

NDUFS1 upregulates ENaC α by NAD⁺ to promote alveolar fluid clearance in acute lung injury

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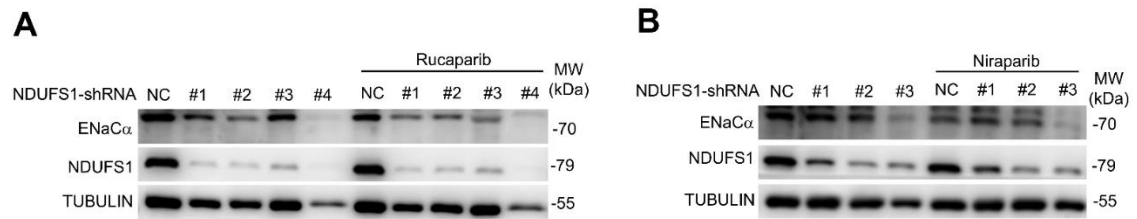
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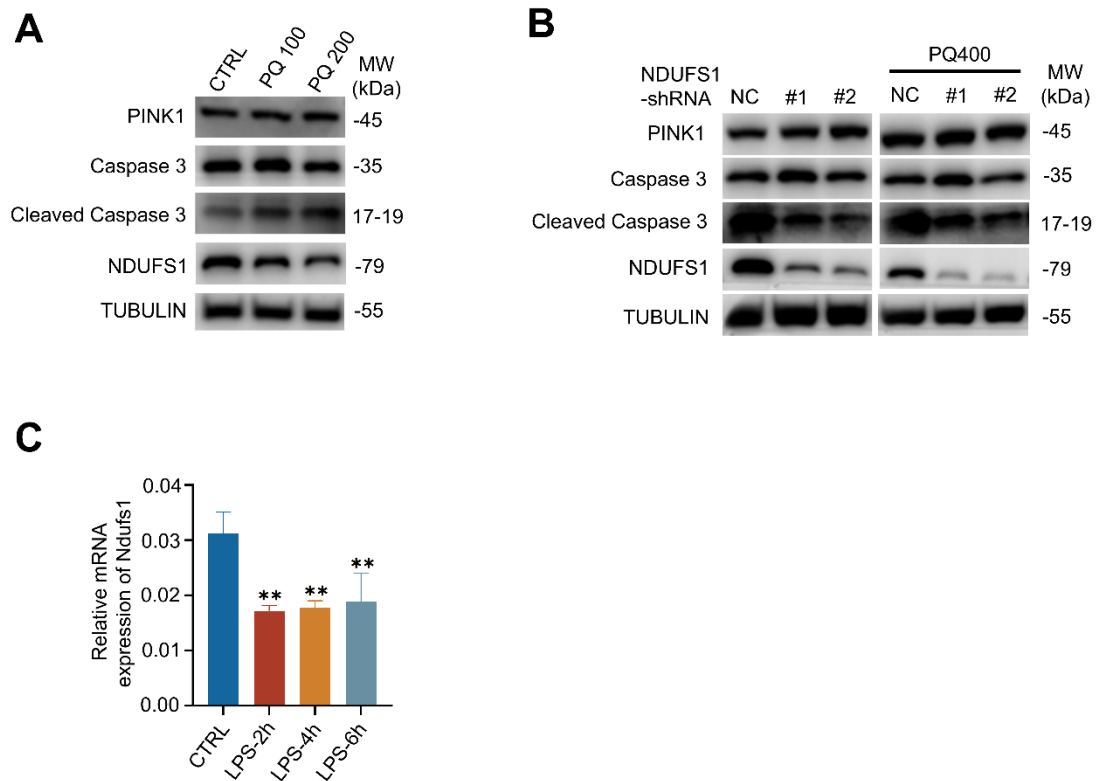
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Supplementary Table 1.

