# LncRNA SNHG11 Facilitates Tumour Metastasis by Interacting with and Stabilizing HIF-1α

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### **Supplementary Materials and Methods**

### **Cell culture**

Human CRC cell lines (HCT-116, LoVo and RKO) and HEK293T cells were purchased from the American Type Culture Collection (ATCC, USA). Cell lines were authenticated by STR profiling and confirmed to be mycoplasma-free. HCT-116 cells were cultured in McCoy's 5A medium, Lovo cells were cultured in Ham's F-12K medium, RKO cells were cultured in RPMI-1640 medium and HEK293T cells were cultured in DMEM medium at 37°C in 95% air and 5% CO<sub>2</sub>. All media were supplemented with 10% foetal bovine serum, 100 U/ml penicillin and 100 U/ml streptomycin. 10  $\mu$ M 5-Aza-2'-deoxycytidine (Sigma-Aldrich, MO, USA) was used to inhibit DNA methylation in CRC cells for indicated days. For hypoxia induction, cells were incubated in a hypoxic chamber with a gas mixture of 94% N<sub>2</sub>/5% CO<sub>2</sub>/1% O<sub>2</sub>. The cells were incubated for 24h under hypoxic conditions.

### Cell wound healing assay

RKO cells were seeded in 12-well plates and were cultured until they were 100% confluent. A scratch was created by scratching cell monolayers with a sterile 200  $\mu$ l plastic pipette tip. Cells were then incubated with or without CoCl<sub>2</sub> for 12 h. Images were captured by phase contrast microscopy.

### Migration and invasion assays

Migration and invasion assays were performed using a 24-well transwell chamber (Corning, NY, USA). Briefly, CRC cells ( $5 \times 10^4$  in 200 µl serum-free medium) were seeded into the upper chamber. The lower chamber was filled with medium containing 10% foetal bovine serum for 24 h with or without exposure to hypoxic conditions. Cells on the upper membrane surface were wiped off using a cotton swab. Migrated cells attached to the lower membrane surface were fixed with methanol and stained with crystal violet. For invasion assays, the upper chamber was precoated with Matrigel.

### Fluorescence in situ hybridization

CRC cells were seeded on sterile glass coverslips and incubated with  $CoCl_2$  for 24h. Then, the cells were fixed with 4% PFA for 10 min. Probes designed for ChIRP were used to detect SNHG11 and were incubated with cells for 1 h at 37°C. After brief washing with saline-sodium citrate, cells were incubated with an anti-HIF-1 $\alpha$  antibody (Proteintech, IL, USA). After secondary antibody incubation, tyramide signal amplification (Thermo Fisher Scientific, IL, USA) and DAPI staining, images were captured by confocal microscopy (Leica, Germany).

### **Co-immunoprecipitation**

Cells grown in dishes were exposed to hypoxic conditions for 24 h and then were treated with MG-132 (Selleck, Shanghai, China) for 12 h before being lysed in IP lysis buffer (25 mM Tris-HCl pH 7.4, 150 mM NaCl, 1 mM EDTA, 1% NP-40 and 5% glycerol) supplemented with RNase and proteinase inhibitors. Anti-IgG and anti-HIF-1 $\alpha$  were incubated with Protein A/G magnetic beads (Bimake, Shanghai, China) at room temperature for 30 min. Equal volumes of cell lysate supernatant were added to anti-IgG or the indicated antibody-labelled beads and incubated overnight at 4°C. The next day, beads were washed five times with NT2 buffer and then were boiled in SDS loading buffer.



## **Supplementary Figures**

**Supplementary Fig 1. DNA Methylation of SNHG11.** (A) CpG site methylation of 20 lncRNAs in TCGA COAD. (B) Distribution of lncRNAs in subcellular localization and expression level of lncRNA in the HeLa nuclear localization. (C) DNA methylation across SNHG11 locus from TCGA-COAD. Platform: Illumina Human Methylation 450. n=39 normal tissues and 294 CRC tissues in COAD, two-tailed Student's t-test. (D) DNA methylation across SNHG11 loci in CRC cells were obtained from CCLE database.



**Supplementary Fig 2. Characteristic features of SNHG11.** (A and B) 5' and 3' RACE assays of SNHG11. (C) Nuclear/cytoplasmic RNA fractionation analysis of the location of SNHG11 in HCT-116 cells. n=3 independent experiments, two-tailed Student's t-test. (D) Confocal microscopic images of SNHG11 in HCT-116 cells treated with hypoxia. (E) Coding Potential Assessment Tool (CPAT, http://lilab.research.bcm.edu/cpat/) and PhyloCSF to estimate the coding probability of SNHG11. \* p < 0.05, \*\* p < 0.01, and \*\*\* p < 0.001.



Supplementary Fig 3. SNHG11 facilitates the wound healing ability of CoCl<sub>2</sub>-treated CRC cells. (A) Overexpression and knockdown efficiency of SNHG11 in CRC cells. n=3 independent experiments, two-tailed Student's t-test. (B and C) Wound healing assays of CRC cells with indicated treatment. \* p < 0.05, \*\* p < 0.01, and \*\*\* p < 0.001.

