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- The exact sample size (n) for each experimental group/condition, given as a discrete number and unit of measurement
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- The statistical test(s) used AND whether they are one- or two-sided
Only common tests should be described solely by name; describe more complex techniques in the Methods section.
- A description of all covariates tested
- A description of any assumptions or corrections, such as tests of normality and adjustment for multiple comparisons
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- For null hypothesis testing, the test statistic (e.g. F , t , r) with confidence intervals, effect sizes, degrees of freedom and P value noted
Give P values as exact values whenever suitable.
- For Bayesian analysis, information on the choice of priors and Markov chain Monte Carlo settings
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- Estimates of effect sizes (e.g. Cohen's d , Pearson's r), indicating how they were calculated

Our web collection on [statistics for biologists](#) contains articles on many of the points above.

Software and code

Policy information about [availability of computer code](#)

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| Data collection | No software was used in data collection |
| Data analysis | <pre>Trim Galore!: 0.4.1 fetchChromSizes: 332 bowtie: 1.1.2 bedtools: 2.26.0 samtools: 1.9 bedGraphToBigWig : 332 bedSort: 332 MACS2: 2.1.1.20160309 cor (stats): 3.6.0 ggplot2: 3.3.1 HOMER: 4.10.3 clusterProfiler: 3.18.0 Salmon: 1.2.1 IsoformSwitchAnalyzeR: 3.12 CPAT SignalP: 5.0 Pfam: 2.41.1 NetSurfP2.0</pre> |

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- Accession codes, unique identifiers, or web links for publicly available datasets
- A list of figures that have associated raw data
- A description of any restrictions on data availability

The ChIP-seq and RNA-seq data sets are deposited in the Gene Expression Omnibus (GEO) repository with the following accession number: GSE168190
<https://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/geo/query/acc.cgi?acc=GSE168190>

Field-specific reporting

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Life sciences study design

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| Sample size | We estimated sample sizes on the basis of our previous experience with epigenomic and transcriptomic assays on mouse samples. |
| Data exclusions | For WT ChIP-seq samples, only the two replicates with the highest number of peaks for each PBS, low-dose LPS, and high-dose LPS conditions (total of 6 replicates) were utilized, in order to maintain consistency with RNA-seq replicate numbers. No RNA-seq data was excluded and no mutant ChIP-seq data was excluded. |
| Replication | Replication was successful |
| Randomization | No randomization was required as there were no covariates. |
| Blinding | Investigators were not blinded to the genotype or LPS-dosage, as blinding was not relevant to our statistical methods. There were no subjective analyses included. |

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Materials & experimental systems

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Methods

| n/a | Involvement in the study |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ChIP-seq |
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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> MRI-based neuroimaging |

Antibodies

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| Antibodies used | anti-H3K27ac, abcam, cat: ab4729, lot: GR312651-2 |
| Validation | All the validation documents are available on the manufacturer's websites. We did not conduct further validation. |

Animals and other organisms

Policy information about [studies involving animals](#); [ARRIVE guidelines](#) recommended for reporting animal research

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| Laboratory animals | 8-12 week old male C57/BL6 mice |
| Wild animals | The study did not involve wild animals |
| Field-collected samples | The study did not involve field collected samples |
| Ethics oversight | Virginia Tech's Institutional Animal Care and Use Committee (IACUC) |

Note that full information on the approval of the study protocol must also be provided in the manuscript.

ChIP-seq

Data deposition

- Confirm that both raw and final processed data have been deposited in a public database such as [GEO](#).
- Confirm that you have deposited or provided access to graph files (e.g. BED files) for the called peaks.

Data access links
May remain private before publication.

Files in database submission

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Genome browser session
 (e.g. [UCSC](#))

Not available

Methodology

Replicates

For each genotype and assay type, BMDMs were isolated from ~6-7 mice (i.e. ~6-7 WT for ChIP-seq, ~6-7 each of WT, TRAM-KO, and IRAK-M for RNA-seq) and pooled, before splitting into three cell culture plates to be stimulated with PBS, low-dose LPS, or High-dose LPS. Two or more technical replicates per plate were assayed and sequenced, with good correlation between technical replicates.

Sequencing depth

WT-PBS-1: Total Reads: 13.8 million, Uniquely Mapped: 12.0 million, Read Length: 50nt, Single End
 WT-PBS-2: Total Reads: 15.9 million, Uniquely Mapped: 14.0 million, Read Length: 50nt, Single End
 WT-Low-1: Total Reads: 21.4 million, Uniquely Mapped: 18.2 million, Read Length: 50nt, Single End
 WT-Low-2: Total Reads: 19.4 million, Uniquely Mapped: 16.8 million, Read Length: 50nt, Single End
 WT-High-1: Total Reads: 19.4 million, Uniquely Mapped: 16.2 million, Read Length: 50nt, Single End
 WT-High-2: Total Reads: 21.0 million, Uniquely Mapped: 18.1 million, Read Length: 50nt, Single End
 WT-PBS_input: Total Reads: 15.0 million, Uniquely Mapped: 12.4 million, Read Length: 50nt, Single End
 WT-Low_input: Total Reads: 15.6 million, Uniquely Mapped: 12.9 million, Read Length: 50nt, Single End
 WT-High_input: Total Reads: 15.3 million, Uniquely Mapped: 12.2 million, Read Length: 50nt, Single End

