

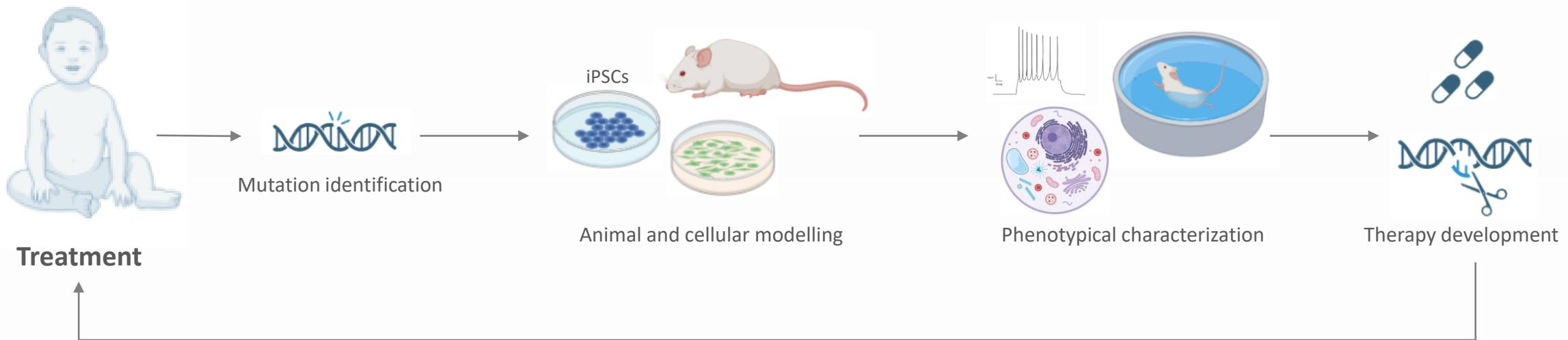
Cell consequences of loss of function of the epigenetic factor EHMT1

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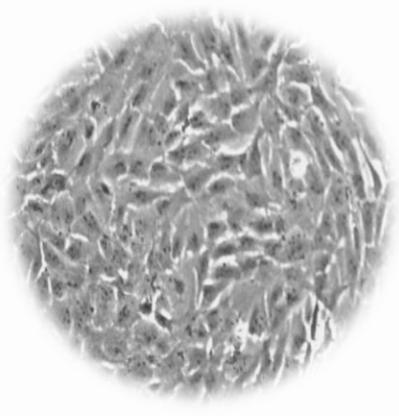
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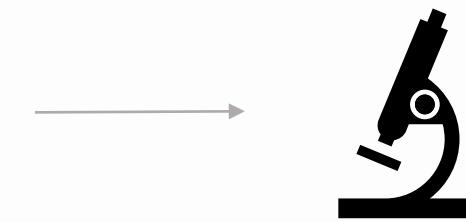
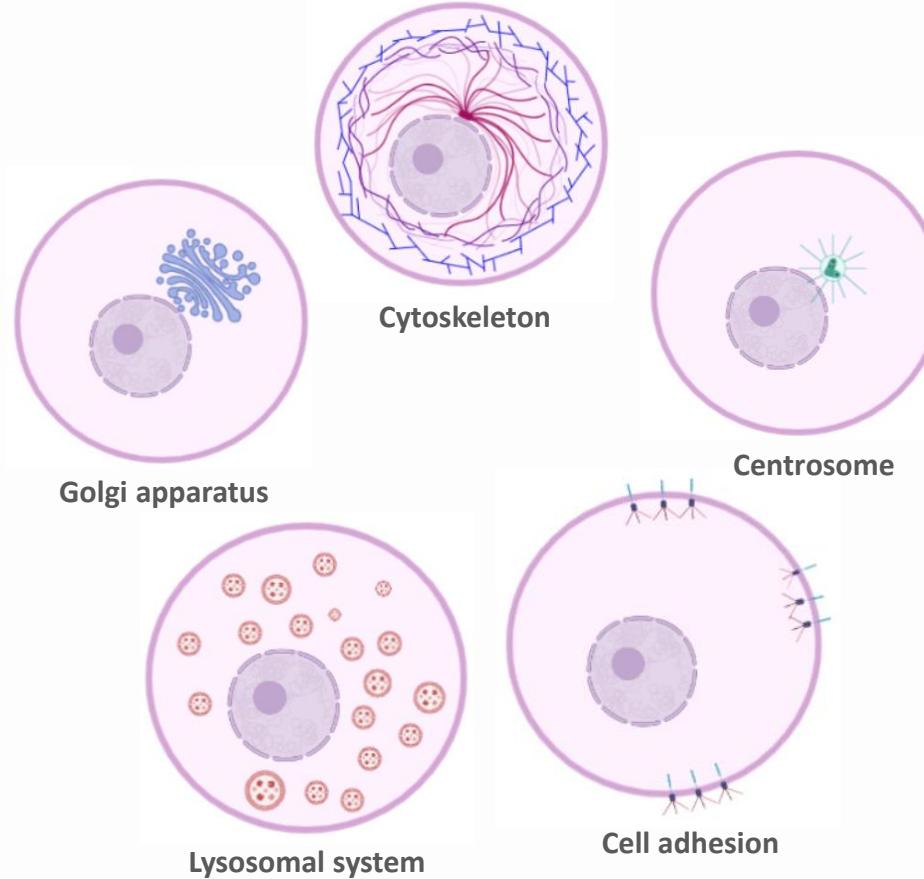
Studying EHMT1 function



