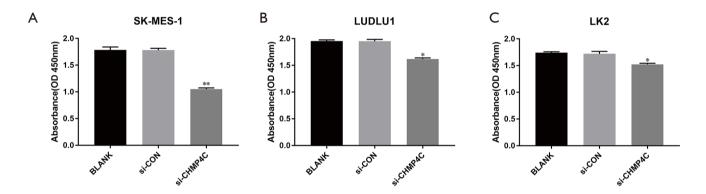
## **Supplementary**

Table S1 Correlations between CHMP4C and clinicopathological characteristics

CHMP4C expression			
Characteristics	low, no. cases	high, no. cases	P value
Age (years)			
≤70	119	121	0.864
>70	74	71	
Gender			
Female	50	49	1
Male	143	143	
Tumor stage			
I/II	166	146	0.018
III/IV	27	46	



**Figure S1** Cell proliferation in LUSC cells measured using Cell Proliferation ELISA BrdU colorimetric assay. (a-c) Histograms of cell proliferation assays for SK-MES-1, LUDLU1 and LK3 cells transfected with si-NC, si-CHMP4C for 48h, respectively. Significant differences are indicated as follows: \*P<0.05, \*\*P<0.01, and \*\*\*P<0.001.

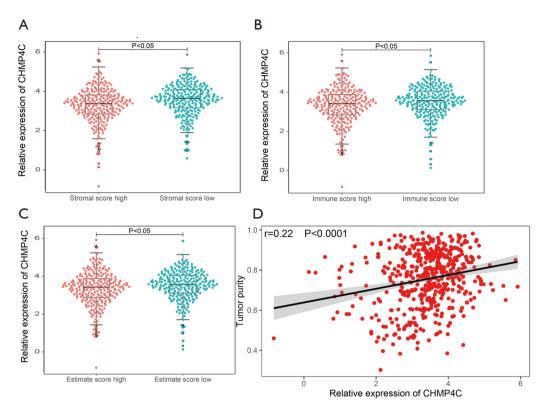


Figure S2 CHMP4C expression is elevated in LUSC samples from TCGA database. (a-c) Analysis of CHMP4C mRNA levels (log2) in different stromal score, immune score and estimate score (low, high) of LUSC tissues from TCGA database (P<0.05). (d) The positive correlation between CHMP4C mRNA expression level (log2) and tumor purity in TCGA database (R=0.22, P<0.0001).