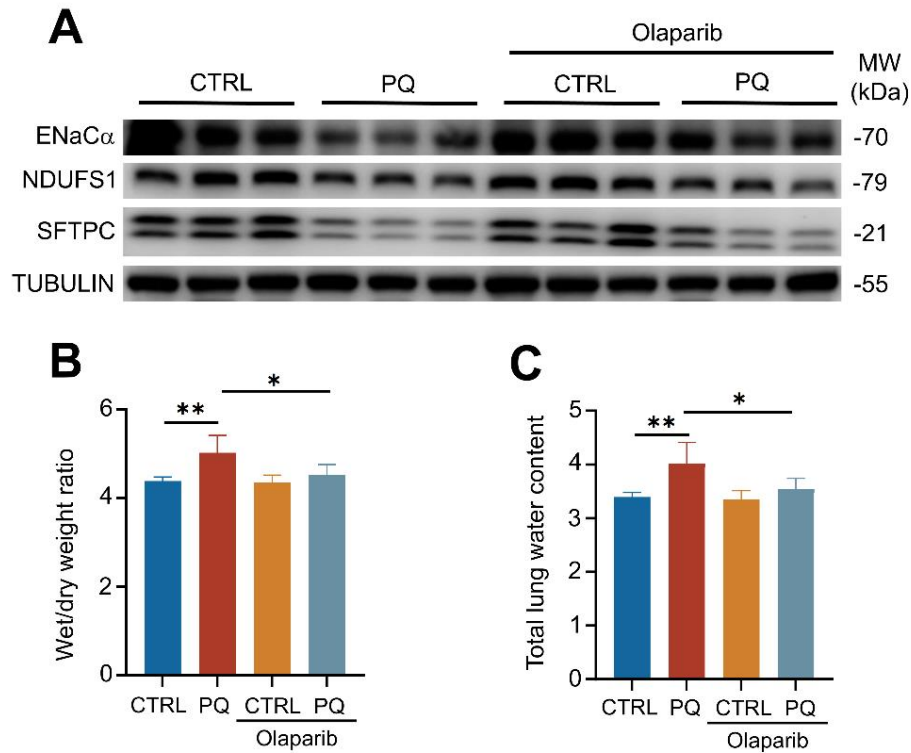
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Homo	ENaC α	sense	5' TCTGCACCTTTGGCATGATGT 3'
		antisense	5' GAAGACGAGCTTGTCCGAGT 3'
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Mouse	ENaC α	sense	5' CCTTCTCCTTGGATAGCCTGG 3'
		antisense	5' CAGACGGCCATCTTGAGTAGC 3'
Mouse	β -actin	sense	5' GTGACGTTGACATCCGTAAAGA 3'
		antisense	5' GCCGGACTCATCGTACTCC 3'



Supplementary Figure 1. The effect of Niraparib and Rucaparib on ENaCα expression in NDUF51 deficient pulmonary epithelial cells. (A) Western blot analysis of NDUF51 and ENaCα abundance in scrambled shRNA (NC) or NDUF51 shRNA infected A549 cells with or without Rucaparib treatment for 24 h. **(B)** Western blot analysis of NDUF51 and ENaCα abundance in scrambled shRNA (NC) or NDUF51 shRNA infected A549 cells with or without Niraparib treatment for 24 h.



Supplementary Figure 2. The level of cell death and mitophagy marker in PQ-induced ALI models and NDUFS1 knockdown A549 cell line. (A) Western blot analysis of PINK1, Caspase3, Cleaved Caspase3 and NDUFS1 abundance, as indicated, in A549 cells treated with or without 100 or 200 μ M PQ for 12 h. **(B)** Western blot analysis of PINK1, Caspase3, Cleaved Caspase3 and NDUFS1 abundance in scrambled shRNA (NC) or NDUFS1 shRNA infected A549 cells with or without 400 μ M PQ for 12h. **(C)** QPCR analysis of NDUFS1 abundance in lung tissues from LPS-induced ALI mice model. Mice were treated with LPS for 2h, 4h and 6h. Data were presented as mean \pm SD. * $p < 0.05$, ** $p < 0.01$. Unless indicated, data were the representative of two independent experiments.



Supplementary Figure 3. NDUFS1 regulates ENaC α expression by modulating NAD⁺ in PQ-induced acute lung injury. (A) Western blot analysis of NDUFS1 and ENaC α abundance in lung tissues from PQ-induced ALI mice model with or without Olaparib treatment. Mice were treated with PQ for 6h. (B) Wet/dry weight ratio analysis in lung tissues from PQ-induced ALI mice model with or without Olaparib treatment. Mice were treated with PQ for 6h. (C) Total lung water content in lung tissues from PQ-induced ALI mice model with or without Olaparib treatment. Mice were treated with PQ for 6h. Data were presented as mean \pm SD. * $p < 0.05$, ** $p < 0.01$. Unless indicated, data were the representative of two independent experiments.