RPE1 cells

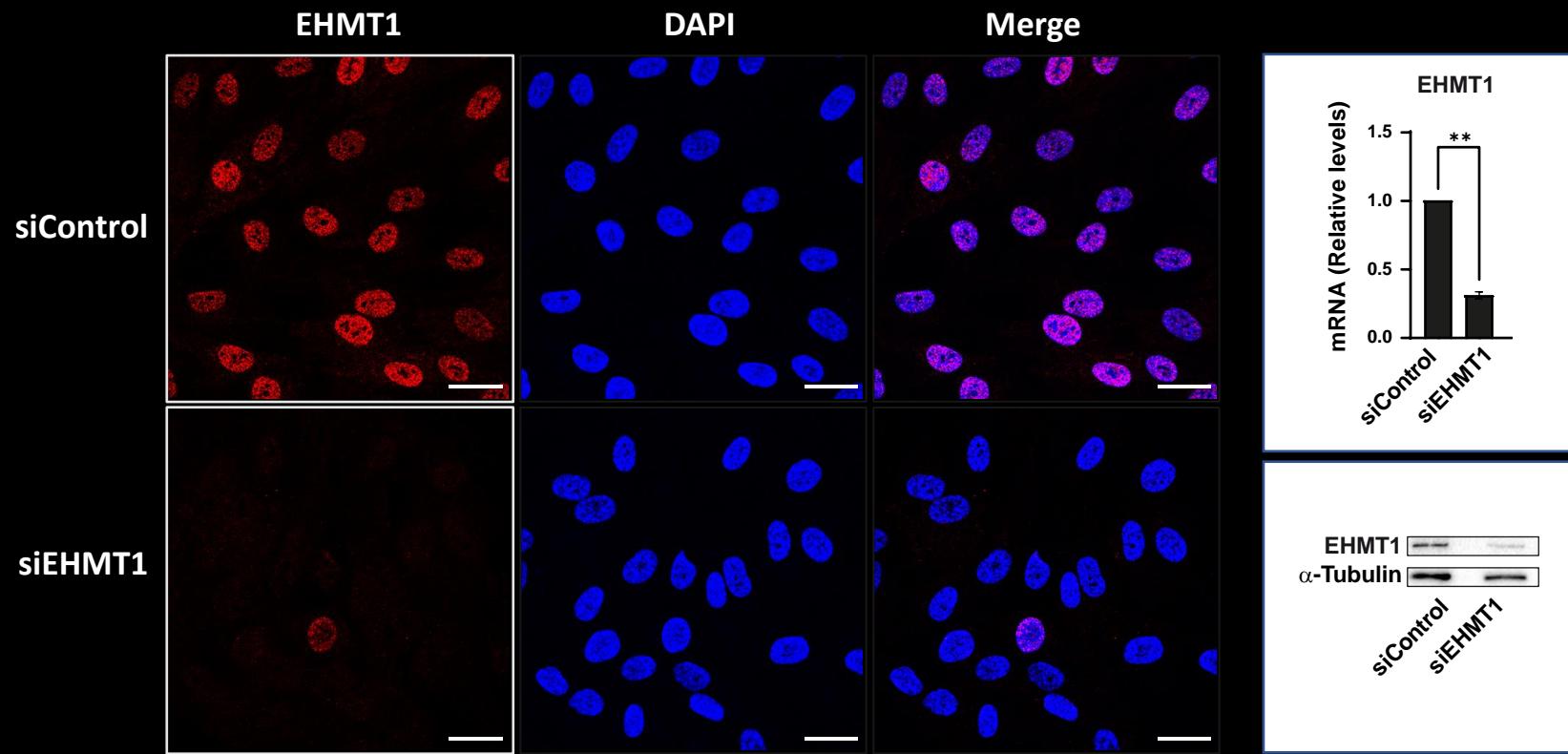
Non-tumor human
epithelial cell line

EHMT1 siRNA

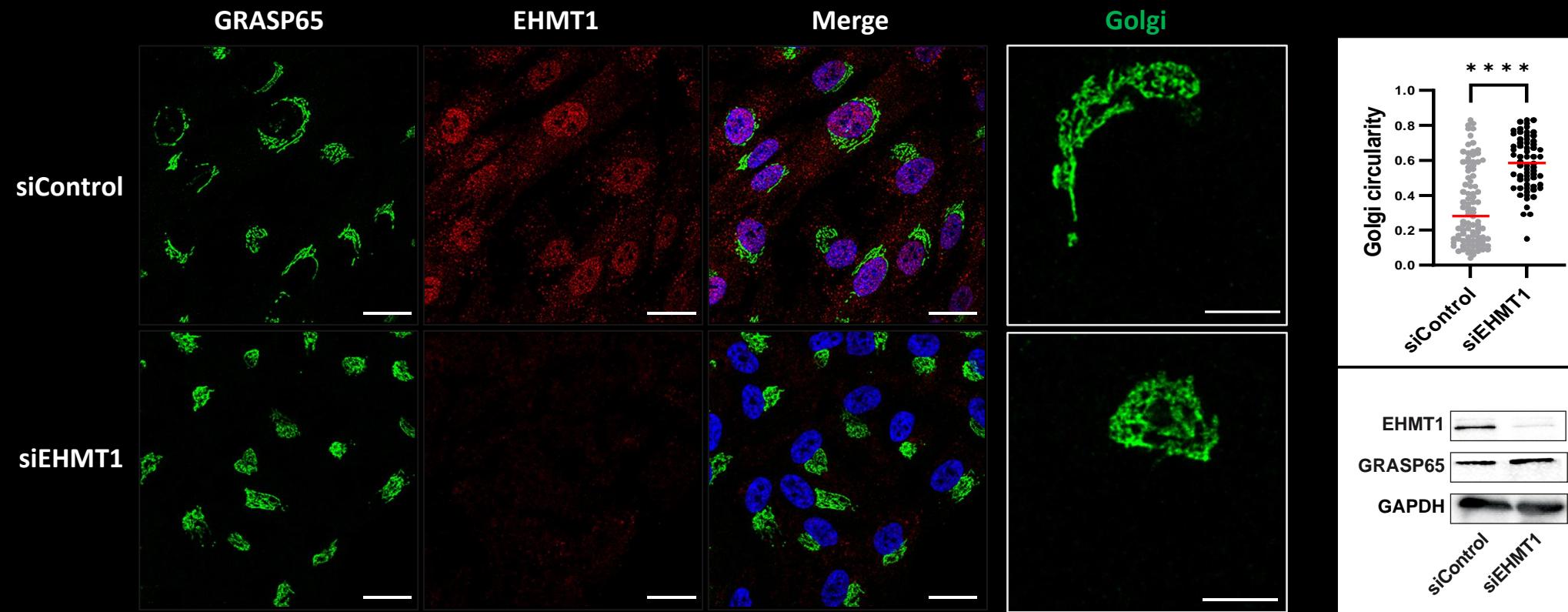


Immunofluorescence
imaging analysis

Studying EHMT1 function using siRNAs



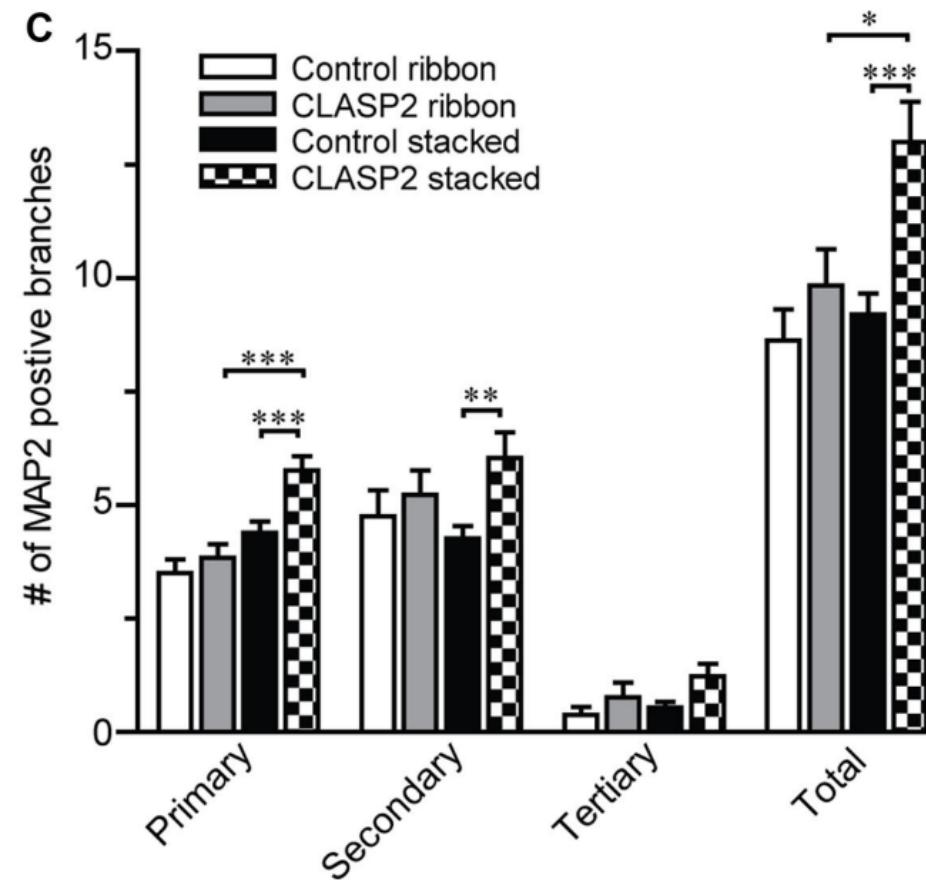
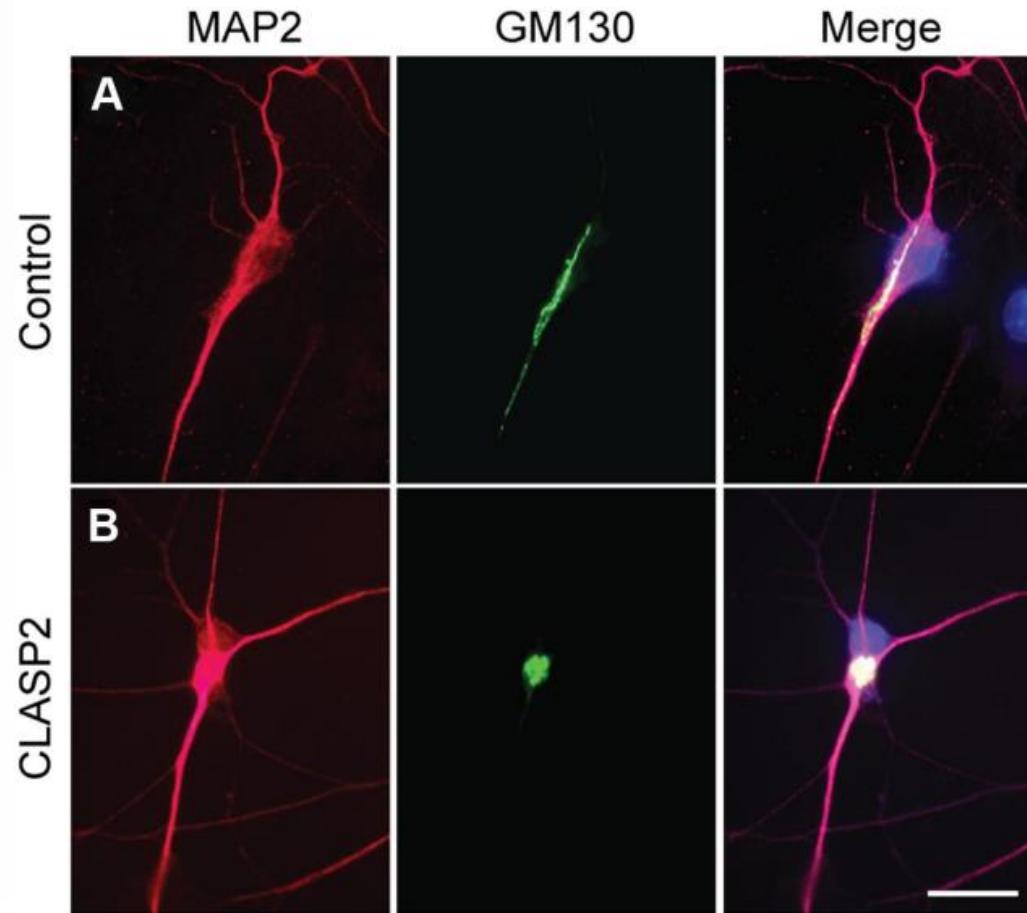
EHMT1 in Golgi apparatus morphology



