## SUPPLEMENTARY FIGURES



Figure S1. Monomeric state of DHHC20 in a lipid-rich environment. (A) Sedimentation velocity experiments of the detergent solubilized DHHC20. The absorbance and interference c(s) distributions were analyzed in GUSSI. The integration of the major species results in a species at 6.77 ± 0.02 S with a molar mass of 170 ± 30 kDa, of which 80 ± 13 kDa represents the protein. (B) FSEC profiles for mVneus-DHHC fusion protein purified in DDM or lipid-rich conditions. (C) Determination of kinetic parameters for the autopalmitoylation of hDHHC20 purified in DDM (black square) or lipid-rich conditions (red circle), with Km=0.72±0.1  $\mu$ M (kcat=17.4±1 min<sup>-1</sup>) and Km=1.0±1  $\mu$ M (kcat=14.3±0.8 min<sup>-1</sup>), respectively. (D) IC<sub>50</sub> curve for the inhibition of hDHHC20 purified in lipid-rich conditions by 2-bromopalmitate (2-BP). IC<sub>50</sub> value (4.5 uM) were determined by fitting a three-parameter dose–response curve (GraphPad Prism); n 3; error bars, S.D.



**Figure S2. Unit cell of the hDHHS20-PCoA crystal**. (A) The unit cell contains two hDHHC molecules (cartoons); a complete palmitoyl-CoA (sticks) can be discerned bound to molecule 1. (B) Polar contacts between the headgroup of palmitoyl-CoA and molecule 1. (C) Polar contacts between the headgroup of palmitoyl-CoA and molecule 2. A phosphate ion ( $P_i$ ) from the buffer binds in close proximity to the terminal phosphate group of PCoA, and is coordinate by residues in molecule 1.



**Figure S3.** Superposition of the 2-BP complex of hDHHC20 (9) with the crystal structure of hDHHS20-PCoA complex. The 2-BP structure is shown in light grey and the hDHHS20-PCoA structure ios shown in yellow. The zinc ions are shown as grey spheres.



**Figure S4.** Molecular dynamics simulation of hDHHC20 with bound palmitoyl-CoA. The figure shows a snapshot of one of the molecular systems considered in the all-atom simulations reported in this study, viewed along the membrane plane (*upper panel*) and from the cytoplasmic space (*lower panel*). This system consists of wild-type hDHHC20 (*gray cartoon*) with bound Zn<sup>2+</sup> (*red spheres*); a palmitoyl-CoA molecule (*sticks*); a POPC lipid bilayer (*lines*); and a solution containing 100 mM NaCl plus counterions neutralizing the total system charge (green/magenta/purple). All boundaries are periodic.



**Figure S5.** Acyl-CoA chain–length selectivity of mutants of residues that contact PCoA headgroup. As determined by the autoacylation assay. The x axis shows the carbon-chain lengths of different acyl-CoA donors, and the y axis shows normalized activity (initial velocity) of wild-type or mutant versions of hDHHC20. Each data set is individually normalized to 1 for the activity with regard to palmitoyl-CoA.

## Table S1. Data collection and refinement statistics.

## DHHS\_160CoA

| Wavelength                  |   |
|-----------------------------|---|
| Resolution range            | 67.53 - 2.88 (2.983<br>- 2.88)          |
| Space group                 | P 1 21 1                                |
| Unit cell                   | 53.529 114.61<br>83.596 90 91.234<br>90 |
| Total reflections           | 160670 (16119)                          |
| Unique<br>reflections       | 22872 (1798)                            |
| Multiplicity                | 6.9 (7.0)                               |
| Completeness<br>(%)         | 96.90 (78.10)                           |
| Mean I/sigma(I)             | 7.81 (0.59)                             |
| Wilson B-factor             | 92.26                                   |
| R-merge                     | 0.1685 (3.203)                          |
| R-meas                      | 0.1823 (3.461)                          |
| R-pim                       | 0.06881 (1.302)                         |
| CC1/2                       | 0.991 (0.503)                           |
| CC*                         | 0.998 (0.818)                           |
| Reflections used            | 22196 (1797)                            |
| Reflections used for R-free | 1974 (165)                              |
| R-work                      | 0.2783 (0.5536)                         |
| R-free                      | 0.3283 (0.6430)                         |
| CC(work)                    | 0.906 (0.748)                           |
| CC(free)                    | 0.881 (0.435)                           |
| Number of non               | 4702                                    |
| hydrogen atoms              |   |

|                              | 4583   |
|------------------------------|--------|
| macromolecules               |        |
| ligands                      | 105    |
| solvent                      | 14     |
| Protein residues             | 586    |
| RMS(bonds)                   | 0.003  |
| RMS(angles)                  | 0.56   |
| Ramachandran<br>favored (%)  | 97.38  |
| Ramachandran<br>allowed (%)  | 2.62   |
| Ramachandran<br>outliers (%) | 0.00   |
| Rotamer outliers<br>(%)      | 0.45   |
| Clashscore                   | 1.92   |
| Average B-factor             | 129.99 |
| Ū                            | 129.76 |
| macromolecules               |        |
| ligands                      | 142.11 |
| solvent                      | 112.28 |

Statistics for the highest-resolution shell are shown in parentheses.

**Table S1**. Data collection and refinement statistics for the crystal structure of human DHHS20with palmitoyl CoA