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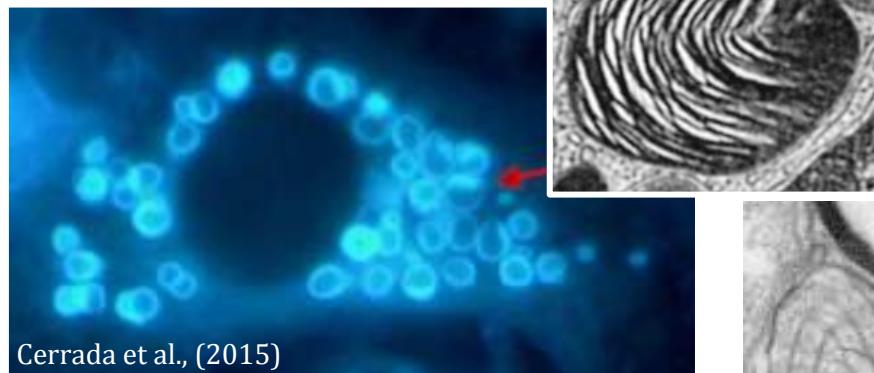
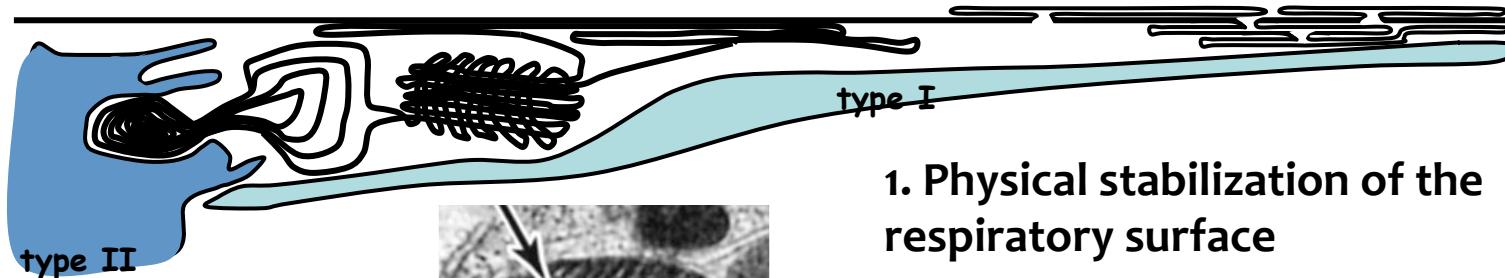
The role of surfactant in lung homeostasis and disease



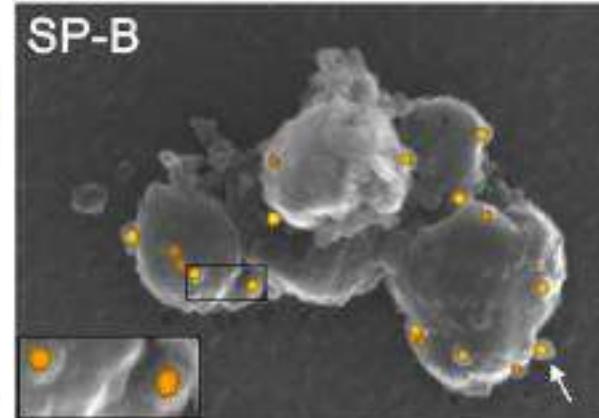
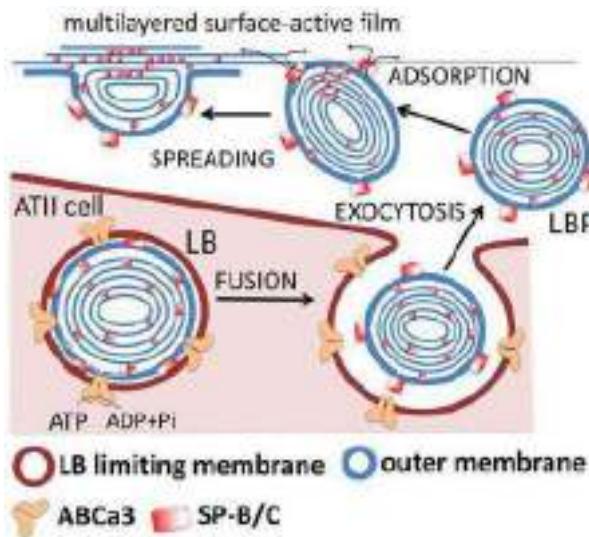
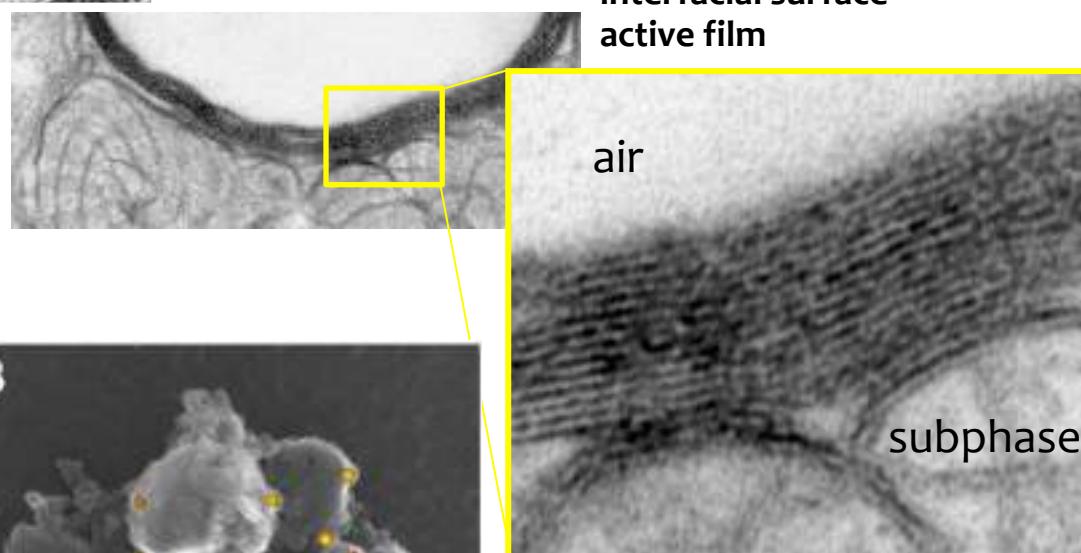
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PULMONARY SURFACTANT