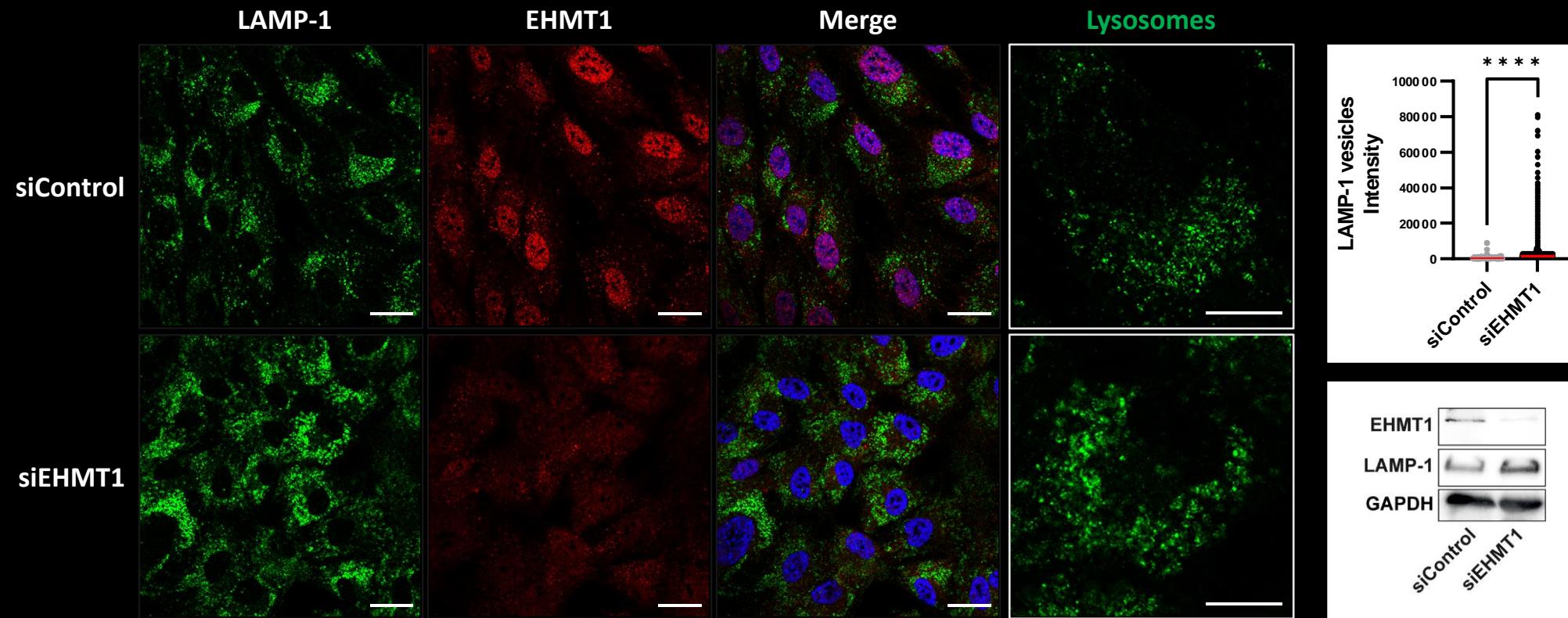
Microtubule Plus-End Tracking Protein CLASP2 Regulates Neuronal Polarity and Synaptic Function

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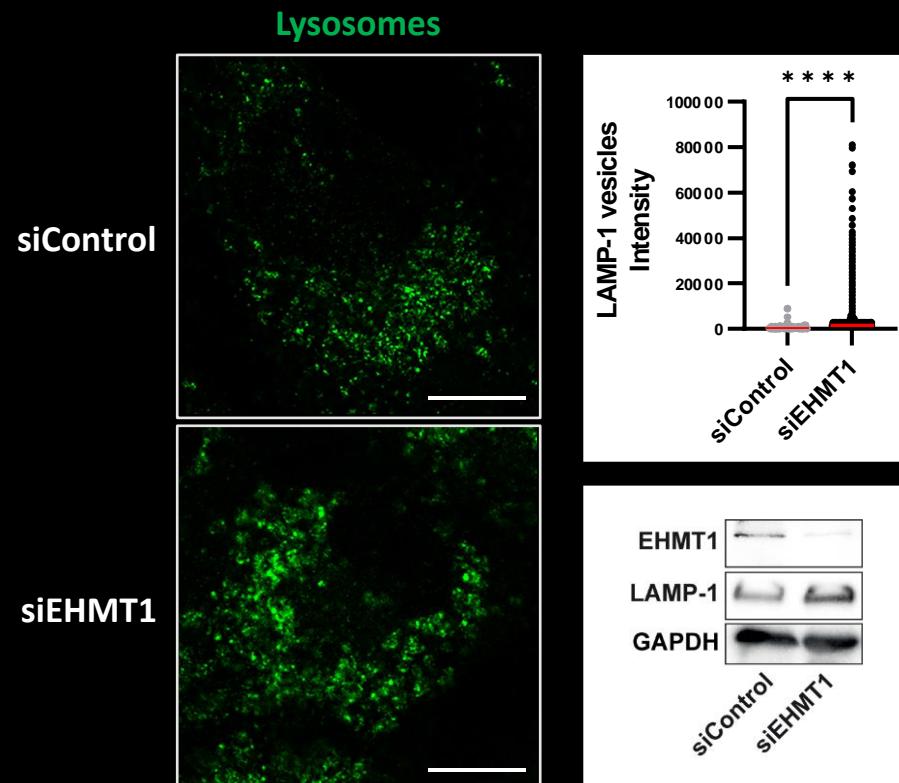
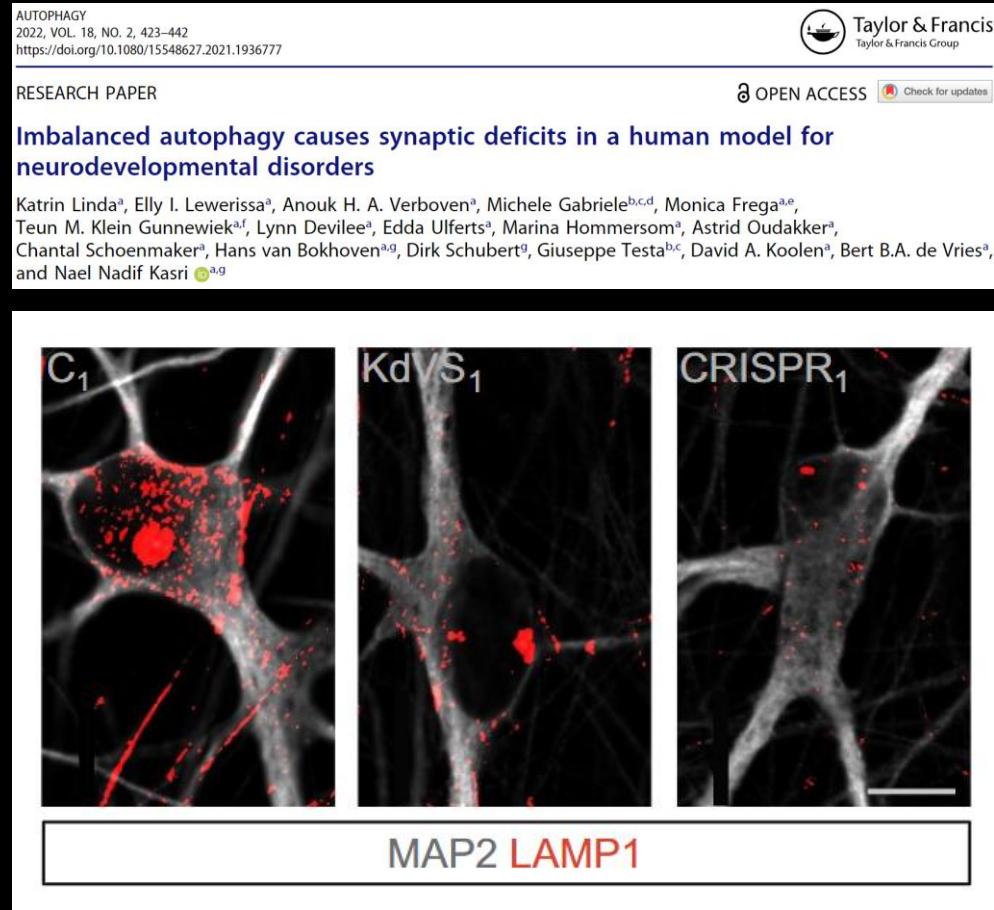
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EHMT1 in lysosomal system

