Supplementary Information

Figure S1. Confocal microscopy of intracellular interactions of H7 flagella with host cells. Confocal z-slices of E. coli O157:H7 TUV93-0 flagella (green) interacting with actin (red). Nuclei staining is cyan. (A1) XY projection of TUV93-0 interacting with EBL cells, 3 h post infection. The micro-colony indicated with an arrow shows an H7 flagellum curling round A/E lesions. The labelled inset marks the XZ and YZ projections analysed in B1-B2. (B1-B2) Arrows point to specific regions within individual XZ (B1) and YZ (B2) slices in which H7 flagellum is inside a region of actin staining. (C1) Top panel shows an XY projection of the whole field from which the images in Fig. 1A were taken. Middle panels show Fig. 1A XZ and YZ projections, free of actin/flagellum co-incidence labelling. Lower panels show actin-H7 flagellum co-incidence (yellow) across individual z-slices in XZ and YZ planes. Scale bars = 5 µm.

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Figure S2. Protein sequence and structural differences between H6, H7, H48, P1 and P2 flagellins. (A) Pairwise structural alignments with P1 flagellin (PDB: 1UCU) were generated using the FFAS03 server from its PDB database. Alignments were then stitched together and presented in BioEdit v 7.2.0. Amino acids are coloured by structural domain, as defined by Yonekura et al.¹ and outlined in the colour table. This model is partially validated by the presence of the H7-serospecific region in the H7-specific structural insertion², (orange). (B) Amino acid sequences modelled to be structurally dissimilar to the P1 structural template, as determined by the alignment in (A). (C) Location of structural insertions in P1 flagellin indicated by spherically presented side-chains, colour-coded as in (B). The P1 structural model is presented coloured by structural domain as in (A), with top and side views, in USCF Chimera v $1.8³$.

Figure S3. Motility S. Typhimurium and E. coli O157:H7 strains used in haemolysis assays. Motility of strains used in Fig. 6 was measured by the radius of growth after inoculation into 0.3% (w/v) LB agar at RT for 36 h. SL= SL1344. The top panel shows representative motility plates, and the bottom panel shows radii measurements from point of inoculation of four biological replicates. Statistical analyses of these are presented as 2-tailed homoscedastic students T-tests (p≤0.0001 = ***) against WT (4/74 or TUV93-0).

Figure S4. Binding substrates for H7 flagella present in bovine terminal rectum epithelial lysates. (A) Far-Western blot of primary bovine rectal epithelial cell lysates (CL) probed with H7 flagella and H7-specific antibodies. Left-hand blots show one reacting band (arrow) resolved further (right) and the bands indicated were identified as Arp2/3 complex sub-unit 4 (ARPC4), cofilin-1 (CFL1) and galectin-4 (GAL4) by mass-spectrometry (MS). (B) Western-blots of primary bovine rectal epithelial cell lysates (CL) confirmed the presence of CFL1 and GAL4 between 15-20 kDa with α-CFL1 and α-GAL4 antibodies (arrows, Table S3). The size discrepancy of GAL4 can be explained by its degradation or processing within cell lysates, as has been observed previously^{4,5}. (C) Pull-down of bovine β-actin from primary bovine rectal epithelial cell lysates (CL) by H7 flagella cross-linked to CnBractivated Sepharose beads. The cell lysates were prepared by freeze-thawing. Pre-cleared empty beads were used as a negative control (final lane). Arrows indicate 38-50 kDa protein bands in the coomassie-stained gel that were excised and identified as β-Actin (ACTB1) by MS. (D) Far-Western blots of 1 μ g purified human β y-actin (ACT), recombinant human CFL1, recombinant human GAL4 and purified gelsolin (GSN) from bovine plasma with

negative control blots on the left, and 1 ug purified ARPC4 from bovine brain with detection controls on the right, probed with H7 flagella and H7-specific antibodies as indicated. The ~60 kDa band indicated with an arrow marked with an $(*)$ is 0.1% (w/v) BSA, a carrier protein for GAL4. 0.5 μ g H7 was loaded as a positive detection control. Detected bands are indicated with arrows. Marker lane (M) sizes are in kDa on the left throughout.