Rank	Motif	P-value	log P-pvalue	% of Targets	% of Background	STD(Bg STD)	Best Match/Details	Motif File
1	GICCICTCACCC	1e-106	-2.459e+02	4.34%	0.45%	48.5bp (53.4bp)	NR2C2/MA0504.1/Jaspar(0.712) More Information   Similar Motifs Found	motif file (matrix)
2	<b>ACACGCGAAAACC</b>	1e-44	-1.020e+02	1.89%	0.21%	57.0bp (63.4bp)	IRF4(IRF)/GM12878-IRF4-ChIP-Seq(GSE32465)/Homer(0.687) More Information   Similar Motifs Found	motif file (matrix)
3	<b><u>ZCCCGTCTCCTC</u></b>	1e-33	-7.753e+01	1.29%	0.13%	52.2bp (55.3bp)	PAX5/MA0014.3/Jaspar(0.715) More Information   Similar Motifs Found	motif file (matrix)
4	<b>IGTCCIFCACCC</b>	1e-28	-6.624e+01	1.61%	0.27%	46.3bp (54.7bp)	SMAD2::SMAD3::SMAD4/MA0513.1/Jaspar(0.670) More Information   Similar Motifs Found	motif file (matrix)
5	<u>GFAÇAATGŞT</u>	1e-26	-6.000e+01	2.33%	0.61%	53.4bp (57.2bp)	SOX13/MA1120.1/Jaspar(0.819) More Information   Similar Motifs Found	motif file (matrix)
6	TGCACACAGTGG	1e-23	-5.410e+01	0.37%	0.01%	38.2bp (65.9bp)	Oct4:Sox17(POU,Homeobox,HMG)/F9-Sox17-ChIP-Seq(GSE44553)/Homer(0.710) More Information   Similar Motifs Found	motif file (matrix)
7	GGTGAGCGTGIC	1e-23	-5.410e+01	0.37%	0.01%	60.4bp (50.9bp)	Klf9(Zf)/GBM-Klf9-ChIP-Seq(GSE62211)/Homer(0.713) More Information   Similar Motifs Found	motif file (matrix)
8	AACTCTCCATCC	1e-18	-4.171e+01	0.67%	0.07%	45.0bp (48.7bp)	ZBTB12(Zf)/HEK293-ZBTB12.GFP-ChIP-Seq(GSE58341)/Homer(0.605) More Information   Similar Motifs Found	motif file (matrix)
9	<b>GTTTGGCGGTCT</b>	1e-16	-3.795e+01	0.37%	0.01%	52.0bp (57.3bp)	ZBTB7B/MA0694.1/Jaspar(0.646) More Information   Similar Motifs Found	motif file (matrix)
10	GGTGGICTAT	1e-14	-3.453e+01	1.86%	0.63%	56.4bp (57.8bp)	P80196.1_Zbtb7b_2/Jaspar(0.723) More Information   Similar Motifs Found	motif file (matrix)
11	<b>GCGGACCCGACT</b>	1e-13	-3.113e+01	0.47%	0.04%	52.1bp (57.5bp)	HINFP(Zf)/K562-HINFP.eGFP-ChIP-Seq(Encode)/Homer(0.731) More Information   Similar Motifs Found	motif file (matrix)
12	TGCGTG	1e-13	-3.080e+01	36.68%	31.15%	55.8bp (58.8bp)	Ahr::Arnt/MA0006.1/Jaspar(0.926) More Information   Similar Motifs Found	motif file (matrix)
13 *	TAACTSTIC	1e-11	-2.728e+01	1.04%	0.28%	58.1bp (58.7bp)	GRHL2/MA1105.1/Jaspar(0.558) More Information   Similar Motifs Found	motif file (matrix)
14 *	ACAGTCGTGC	1e-11	-2.629e+01	0.32%	0.02%	43.5bp (51.9bp)	PB0136.1_IRC900814_2/Jaspar(0.638) More Information   Similar Motifs Found	motif file (matrix)
15 *	ACAGGGACTGCA	1e-10	-2.508e+01	0.55%	0.08%	54.0bp (54.5bp)	Ddit3::Cebpa/MA0019.1/Jaspar(0.636) More Information   Similar Motifs Found	motif file (matrix)
16 *	<b>GTGGGTGGAG</b>	1e-10	-2.444e+01	1.14%	0.36%	44.7bp (51.9bp)	Sp5(Zf)/mES-Sp5.Flag-ChIP-Seq(GSE72989)/Homer(0.720) More Information   Similar Motifs Found	motif file (matrix)
17 *	<b>CCTCGTGGTT</b>	1e-10	-2.369e+01	0.25%	0.01%	53.0bp (42.7bp)	MAX::MYC/MA0059.1/Jaspar(0.740) More Information   Similar Motifs Found	motif file (matrix)
18 *	AFETEFTA	1e-9	-2.162e+01	3.23%	1.79%	55.9bp (61.5bp)	PH0048.1_Hoxa13/Jaspar(0.633) More Information   Similar Motifs Found	motif file (matrix)
19 *	CAGTGGGAACCT	1e-9	-2.147e+01	0.20%	0.01%	40.7bp (36.5bp)	RBPJ/MA1116.1/Jaspar(0.698) More Information   Similar Motifs Found	motif file (matrix)
20 *	ACGCTAAGAA	1e-9	-2.122e+01	0.15%	0.00%	69.4bp (0.0bp)	GATA6/MA1104.1/Jaspar(0.594) More Information   Similar Motifs Found	motif file (matrix)
