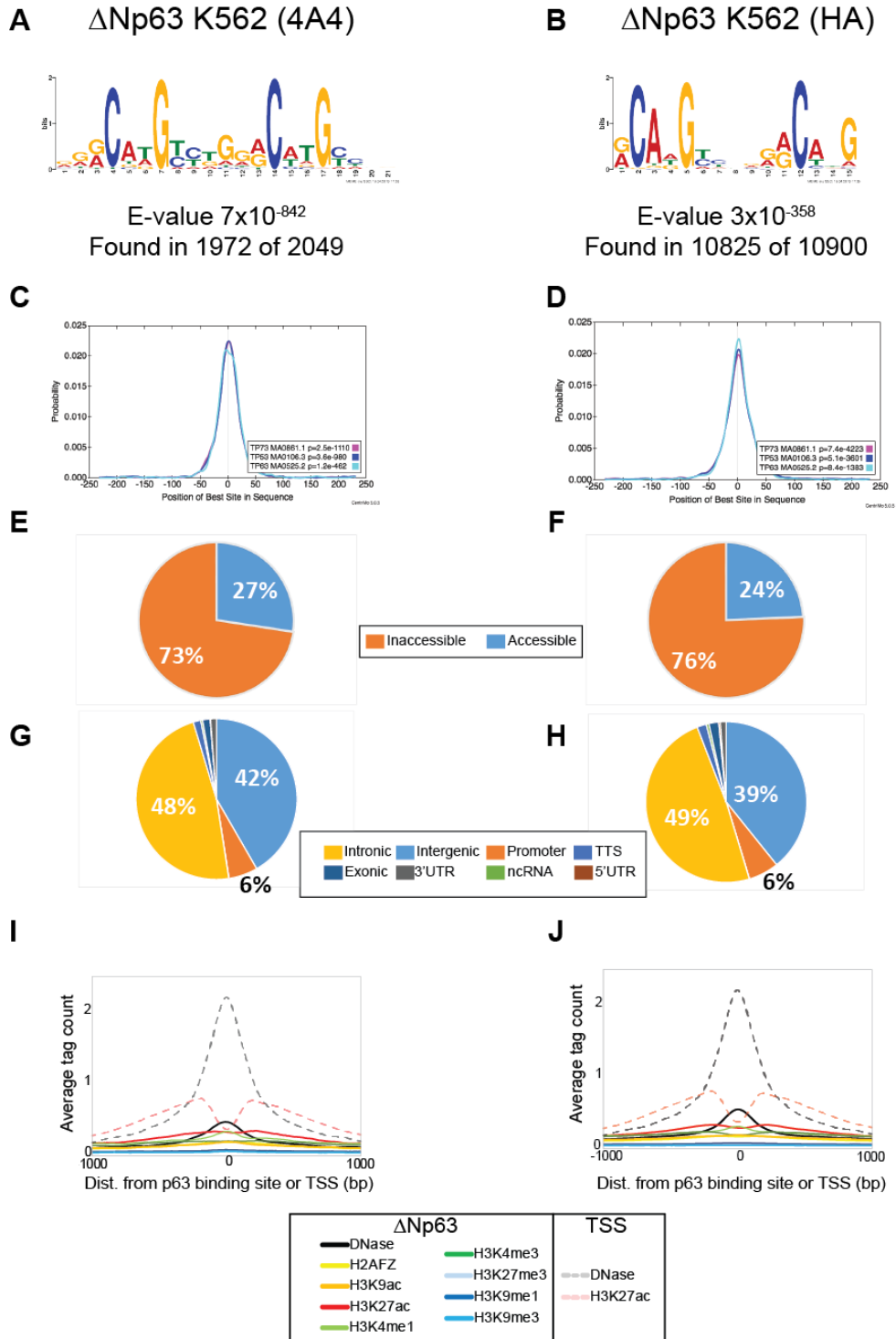


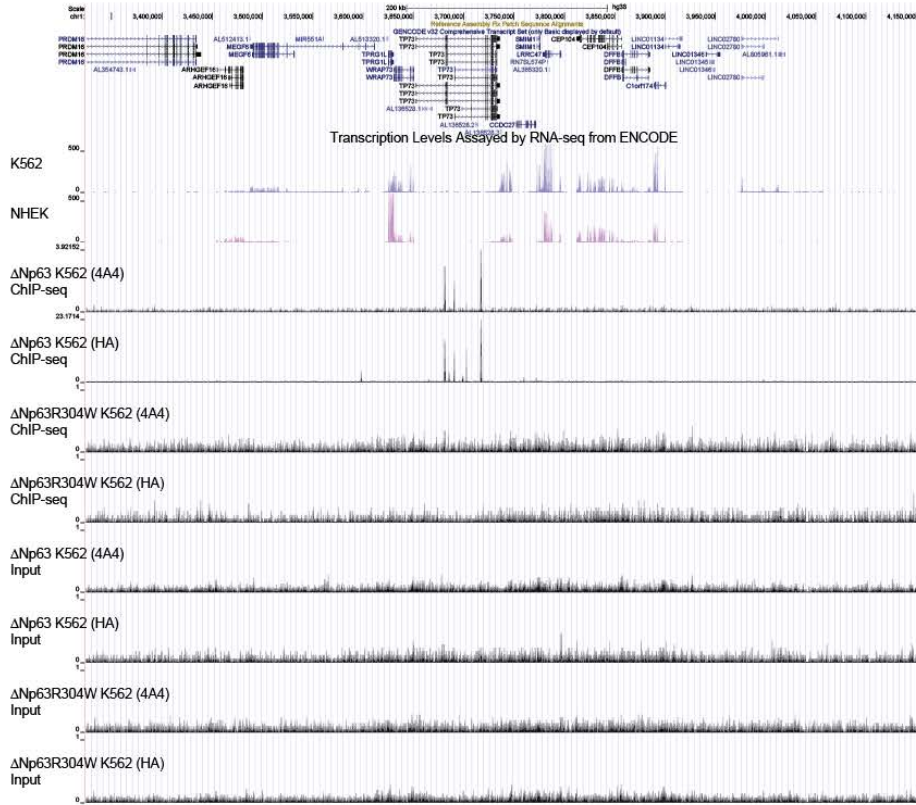
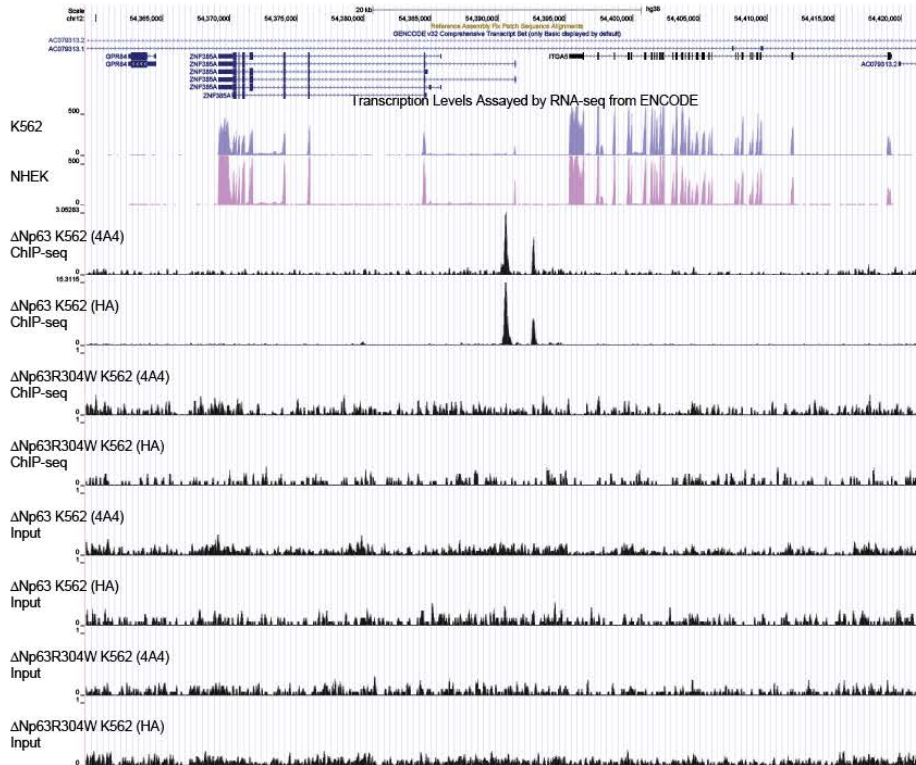
**Figure S1. Western blot analysis confirmed the expression of  $\Delta$ Np63 in K562.**