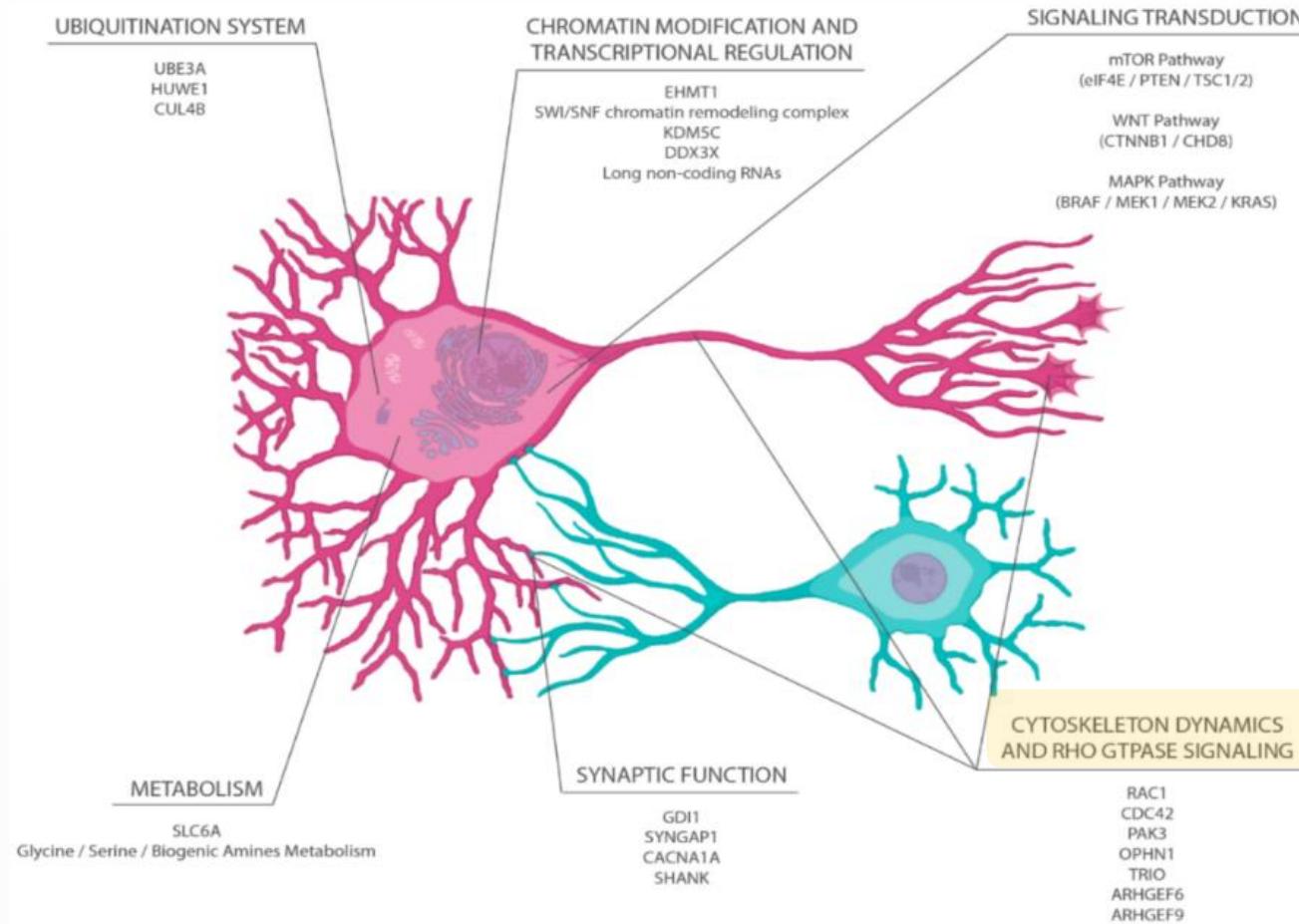


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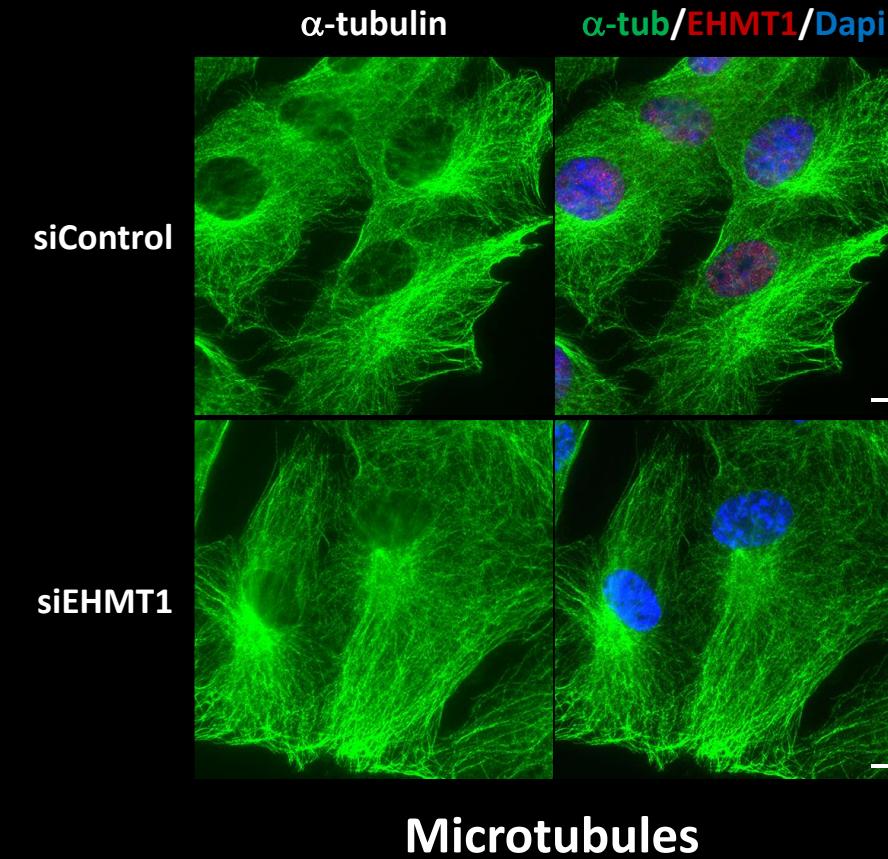
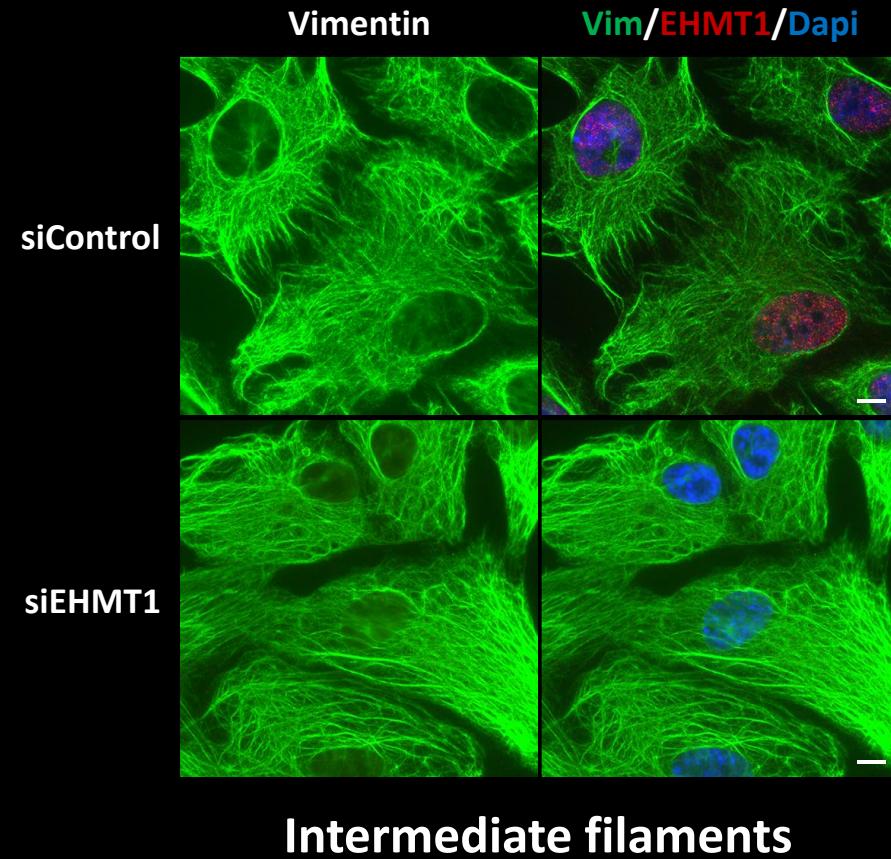


