Tubular STAT3 limits renal inflammation in autosomal dominant polycystic kidney

disease.

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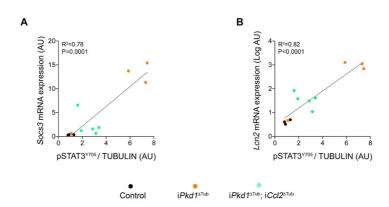
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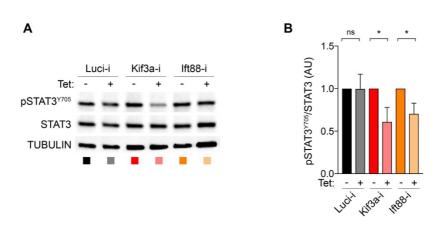
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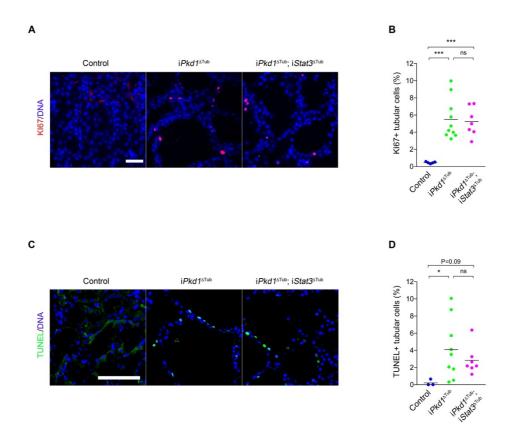
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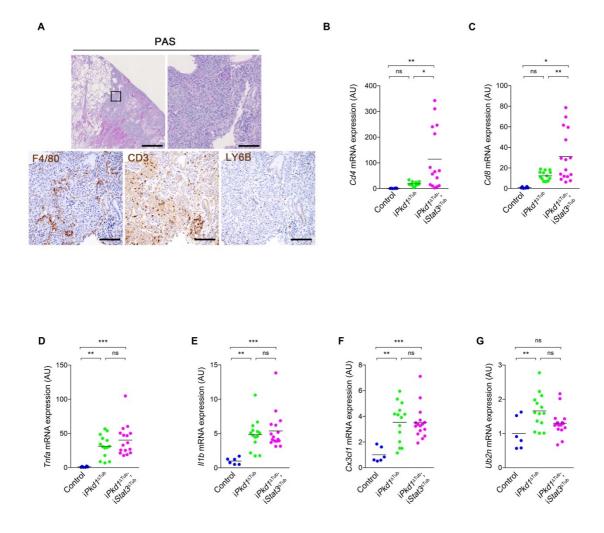
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Supplementary Figure 1: Primary cilia promote STAT3 phosphorylation in tubular cells *in vitro*. (A, B) Representative western blot (A) and quantification (B) of STAT3 phosphorylation in whole cell lysates from MDCK cells expressing inducible shRNA against Kif3a (Kif3a-i), Ift88 (Ift88-i) or the non-relevant control luciferase (Luci-i) after 10 days of tetracyclin treatment (+ Tet). Bars are mean \pm SEM of 4 independent experiments. Paired t test, ns: not significant, *P < 0.05.



Supplementary Figure 3: STAT3 ablation does not reduce cell proliferation or increased apoptosis. (A-B) Representative image (A) and quantification (B) of KI67 staining of kidneys from 18 weeks old $iPkd1^{\Delta Tub}$ and $iPkd1^{\Delta Tub}$; $iStat3^{\Delta Tub}$ mice. (C-D) Representative image (C) and quantification (D) of TUNEL staining of kidneys from 18 weeks old $iPkd1^{\Delta Tub}$ and $iPkd1^{\Delta Tub}$; $iStat3^{\Delta Tub}$ mice. Each dot represents one individual mouse. One-way ANOVA followed by Tukey-Kramer test, ns: not significant, *P<0.05, ***P<0.001. Scale Bars 50µm.



Supplementary Figure 4: STAT3 disruption has a selective impact on renal inflammation in ADPKD. (A) Representative images of PAS, F4/80, CD3 and LY6B immunostaining of kidney sections from 18 weeks old i $Pkd1^{\Delta Tub}$; i $Stat3^{\Delta Tub}$. Scale bars: 1mm for upper left panel and 0.1mm for other panels. (B-G) Quantification of Cd4 (B), Cd8 (C), Tnfa (D), Il1b (E), Cx3cl1 (F), and Ub2n (G) mRNA abundance in kidneys from control, i $Pkd1^{\Delta Tub}$ and i $Pkd1^{\Delta Tub}$; i $Stat3^{\Delta Tub}$ mice at 18 weeks. Each dot represents one individual mouse. One-way ANOVA followed by Tukey-Kramer test, ns: not significant, *P<0.05, **P<0.01, ***P<0.001.

Supplementary Table 1: primers used for RT-qPCR

Primers for Canis Lupus

Gapdh

Havcr1

Hprt

Il1

Il6

Lcn2

Ppia

Rpl13

Socs3

Tnfa

Ub2n

Forward Primer (5' to 3')

TGCACCACCAACTGCTTAG

GAGAGTGACAGTGGTCTGTATTG

GGCCAGACTTTGTTGGATTTG

GAGGACATGAGCACCTTCTTT

CTCTGGGAAATCGTGGAAATG

GGACCAGGGCTGTCGCTACT

GGCTATAAGGGTTCCTCCTTTC

CTCATCCTGTTCCCCAGGAA

CCACCTCCAGCATCTTTGT

ATTCGAGTGACAAGCCTGTAG

CAGAACCAGTTCCTGGCATT

Ccl2	CTGCTGCTATACACTCACCAATA	TCAGCACAGATCTCCTTGTTTAG
Gapdh	CATGTTTGTGATGGGCGTGAACCA	TTTGGCTAGAGGAGCCAAGCAGTT
Primers for Mus Musculus		
Ccl2	AGTAGGCTGGAGAGCTACAA	GTATGTCTGGACCCATTCCTTC
Ccl5	GCCCACGTCAAGGAGTATTT	CTTGAACCCACTTCTTCTCTGG
Ccr2	GCTCTACATTCACTCCTTCCAC	ACCACTGTCTTTGAGGCTTG
Cd3e	AAGCCTGTGACCCGAGGAA	TGCGGATGGGCTCATAGTCT
Cd4	CAGCATGGCAAAGGTGTATT	TGATGATGAGAGGAAACGATCC
Cd8a	CAGAGACCAGAAGATTGTCG	TGATCAAGGACAGCAGAAGG
Cx3cl1	GGAAAGAAACGTGGTCCAGA	GGAAAGAAACGTGGTCCAGA
Cxcl10	GGATGGCTGTCCTAGCTCTG	TGAGCTAGGGAGGACAAGGA

Reverse Primer (5' to 3')

TGGATGCAGGGATGATGTT

CCTTGTAGTTGTGGGTCTTCTT CGCTCATCTTAGGCTTTGTATTTG

GCCTGTAGTGCAGTTGTCTAA

AAGTGCATCATGGTTGTTCAT

GGTGGCCACTTGCACATTGT

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