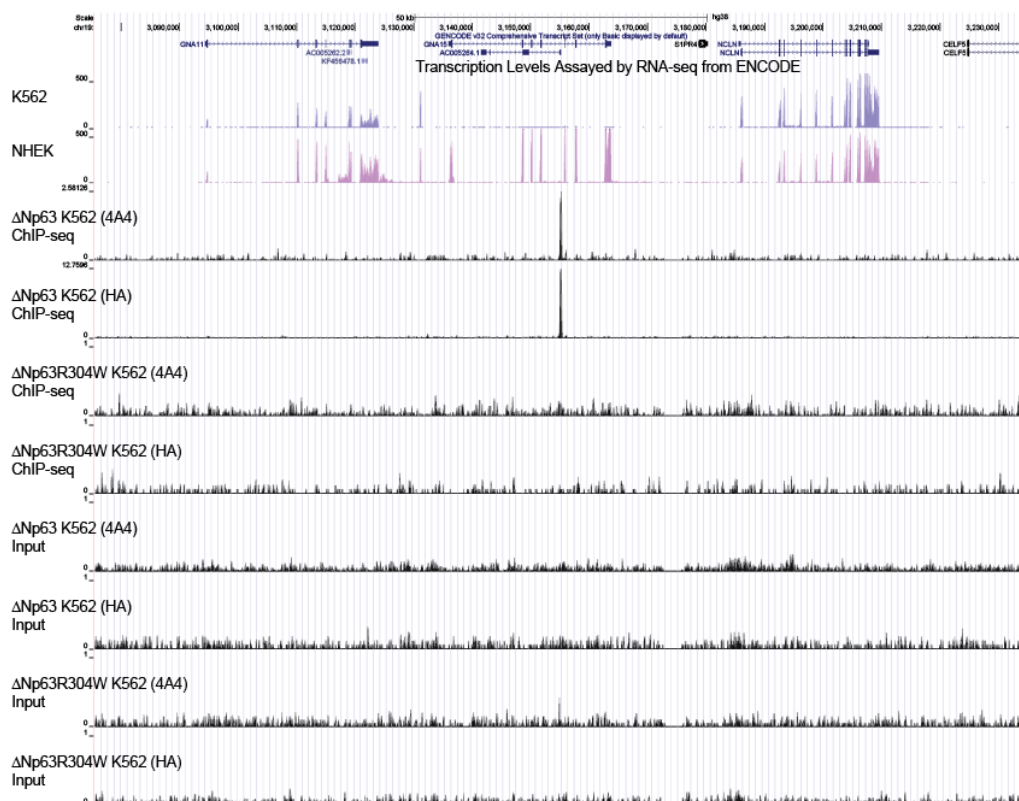
(A)  $\Delta$ Np63 $\alpha$  expression was induced in K562 with 300ng/ml of doxycycline (DOX). A253 is an epithelial cell line originally expressing  $\Delta$ Np63, which was used as positive control here. (B)  $\Delta$ Np63(R304W) expression after Dox induction in K562.



