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Data collection

Unicorn 7.1
BLitz Pro 1.1.0.31
Imagequant II 8.1
NIS 4.12.01.64bit
Zetaziser 7.12

Data analysis

PRISM 5.0
PyMol 2.2.0_0
Imagequant II 8.1
Swiss Model (<https://swissmodel.expasy.org/>)
PISA (<http://www.ebi.ac.uk/pdbe/pisa/>)
Excel 2013
HADDOCK 2.2 (<https://haddock.science.uu.nl/services/HADDOCK2.2/>)
FIJI/imageJ
"Microbe!" FIJI/imageJ plugin
Zetaziser 7.12

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Life sciences study design

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Sample size	No statistical methods were used to determine sample sizes. Data were collected over multiple days from clonal population, and analyzed.
Data exclusions	No data were excluded from the analysis
Replication	All attempts at replications were successful. The number of replicates is indicated in the corresponding figure legend and/or the corresponding methods section, each replicates were performed with independent biological samples. Statistical analyses are provided, or a representative experiment is shown.
Randomization	All experiments were performed with clonal populations
Blinding	No blinding was performed as the acquisition and analysis methods required human intervention

Reporting for specific materials, systems and methods

Materials & experimental systems

n/a	Involvement in the study
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> Unique biological materials
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Antibodies
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> Eukaryotic cell lines
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> Palaeontology
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> Animals and other organisms
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> Human research participants

Methods

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<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> ChIP-seq
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> Flow cytometry
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> MRI-based neuroimaging

Antibodies

Antibodies used	antibody Penta-His-HRP conjugated (Qiagen, Cat# 34460, Lot# 154045877, dilution 1/10000. anti body Cya A (3D1) mouse monoclonal antibody (SANTA CRUZ BIOTECHNOLOGY, INC. Cat# sc-13582, lot#F2419, dilution 1/5000. Anti-Mouse IgG (whole molecule)-Peroxidase antibody (Sigma aldrich, Cat#4416, Lot#slbw4917,dilution 1/10 000)
Validation	Antibodies were validated in western-blots with samples expressing tagged and untagged protein