Core regulations in intellectual disability

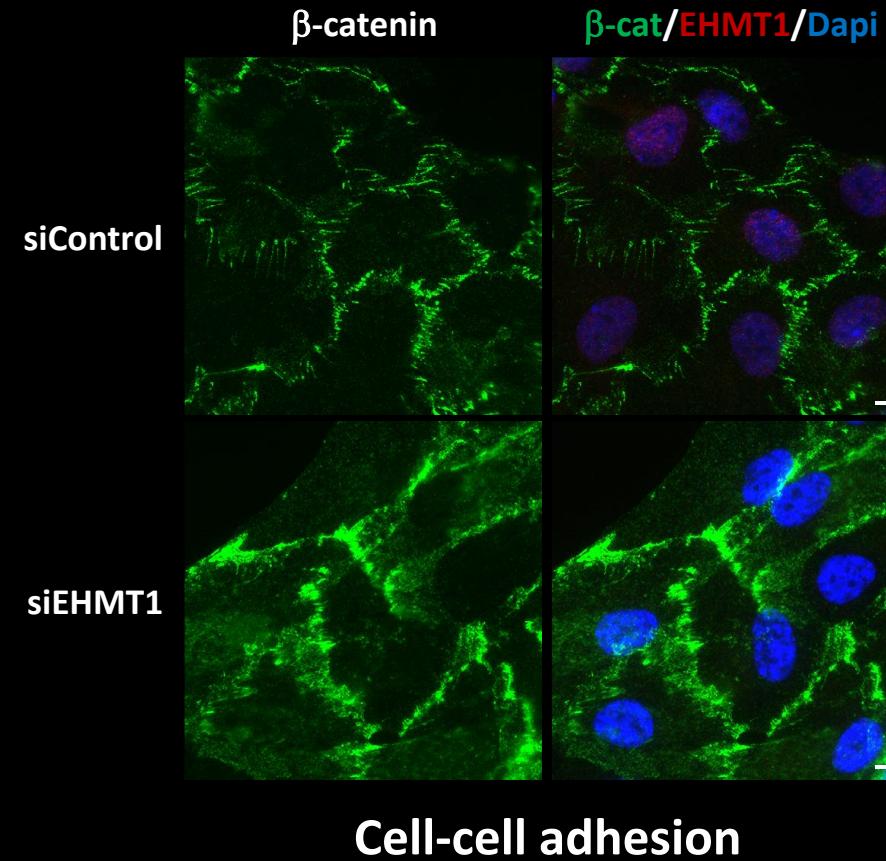
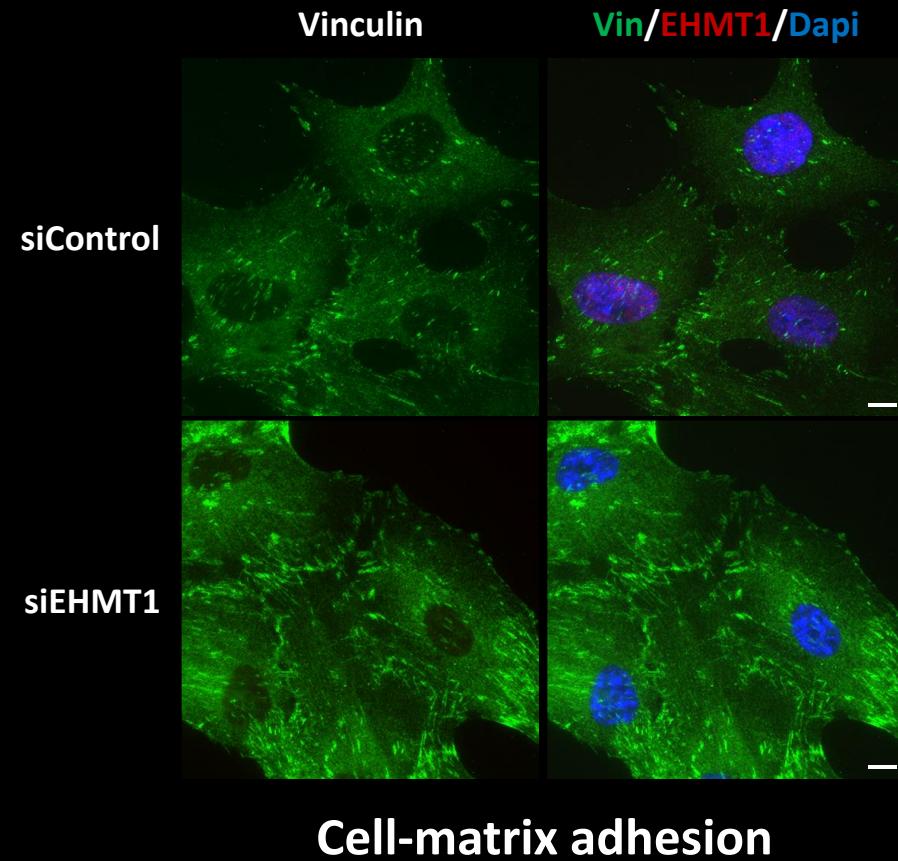
- Most mutations affecting synaptic functioning are linked with cytoskeleton regulation
- Cytoskeleton dynamics is affected by mutations in different NDDs



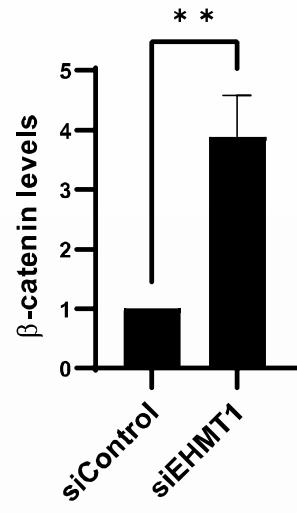
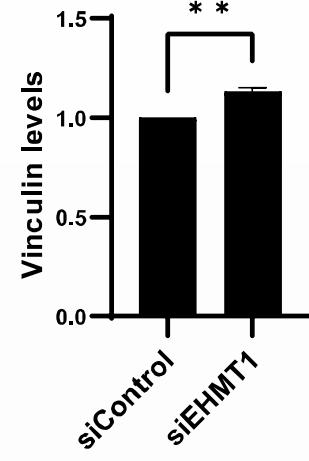
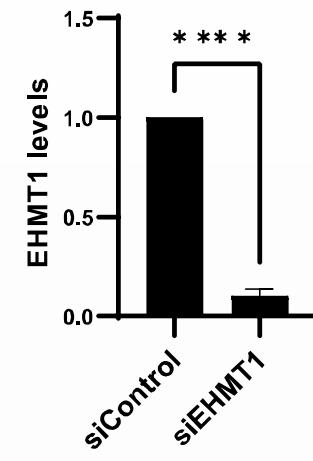
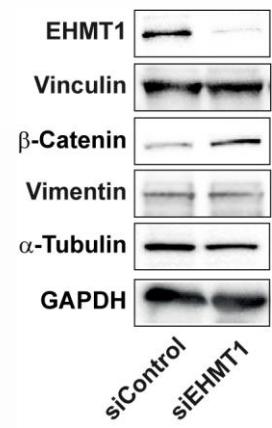
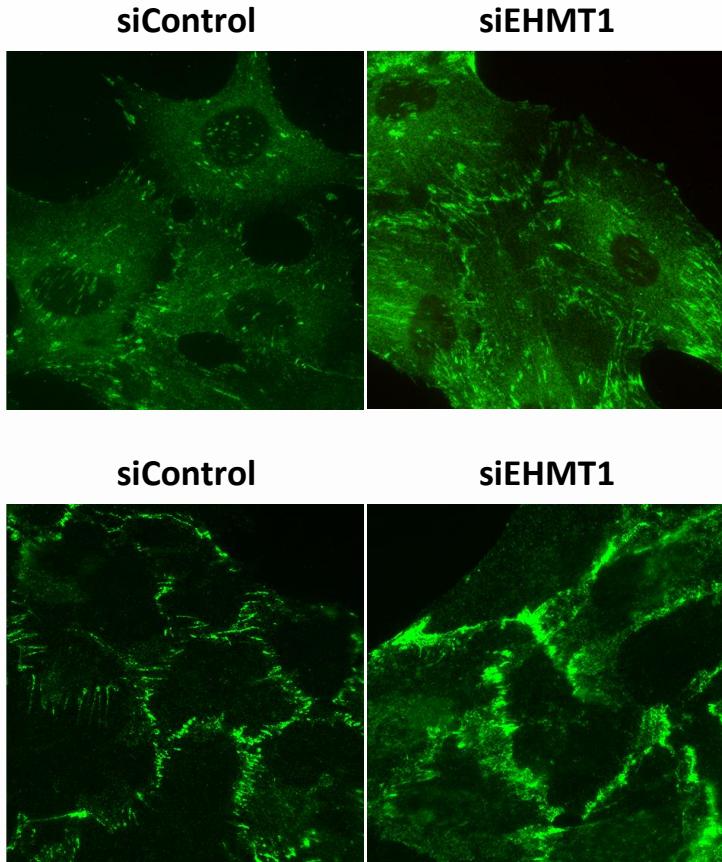
EHMT1 in cytoskeleton organization