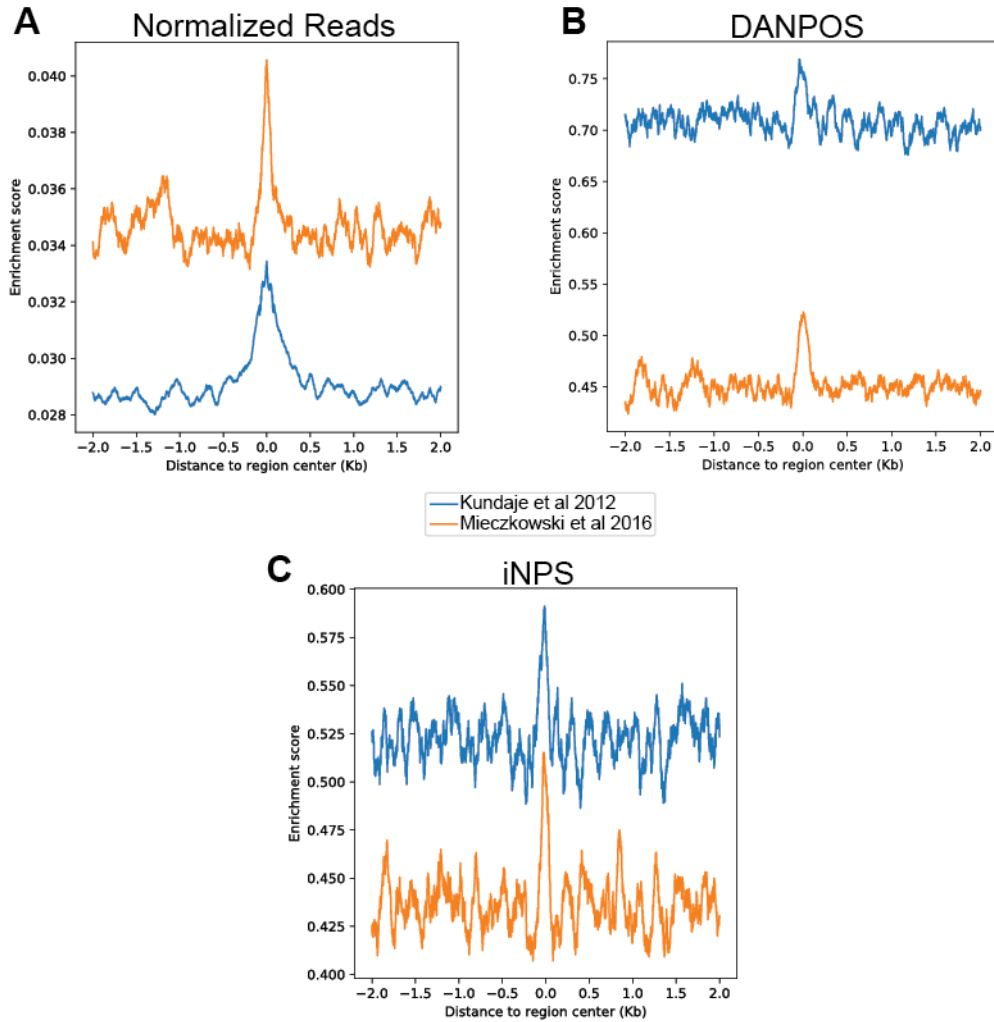
**Figure S2. Replicate  $\Delta$ Np63 ChIP-seq experiments.**

(A-B) MEME analysis for  $\Delta$ Np63 ChIP-seq replicates 1 and 2 [4]. (C-D) CentriMo analysis showing the center enrichment for three p53 family members' motif (p53, p63, p73) for  $\Delta$ Np63 ChIP-seq replicates 1 and 2 [7]. (E-F) Chromatin accessibility  $\Delta$ Np63 bound sites for each replicate in K562. Accessibility is defined from the synthesis track of DNase and FAIRE from ENCODE (GEO GSE40833 GSM1002657) [8]. (G-H) Genomic annotation for  $\Delta$ Np63 bound sites for each replicate in K562. (I-J) Average chromatin architecture in K562 at  $\Delta$ Np63 ChIP-seq summits for each replicate experiment compared to 72291 transcriptional start site (TSS). Data is plotted for 2 kb flanking the summit or TSS.

