

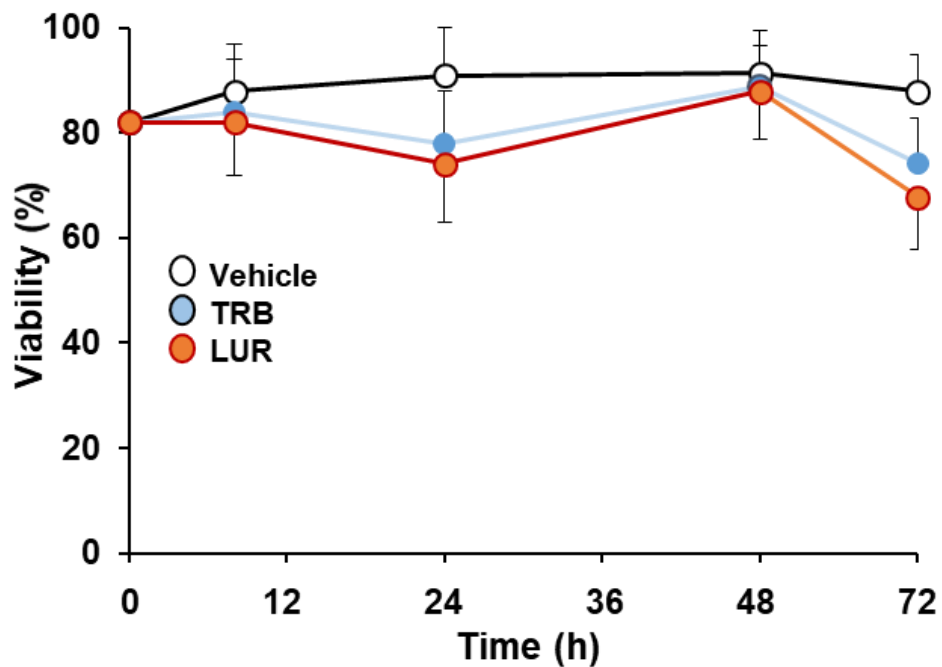
Supplementary material

Supplementary Table 1. Metabolic flux modulation of succinate and α -KG mitochondrial transport by TRB and LUR. Results are shown as the log2FC value of the treatment vs. the control for each reaction. Bold values indicate the log2FC of the summatory of each group of reaction fluxes. Identifier: BIGG Models ID.

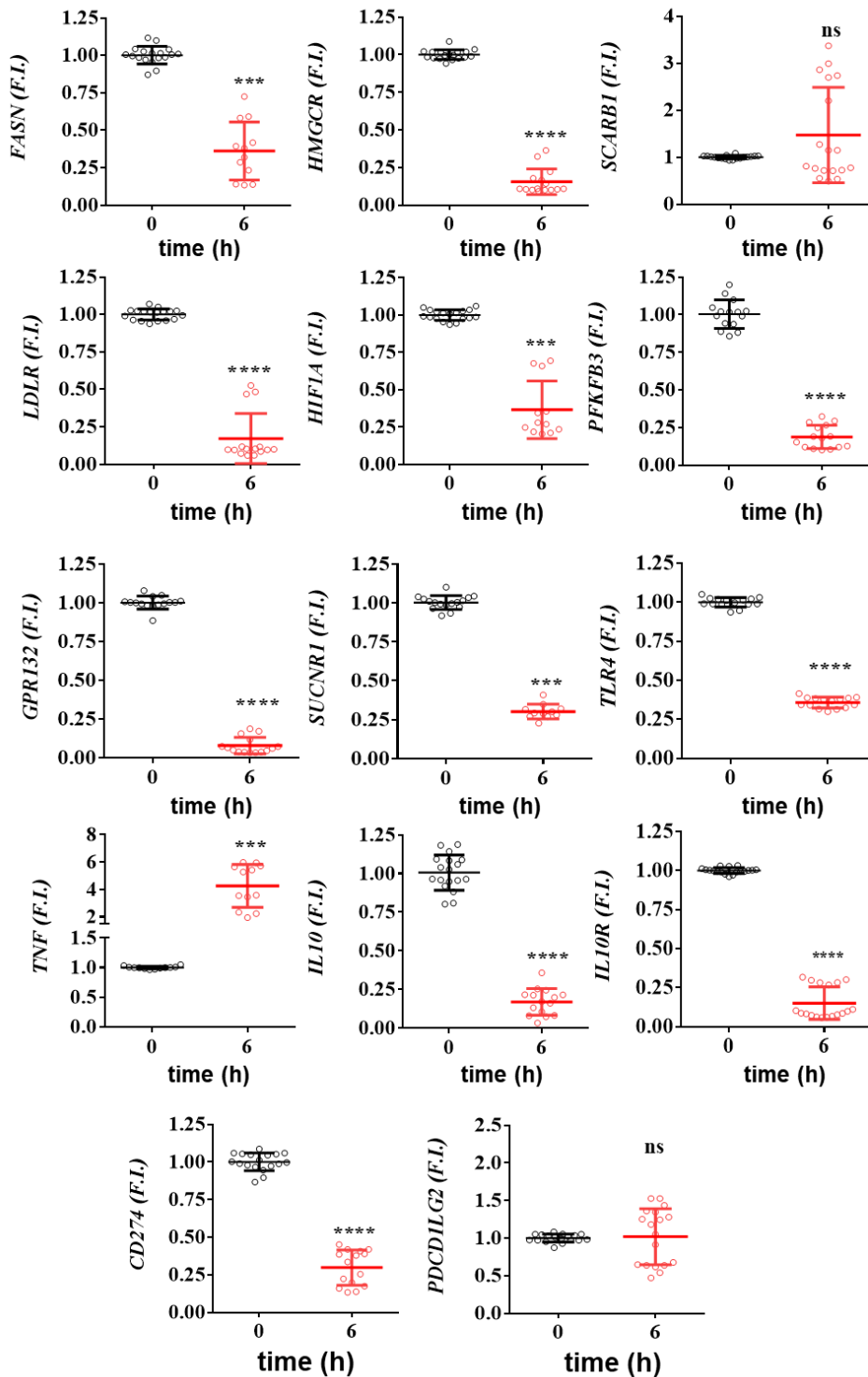
			log2FC	
Formula			TRB	LUR
Succinate	SUCCtm	$\text{pi_m} + \text{succ_c} \rightleftharpoons \text{pi_c} + \text{succ_m}$	-0.4701	-0.6327
	r0819	$\text{akg_c} + \text{succ_m} \rightleftharpoons \text{akg_m} + \text{succ_c}$	0.9629	1.9298
	r0829	$\text{so4_m} + \text{succ_c} \rightleftharpoons \text{so4_c} + \text{succ_m}$	0.4167	-0.9041
	r0830	$\text{so3_m} + \text{succ_c} \rightleftharpoons \text{so3_c} + \text{succ_m}$	0.4612	0.6045
	SUCFUMtm	$\text{fum_m} + \text{succ_c} \rightleftharpoons \text{fum_c} + \text{succ_m}$	0.0543	0.0957
			-1.1134	-5.9328
α-Ketoglutarate	AKGMALtm	$\text{akg_m} + \text{mal_L_c} \rightleftharpoons \text{akg_c} + \text{mal_L_m}$	0.9935	0.9255
	2OXOADPTm	$2\text{oxoadp_c} + \text{akg_m} \rightleftharpoons 2\text{oxoadp_m} + \text{akg_c}$	0.8480	0.6435
	r2419	$\text{akg_c} + \text{pi_m} \rightarrow \text{akg_m} + \text{pi_c}$	1.1553	2.0584
	r2520	$\text{akg_m} + \text{gthrd_c} \rightleftharpoons \text{akg_c} + \text{gthrd_m}$	0.9635	0.9385
	r0819	$\text{akg_c} + \text{succ_m} \rightleftharpoons \text{akg_m} + \text{succ_c}$	0.9629	1.9298
			1.2541	2.0675