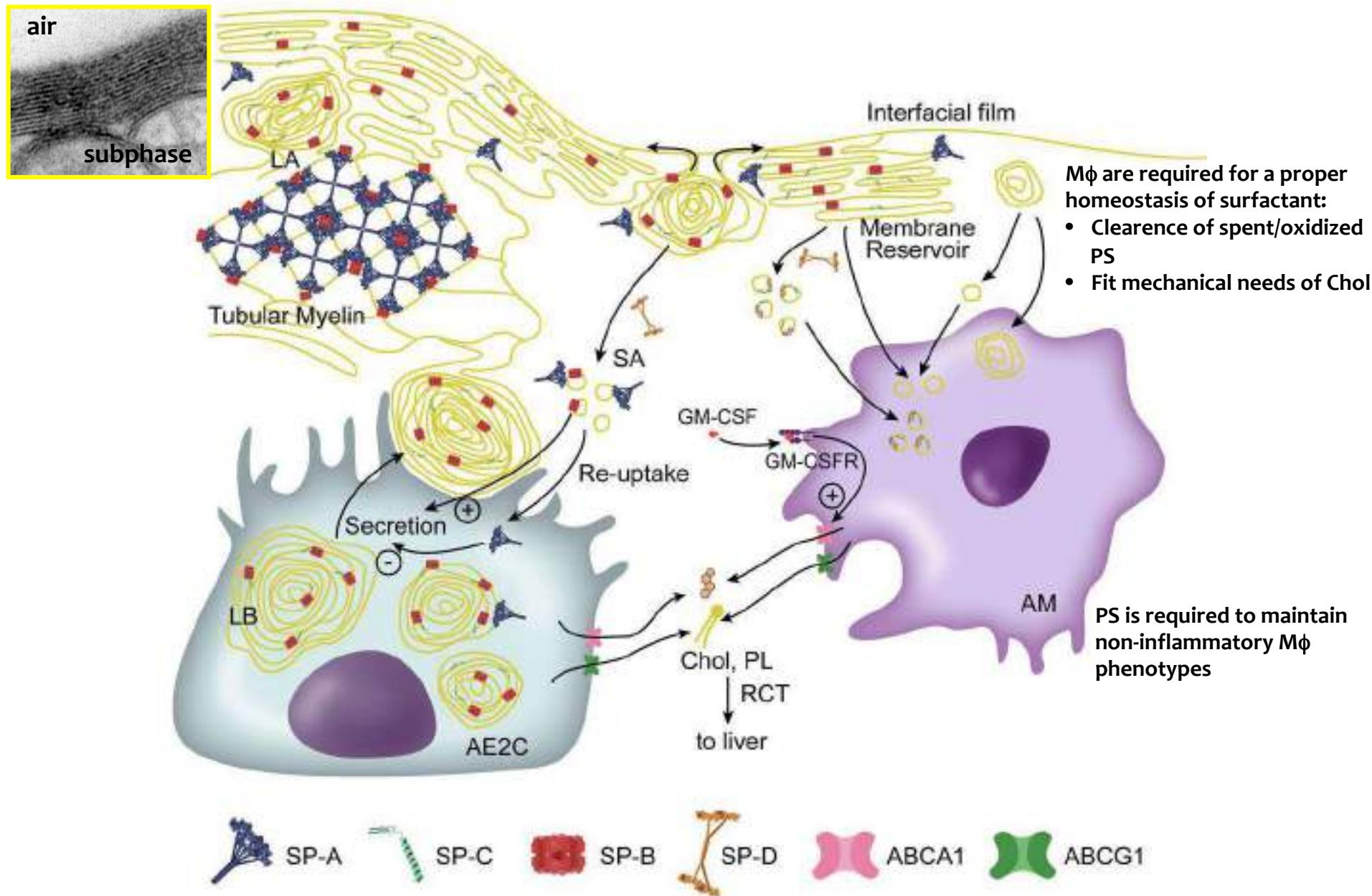


1. Physical stabilization of the respiratory surface
2. Participate in innate defence mechanisms (non-inflammatory pathways)



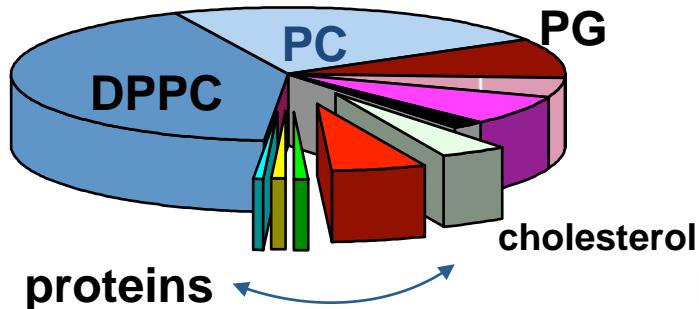
secreted lamellar body-like particles

Pulmonary surfactant (PS) is at the center of a crosstalk between the respiratory epithelium and innate immune cells



PS large aggregates (LAs) contain the most surface-active fractions, competent to form multilayered surface films, stable along breathing compression-expansion cycles

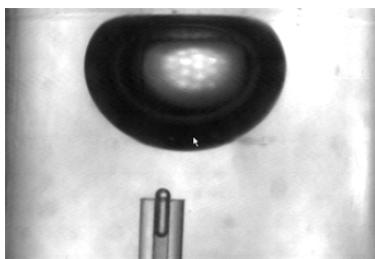
90 % lipids



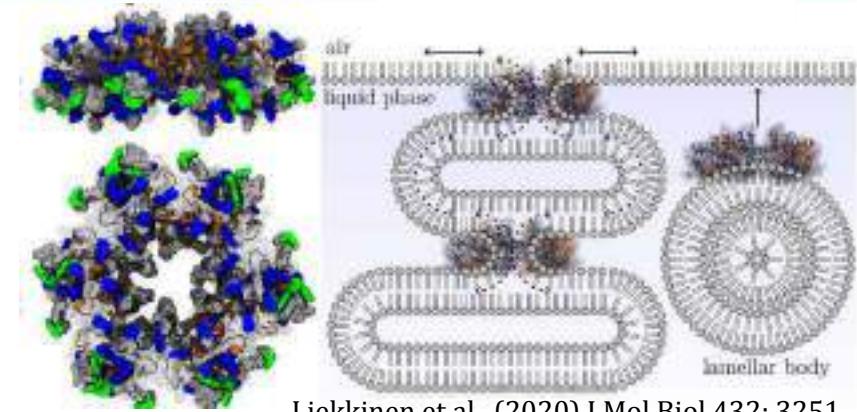
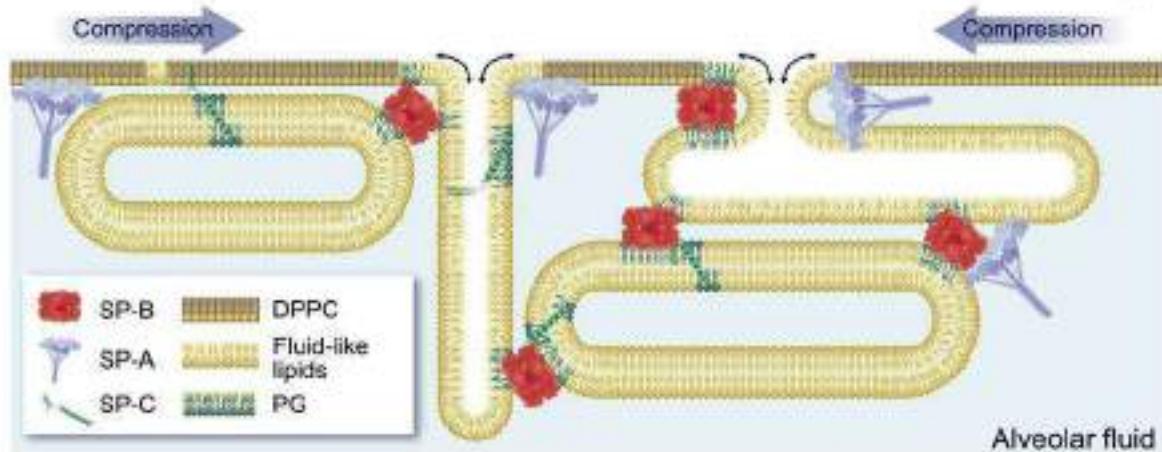
- 6% SP-A
- 1% SP-B
- 1% SP-C
- < 0.5% SP-D