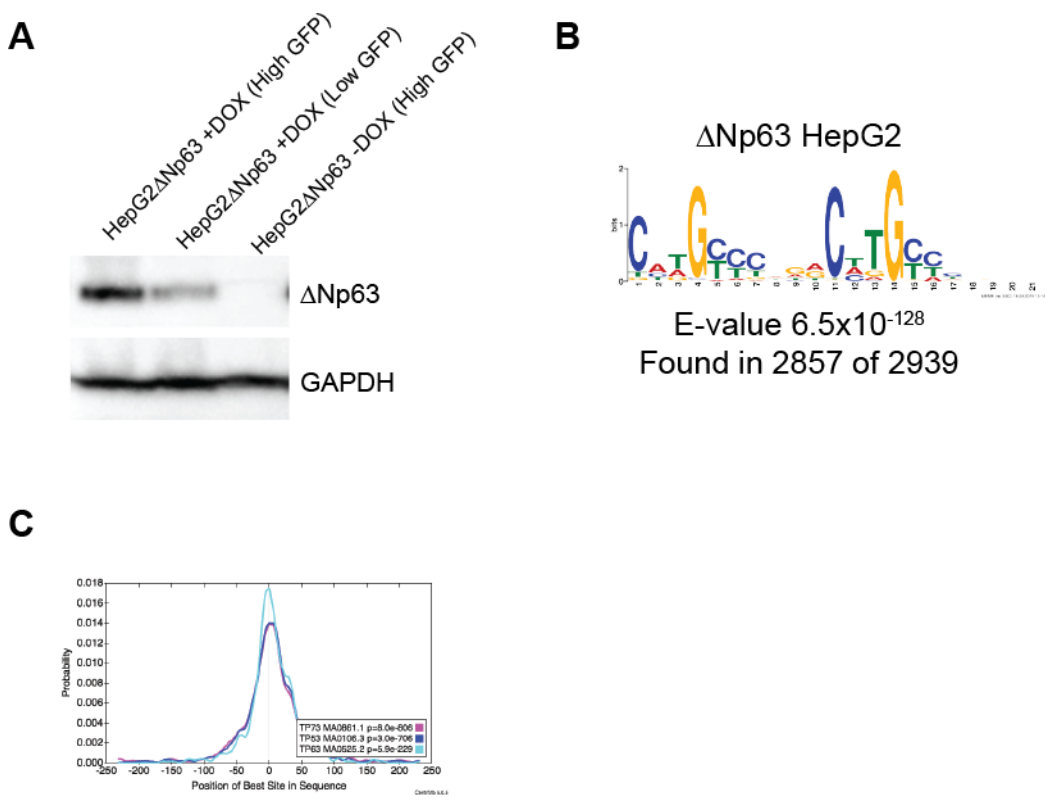
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**Figure S3. Browser screen shots showing ChIP-seq experiments.** Replicate ChIP-seq experiments using antibodies 4A4 and HA for  $\Delta$ Np63 $\alpha$  and  $\Delta$ Np63(R304W) with their accompanying inputs. Transcription levels from ENCODE polyadenylated RNA-seq is shown for K562 and NHEK cell lines.