Supplementary Table 2. mRNA primer sequences (human sequences; 5'–3').

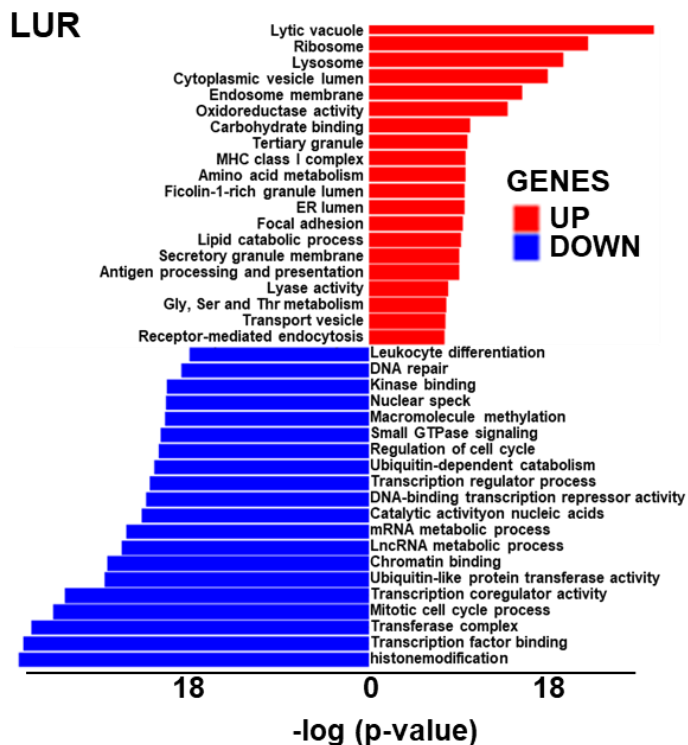
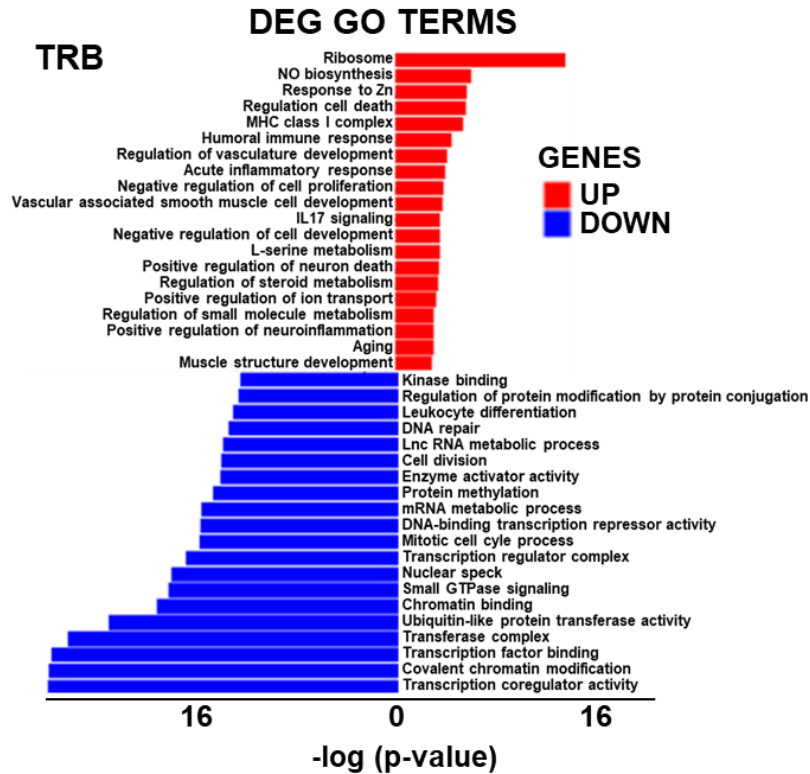
mRNA	Forward primers sequences	Reverse primers sequences
<i>ARG1</i>	GTCTGTGGGAAAAGCAAGCG	CACCAGGGTGATTCTTCCGT
<i>CD274</i>	TGGCATTGCTGAACGCATTT	TGCAGCCAGGTCTAATTGTTTT
<i>CXCL10</i>	GTGGCATTCAAGGAGTACCTC	TGATGCCCTTCGATTCTGGATT
<i>FASN</i>	AAGGACCTGTCTAGGTTTGATGC	TGGCTTCATAGGTGACTTCCA
<i>GPR132</i>	TGTTCCAGACGGAAGACAAGG	GCGTAGTAGTACCCGGCAA
<i>HIF1A</i>	GAACGTCGAAAAGAAAAGTCTCG	CCTTATCAAGATGCGAACTCACA
<i>HMGCR</i>	TGATTGACCTTTCCAGAGCAAG	CTAAAATTGCCATTCCACGAGC
<i>HMOX1</i>	AGTCTTCGCCCCTGTCTACT	CTTCACATAGCGCTGCATGG
<i>IL10</i>	CGAGATGCCTTCAGCAGAGT	CGCCTTGATGTCTGGGTCTT
<i>IL10RA</i>	CTGAAGAGCCCCAGTTCCTC	TCCCGCTGTCTGTGCTATTG
<i>IL6</i>	TTCACCAGGCAAGTCTCCTCA	CCTGAACCTTCCAAAGATGGC
<i>KCNA3</i>	AGTTCCGCGACGAGAAGGA	CGAAGAAGGGATCGGAGAAGC
<i>KCNJ2</i>	TTGCTTTGGCTCACTCGCTT	AAACACAGCAGCCCTTACCT
<i>KCNN4</i>	CCAGCCAGCAGTCCAAGTAG	CCCCTTAGCCACATAGGGTG
<i>LDLR</i>	TCTGCAACATGGCTAGAGACT	TCCAAGCATTGTTGGTCCC
<i>MRC1</i>	CCATCGAGGAAGAGGTTTCGG	GGTGGGTACTCCTTCTGCC
<i>ORAI1</i>	CTTCCTAGCTGAGGTGGTGC	TAAAGATCAGGCCGASGGGC
<i>PDCD1LG2</i>	ATTGCAGCTTCACCAGATAGC	AAAGTTGCATTCCAGGGTCAC
<i>PFKFB3</i>	TTGGCGTCCCCACAAAAGT	AGTTGTAGGAGCTGTACTGCTT
<i>PTGS2</i>	CGCAGTACAGAAAGTATCACAGGC	GCGTTTGCGGTACTCATTAATA
<i>RPLP0</i>	CAGGCGTCCTCGTGGAAGTGAC	CCAGGTCGCCCTGTCTTCCCT
<i>SCARB1</i>	AATAAGCCCATGACCCTGAAGC	GCCCCACATGATCTCACCC
<i>STIM1</i>	GGATCTCAGAGGGATTTGACCC	TGTCAGGCAGTTTCTCCACC
<i>SUCNR1</i>	GGAGACGTGCTCTGCATAAG	AGGTGTTCTCGAAAGGATACTT
<i>TLR4</i>	TTTGGACAGTTTCCCACATTGA	AAGCATTCCCACCTTTGTTGG
<i>TNF</i>	CCAGAGGGAAGAGTTCCCCAGGG	AGGCTTGTA CT CGGGGTT CGAG



