



Fig. S5. Delineation of B-cell taxonomy

a t-SNE plots showing marker gene expressions for unaligned clusters. **b** Heatmap of functional gene sets for unaligned clusters. **c** Fraction of singlet and doublet cells predicted by DoubletFinder. **d** Violin plot showing expressions of GC-migration related genes. **e** Heatmap of differentially expressed genes between follicular B-cell subclusters. **f** Differentially expressed immunoglobulin genes between follicular B-cell subclusters, mean expression indicated as horizontal bars. **g** Fraction of cells for follicular B-cell subclusters with predicted cell cycle phases. **h** t-SNE plots for unaligned (left panels) and CCA-aligned (right panels) methods colour-coded by sample origin (upper panels), or cancer type (lower panels). **i** Ratio of relative % for B-cell subclusters by comparing normal with tumour tissues, <1 indicates tumour enrichment. Most B-cells (C1-C6) were enriched in tumour (FDR < 5.2×10^{-8}), while IgA⁺ plasma cells (C7-C8) were enriched in normal colon (FDR < 8.9×10^{-118}). **j** Fraction of cells derived from normal (red) or tumour tissue (green) for each B-cell subcluster in each cancer type. **k** Boxplot showing the prevalence of each cell type stratified for tissue taken from the border, middle or core tumour region in LC. P-values < 0.05 comparing border versus core regions are shown. **l** Violin plot showing transcription factor activities (AUC score) calculated by SCENIC for plasma cell subclusters. **m** Differences in cancer hallmark pathway activities scored per cell by AUCell for B-cell clusters. **n** Violin plot showing pseudotime distribution of different branches indicated in Fig. 5g. **o** Density plots for CRC, LC and OvC along the trajectories of B memory cells of the IgM⁺ and IgM⁻ lineages. **p** Heatmap of expression dynamics of differentially expressed genes along the pseudotime from mature-naïve to class-switched memory B-cell (IgM⁻). **q** Marker gene dynamics along the pseudotime from mature-naïve to class-switched memory B-cells (IgM⁻) colour-coded as in Fig. 5g. **r** Density plots for CRC, LC and OvC along the differentiation trajectories of IgM⁻ to plasma cells (both the IgG⁺ and IgA⁺ lineages are shown). **s** Heatmap of expression dynamics of differentially expressed genes along the pseudotime from IgM⁻ memory B-cells to IgG⁺ or IgA⁺ plasma cells.