FUNCTIONAL ASSAYS

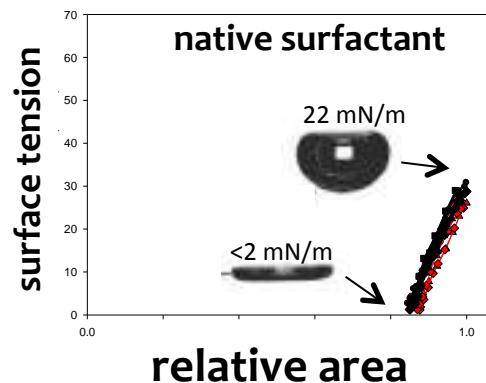
CAPTIVE BUBBLE SURFACTOMETER

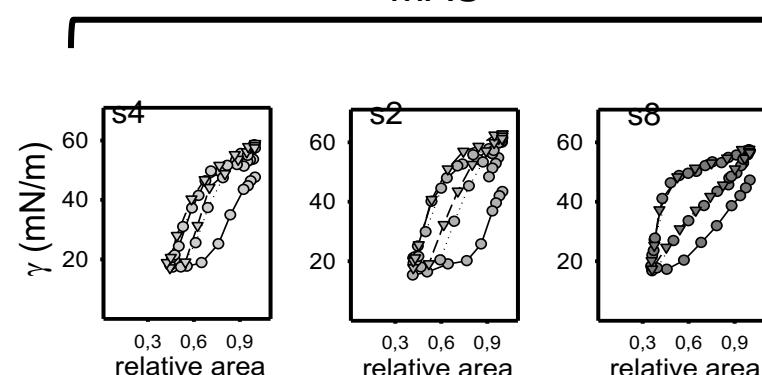
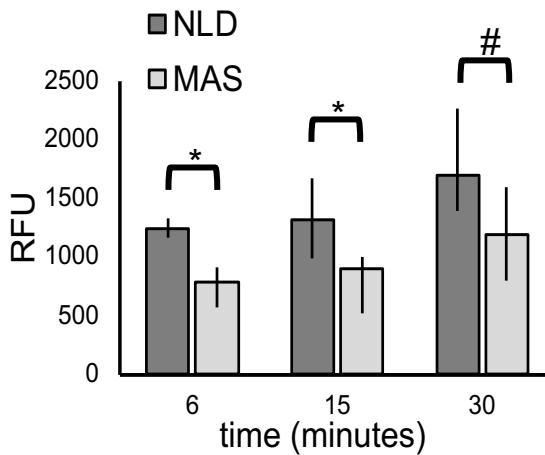
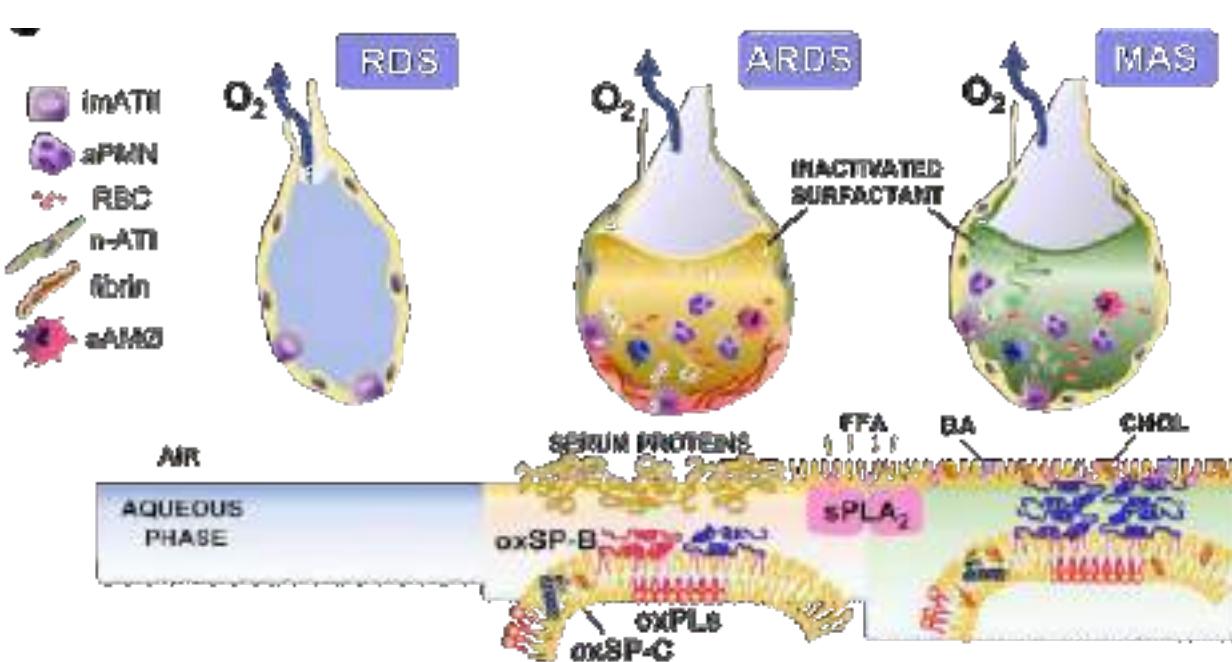


DYNAMIC COMPRESSION-EXPANSION

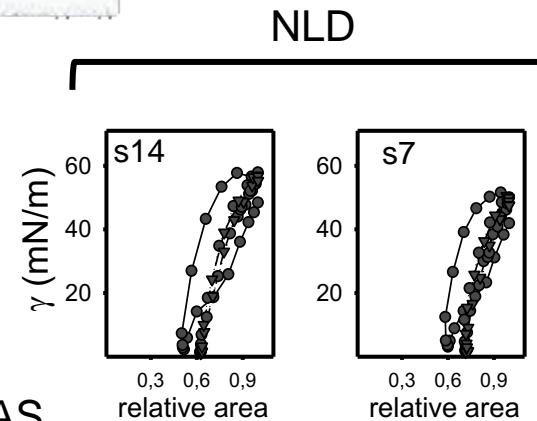


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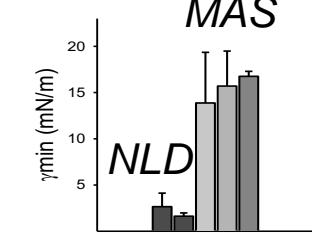




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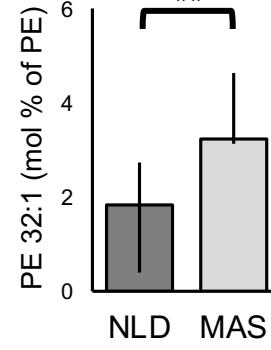
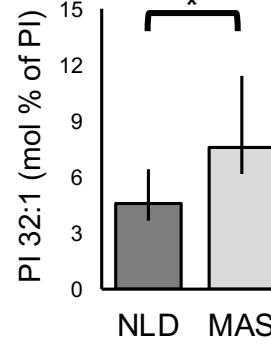
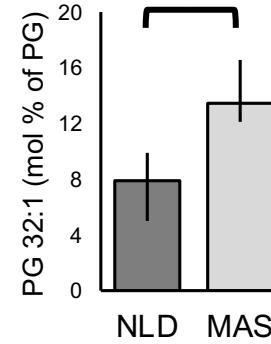
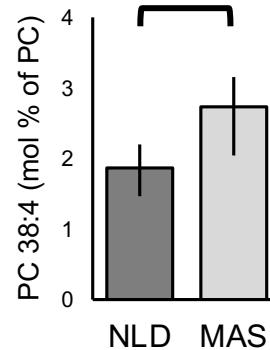
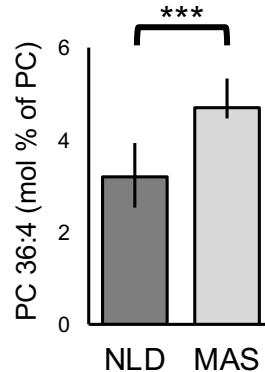
Inflammation and lung injury impairs surfactant performance

Surfactant from bronchoalveolar lavage of babies with no lung disease (**NLD**) or with meconium aspiration syndrome (**MAS**)

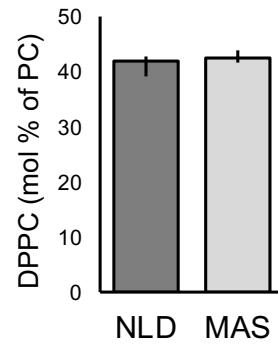
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Compositional changes support impairment of surfactant performance in babies with MAS

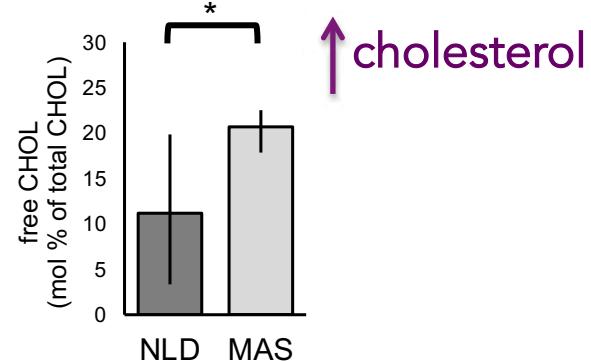
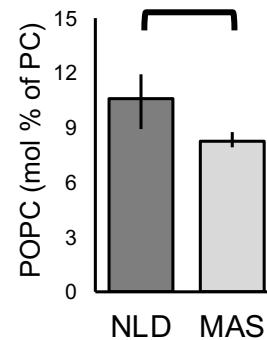
↑ polyunsaturated PL