EHMT1 role in cell adhesion



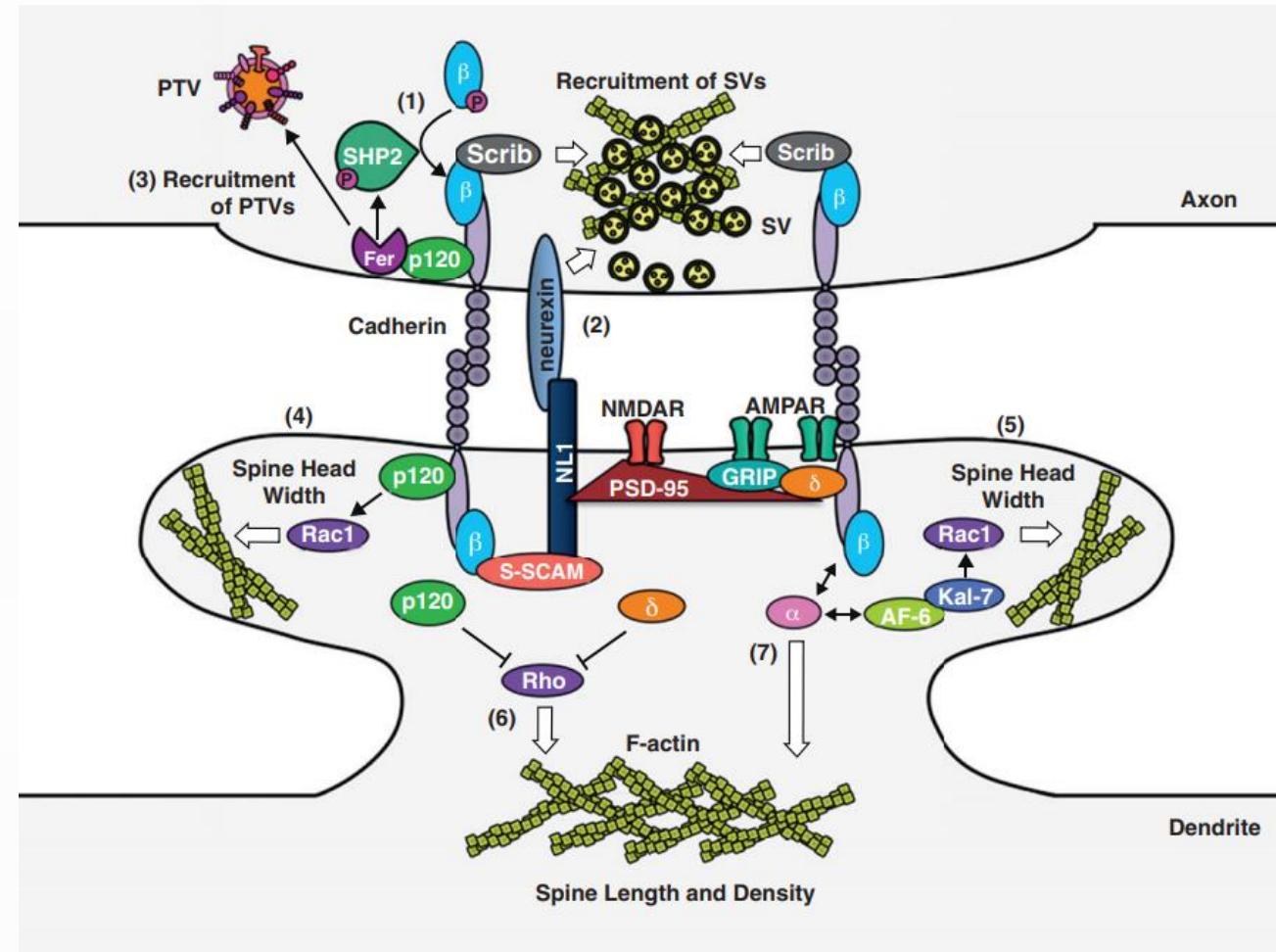
EHMT1 role in cell adhesion





Cadherin-catenin adhesion complexes at the synapse

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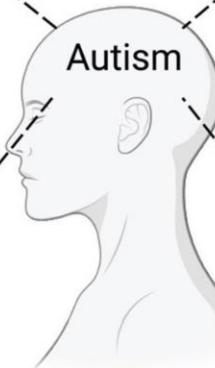
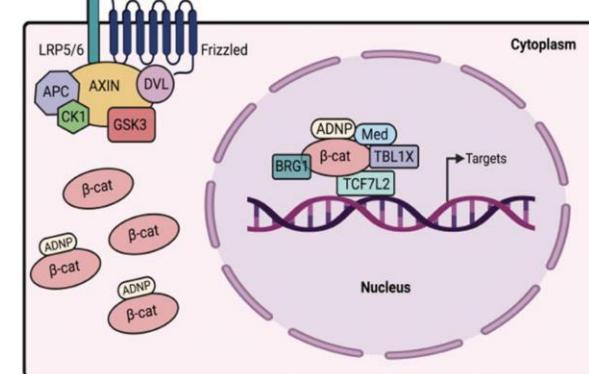


Wnt/β-Catenin-Dependent Transcription in Autism Spectrum Disorders

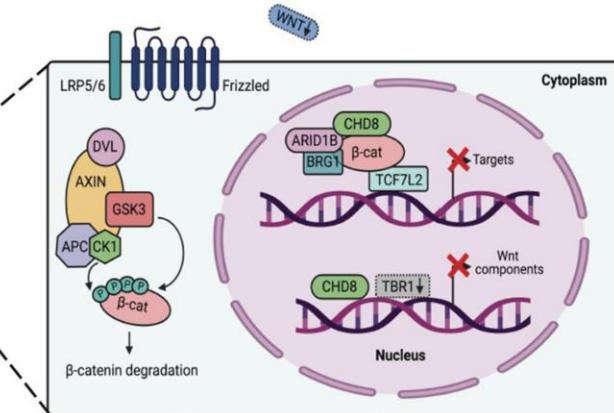
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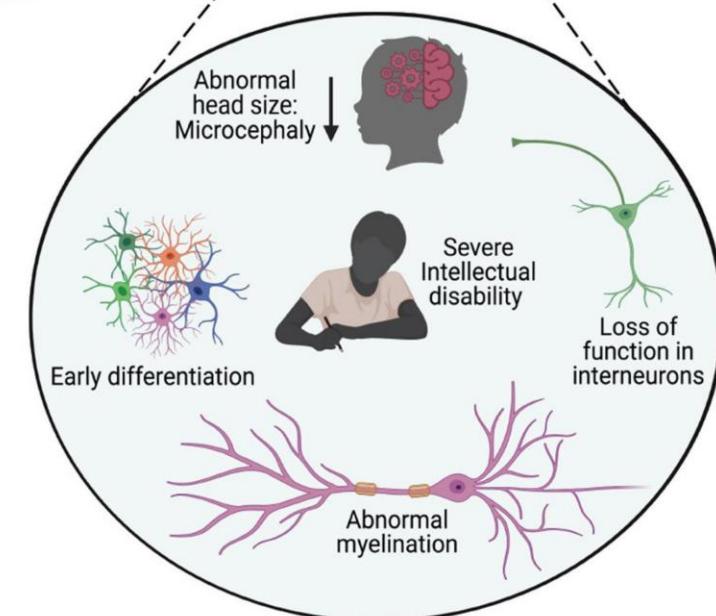
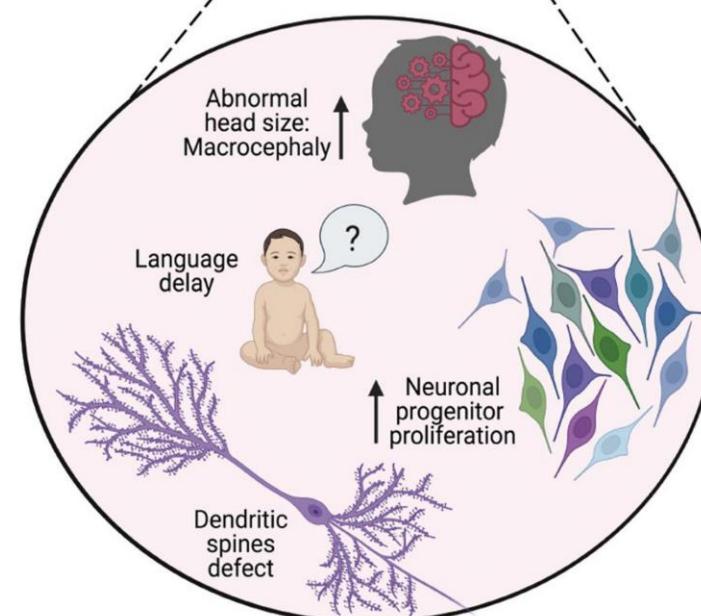
Molecular pathway