Movie S1. Co-localisation of E. coli O157:H7 flagella with phalloidin on a bovine terminal rectal epithelial cell. A rotating three-dimensional projection of a confocal micrograph that has captured E. coli O157:H7 (green) flagella coincident with bovine primary rectal epithelial actin (red, Fig. 1A). Coincident staining of actin and O157:H7 is shown in yellow. The 3D projection was made and presented using NIH ImageJ software.

Movie S2. Tomographic slice of the flagellated S. Typhimurium within an epithelial cell. A view up and down through the 3D projection of the tomogramic slice shown in figure 5A1, zooming in to the inset shown in figure 5A2. An anisotropic diffusion filter was applied to reduce noise.

Movie S3. Tomographic slice of the flagellated S. Typhimurium inside a membrane ruffle. A view up and down through the 3D projection of the tomogramic slice shown in figure 5B1, zooming in to the inset shown in figure 5B2. An anisotropic diffusion filter was applied to reduce noise.

Movie S4. Tomographic slice of the flagellated S. Typhimurium at the point of induced uptake into an epithelial cell shown in figure 5C. A view up and down through the 3D projection of the tomogramic slice shown in figure 5C1, with segmentation analysis of host cell membranes shown in red, zooming in to the inset shown in figure 5C2. An anisotropic diffusion filter was applied to reduce noise.

Table S1. Plasmids used or constructed in this study.

Product	Primer Name	Primer Sequence	Source
H7up flank	5'H7upF.Sacl	AAGAGCTCTATTGCCTGTGCCACTTCAC	9
55° C	3'H7upR.BamHI	AAGGATCCTAACTGAGACTGACGGCAAC	9
H7downB flank	H7downF3.BamHI	GGGGATCCCACCCGTCGGCTCAATCG	This study
55° C	3'H7downR.Sall	AAGTCGACTTCGTATCGTCTCTGGTGGT	This study
H7 CDS	3'NtH7F2.BamHI	GGGGATCCCAATACGTAATCAACGACTTGC	This study
58° C	5'CtH7R.BamHI	AAGGATCCTTAACCCTGCAGCAGAGACAG	This study
H ₆ CD _S	3'NtH6F2.BamHI	GGGGATCCCAAAACGTAATCAACGACTTGC	10
58° C	JTH11fliC.R.BamHI	CCGGATCCCTAACCCTGCAGCAGAGACAG	10
sacB	SacB ₅	GCAACTCAAGCGTTTGCGAAA	11
55° C	SacB 3'	GGCTTGTATGGGCCAGTTAAG	11
O157			12
specific	O157F	CGGACATCCATGTGATATGG	
55° C	0157R	TTGCCTATGTACAGCTAACC	12
pIB307	pIB073-screen.F		13
insert		CCTGTCCTACGAGTTGCATG	
60° C	pIB073-screen.R	GACTCCTGCATTAGGAAGCA	13
FliC locus	5'H7upF.Sacl	AAGAGCTCTATTGCCTGTGCCACTTCAC	This study
55° C	3'H7downR.Sall	AAGTCGACTTCGTATCGTCTCTGGTGGT	This study
MotA _N		TTGCTGGTCTCGGTACCCGGG	This study
flank	No-motA	CGACAACATTAGCGGCACTGACTC	
50° C	Ni-motA	CGCTCTTGCGGCCGCTTGGAACGG GACATCATCCTTCCACTGTTGACC	This study
MotA _C	Co-motA	TCCCATTCGCCACCGGTCGAC	This study
flank		CACGCTGTCACCTCGGTTCGGCTG	
50° C	Ci-MotA	CCGTTCCAAGCGGCCGCAAGAGCG ATGTGCGTGCGGTGAAAAATCCGC	This study

Table S2. Primer pairs used in this study. Annealing temperatures used indicated in bold.

Table S3. Antibodies and stains used in this study.

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