21 *	CTTIAC	1e-8	-2.072e+01	35.10%	30.67%	56.4bp (57.4bp)	CDX4(Homeobox)/ZebrafishEmbryos-Cdx4.Myc-ChIP-Seq(GSE48254)/Homer(0.733) More Information   Similar Motifs Found	motif file (matrix)
22 *	GCGICCTT	1e-8	-2.040e+01	2.61%	1.38%	56.4bp (59.0bp)	SF1(NR)/H295R-Nr5a1-ChIP-Seq(GSE44220)/Homer(0.666) More Information   Similar Motifs Found	motif file (matrix)
23 *	AA <mark>qcagca</mark>	1e-8	-2.000e+01	4.29%	2.67%	53.8bp (55.3bp)	MafA(bZIP)/Islet-MafA-ChIP-Seq(GSE30298)/Homer(0.702) More Information   Similar Motifs Found	motif file (matrix)
24 *	ACCIGTETAC	1e-8	-1.921e+01	0.99%	0.34%	53.3bp (56.1bp)	Smad4/MA1153.1/Jaspar(0.747) More Information   Similar Motifs Found	motif file (matrix)
25 *	AZSEGA	1e-8	-1.854e+01	9.23%	6.87%	56.8bp (61.4bp)	PB0106.1_Arid5a_2/Jaspar(0.673) More Information   Similar Motifs Found	motif file (matrix)
26 *	TCAAASTGGC	1e-7	-1.748e+01	0.65%	0.18%	55.0bp (55.1bp)	YY1/MA0095.2/Jaspar(0.744) More Information   Similar Motifs Found	motif file (matrix)
27 *	<b>ÇGAAGAGAÇ</b> G	1e-7	-1.714e+01	0.15%	0.01%	52.9bp (4.7bp)	POL008.1_DCE_S_I/Jaspar(0.608) More Information   Similar Motifs Found	motif file (matrix)
28 *	TGACCTCCCTCA	1e-7	-1.714e+01	0.15%	0.01%	54.5bp (70.6bp)	COUP-TFII(NR)/Artia-Nr2f2-ChIP-Seq(GSE46497)/Homer(0.711) More Information   Similar Motifs Found	motif file (matrix)
29 *	TACAATCG	1e-7	-1.637e+01	1.09%	0.44%	51.6bp (56.5bp)	Sox6(HMG)/Myotubes-Sox6-ChIP-Seq(GSE32627)/Homer(0.768) More Information   Similar Motifs Found	motif file (matrix)
30 *	<u>GGCGGCTA</u>	1e-6	-1.411e+01	0.69%	0.23%	58.8bp (57.4bp)	MYB(HTH)/ERMYB-Myb-ChIPSeq(GSE22095)/Homer(0.688) More Information   Similar Motifs Found	motif file (matrix)
31 *	CCCACGGGGTCT	1e-5	-1.361e+01	0.12%	0.01%	60.4bp (18.4bp)	MYCN/MA0104.4/Jaspar(0.676) More Information   Similar Motifs Found	motif file (matrix)
32 *	ATAAIATATAT	1e-5	-1.361e+01	0.12%	0.00%	41.3bp (9.9bp)	PB0080.1_Tbp_1/Jaspar(0.701) More Information   Similar Motifs Found	motif file (matrix)
33 *	<b>ÇTTTGCCA</b>	1e-5	-1.306e+01	2.36%	1.41%	56.4bp (56.2bp)	NF1-halfsite(CTF)/LNCaP-NF1-ChIP-Seq(Unpublished)/Homer(0.777) More Information   Similar Motifs Found	motif file (matrix)
34 *	TTTTTT	1e-5	-1.300e+01	9.73%	7.72%	59.3bp (60.2bp)	ZNF384/MA1125.1/Jaspar(0.951) More Information   Similar Motifs Found	motif file (matrix)
35 *	CACTCATTCCTC	1e-5	-1.296e+01	0.10%	0.00%	57.1bp (53.4bp)	ZNF24/MA1124.1/Jaspar(0.681) More Information   Similar Motifs Found	motif file (matrix)
36 *	TCCGACAA	1e-5	-1.283e+01	0.60%	0.20%	46.6bp (59.8bp)	PB0032.1 IRC900814_1/Jaspar(0.736) More Information   Similar Motifs Found	motif file (matrix)
37 *	GCCASGGGAGCG	1e-5	-1.165e+01	0.12%	0.01%	47.2bp (34.7bp)	POL013.1_MED-1/Jaspar(0.660) More Information   Similar Motifs Found	motif file (matrix)
38 *	ACATÇÇ	1e-4	-1.008e+01	34.43%	31.52%	57.3bp (57.0bp)	NPAS2(bHLH)/Liver-NPAS2-ChIP-Seq(GSE39860)/Homer(0.727) More Information   Similar Motifs Found	motif file (matrix)
39 *	<b>CSAGTGSAGACA</b>	1e-4	-9.857e+00	0.25%	0.05%	50.5bp (47.9bp)	TP73/MA0861.1/Jaspar(0.640) More Information   Similar Motifs Found	motif file (matrix)
40 *	<b>GGTAGTATTAAG</b>	1e-3	-7.126e+00	0.07%	0.01%	53.1bp (40.7bp)	Arid5a/MA0602.1/Jaspar(0.692) More Information   Similar Motifs Found	motif file (matrix)