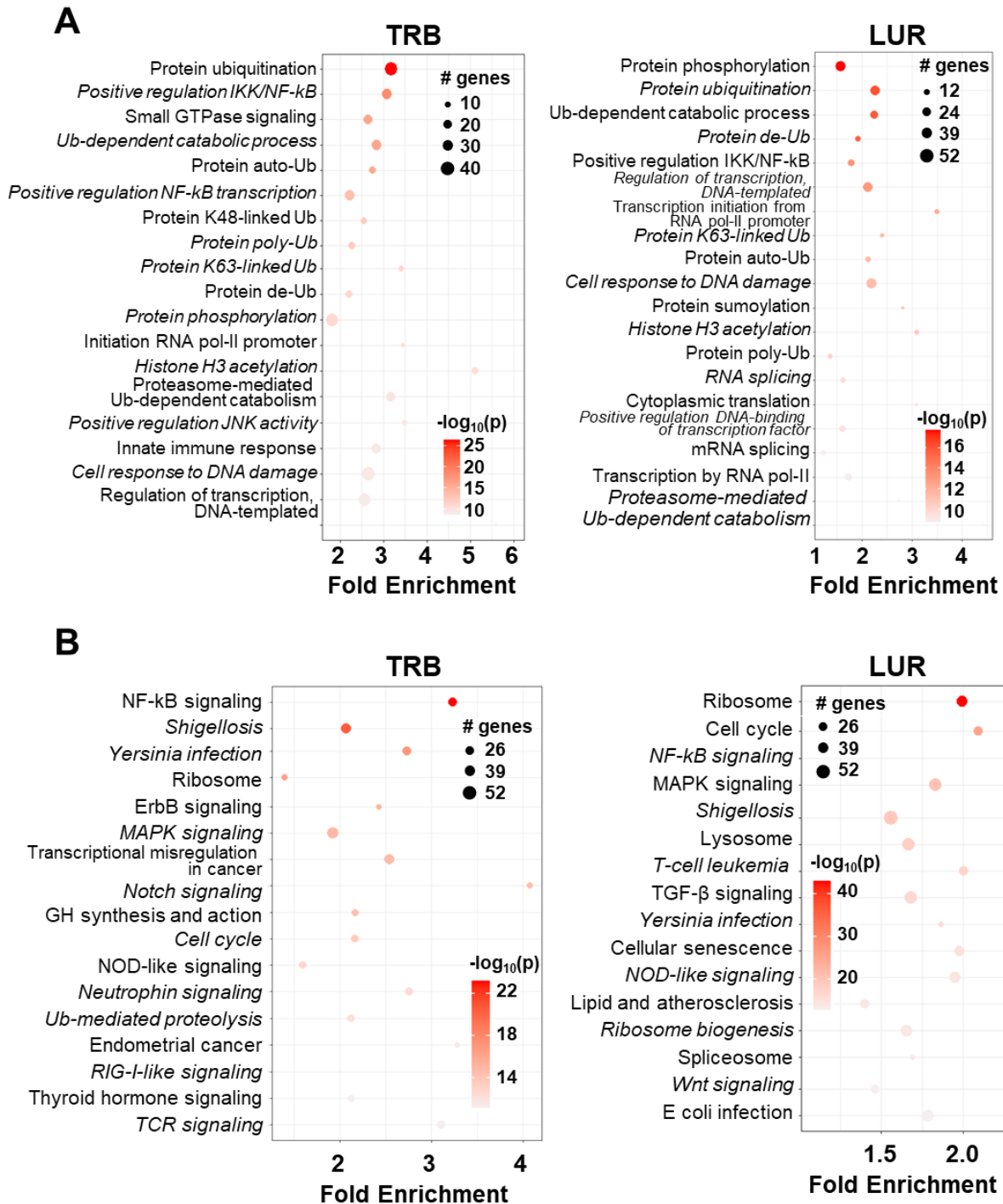
Suppl. Figure S1. Time-course of hMφ-R viability after treatment with TRB or LUR. Cells were treated for the indicated times with 50 nM of the drugs and the cell viability was determined as indicated in Methods. Results show the mean \pm SD of 10 different donors. No statistically significant differences were observed.



