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Software and code

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Data collection	Chromatin state data were obtained from the Roadmap Epigenomics repository, transcription factor motif position weight matrices were obtained from HOCOMOCO version 11, and the fetal ATAC-seq data were obtained from the Descartes Atlas of Human Chromatin Accessibility during Development. All data was downloaded using the wget command.
Data analysis	<p>Data analysis was performed using R (version 4.0.1) and several commercially-available packages listed below;</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">- coxme (version 2.2-17)- igraph (version 1.3.2)- edgeR (version 3.30.3)- matrixStats (version 0.52.2)- preprocessCore (version 1.51.1) <p>WASP (version 0.2.2) and ASEReadCounter (version 3.4-46) were used to calculate allele-specific chromatin accessibility.</p> <p>All scripts developed to perform this study are available in GitHub (https://github.com/tdarthur40/ipsc_coaccessibility) and citable through Zenodo (https://zenodo.org/records/10481265).</p>

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The 222 iPSCORE hiPSC lines are available through WiCell Research Institute (www.wicell.org; NHLBI Next Gen Collection). The previously published FASTQ sequencing data for bulk RNA-seq and WGS have been deposited in dbGaP under the accession codes phs000924 (https://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/projects/gap/cgi-bin/study.cgi?study_id=phs000924.v4.p1) and phs001325 (https://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/projects/gap/cgi-bin/study.cgi?study_id=phs001325.v5.p1), respectively. The bulk ATAC-seq FASTQ files generated in this study have been deposited in Gene Expression Omnibus (GEO) under the accession code GSE203377 (<https://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/geo/query/acc.cgi?acc=GSE203377>). The TOBIAS transcription factor binding predictions, the TMM-normalized counts, the kinship matrix, and the reference narrow peak file have been deposited on Figshare (<https://figshare.com/account/home#/projects/136585>). Source data are provided with this paper.

Research involving human participants, their data, or biological material

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There were data from 219 subjects from the iPSCORE collection, including 97 males and 122 females used in this study. Sex was controlled for by including it as a covariate in the linear mixed model. Multiple ethnicities were represented in the data. Ethnicities were not directly accounted for, instead they were indirectly accounted for by using the top 20 PCs for global ancestry as covariates in the linear mixed model.

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As highlighted above, this study includes data generated from ethnically-diverse iPSCORE subjects. Subjects were not partitioned based on ethnicity, instead global ancestry was included as a covariate to correct for biological variability. The goal of the study is to characterize the epigenome which is mainly influenced by non-genetic factors, therefore we corrected for genetic factors.

Population characteristics

Our group previously published the PCs for global ancestry for all iPSCORE subjects. We used the top 20 PCs for global ancestry in this study.

Recruitment

The recruitment for the iPSCORE collection has been extensively detailed in previous publications from the consortium.

Ethics oversight

Recruitment of these individuals was approved by the Institutional Review Boards of the University of California, San Diego, and The Salk Institute (project no. 110776ZF).

Note that full information on the approval of the study protocol must also be provided in the manuscript.

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Life sciences study design

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Sample size

The sample size was dictated by the number of samples that we successfully generated molecular data for. We previously generated RNA-seq data for iPSCs derived 222 iPSCORE subjects of which 213 had paired whole genome sequencing. For this study, we successfully generated 150 ATAC-seq libraries for 143 iPSC lines derived from 133 iPSCORE subjects. Six subjects only had ATAC-seq, resulting in a total of 219 iPSCORE subjects with data used in this study.

Data exclusions

In the manuscript, we highlight quality control thresholds that were used to determine which ATAC-seq samples would be included in the analysis. Libraries that did not meet the quality thresholds for number of reads passing filters, number of peaks and fragment size were discarded.

Replication

In the study, we systematically generated 150 ATAC-seq libraries for 143 iPSC lines from 133 iPSCORE subjects. Seven iPSC lines had multiple libraries which served as technical replicates. Additionally, we extensively outlined the procedure for sample processing and analysis in the Methods to ensure that the data can be reliably reproduced.

Randomization

Samples were not grouped, therefore the study design was not suitable for randomization. We accounted for variability by the inclusion of covariates for technical (ie. number of reads, passage number, etc.) and biological (ie. sex, global ancestry, etc.) attributes in the linear mixed model.

Blinding was not applicable to the study design because the technical and biological variability was controlled for using covariates. Sample classification was not required to achieve the objective of the study.

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Eukaryotic cell lines

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Cell line source(s)	iPSCs were derived from 219 iPSCORE subjects. The derivation protocol was extensively detailed in previous publications from the iPSCORE consortium.
Authentication	The derivation was conducted internally in Dr. Kelly A Frazer's lab. To confirm sample labeling, sample identity check was performed on all iPSCs using their genotype data.
Mycoplasma contamination	All lines were routinely checked for mycoplasma contamination and tested negative.
Commonly misidentified lines (See ICLAC register)	This doesn't apply to the study because the iPSCs were derived internally and their identities were confirmed.