#### Homer de novo Motif Results of EVEN probes

**Supplementary Fig 4. Motif analysis of ChIRP-seq of SNHG11 by EVEN probes.** ChIRP-seq experiment were conducted in hypoxia-treated HCT-116 cells. HOMER findmotifsgenome program was used to find motifs.

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<u>ка</u>	nkli		1e-18	-4.239e+01	% of Targets	3.51%	56.0bp (62.9bp)	Slug(Zf)/Mesoderm-Snai2-ChIP-Seq(GSE61475)/Homer(0.791)	motif file (matrix)
-	+		1. 17	2.060++01	0.40%	0.01%	E 4 7hp (47 0hp)	More Information   Similar Motifs Found PB0181.1 Spdef 2/Jaspar(0.584)	matif Ela (matrix)
2	+		1e-17	-5.9698+01	0.49%	0.01%	54.70p (47.00p)	More Information   Similar Motifs Found NFAT5/MA0606.1/Jaspar(0.692)	motir nie (matrix)
3	-		1e-14	-3.409e+01	0.45%	0.02%	53.9bp (46.1bp)	More Information   Similar Motifs Found	motif file (matrix)
4	_	ALLLLAGIGLEL	1e-13	-3.116e+01	0.52%	0.03%	63.7bp (42.9bp)	More Information   Similar Motifs Found	motif file (matrix)
5		ACICIGUCCIGI	1e-13	-3.068e+01	4.90%	2.46%	55.4bp (61.8bp)	ZNF416(Zf)/HEK293-ZNF416.GFP-ChIP-Seq(GSE58341)/Homer(0.629) More Information   Similar Motifs Found	motif file (matrix)
6		ACCHICCACI	1e-13	-3.054e+01	1.53%	0.39%	62.1bp (56.5bp)	HINFP(Zf)/K562-HINFP.eGFP-ChIP-Seq(Encode)/Homer(0.558) More Information   Similar Motifs Found	motif file (matrix)
7		<u>CCCSSGCCCCCC</u>	1e-12	-2.904e+01	15.54%	11.08%	54.3bp (56.2bp)	PB0052.1_Plagl1_1/Jaspar(0.718) More Information   Similar Motifs Found	motif file (matrix)
8		<u>CTGTSAGEE</u>	1e-12	-2.873e+01	5.60%	3.03%	56.5bp (59.8bp)	POL009.1_DCE_S_II/Jaspar(0.740) More Information Similar Motifs Found	motif file (matrix)
9 •		<u>itçtçttçttç</u>	1e-11	-2.594e+01	2.36%	0.91%	55.1bp (56.2bp)	PB0065.1_Sox15_1/Jaspar(0.645) More Information   Similar Motifs Found	motif file (matrix)
10	*	<u>GAAGAAGCGT</u>	1e-11	-2.549e+01	2.23%	0.84%	48.9bp (57.1bp)	POL008.1_DCE_S_I/Jaspar(0.697) More Information   Similar Motifs Found	motif file (matrix)
11	*	CATITCAAAACCC	1e-10	-2.514e+01	1.98%	0.70%	56.0bp (55.9bp)	CHR(?)/Hela-CellCycle-Expression/Homer(0.767) More Information   Similar Motifs Found	motif file (matrix)
12	+	<b>GAGGAÇAATÇ</b>	1e-10	-2.482e+01	0.66%	0.08%	52.8bp (54.0bp)	Sox17/MA0078.1/Jaspar(0.723) More Information   Similar Motifs Found	motif file (matrix)
13	*	TATGATTIAA	1e-10	-2.458e+01	1.36%	0.37%	49.3bp (54.3bp)	PBX2(Homeobox)/K562-PBX2-ChIP-Seq(Encode)/Homer(0.725) More Information   Similar Motifs Found	motif file (matrix)
14	*	CATTTCCEAA	1e-10	-2.439e+01	0.28%	0.01%	51.3bp (15.5bp)	CEBPD/MA0836.1/Jaspar(0.736) More Information   Similar Motifs Found	motif file (matrix)
15	*	CCCGGTGGCACG	1e-10	-2.439e+01	0.28%	0.01%	50.9bp (61.2bp)	HIC1(Zf)/Treg-ZBTB29-ChIP-Seq(GSE99889)/Homer(0.691)	motif file (matrix)
16	*	CCCCAGAGCTGT	1e-10	-2.364e+01	1.15%	0.29%	59.3bp (61.1bp)	Myf5(bHLH)/GM-Myf5-ChIP-Seq(GSE24852)/Homer(0.610)	motif file (matrix)
17	*	TATTACTGGT	1e-10	-2.344e+01	0.21%	0.00%	73.9bp (43.0bp)	PB0195.1_Zbtb3_2/Jaspar(0.632)	motif file (matrix)
18	*	ΔΤΛΟΟΟΤΑΘΛΟΟ	1e-10	-2.344e+01	0.21%	0.00%	48.9bp (22.8bp)	More Information   Similar Motifs Found Smad4/MA1153.1/Jaspar(0.616)	motif file (matrix)
19	*	GATGGATTGG	1e-10	-2 339e+01	0.24%	0.00%	57 1hp (5 4hp)	More Information   Similar Motifs Found HOXA1(Homeobox)/mES-Hoxa1-ChIP-Seq(SRP084292)/Homer(0.750)	motif file (matrix)
20	*	CTCCACCACC	10-8	-1.967e+01	12 17%	8 91%	53.8bp (60.0bp)	More Information   Similar Motifs Found PB0196.1_Zbtb7b_2/Jaspar(0.652)	motif file (matrix)
20		CCCCATACACTC	10.0	1.0220+01	0.21%	0.01%	53.000 (00.000)	More Information Similar Motifs Found PB0091.1_Zbtb3_1/Jaspar(0.596)	motif file (matrix)
