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Project Title

Humanize Argonaute in Drosophila: helping to understand Intellectual Disability

Project Description

This project investigates human neurodevelopmental disorders caused by mutations in Argonaute (Ago) genes provoking intellectual disability. These genes encode Ago proteins, which regulate mRNAs and neuronal differentiation through miRNA activity. Our project aims to identify new variants, study their clinical impacts and use Drosophila to understand how these variants disrupt brain development in patients. At longer term, it also aims to improve diagnosis and prognosis of Ago syndrome patient.

Keywords

argonaute variant, miRNA, intellectual disability

Description of the Host Research Lab

Dev2A builds on its long-standing expertise in many aspects of integrative developmental biology, using a wide variety of model organisms, including C. elegans, Drosophila, zebrafish, Xenopus, chicken, mice and plants. We also develop work on cell and tissue culture, organoids and organ-on chips.

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