Suppl. Figure S2. hMφ-R differential gene expression time-course patterns after 6 hours of treatment with 100 nM LUR. hMφ-RNAs from healthy donors were isolated and underwent RT-qPCR analysis of the indicated genes. Results show the mean \pm SD of fold induction (F.I.) from 6 different donors assayed per triplicate. * $p < 0.05$; ** $p < 0.01$; *** $p < 0.001$; **** $p < 0.0001$ vs. 0 hours with vehicle. **ns**, not statistically significant.



Suppl. Figure S3. RNAseq overlapping transcriptome of hMφ-R after treatment for 6 hours with 100 nM TRB and LUR. Data were obtained after differential gene expression analysis by gene ontology functional annotation. Results show the mean log₂ of fold induction (F.I.) from 5 different donors vs. 6 hours with vehicle.

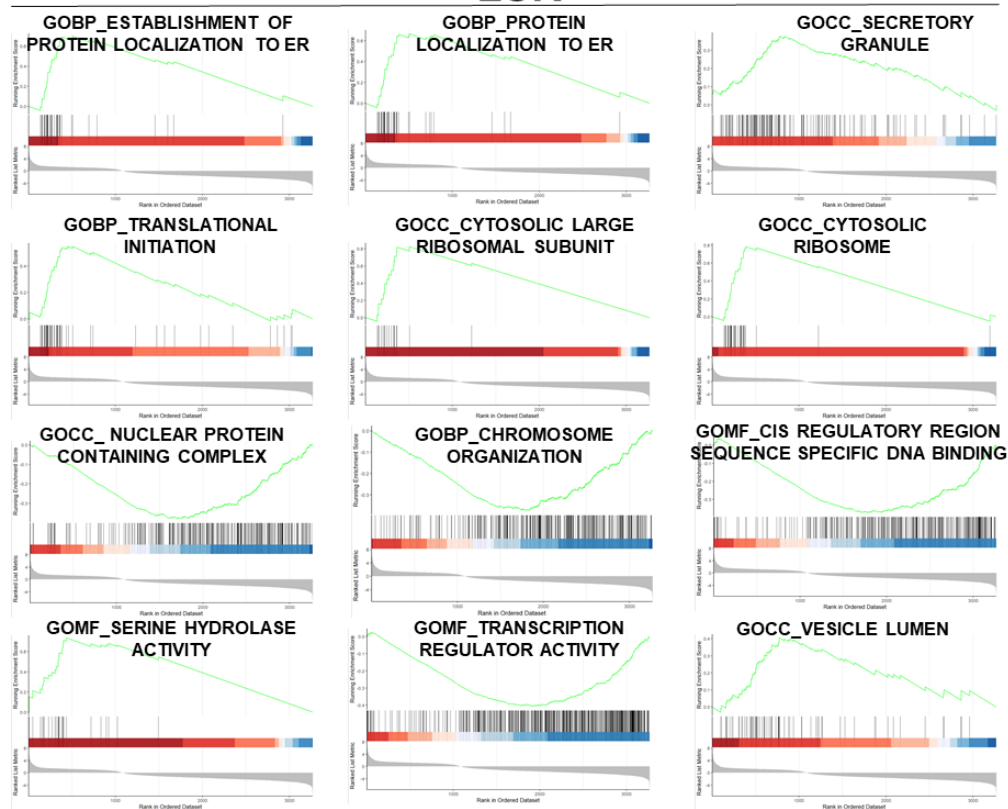


Suppl. Figure S4. Gene ontology functional annotation of biological process in hMφ-R after 6 hours of treatment with 100 nM TRB or LUR (pathfindR). (A) Results show the mean log2 fold of enrichment from 5 different donors vs. 6 hours with vehicle. (B). KEGG gene ontology functional annotation of biological process in hMφ-R after treatment with TRB or LUR (pathfindR). Results show the mean log2 fold of enrichment from 5 different donors vs. 6 hours with vehicle.