21		A ACTCACCTCTA	ie-o	1.9350+01	0.2170	0.01%	57.40p (33.70p)	More Information Similar Motifs Found PB0117.1 Eomes 2/Jaspar(0.613)	mour nie (matrix)
22		CTCCTCCCTTCC	le-8	-1.885e+01	0.17%	0.00%	56.20p (10.60p)	More Information   Similar Motifs Found POL013.1 MED-1/Jaspar(0.703)	motif file (matrix)
23	_		1e-7	-1.783e+01	0.28%	0.02%	58.8bp (56.8bp)	Nore Information   Similar Motifs Found	motif file (matrix)
24	*		1e-7	-1.781e+01	0.94%	0.26%	52.4bp (54.1bp)	More Information   Similar Motifs Found	motif file (matrix)
25	*		1e-7	-1.631e+01	0.31%	0.03%	49.6bp (55.2bp)	More Information   Similar Motifs Found	motif file (matrix)
26	*	<u>AGGGACCCCACA</u>	1e-6	-1.591e+01	0.24%	0.01%	57.4bp (46.2bp)	PB0025.1_Glis2_1/Jaspar(0.711) More Information   Similar Motifs Found	motif file (matrix)
27	*	IGCIGGAG	1e-6	-1.561e+01	19.19%	15.62%	55.9bp (61.9bp)	ZNF415(Zf)/HEK293-ZNF415.GFP-ChIP-Seq(GSE58341)/Homer(0.764) More Information   Similar Motifs Found	motif file (matrix)
28	*	AGICICATAG	1e-6	-1.543e+01	0.17%	0.01%	34.4bp (21.9bp)	PB0203.1_Zfp691_2/Jaspar(0.604) More Information   Similar Motifs Found	motif file (matrix)
29	*	<u>GGCTGGTCAA</u>	1e-6	-1.489e+01	0.24%	0.02%	48.8bp (52.9bp)	Bcl11a(Zf)/HSPC-BCL11A-ChIP-Seq(GSE104676)/Homer(0.677) More Information   Similar Motifs Found	motif file (matrix)
30	*	<u>AÇŞZGAAGCCCA</u>	1e-6	-1.486e+01	0.90%	0.28%	43.5bp (57.3bp)	POL008.1_DCE_S_l/Jaspar(0.650) More Information   Similar Motifs Found	motif file (matrix)
31	*	<u>GCACG AC</u>	1e-6	-1.457e+01	2.99%	1.68%	52.4bp (58.0bp)	HIF2a(bHLH)/785_O-HIF2a-ChIP-Seq(GSE34871)/Homer(0.807) More Information   Similar Motifs Found	motif file (matrix)
32	*	TTTGTT <mark>acct</mark> gt	1e-6	-1.443e+01	0.14%	0.00%	50.0bp (67.9bp)	PB0119.1_Foxa2_2/Jaspar(0.667) More Information   Similar Motifs Found	motif file (matrix)
33	*	CAATSSACGIST	1e-6	-1.443e+01	0.14%	0.00%	60.0bp (0.0bp)	SOX13/MA1120.1/Jaspar(0.641) More Information   Similar Motifs Found	motif file (matrix)
34	*	GCAGAGGCCATA	1e-6	-1.399e+01	0.21%	0.01%	52.0bp (50.7bp)	RXR(NR),DR1/3T3L1-RXR-ChIP-Seq(GSE13511)/Homer(0.655) More Information   Similar Motifs Found	motif file (matrix)
35	*	GTGTCCGATG	1e-5	-1.208e+01	0.21%	0.02%	52.9bp (31.9bp)	PB0115.1_Ehf_2/Jaspar(0.605) More Information   Similar Motifs Found	motif file (matrix)
36	*	CCCGTGIE	1e-5	-1.197e+01	9.11%	6.94%	55.7bp (58.6bp)	Hes1/MA1099.1/Jaspar(0.806) More Information J. Similar Motifs Found	motif file (matrix)
37	*	GTCAAGGA	1e-4	-1.039e+01	1.18%	0.54%	61.7bp (62.3bp)	RAR:RXR(NR),DR5/ES-RAR-ChIP-Seq(GSE56893)/Homer(0.774)	motif file (matrix)
38	*	TAGAACACTC	1e-4	-1.024e+01	0.10%	0.00%	32.0bp (15.6bp)	PB0194.1_Zbtb12_2/Jaspar(0.757)	motif file (matrix)
39	*	CTCTCACTATCT	1e-4	-1.024e+01	0.10%	0.00%	47.4bp (0.0bp)	PRDM12ft/Hela-PRDM1-ChIP-Seq(GSE31477)/Homer(0.658)	motif file (matrix)
40	*	ACGACCAC	1e-4	-9.844e+00	0.70%	0.25%	53.0bp (52.8bp)	PB0131.1_Gmeb1_2/Jaspar(0.736)	motif file (matrix)
41	*	╘¥╪╤ <mark>┙⋊⋶</mark> ¥ Δ╔┇╽╔┍	16-3	-8.050++00	49.06%	45 87%	55 4bp (59 6bm)	More Internation   Similar Motifs Found PB0152.1_Nkx3-1_2/Jaspar(0.708)	motif file (matrix)
		GACCCA	10.3	6 4120 - 00	19 71%	17 58%	56 3ha (63 0L-1	More Information   Similar Motifs Found ZNF711(Zf)/SHSY5Y-ZNF711-ChIP-Seq(GSE20673)/Homer(0.744)	motif file (metric)
42		FN2225	1- 2	-0.4150+00	15./1%	12.649	50.50p (62.00p)	More Information   Similar Motifs Found MZF1/MA0056.1/Jaspar(0.755)	motir nie (matrix)
43	-	TEESE	1e-2	-5.64/e+00	15.40%	13.04%	157.10p (54.2bp)	More Information   Similar Motifs Found ZBTB12(Zft/HEK293-ZBTB12 GEP-ChiP-Sen(CSE58341)/Homer(0.659)	motif file (matrix)
44	*	HYUU IVVHUHUU	1e-2	-4.990e+00	0.07%	0.01%	54.0bp (68.5bp)	More Information   Similar Motifs Found	motif file (matrix)

