < 0.001$), and (H) ($P = 0.987$). Kruskal–Wallis tests with post hoc paired comparisons were used for (D) ($P < 0.001$), (E) ($P < 0.001$), (I) ($P = 0.06$), and (J) ($P = 0.192$). ns = not significant, ** $P < 0.01$, and *** $P < 0.001$.

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**Figure EV3. Knockdown of SALM1 decreases synapse formation and synaptic vesicle clustering during early development.**

- A Example images of neurites from single isolated (autaptic) mouse excitatory hippocampal neurons stained for GFP and VGLUT1. Cells were lentivirally infected with scrambled, shRNA#2, shRNA#2 + rSALM1, shRNA#2 + rSALM1^{RAKA} or with shRNA#2 + rSALM1 Δ PDZ at DIV2 and analyzed 7 days later (DIV9). Bars = 5 μ m.
- B Average number of VGLUT1 puncta per μ m neurite \pm SEM per neuron (Kruskal–Wallis, $P < 0.001$).
- C Average intensity \pm SEM of VGLUT1 puncta per neuron (Kruskal–Wallis, $P < 0.001$).

Data information: For all graphs, numbers in bars indicate total number of neurons/total number of independent cultures. ns = not significant, * $P < 0.05$, ** $P < 0.01$, and *** $P < 0.001$.

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