= DPPC



↓ monounsaturated PL

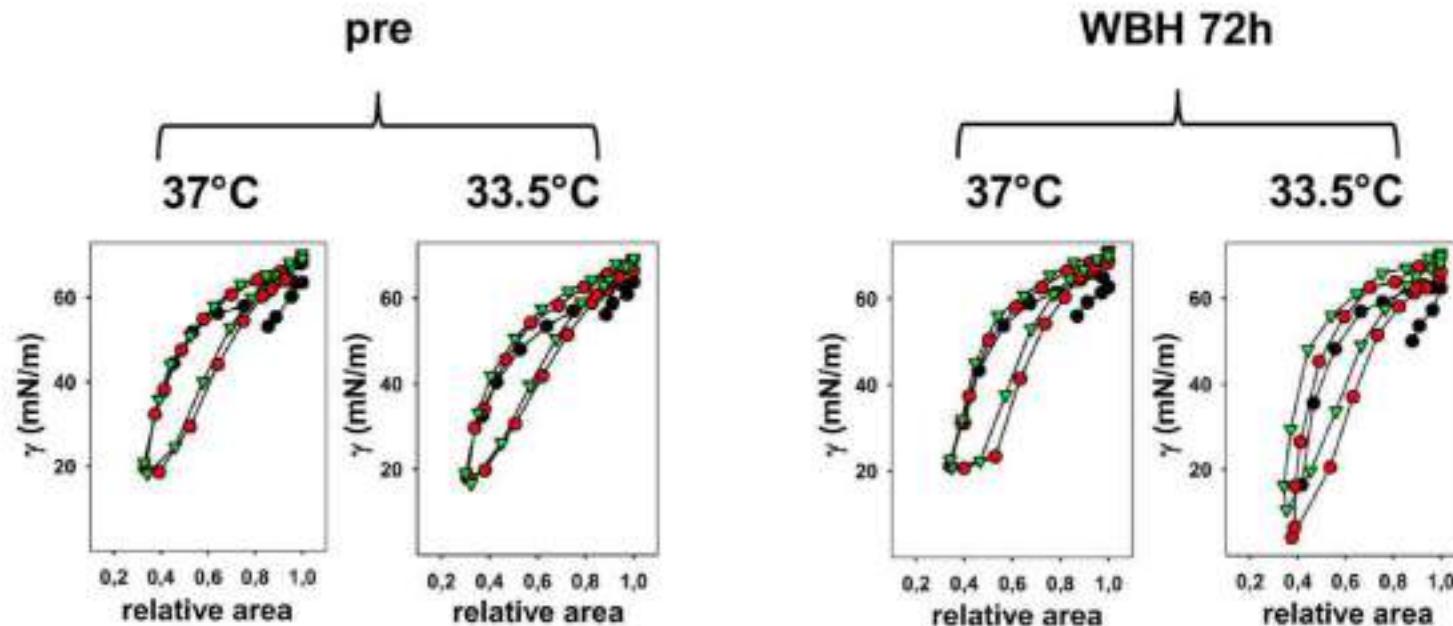


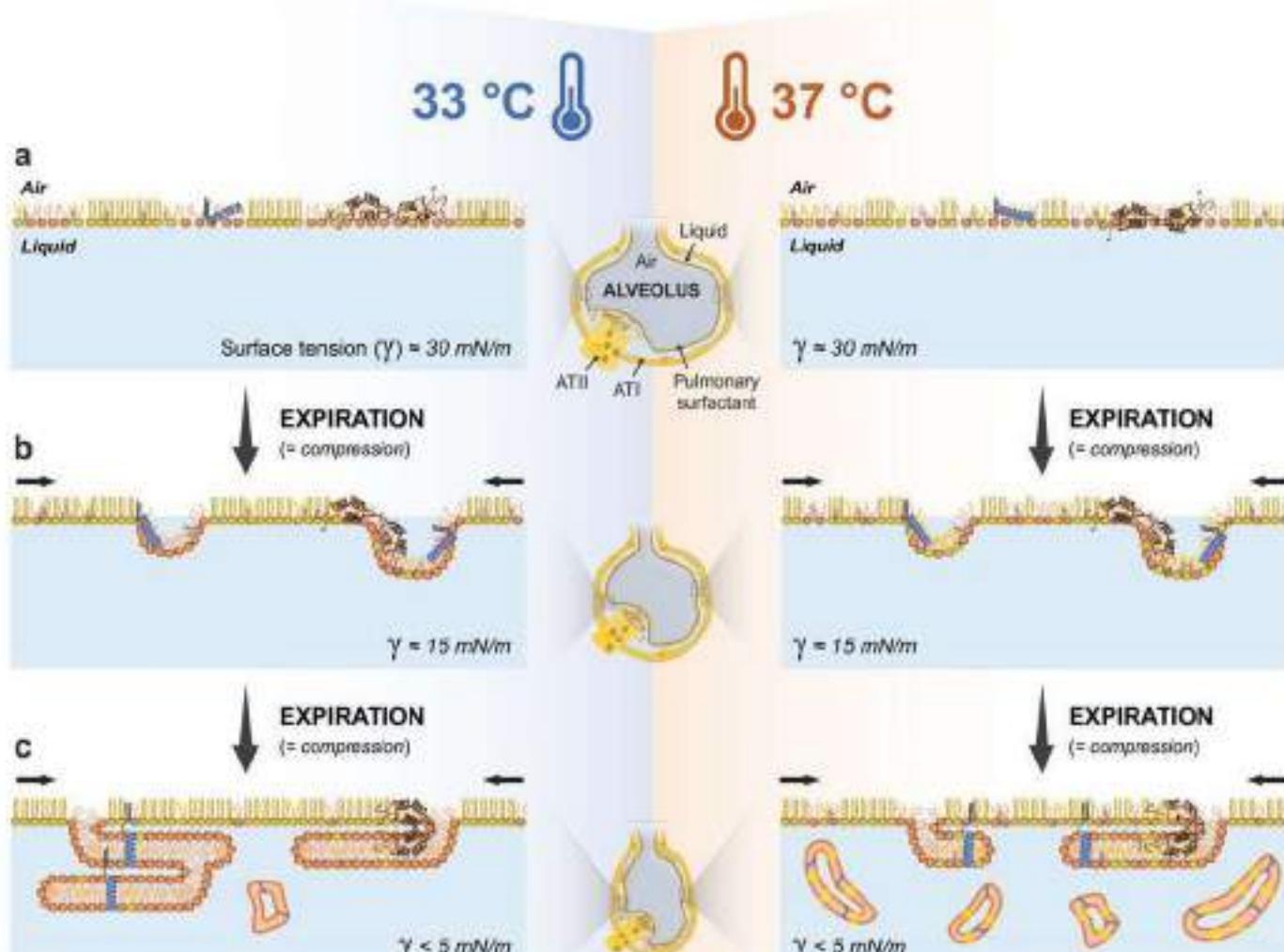
RESEARCH ARTICLE

Controlled hypothermia may improve surfactant function in asphyxiated neonates with or without meconium aspiration syndrome

Chiara Autilio^{1,2}, Mercedes Echalea¹, Daniele De Luca^{3*}, Jesús Pérez-Gil^{1,2,4}

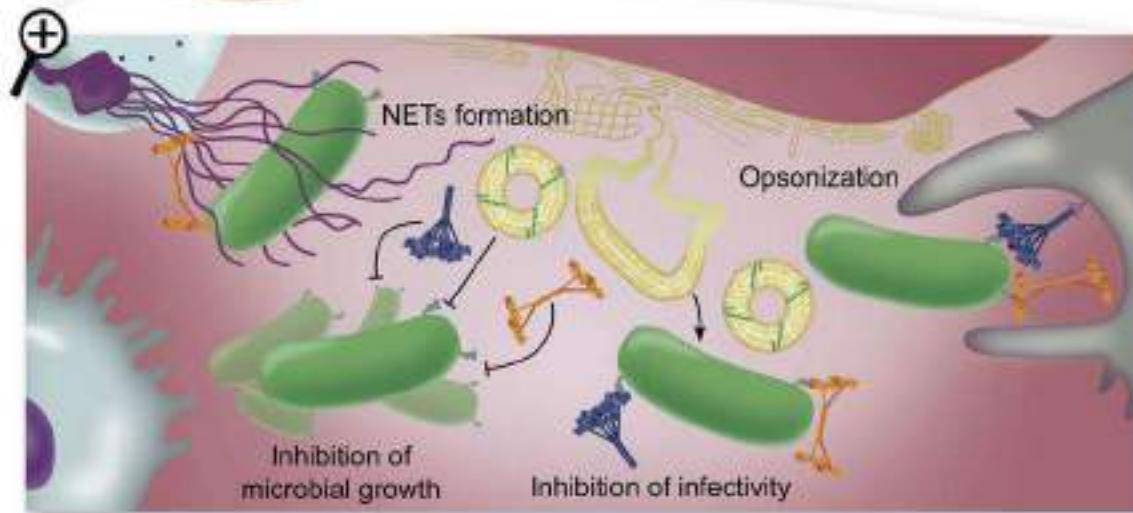
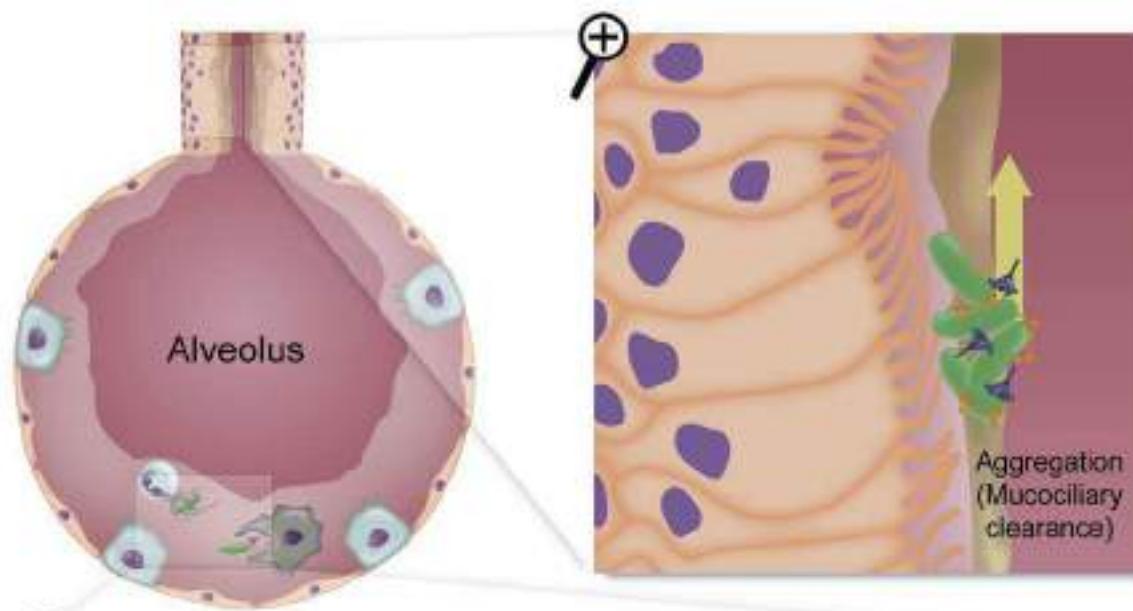
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Autilio, Echaide, Cruz, Garcia-Mouton, Da Silva, De Luca, Sorli, Perez-Gil (2020) (under evaluation)

