## **SUPPLEMENTARY FIGURE S2**







**Figure S2.** Association of NIS interactors with recurrence. **A**, Kaplan-Meier analysis of RAI-treated (n = 137) and non-RAI treated (n = 94) THCA cohorts stratified on high (Q3Q4) vs low (Q1Q2) tumoral expression; log-rank test. *P*-values shown with FDR < 12%. N<sub>REC</sub> = recurrent cases in cohort with high (left) or low (right) tumoral expression. Green = P < 0.05; Yellow = highest percentage of recurrent cases. **B**, Representative Kaplan-Meier analysis of BRAF-like, RAI-treated THCA cohort stratified on high (Q3Q4) vs low (Q1Q2) tumoral expression of *AP2A2* and *RAB5C*; log-rank test. Number (n) of patients per sub-group (high/low) and P-values are shown. **C**, RAI uptake of TPC-1-NIS and 8505C-NIS cells transfected with AAK1 versus scrambled (scr) siRNA. **D**, Relative NIS mRNA levels in TPC-1-NIS and 8505C-NIS cells transfected with siRNA specific for indicated AP2 genes and AAK1. **E** and **F**, RAI uptake of parental TPC-1 (**E**) and TPC-1-NIS (**F**) cells transfected with siRNA specific for indicated AP2 genes. Data presented as mean  $\pm$  S.E.M., one-way ANOVA followed by Dunnett's (**E**) or Dunnett's Tukey's (**F**) post hoc test (ns, not significant; \*P < 0.05; \*\*\*P < 0.001). (**G**) Immunofluorescence microscopy of 8505C-NIS cells (i-ii, HA-tagged NIS) transfected with AP2 $\alpha$ 1, AP2 $\mu$ 2 or scrambled siRNA as indicated. Confocal images represent NIS expression (red), HA expression (green) and a merged image (yellow). Arrows (white) highlight plasma membrane regions with greater NIS localisation. Scale bar – 20 mm. **H**, Same as (**G**) but in TPC-1-NIS cells. **I**, NanoBiT evaluation of protein: protein interaction between NIS and PBF in living HeLa cells transfected with AP2 $\alpha$ 2 siRNA. (*bottom*) Normalised NanoBiT assay results at 20 minutes

post-addition of Nano-Glo live cell assay substrate (n = 4). J, Same as I but HEK293 cells transfected with AP2 $\alpha$ 1, AP2 $\alpha$ 2, AP2 $\mu$ 2 and AP2 $\sigma$ 2 siRNA (n = 3 - 4).