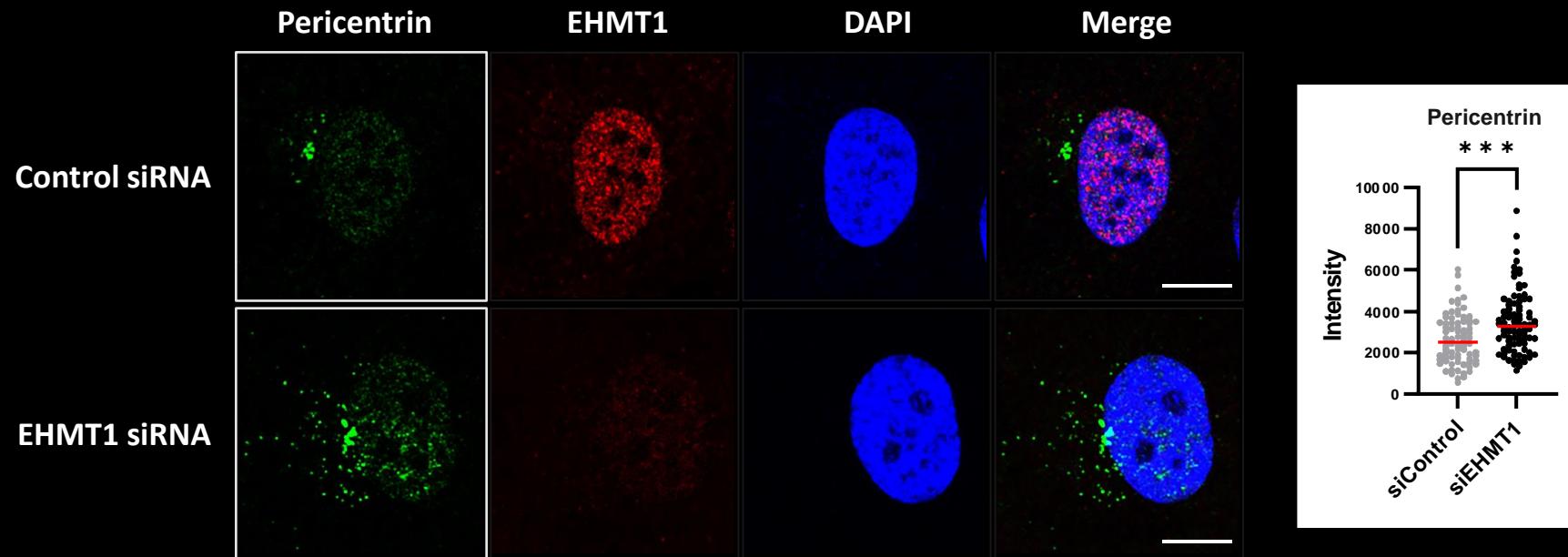
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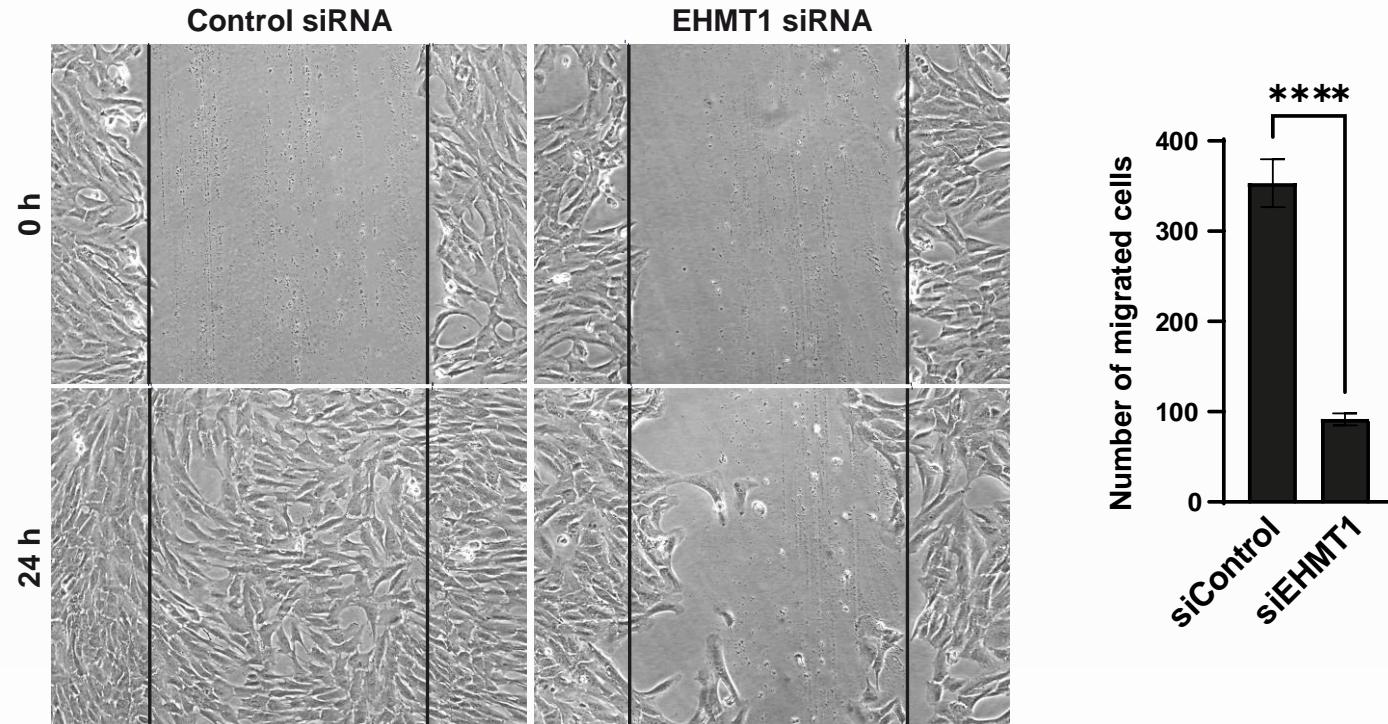
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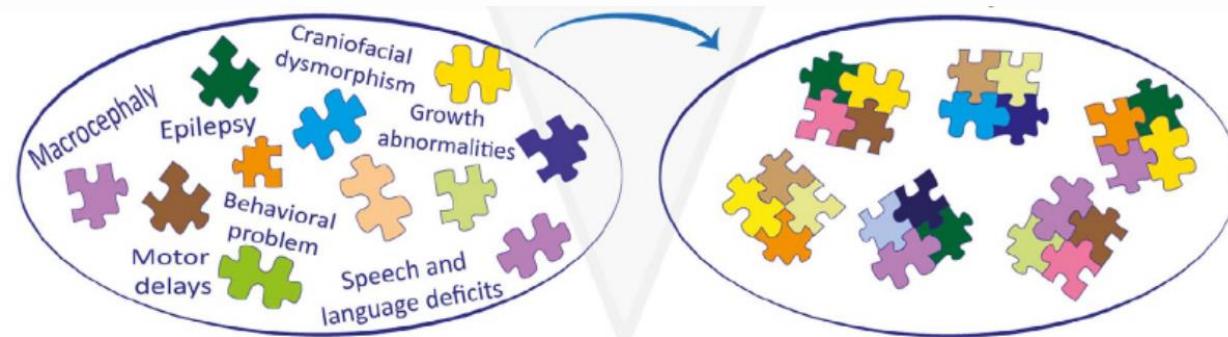
EHMT1 in centrosome functioning



EHMT1 is required for migration



Molecular Convergence of Neurodevelopmental Disorders



"Similar Cognitive Disorders phenotypes reflect functional relationships between epigenetic cognitive genes"

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Cell Reports
Article

Distinct Pathogenic Genes Causing Intellectual Disability and Autism Exhibit a Common Neuronal Network Hyperactivity Phenotype

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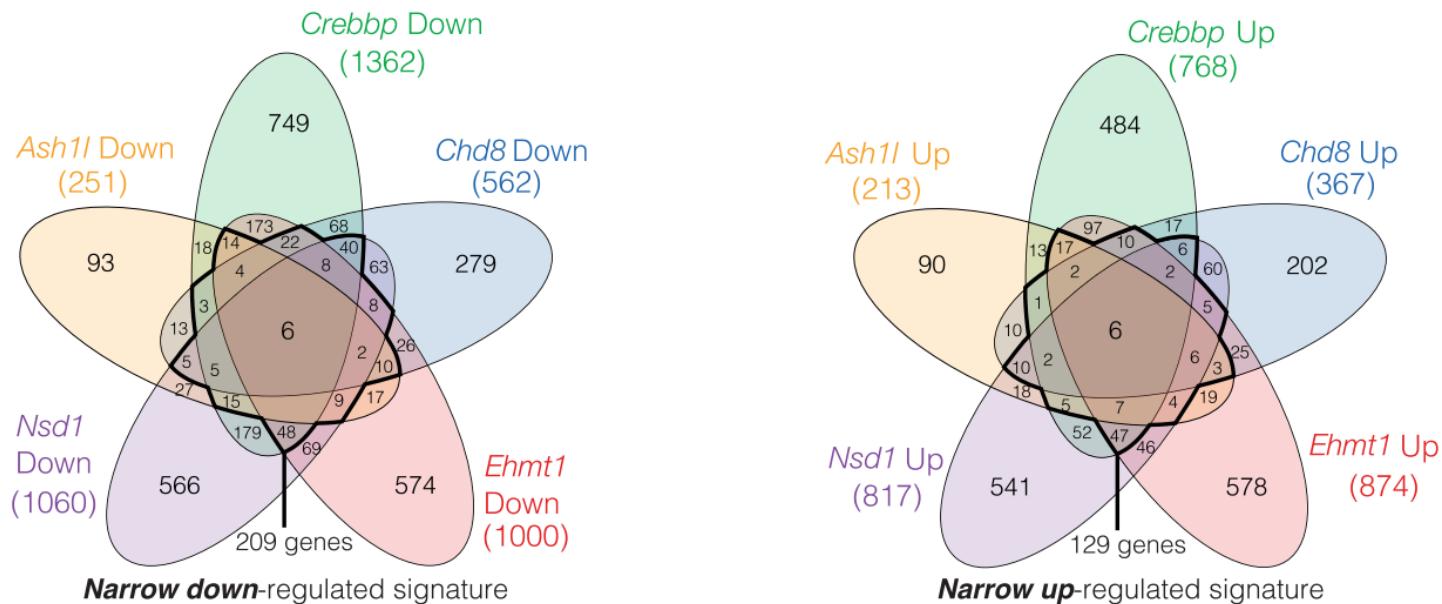
Invited review