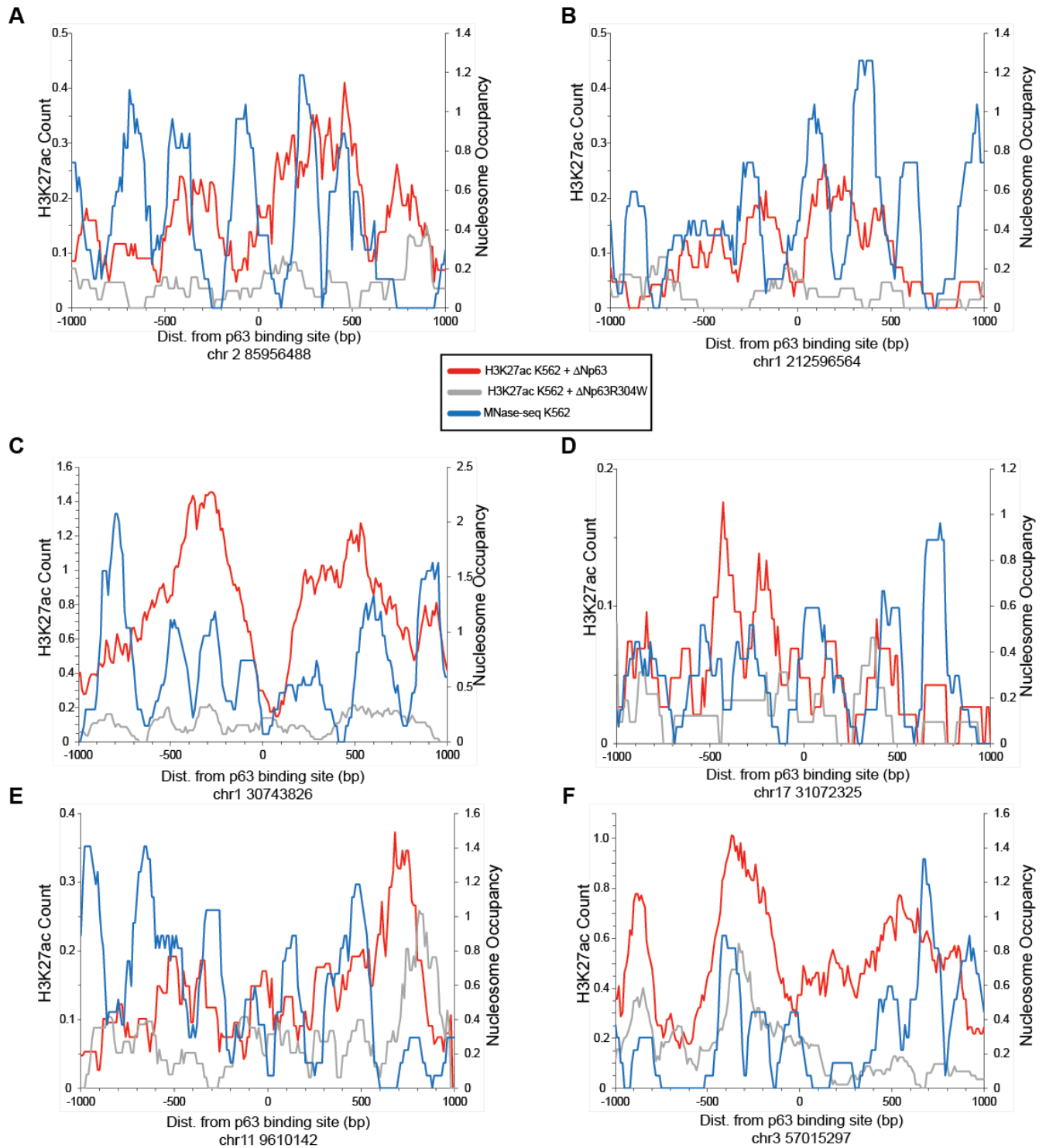


**Figure S4. Nucleosomes are enriched at  $\Delta Np63\alpha$  binding sites in K562.** Two K562 datasets from the NucMap database from Kundaje et al 2012 and Mieczkowski 2016 are shown [1-3]. **(A)** Normalized reads, **(B)** called nucleosomes with DANPOS [5], and **(C)** called nucleosomes with iNPS [6].