Pulmonary surfactant (PS) is at the first line of innate defence in the lung



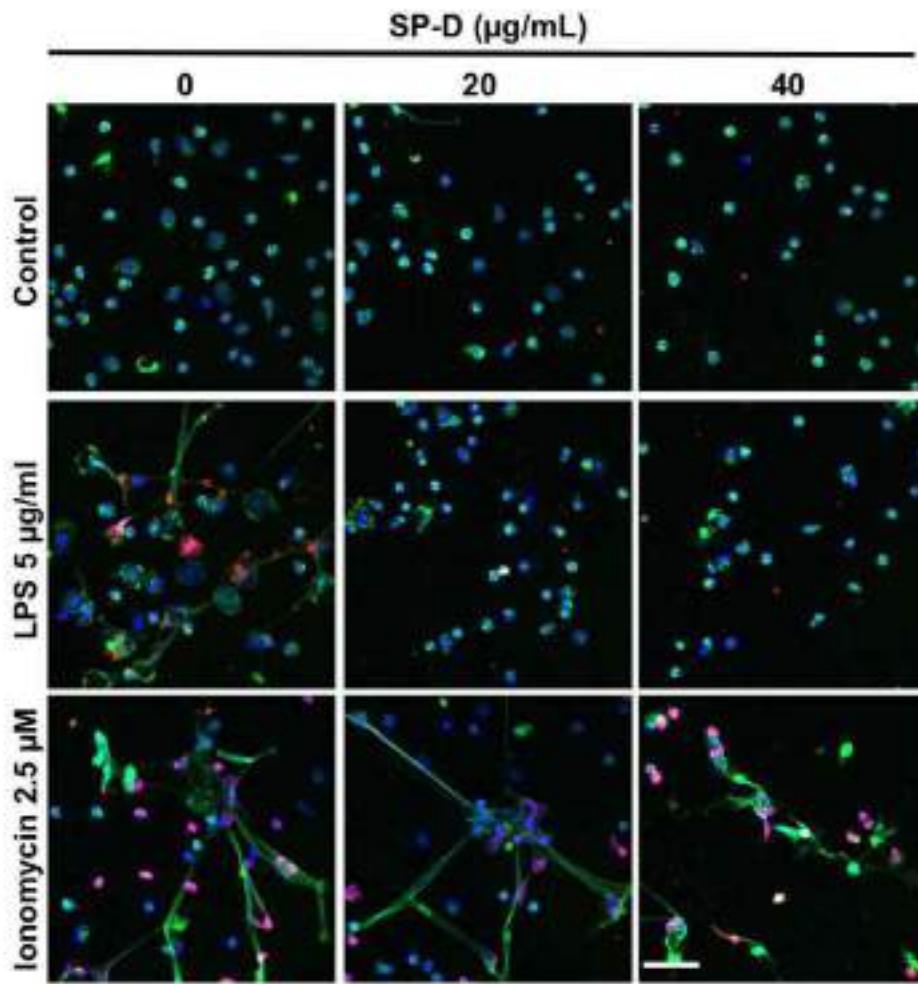
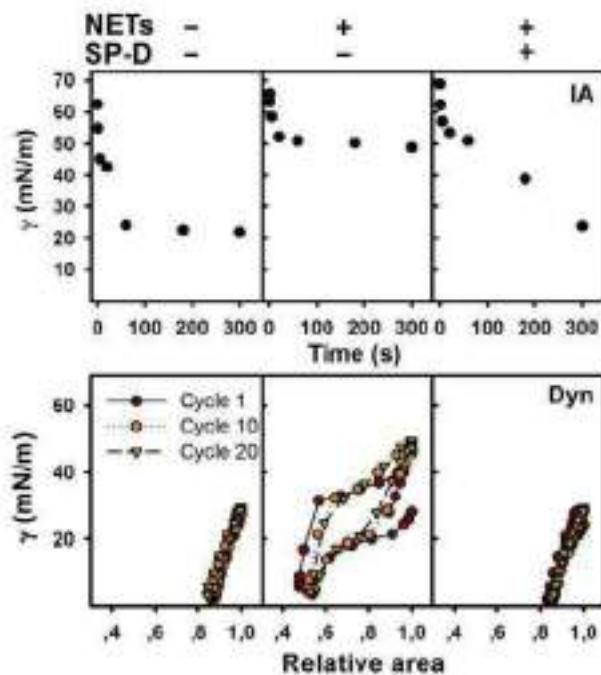


Fig. 3 LPS (O128:B12) induces citrullination of Histone 3 (citrH3) during NETosis and SP-D suppresses LPS-induced citrH3 formation. Neutrophils were

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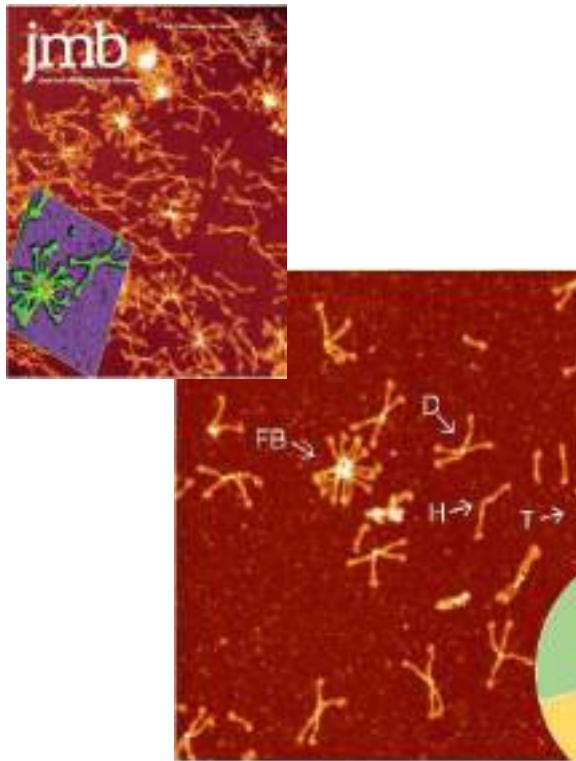
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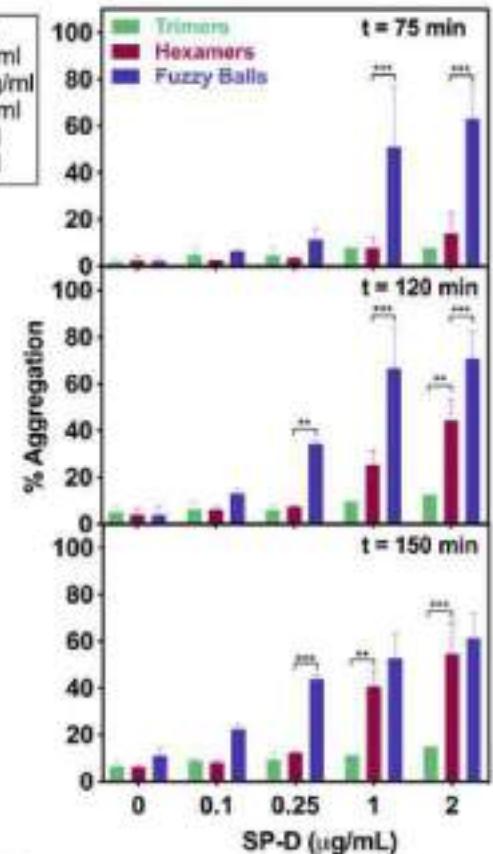
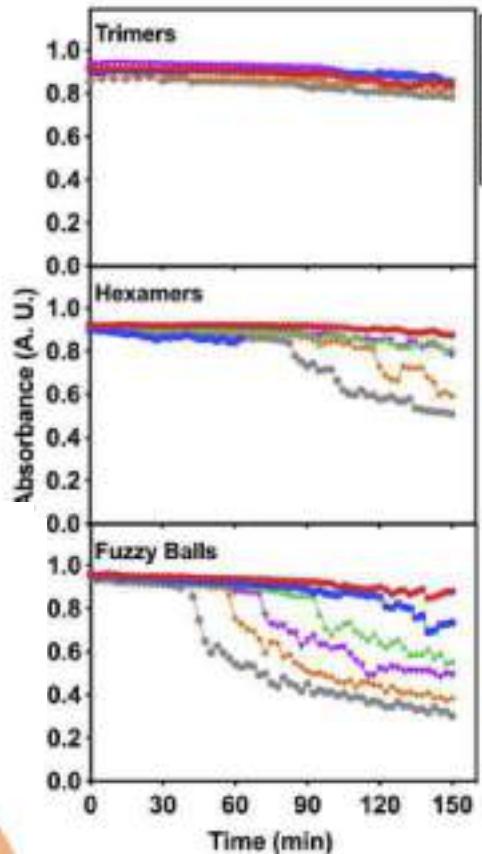
SP-D attenuates LPS-induced formation of human neutrophil extracellular traps (NETs), protecting pulmonary surfactant inactivation by NETs