KO-TRAM-PBS-1: Total Reads: 36.1 million, Uniquely Mapped: 25.9 million, Read Length: 50nt, Single End
 KO-TRAM-PBS-2: Total Reads: 34.4 million, Uniquely Mapped: 23.5 million, Read Length: 50nt, Single End
 KO-TRAM-Low-1: Total Reads: 15.6 million, Uniquely Mapped: 10.5 million, Read Length: 50nt, Single End
 KO-TRAM-Low-2: Total Reads: 25.3 million, Uniquely Mapped: 17.9 million, Read Length: 50nt, Single End
 KO-TRAM-High-1: Total Reads: 20.2 million, Uniquely Mapped: 13.7 million, Read Length: 50nt, Single End
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 KO-TRAM-PBS_input: Total Reads: 18.3 million, Uniquely Mapped: 15.2 million, Read Length: 50nt, Single End
 KO-TRAM-Low_input: Total Reads: 14.5 million, Uniquely Mapped: 12.0 million, Read Length: 50nt, Single End
 KO-TRAM-High_input: Total Reads: 16.6 million, Uniquely Mapped: 13.8 million, Read Length: 50nt, Single End

KO-IRAKM-PBS-1: Total Reads: 17.8 million, Uniquely Mapped: 11.1 million, Read Length: 50nt, Single End
 KO-IRAKM-PBS-2: Total Reads: 22.7 million, Uniquely Mapped: 13.8 million, Read Length: 50nt, Single End
 KO-IRAKM-Low-1: Total Reads: 16.9 million, Uniquely Mapped: 11.2 million, Read Length: 50nt, Single End
 KO-IRAKM-Low-2: Total Reads: 37.5 million, Uniquely Mapped: 25.0 million, Read Length: 50nt, Single End
 KO-IRAKM-High-1: Total Reads: 48.4 million, Uniquely Mapped: 33.2 million, Read Length: 50nt, Single End
 KO-IRAKM-High-2: Total Reads: 28.1 million, Uniquely Mapped: 19.7 million, Read Length: 50nt, Single End
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 KO-IRAKM-Low_input: Total Reads: 32.4 million, Uniquely Mapped: 26.3 million, Read Length: 50nt, Single End
 KO-IRAKM-High_input: Total Reads: 37.1 million, Uniquely Mapped: 30.3 million, Read Length: 50nt, Single End

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| Antibodies | anti-H3K27ac, abcam, cat: ab4729, lot: GR312651-2; APC/Cy7 anti-mouse/humanC D11b antibody (BioLegend, cat: 101226); FITC anti-mouse Ly-6C antibody (BioLegend, cat: 128006); AF647 anti-mouse S100A8 antibody (NOVUS, cat: NBP2-27067AF647). |
| Peak calling parameters | Read mapping (mm10): bowtie -t -p 16 -S /path/to/mm10/index ChIPorInput.fastq -S ChIPorInput.sam Peak calling: macs2 callpeak -t ChIP.bed -c Input.bed -f BED -g mm -n SampleName -q 0.05 |
| Data quality | WT-PBS-1: 25,727 WT-PBS-2: 31,536 WT-Low-1: 25,820 WT-Low-2: 22,316 WT-High-1: 15,348 WT-High-2: 18,204 KO-TRAM-PBS-1: 22,255 KO-TRAM-PBS-2: 29,432 KO-TRAM-Low-1: 34,552 KO-TRAM-Low-2: 28,274 KO-TRAM-High-1: 41,880 KO-TRAM-High-2: 45,166 KO-IRAKM-PBS-1: 22,651 KO-IRAKM-PBS-2: 34,861 KO-IRAKM-Low-1: 28,487 KO-IRAKM-Low-2: 27,880 KO-IRAKM-High-1: 38,542 KO-IRAKM-High-2: 20,557 |
| Software | Trim Galore!: 0.4.1 fetchChromSizes: 332 bowtie: 1.1.2 bedtools: 2.26.0 samtools: 1.9 bedGraphToBigWig : 332 bedSort: 332 MACS2: 2.1.1.20160309 cor (stats): 3.6.0 ggplot2: 3.3.1 HOMER: 4.10.3 clusterProfiler: 3.18.0 Salmon: 1.2.1 IsoformSwitchAnalyzer: 3.12 CPAT SignalP: 5.0 Pfam (HMMER): 2.41.1 NetSurfP2.0 |

Flow Cytometry

Plots

Confirm that:

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- The axis scales are clearly visible. Include numbers along axes only for bottom left plot of group (a 'group' is an analysis of identical markers).
- All plots are contour plots with outliers or pseudocolor plots.
- A numerical value for number of cells or percentage (with statistics) is provided.

Methodology

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| Sample preparation | Crude BM cells were isolated from the mice and cultured as previously published. After treatment, the cells were harvested, rinsed with PBS and filtered through a 70 μ m strainer to prepare single cell suspension. The cells were incubated with anti-CD16/-CD32 antibodies (BD Biosciences, no. 553141) to block Fc-receptors. For detecting surface phenotype, the cells were stained with anti-CD11b and anti-Ly6C antibodies, and PI was added before flow cytometry. For detecting S100A8 expression, the cells were fixed, permeabilized, stained with anti-S100Ab antibody, and then analyzed by flow cytometry. |
| Instrument | FACSCantoII |
| Software | FlowJo v10 |
| Cell population abundance | The frequencies of cells are stated in the representative images and quantifications. |

Gating strategy

The cells were gated by FSC and PI. Dead cells were discriminated, and live cells were analyzed for the surface expression of CD11b and Ly6C.

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