Fig. S1:



Figure S1: Acidosis induced proinflammatory cytokines. **a.** TNF and IL8 transcript expression in T84 IEC following exposure to pH 7.4 and 6.0 HBSS+ for 6 h (n=4). **b.** KC transcript expression in C57BI/6 murine colonoids following exposure to pH 7.4 and 6.0 HBSS+ for 6 h (n=4). **c.** FosB, NR4A1, and Dusp1 transcript expression in T84 IEC following a 30 min exposure to pH 6.0 or 7.4 HBSS+ followed by 6 h exposure to 7.4 HBSS+ (n=3). **d.** Representative western blot of phospho-CREB and pan-CREB in T84 IEC pretreated with 10 μ m MEK_i at pH 7.4 or exposed to pH 6.0 for 10, 30, and 60 min. **e.** Densitometry analysis and representative western blot of phospho-CREB and pan-CREB and pan-CREB in murine colonoids pretreated with 10 μ m MEK_i following exposure to pH 6.0 media for 30 min (n=4). **f.** FosB transcription expression in C57BI/6 murine colonoids pretreated with 10 μ m MSK_i or MEK_i following 30 min exposure to pH 6.0 media (n=4). Data from each experiment was pooled and expressed as mean ± SEM and the *p*-value determined by T-test, *p<0.01.

Fig. S2:



Figure S2: Acidosis signaling through $G\alpha_i$ associated surface receptors. **a.** Western blot of phosphorylated and pan-CREB in T84 IEC treated with 10 µm MSK_i, TRPV1_i, TRPV5_i, or 100 µm TRPV6_i following 30 min exposure to pH 6.0. **b and c.** IL8 (**b**) and TNF (**c**) transcriptional expression in T84 IEC treated with 1 µg/ml PT following 6 h exposure to pH 6.0 (n=4). **d.** Densitometry analysis and representative western blot of phosphorylated and pan-CREB in shCont and MSK1 KD T84 IEC treated with 10 µm $G\alpha_i$ activator following 30 min exposure to pH 6.0 media (n=4). **e. and f.** IL8 (**e**) and TNF (**f**) transcriptional expression in vector control and GPR31 KD T84 IEC following 30 min exposure to pH 6.0 media (n=4). Data from each experiment was pooled and expressed as mean ± SEM and the *p*-value determined by T-test, *p<0.01.

Fig. S3:



Figure S3: Design and optimization of an acidic pH reporter *E. coli* strain for *in vivo* use. a.

Genetic diagram of constitutive pH sensor plasmids (constitutive promoter sites in red, optimal SO_4387 and SO_4388_{REC} -PsdR_{DBD} promoter names in parentheses). **b-c.** Fluorescence signal at pH 6 and pH 8 for constitutive promoter sets evaluated in first (**b**) and second (**c**) rounds of promoter optimization, with corresponding fold changes.

Fig. S4:



Figure S4: Flow cytometer analysis of sfGFP expression in pH reporter K12 *E. coli* **a.** Flow analysis of sfGFP intensity in WT and pH reporter K12 *E. coli* exposed to Hanks+ at pH 7.4, 7.0, 6.5, 6.0, and 5.5. **b.** Dose response curve of sfGFP intensity with line of best fit.

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Fig. S5:



Figure S5: Correlation between acidosis-associated gene expression and mucosal acidity. a-c. Correlation plots comparing sfGFP intensity of pH reporting K12 *E. coli* collected from the mid and distal ileum of WT and TNF Δ ARE mice and transcriptional expression of FosB (**a**), NR4A1 (**b**), and DUSP1 (**c**) (n=4 and 8 for WT and TNF Δ ARE mice, respectively). **d-e.** Transcriptional expression of KC (**d**) and TNF (**e**) in tissue collected from the mid and distal ileum of WT and TNF Δ ARE mice (n=4 and 8 for WT and TNF Δ ARE mice, respectively). **f-g.** Correlation plots comparing sfGFP intensity of pH reporting *E. coli* collected from the mid and distal ileum of WT and TNF Δ ARE mice and transcriptional expression of KC (**f**) and TNF (**g**) (n=4 and 8 for WT and TNF Δ ARE mice, respectively). Data from each experiment was pooled and expressed as mean ± SD and the *p*-value determined by T-test, *p<0.01.





Figure S6: Correlation between acidosis-associated gene expression and KC. a-d. Transcriptional expression of FosB (**a**), Dusp1 (**b**), NR4A1 (**c**), and KC (**d**) in tissue collected from the distal colon of mice treated with 2% DSS and water controls (n=8). **e-g.** Correlation plots comparing transcription al expression of KC and transcriptional expression of FosB (**e**), Dusp1 (**f**), and NR4A1 (**g**) (n=8). Data from each experiment was pooled and expressed as mean ± SD and the *p*-value determined by T-test, *p<0.01.