Raquel Arroyo^{1,2,3}, Meraj Alam Khan^{1,4}, Mercedes Echaide^{1,7}, Jesús Pérez-Gil^{1,2,*} & Nades Palaniyak^{3,4}

Agglutination of bacteria depends on the oligomeric state of surfactant protein SP-D

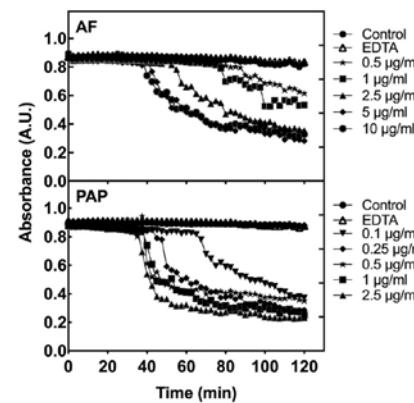
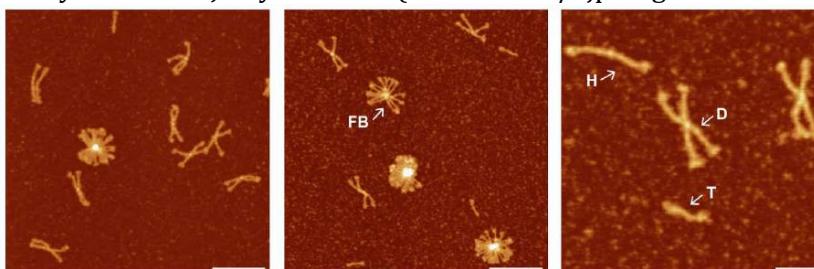


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Agglutination of bacteria by human SP-D from amniotic fluid

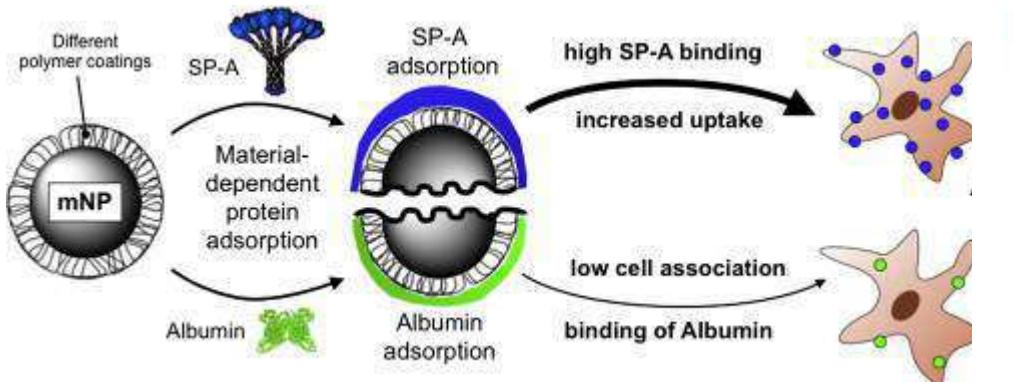
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SURFACE-COATING AND SUBSEQUENT PROTEIN-COATING DEFINE NP UPTAKING BY MACROPHAGES

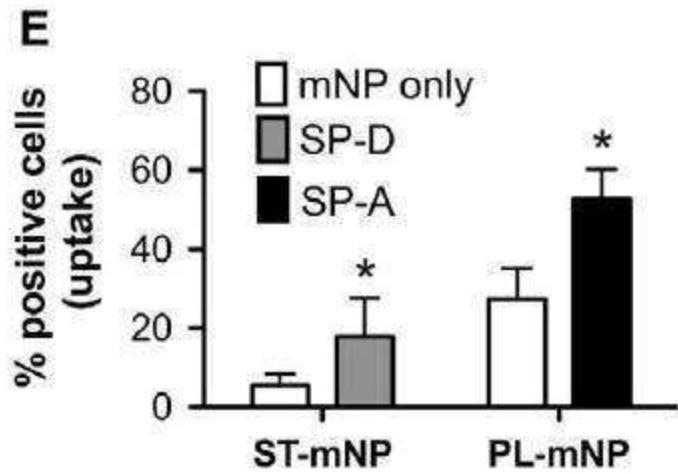
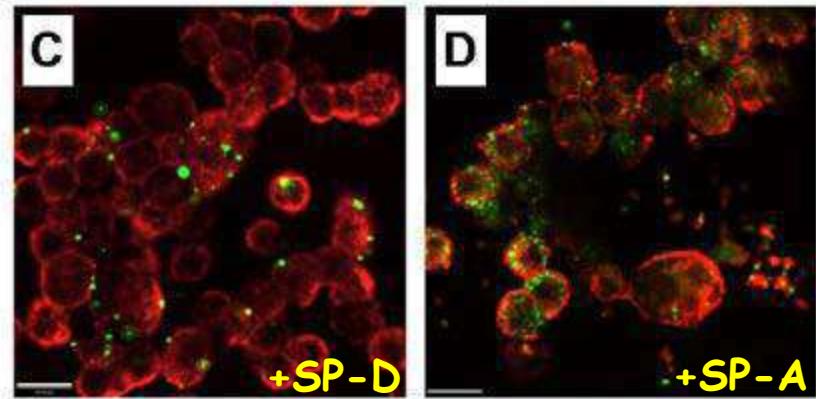
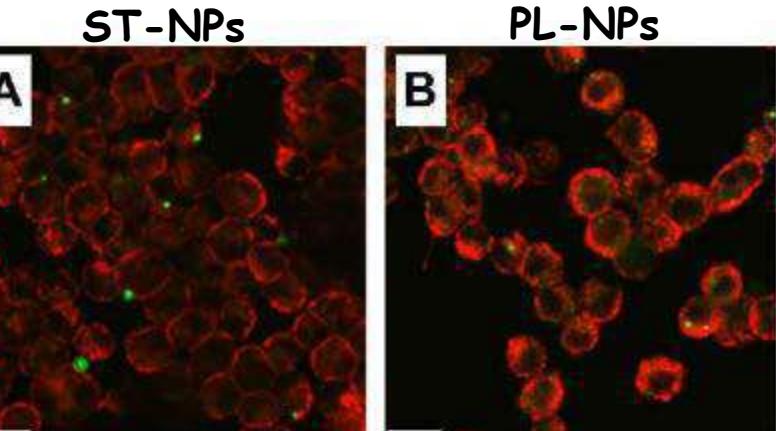