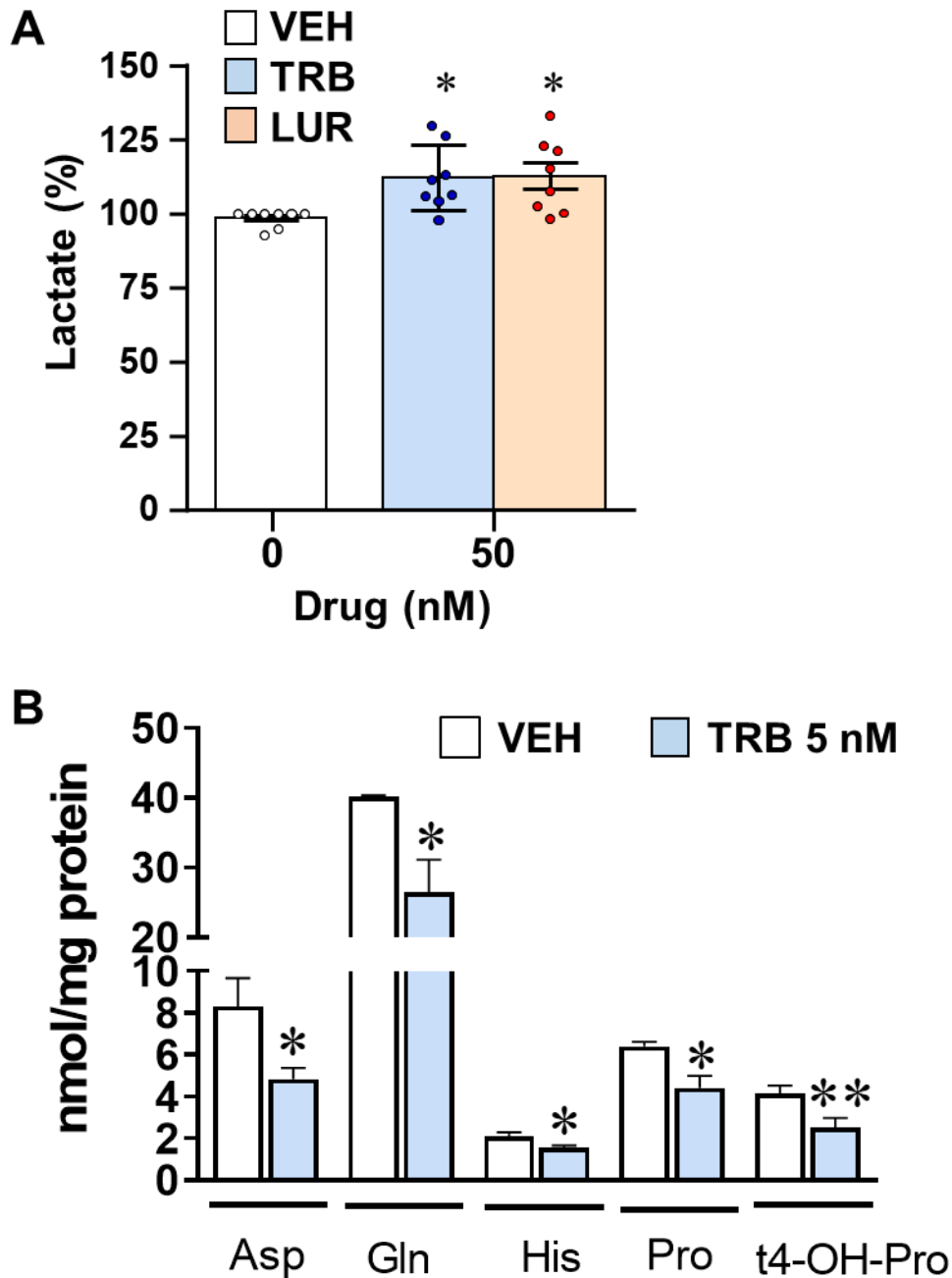
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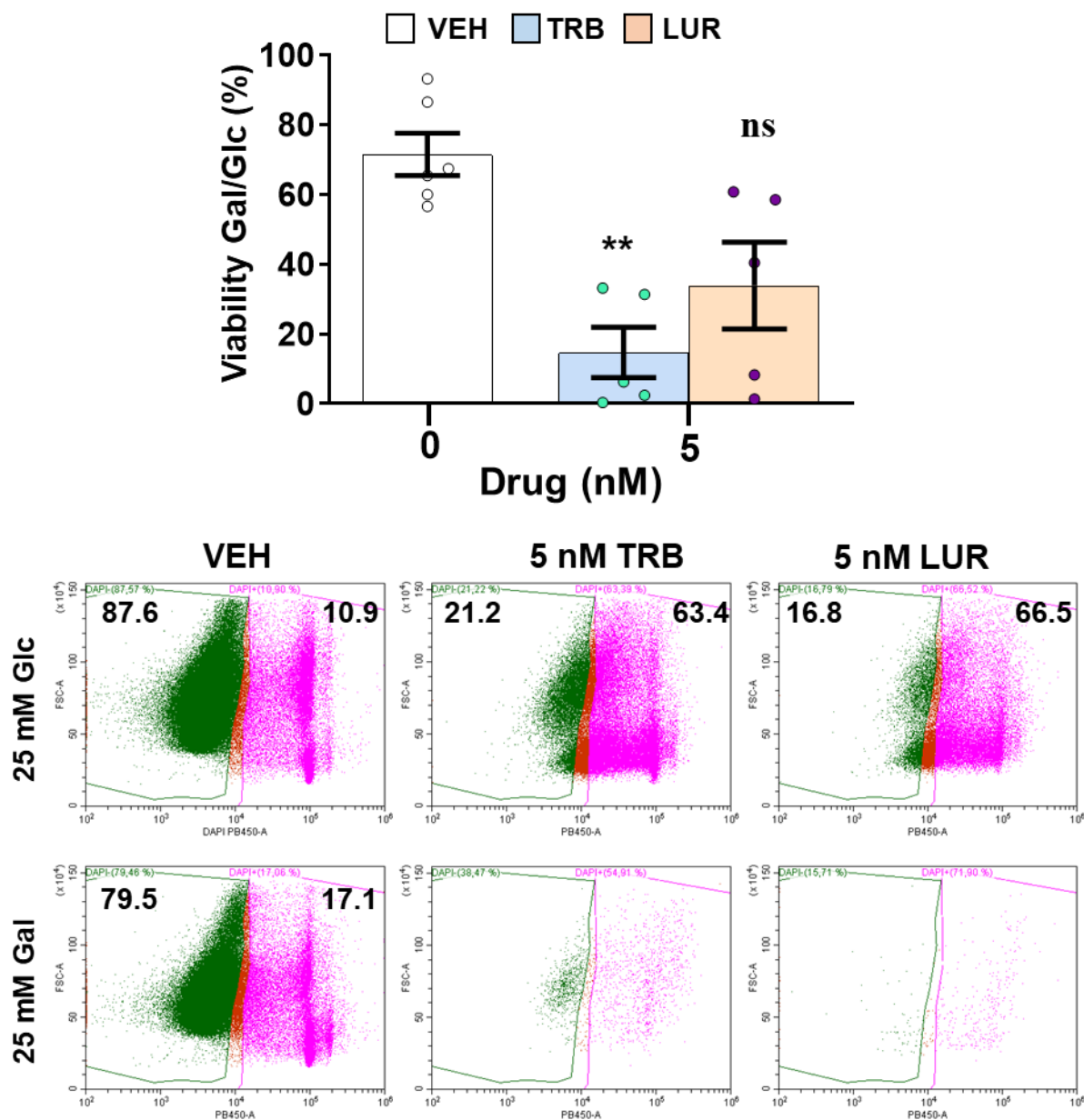