### Homer de novo Motif Results of ODD probes

**Supplementary Fig 5. Motif analysis of ChIRP-seq of SNHG11 by ODD probes.** ChIRP-seq experiment were conducted in hypoxia-treated HCT-116 cells. HOMER findmotifsgenome program was used to find motifs.



Supplementary Fig 6. SNHG11 interacts with HIF-1 $\alpha$  in CRC cells. (A) SNHG11 correlated genes (R>0.3 or R<-0.3) in COAD enrich HIF-1 pathway. (B) GSEA analysis by correlations of genes with SNHG11 in TCGA-COAD. (C) Co-localization of SNHG11 and HIF-1 $\alpha$  in CRC cells treated with hypoxia. (D) Overexpression efficiency of fragment-C-deleted SNHG11 in CRC cells. n=3 independent experiments, two-tailed Student's t-test. (E) Cell migration and invasion assays of CRC cells overexpressing fragment-C-deleted SNHG11 under hypoxia. (F and G) Deletion mapping to identify the HIF-1 $\alpha$  binding domain. Western blotting to detect the immunoprecipitation efficiency of Flag-tagged full length or truncated HIF-1 $\alpha$  in RIP assay. \* p < 0.05, \*\* p < 0.01, and \*\*\* p < 0.001.



**Supplementary Fig 7. SNHG11 stabilizes HIF-1***a* in CRC cells. (A) Overexpression and knockdown efficiency of SNHG11 in RKO cells. n=3 independent experiments, two-tailed Student's t-test. (B) Knockdown efficiency of SNHG11 in CRC cells transfected with siSNHG11. n=3 independent experiments, two-tailed Student's t-test. (C) Expression of HIF-1*a* in CRC cells under hypoxia with indicated treatments. (D) Expression of SNHG11 and HIF-1*a* was analysed by qPCR in control and SNHG11 overexpressing CRC cells treated with hypoxia. (E) The HIF-1*a* and VHL expression level was analysed by western blotting in CRC cells overexpressing SNHG11 and exposed to hypoxia. (F) Relative expression level of HIF-1*a* related to Figure 4F was measured by integrated density value using ImageJ and normalized by the time point 0 min. \* p < 0.05, \*\* p < 0.01, and \*\*\* p < 0.001.