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-protein

+protein



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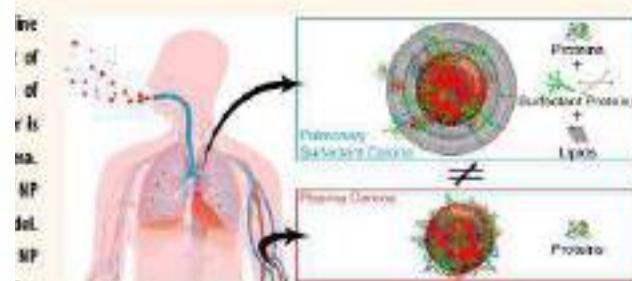
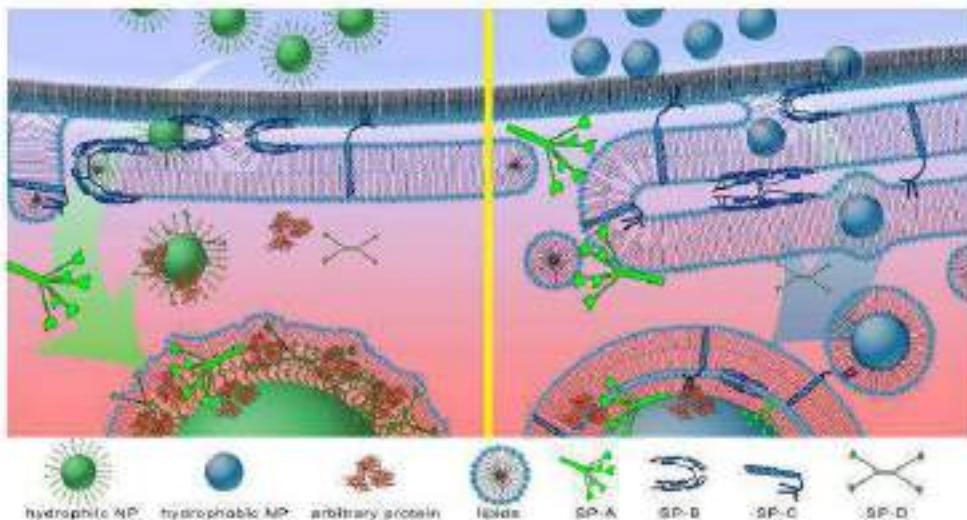


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Proteomic and Lipidomic Analysis of Nanoparticle Corona upon Contact with Lung Surfactant Reveals Differences in Protein, but Not Lipid Composition

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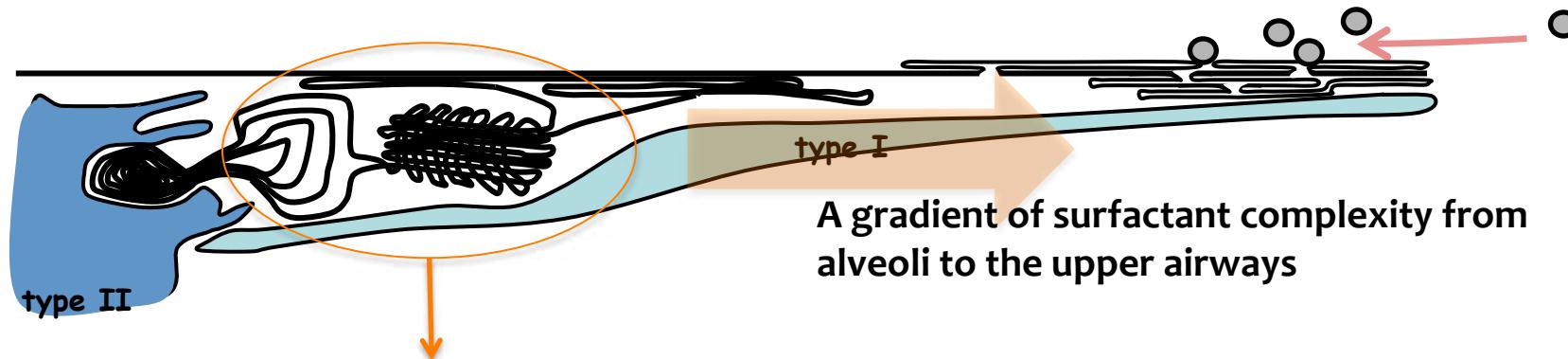
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Upon analysis for protein and LC–MS for lipid analysis, we quantitatively determined the corona in the coronas of all investigated NPs regardless of their surface properties, with only one analyzed NP displaying a marked difference in the protein corona, consisting of up to 417 differences between the NP coronas, there was a striking prevalence of molecules with a SP-B, DNMT1. Our data indicate that the selective adsorption of proteins mediates the basis of our lipidomic and proteomic analysis, we provide a detailed set of quantitative

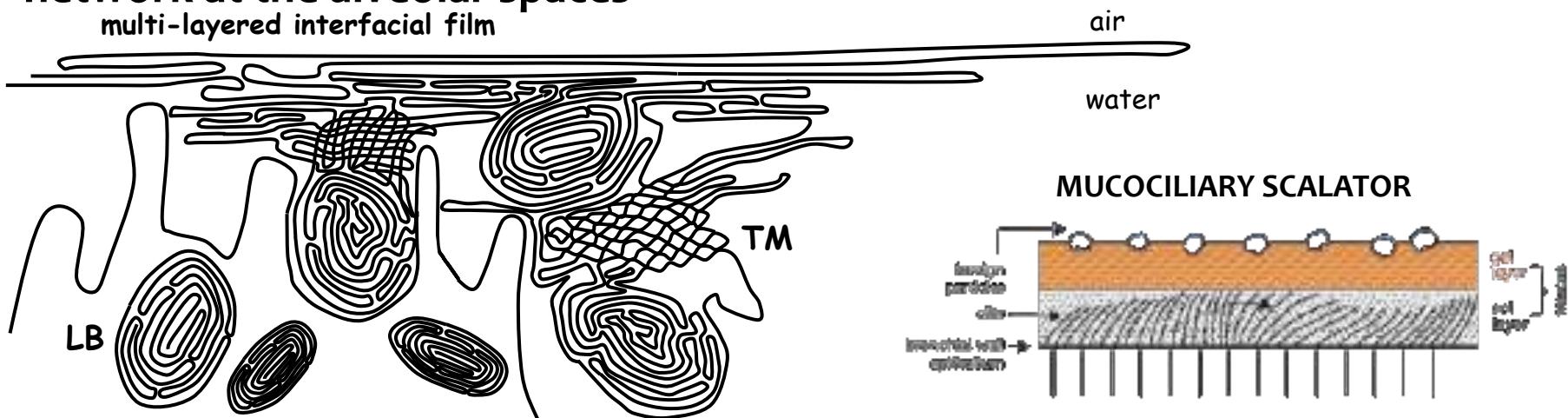
data on the composition of the surfactant corona formed upon NP inhalation, which is unique and markedly different to the plasma corona.

PULMONARY SURFACTANT as a complex body/environment interface



surfactant as a dense (bicontinuous) membrane network at the alveolar spaces

multi-layered interfacial film



type II pneumocyte

alveolar surface film

entry into the distal airways

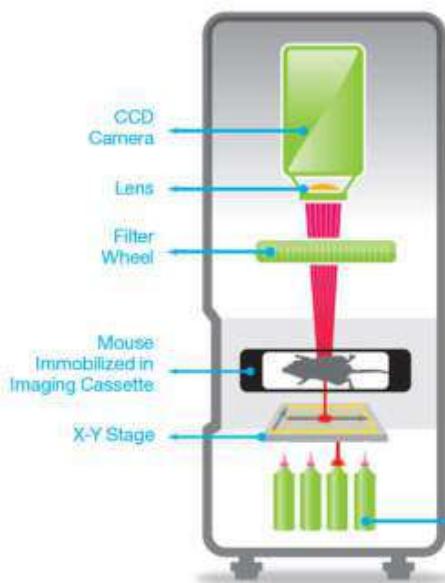
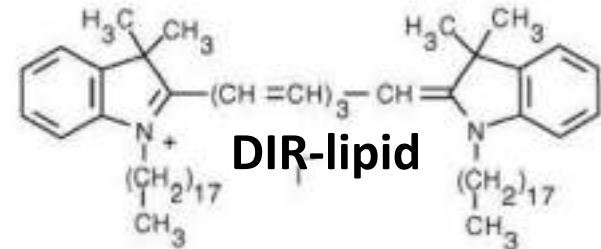
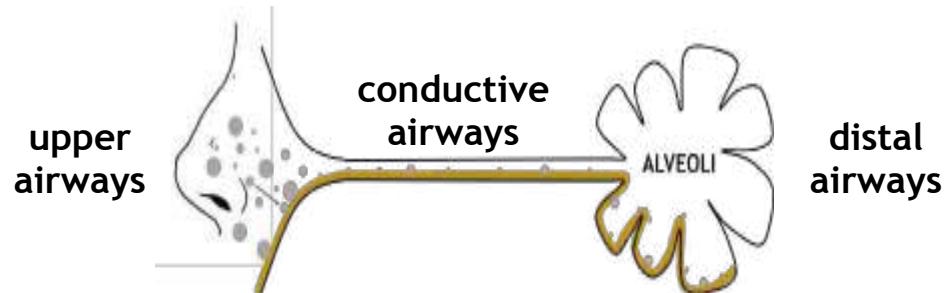
Marangoni flows