Suppl. Figure S6. RNAseq functional annotation in hMφ-R after 6 hours of treatment with 100 nM TRB or LUR. hMφ-R-RNAs from healthy donors. Results show the mean log2 of fold induction (F.I.) from 5 different treated donors vs. 6 hours with vehicle.

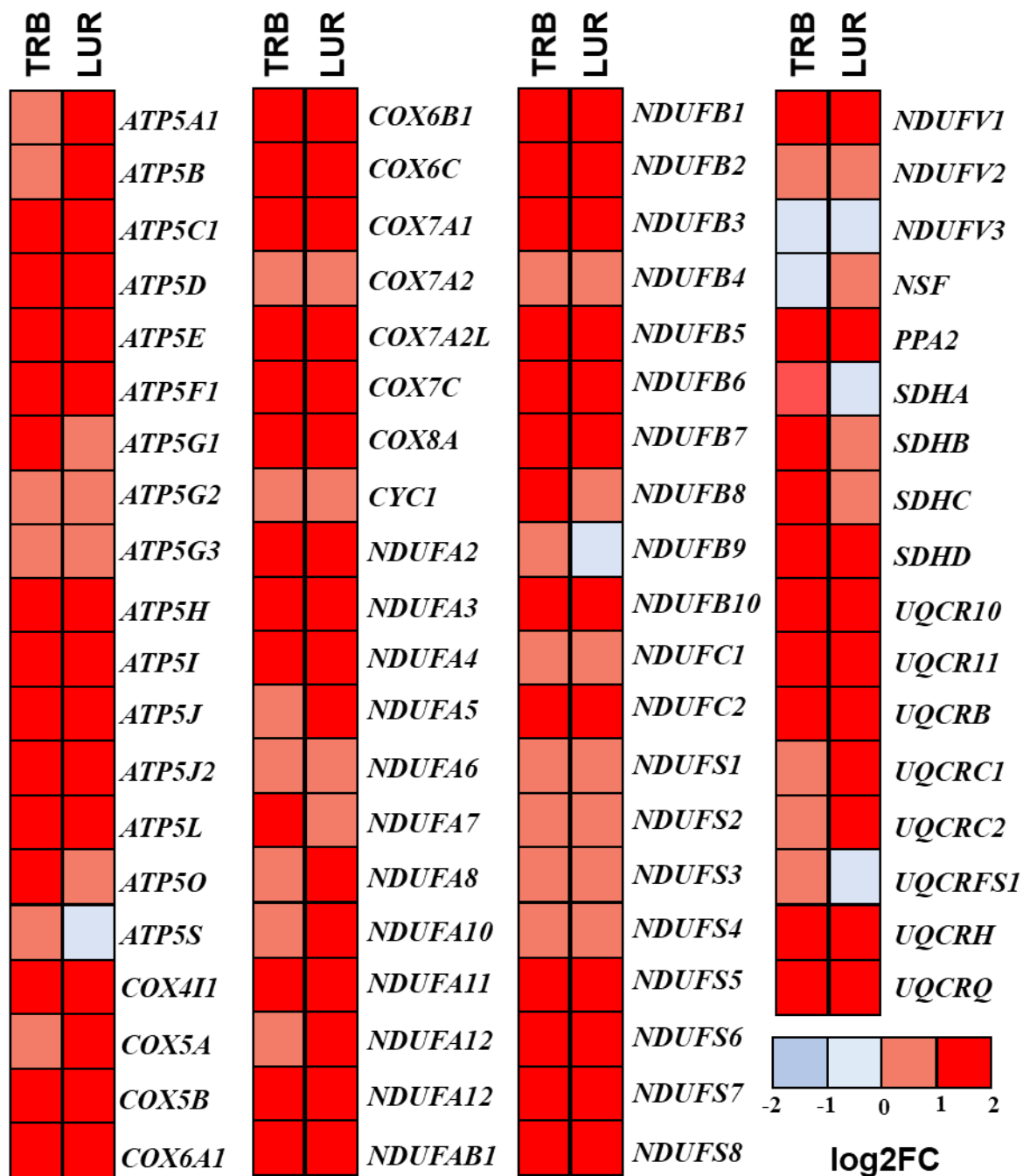


Suppl. Figure 7. Immunometabolic reprogramming of hMφ-R in the presence of TRB or LUR.