Supplementary Fig 8. Downstream targets of SNHG11/HIF-1 $\alpha$  are involved in migration and invasion of CRC cells under hypoxia. (A) knockdown efficiency of SNHG11 in CRC cells treated with hypoxia. n=3 independent experiments, two-tailed Student's t-test. (B) Cell migration and invasion assays of hypoxia-treated HCT-116 and LoVo cells transfected with siNC or indicated siRNAs. \* p < 0.05, \*\* p < 0.01, and \*\*\* p < 0.001.



Supplementary Fig 9. SNHG11/HIF-1 $\alpha$  may exert function in other cancers. (A) SNHG11 upregulates in several cancers based on TCGA data. (B) SNHG11 co-related genes (R>0.3 or R<-0.3) enrich HIF-1 signaling pathway in READ, PRAD, KIRP, KIRC and BRCA.

# **Supplementary Tables**

## Supplementary Table 1. Association between SNHG11 expression

Clinical Variables	Low	SNHG11	High SNHG11		Total	Unknown	Р
	Case	(%)	Case No.	(%)	No.	No.	
	No.						
Age					78	0	0.233
<60	23	46.0	9	32.1			
≥60	27	54.0	19	67.9			
Gender							
Male	37	74.0	18	64.3	78	0	0.367
Female	13	26.0	10	35.7			
Tumor Volume							
≤5 cm	32	64.0	20	71.4	78	0	0.504
>5 cm	18	36.0	8	28.6			
Cancer Embolus							
Absent	36	72.0	15	53.6	78	0	0.101
Present	14	28.0	13	46.4			
Histologic Grade							
G1/G2	17	37.0	10	38.5	72	6	0.899
G3	29	63.0	16	61.5			
Metastasis							
Negative	30	60.0	7	40.0	78	0	0.003
Positive	20	40.0	21	75.0			
Relapse Metastasis							
Negative	35	70.0	9	32.1	78	0	0.001
Positive	15	30.0	19	67.9			

## and clinicopathological variables of the studied CRC patients

The bold P values are considered statistically significant

# Supplementary Table 2. Sequences of primers for RNA pull down

# experiments

Identifier	Sequences (5'-3')
SHNG11-T7-F	GATCACTAATACGACTCACTATAGGGAGAGAGCGTCTTGTGGCTG
SHNG11-R	GTTTCAAGATTTATTGAGTGGG
SNHG11-F	GAGAGAGCGTCTTGTGGCTG
SNHG11-T7-R	GATCACTAATACGACTCACTATAGGGTTTCAAGATTTATTGAGTGGG
SHNG11-FL-F	GATCACTAATACGACTCACTATAGGGAGAGAGCGTCTTGTGGCTG
SNHG11-301-R	AGGCCCGCCAGTCTCTTTCC
SNHG11-301-F	GATCACTAATACGACTCACTATAGGGGAAAGAGACTGGCGGGCCT
SNHG11-601-R	GGTCATTGTCCTGAGAGGCT
SNHG11-601-F	GATCACTAATACGACTCACTATAGGAGCCTCTCAGGACAATGACC
SHNG11-FL-R	GTTTCAAGATTTATTGAGTGGG

Identifier	Sequences (5'-3')
ODD-1	TCATTGACTCATCCGGAGCG
EVEN-1	GAGGACACGCGAAACCCGAG
ODD-2	AACCAGCAAAGCCATCCAAG
EVEN-2	TCTGCACACAGTGGACTATC
ODD-3	TTTCCTCTAACAGTTTCCAG
EVEN-3	CCCCAAACAATCATGAGGAG
ODD-4	TTGTGCTGAGACAATAGGGG
EVEN-4	CTTCAACTCTGGATCCCAAG
ODD-5	CCTGGCCTAGATGGAAGAAA
EVEN-5	AGTGGGTGAGAGGACAATGG

**Supplementary Table 3. Sequences of ChIRP probes** 

# Supplementary Table 5. Sequences of qPCR primers to detect RNA

Identifier	Forward Primer	Reverse Primer
β-actin	TTGTTACAGGAAGTCCCTTGCC	ATGCTATCACCTCCCCTGTGTG
SNHG11	TGGAAACTGTTAGAGGAAAC	CTCTTGGTCTGTGATCAACC
HIF-1a	CTCGGCGAAGTAAAGAATCT	TGCTTTCATGTCATCTTCAA
U2	ATCGCTTCTCGGCCTTTTGG	AGGTCGATGCGTGGAGTGGA
AK4	TCGCCCAGAACTTTGGTCTC	TCTCACCAACTTCGGTGCTG
ENO1	GGGGAAGGGTGTCTCAAAGG	AGTTTCTTGCTAACCAGGGCA
HK2	CATCCAGAGGAGAGGGGGACT	TCATCGCCTTCCACCATGTC
TWIST1	TCTCGGTCTGGAGGATGGAG	AATGACATCTAGGTCTCCGGC