clearing towards the upper airways

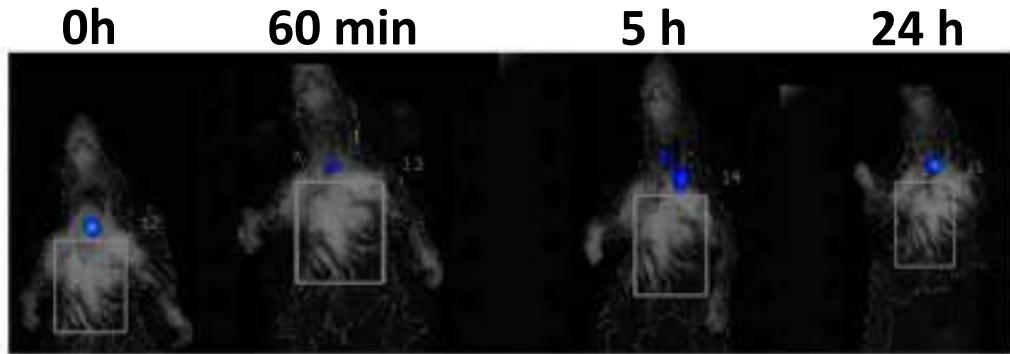
Surface tension gradient

BREATHING INTERFACIAL DYNAMICS

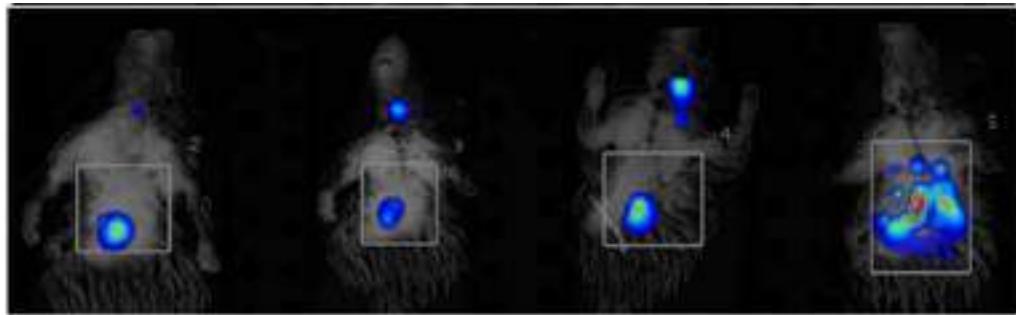
PULMONARY SURFACTANT spreads at the respiratory surface



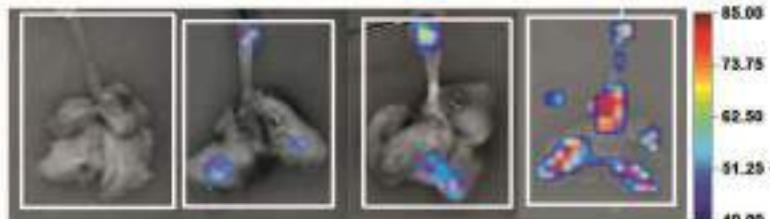
**negative control
(lipids)**



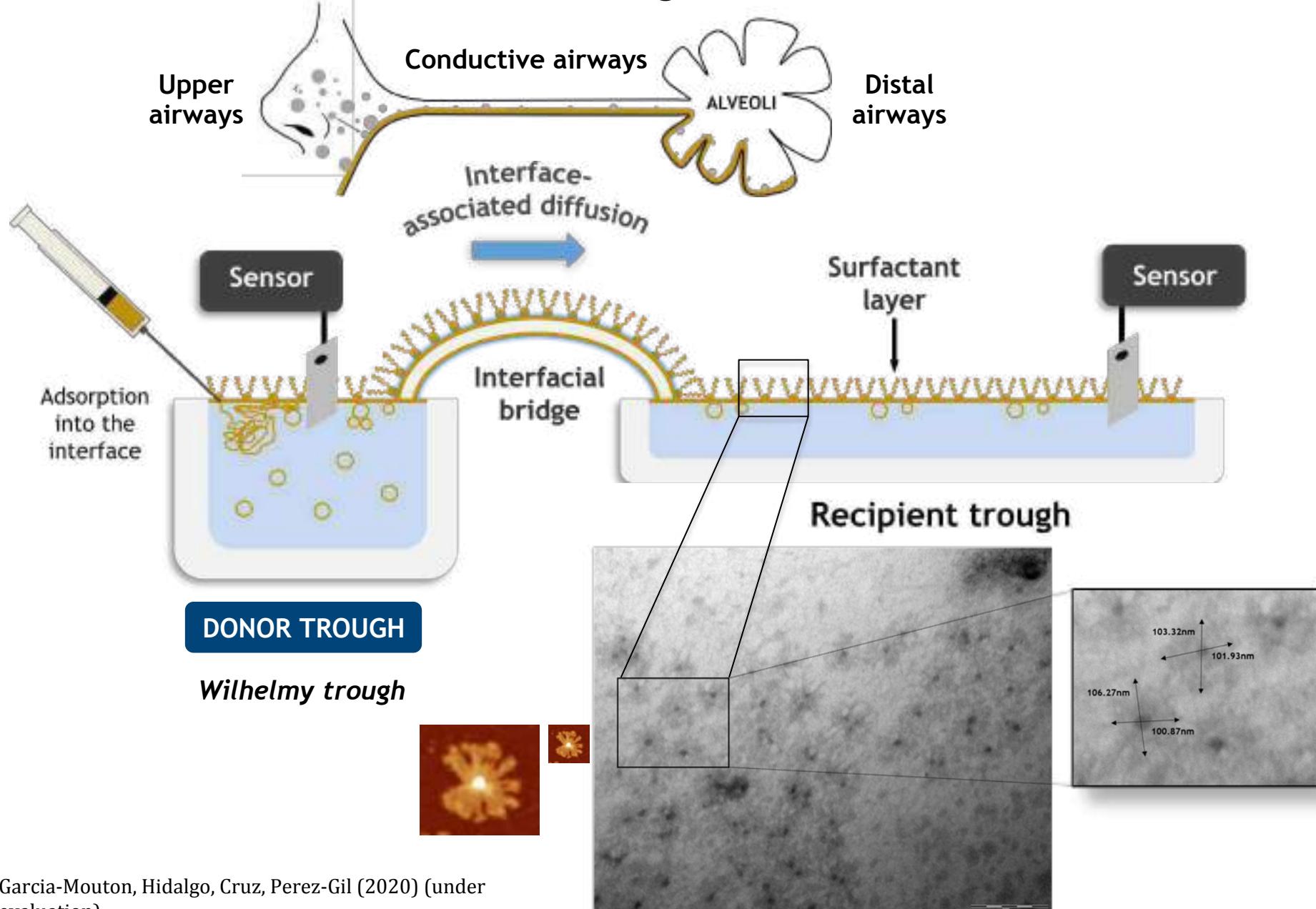
**whole surfactant
(lipids + proteins)**



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SURFACTANT PROTEINS and LIPID-PROTEIN COMPLEXES use the air-liquid interface to distribute and spread to long distances



SUMMARY

- Lipid-protein surfactant complexes form **interconnected conductive networks** at the whole respiratory surface, which reduces surface tension but also efficiently distributes lipids and proteins (and gases)
- Different elements **in lung surfactant integrate signals between epithelial and innate immune cells** to coordinate affordable physiological responses
- **Inflammation and lung injury disrupts surfactant composition and structure** destabilizing the respiratory surface
- **Lung surfactant networks take part of an innate first line of defense** against pathogens and harmful entities through non-inflammatory pathways
- Surfactant interfacial networks act as conductive structures that facilitate an **efficient distribution of (surface-active, defense) molecules along the whole respiratory surface**. This can be used for enhanced inhaled delivery.



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