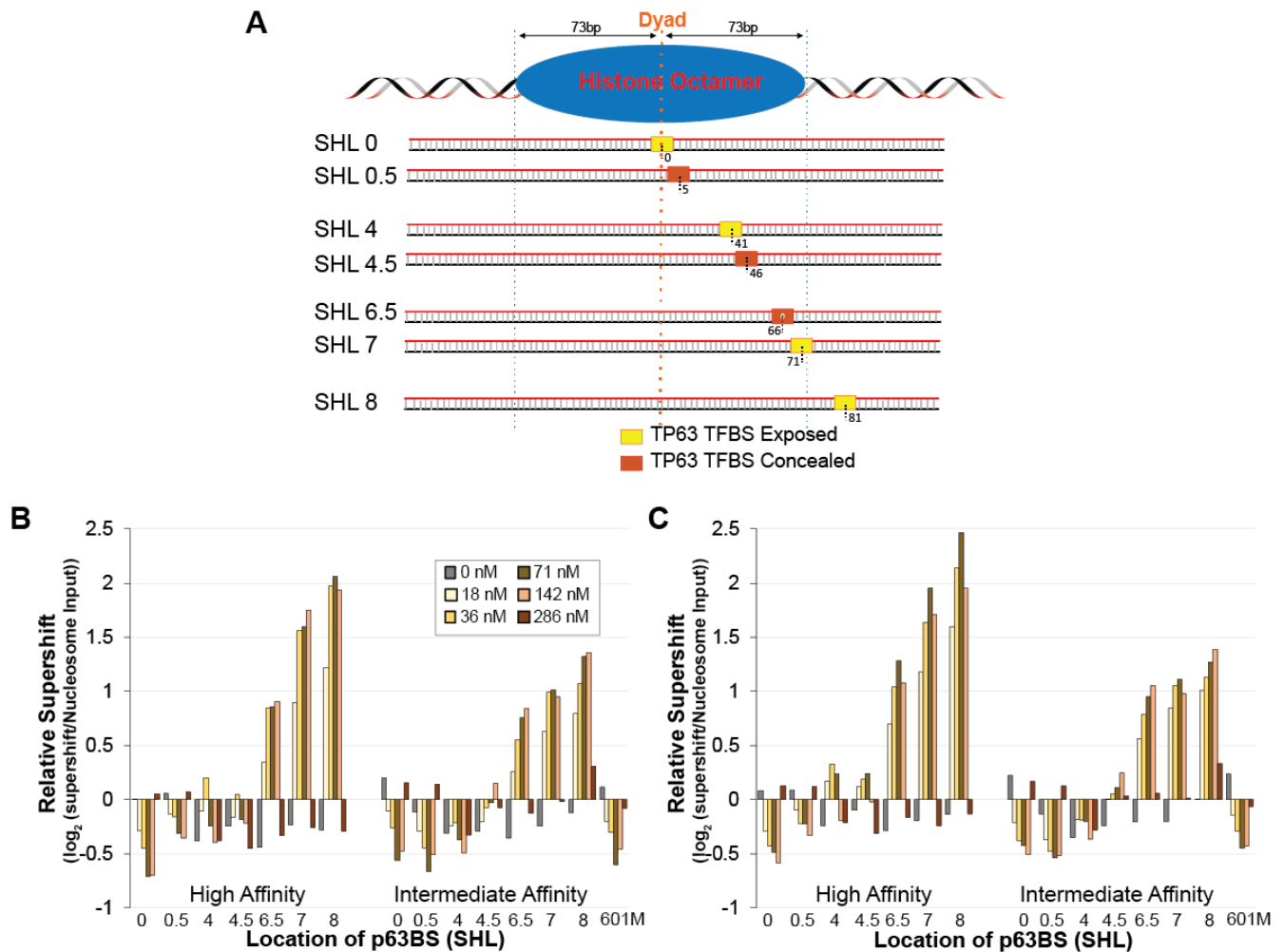


**Figure S5. Ectopic expression of p63 protein in HepG2.**

(A) Western blot analysis of  $\Delta$ Np63 $\alpha$  expression induced in HepG2 cells with 300ng/ml of doxycycline (DOX). (B) MEME analysis of  $\Delta$ Np63 ChIP-seq from HepG2 [4]. (C) CentriMo analysis showing the center enrichment for three p53 family members' motif (p53, p63, p73) for HepG2  $\Delta$ Np63 ChIP-seq [7].



**Figure S7. Nucleosome occupancy and H3K27ac at  $\Delta$ Np63 binding sites.** (A-F) H3K27ac at two p63BS. Average H3K27ac from two replicate experiments for K562 +  $\Delta$ Np63 and K562 +  $\Delta$ Np63(R304W). Nucleosome occupancy as determined from MNase-seq from non-p63 expressing K562 [3].



**Figure S8. Relative supershift values from the supershifted bands (Ss).**

**(A)** 217-bp dsDNA library was designed containing p63BS in various nucleosomal positions. A 20-bp-long p63BS (low- and high-affinity) was placed at different positions with 0-bp, 5-bp, 41-bp, 46-bp, 66-bp, 71-bp, 81-bp away from the dyad. The superhelix location (SHL) is designated for each nucleosome sequence. **(B-C)** Lanes contain the following: 1– 0.25 pmol nucleosomes, 2-5 contain 0.25 pmol of nucleosomes with 18, 36, 71, 142, or 286 nM of p63 (0.125, 0.25, 0.5, 1, or 2 pmol).



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