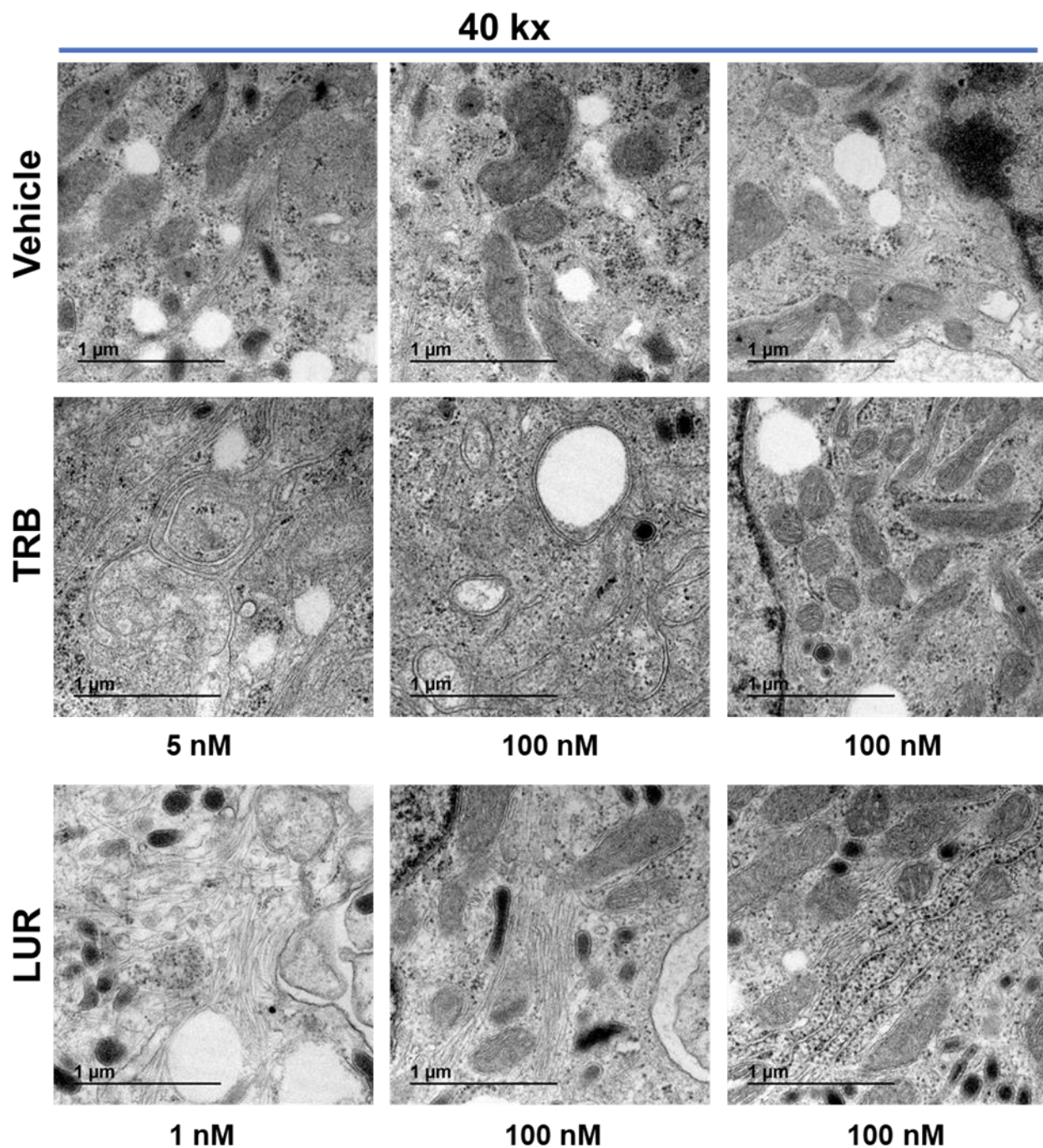
(A) hMφ-R lactate accumulation in the culture medium after 16h of treatment with 50 nM TRB or LUR. Results show the mean \pm SD (% vs. untreated cells) from 8 different healthy donors assayed per triplicate. (B) hMφ-R cell pellets were analyzed after 16h of treatment with TRB by BIOCRATES Absolute/IDQ® p180 kit. Results show the mean \pm SD of the amino acid concentration from 3 different healthy donors. * $p < 0.05$; ** $p < 0.01$ vs. the vehicle condition.



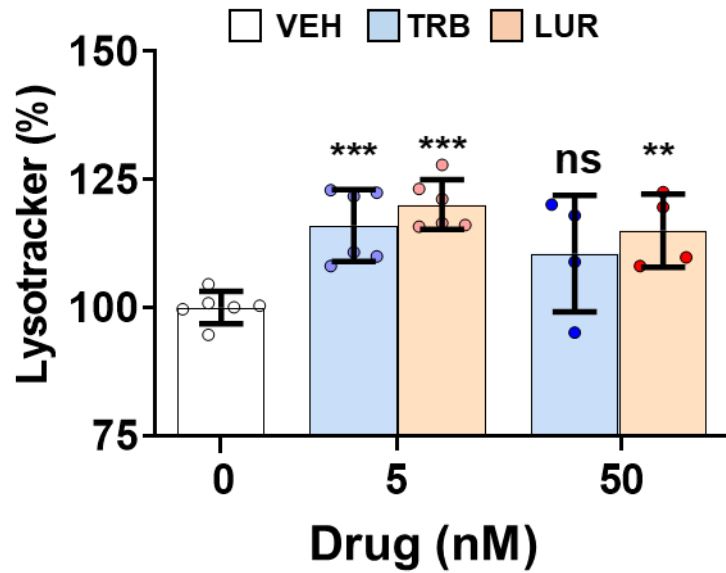
Suppl. Figure S8. Mitochondrial function impairment in hMφ-R maintained in 25 mM glucose (Glc) or galactose (Gal) as hexose source and in the presence of TRB or LUR. hMφ-R were incubated in RPMI1640 medium and Glc or Gal as hexose substrate. Cells were treated for 72h with 5 nM TRB or LUR. Results show the mean \pm SD of the indicated parameters (expressed in %) from 6 different healthy donors. ** $p < 0.01$ vs. the vehicle condition.