# expression

Identifier	Sequences (5'-3')		
SNHG11_GSP2ex	GCAGCACCCTGATCTGCACTCCCTGAG		
SNHG11_GSP1ex	GGAGCTGGGACCCCAGGTCATTGTC		
SNHG11_GSP2	ACTCCCTGAGGGGGCTCCCACTGTCC		
SNHG11_GSP1	GCCTGCACCTCTTGGGGTTTCCTCT		

Supplementary Table 6. Sequences of primers in RACE

Identifier	Sequences (5'-3')
siHIF-1α-1	GAAGGAACCUGAUGCUUUA
siHIF-1a-2	CUGAUGACCAGCAACUUGA
siHIF-1a-3	CAAUCAAGAAGUUGCAUUA
siSNHG11-1	GGAGTGGTCTTCCCAAGAA
siSNHG11-2	CCTCTCACCCACTCAATAA
siAK4	GGACTTCAATCCACCTCAT
siENO1	GGGTGTCTCAAAGGCTGTT
siHK2	GGAGATGGAGAAAGGGCTT
siTwist1	GCAAGATTCAGACCCTCAA

Supplementary Table 7. Sequences of siRNAs used in this study

Identifier	Sequences (5'-3')
SNHG11_F	AAGCAGTGGTATCAACGCAG
SNHG11_R	GTTTCAAGATTTATTGAGTGGG
SNHG11-MS2-F	CACCGCGGGATCCGCTCTGAGAGAGCGTCTTGTGGCTG
SNHG11-MS2-R	CCGGTACCCCACTAGTCTCTGTTTCAAGATTTATTGAGTGGG
HIF-1α-FL-F	TGACGATGACAAGGAATTCATGGAGGGCGCCGGCGGC
HIF-1α-FL-R	GCTCGAGCCCGGGGGATCCTCAGTTAACTTGATCCAAAGC
HIF-1α-A-F	TGACGATGACAAGGAATTCATGGAGGGCGCCGGCGGC
HIF-1α-A-R	GCTCGAGCCCGGGGGGATCCTCACAAGTCGTGCTGAATAATAC
HIF-1α-B-F	TGACGATGACAAGGAATTCGTCACCACAGGACAGTACAG
HIF-1α-B-R	GCTCGAGCCCGGGGGGATCCTCAGGTGGCAGTGGTAGTGGTGG
HIF-1α-C-F	TGACGATGACAAGGAATTCGAGATGTTAGCTCCCTATATCC
HIF-1α-C-R	GCTCGAGCCCGGGGGGATCCTCAGTTAACTTGATCCAAAGCTCTG
HIF-1α-D-F	TGACGATGACAAGGAATTCGTCACCACAGGACAGTACAG
HIF-1α-D-R	GCTCGAGCCCGGGGGGATCCTCAACTAGGTGTCTGATCCTGAA
HIF-1a-E-F	TGACGATGACAAGGAATTCAGTCCTTCCGATGGAAGCAC
HIF-1α-E-R	GCTCGAGCCCGGGGGGATCCTCATGTAACTGTGCTTTGAGGAC
HIF-1α-DMut-F1	TGACGATGACAAGGAATTCATGGAGGGCGCCGGCGGCGC
HIF-1α-DMut-R1	GTAATTTTTCATTCACACATACAATGC
HIF-1a-DMut-F2	ATGTGTGAATGAAAAATTACAGAATAT
HIF-1a-DMut-R2	GCTCGAGCCCGGGGGATCCTCAGTTAACTTGATCCAAAGC
shSNHG11-1-F	CACCGAGGAGTGGTCTTCCCAAGAATCAAGTTCTTGGGAAGACCACTCCTCTTTTT
shSNHG11-1-R	AAACAAAAAAGAGGAGTGGTCTTCCCAAGAACTTGATTCTTGGGAAGACCACTCCTC
shSNHG11-2-F	CACCGCAGATGACAGCTCTCCCTTTCAAGAAGGGAGAGCTGTCATCTGCTTTTT
shSNHG11-2-R	AAACAAAAAAGCAGATGACAGCTCTCCCTTCTTGAAAGGGAGAGCTGTCATCTGC

# Supplementary Table 8. Sequences of primers used in this study

Identifier	Catalog Number	Company
GAPDH	60004-1-Ig	Proteintech
alpha Tubulin	66031-1-Ig	Proteintech
VHL	16538-1-AP	Proteintech
HIF1A	14179	Cell Signaling
FLAG M2	F1804	Sigma
β-actin	60008-1-Ig	Proteintech
PHD1	12984-1-AP	Proteintech
PHD2	20368-1-AP	Proteintech
PHD3	18325-1-AP	Proteintech
LAMIN A/C	10298-1-AP	Proteintech
UBIQUITIN	10201-2-AP	Proteintech
Goat anti-Mouse IgG (H+L), HRP conjugate	SA00001-1	Proteintech
Goat anti-Rabbit IgG (H+L), HRP conjugate	SA00001-2	Proteintech
VeriBlot for IP secondary antibody	ab131366	Abcam

Supplementary Table 9. Antibodies used in this study