The genetics of cognitive epigenetics

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Identification of a transcriptional signature found in multiple models of ASD and related disorders

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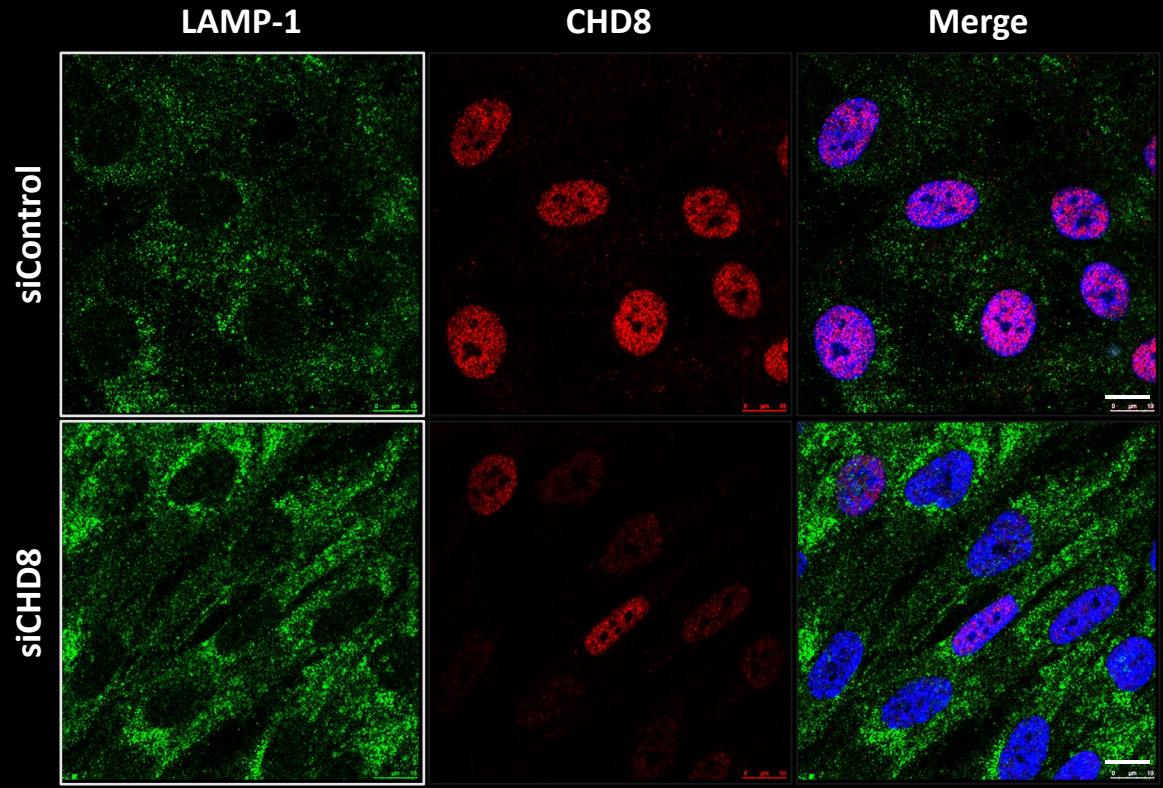
EHMT1, Kleefstra syndrome

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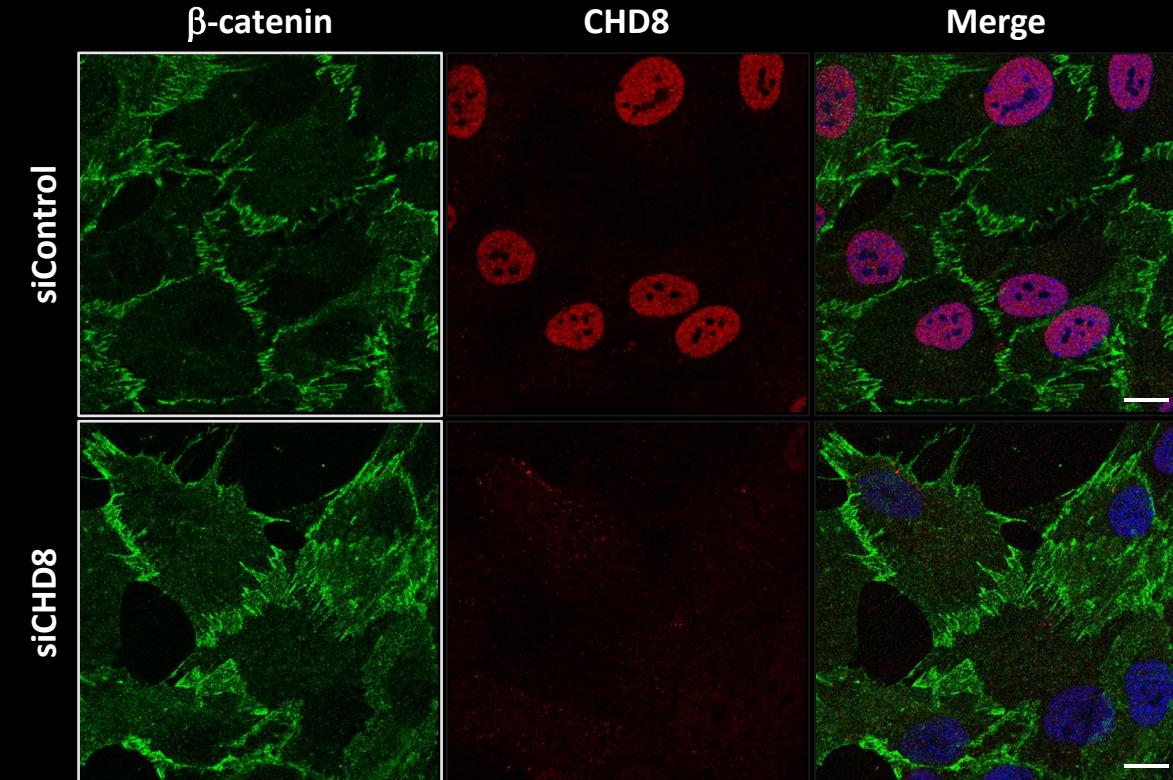
NSD1, Sotos syndrome

CHD8, Autism 18

Common cellular disruptions



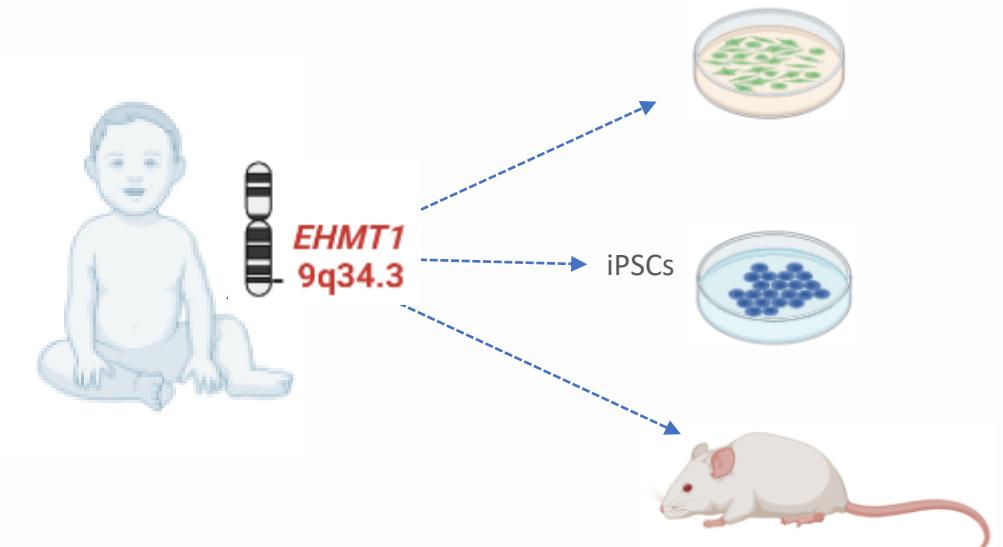
Lysosomal system



CHD8 and β -catenin

Conclusions and future direction

- EHMT1 is necessary for **Golgi structure**
- Downregulation of EHMT1 leads to **lysosomes accumulation**
- Reduced levels of EHMT1 induce **changes in cell adhesion**
- EHMT1 could has a role in **centrosome functioning**
- EHMT1 depleted cells show **reduced migration capacity**
- **EHMT1 and CHD8** could participe in **common cellular processes**



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