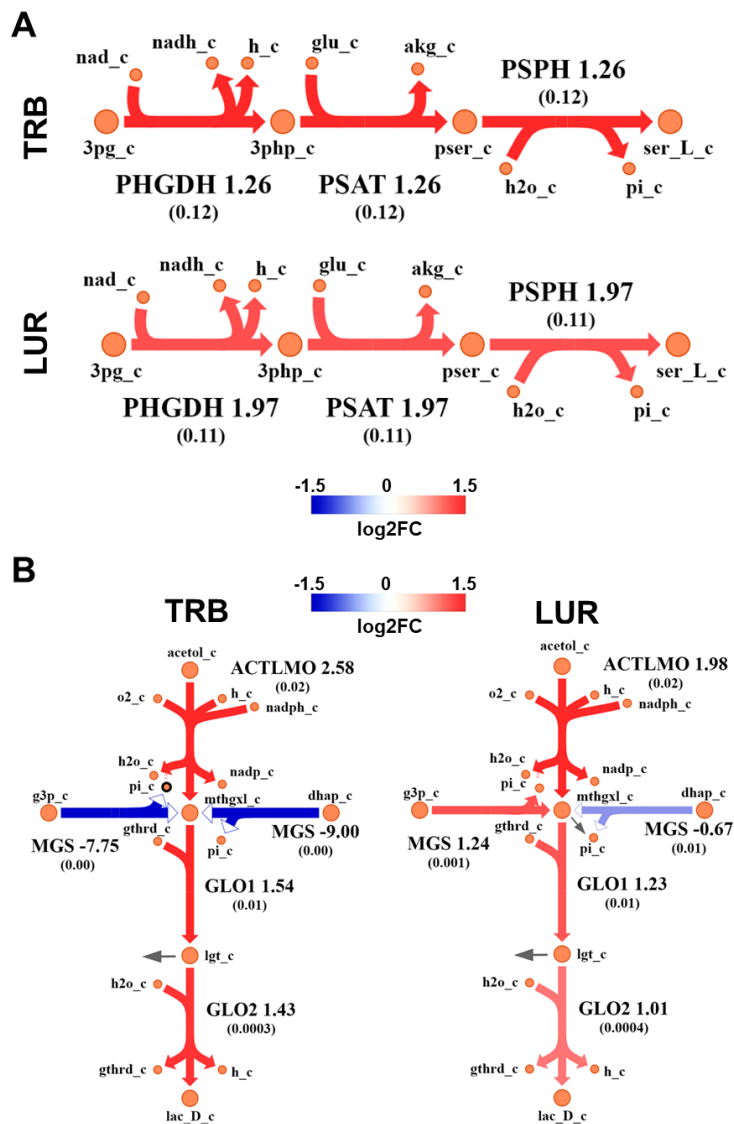
Suppl. Figure S9. RNAseq hMφ-R genes involved in mitochondrial function after treatment of the cells with TRB or LUR. Results show the graphical representation of the abundance of the indicated genes as the mean log2 of fold induction (F.I.) from 5 different donors vs. 6 hours with vehicle



Suppl. Figure S10. Transmission Electron Microscopy of hMφ-R incubated with TRB or LUR. Representative images from hMφ-R cells were analyzed after 24h of treatment with the indicated concentrations of TRB or LUR.



Suppl. Figure S11. Effect of TRB and LUR on the labeling of lysosome trafficking. hMφ-R were treated for 24h with the indicated concentrations of TRB and LUR and the fluorescence of the lysotracker was quantified by flow cytometry as indicated in the Methods sections. Results show the mean \pm SD of the indicated parameters (expressed in %) from 6 different healthy donors. ** $p < 0.01$; *** $p < 0.001$ vs. the vehicle condition.



Suppl. Figure 12. Metabolic flux map of TRB and LUR modulation of the PHGDH and methylglyoxal pathways in hMφ-R. (A) Flux upregulation and downregulation are shown in red and blue, respectively. Each reaction is presented as the enzyme/transporter ID, associated log2FC value of the flux, and the predicted flux value (parenthesis). PHGDH: 3-phosphoglycerate dehydrogenase; PSAT: phosphoserine aminotransferase; PSPH: phosphoserine phosphatase; 3pg: 3-phosphoglycerate; 3php: 3-phosphopyruvate; pser: phosphoserine; ser_L: L-serine; glu: glutamate; akg: α-ketoglutarate; pi: inorganic phosphate; nad(h): nicotinamide adenine dinucleotide; _c: cytosolic. (B) Methylglyoxal flux upregulation and downregulation are shown in red and blue, respectively. Each reaction is presented as the enzyme/transporter ID, associated log2FC value of the flux, and the predicted flux value (parenthesis). ACTLMO: acetol monooxygenase; GLO1: glyoxalase 1; GLO2: glyoxalase 2; MGS: methylglyoxal synthesis; mthgxl: methylglyoxal; lgt: lactoylglutathione; lac_D: D-lactate; dhap: dihydroxyacetone phosphate; g3p: glyceraldehyde-3-phosphate; h: proton; nadp(h): nicotinamide adenine dinucleotide phosphate; gthrd: reduced glutathione; pi: inorganic phosphate; _c: cytosolic; _m: mitochondrial. *: In this case, although the log2FC indicates a smaller flux, the direction of the reaction has changed, if compared to the control.