



Supplemental Figure S1. Effects of ATRA on the immunolabeling of ECM proteins of the TGF-β2 untreated or treated 2D and 3D HTM cells.

2D and 3D HTM cells untreated and treated with TGF-β2 (TGFβ, 5 ng/ml) were subjected to immunolabeling for *COL 1*, *COL 4*, *COL 6*, *FN* and *αSMA* in the presence or absence of 10 μM ATRA. Experiments were repeated in duplicate (n=5 in each, total n=10). Representative merged images of ECM staining (green) with DAPI (blue) and Phalloidin (red) are shown in panels A (2D) and B (3D).

Supplemental Table S1 Sequences of primers of qPCR

		Sequence	Exon Location	RefSeq Number	Product Length (bp)
human RPLP0 ^{*1}	Probe	5'-/56-FAM/CCCTGTCTT/ZEN/CCCTGGGCATCAC/3IABkFQ/-3'	2-3	NM_001002	143
	Primer2	5'-TCGTCTTTAAACCCGTGCGTG-3'			
	Primer1	5'-TGTCTGCTCCCACAATGAAAC-3'			
human COL1A1 ^{*1}	Probe	5'-/56-FAM/TCGAGGGCC/ZEN/AAGACGAAGACATC/3IABkFQ/-3'	1-2	NM_000088	115
	Primer2	5'-GACATGTTTCAGCTTTGTGGAC-3'			
	Primer1	5'-TTCTGTACGCAGGTGATTGG-3'			
human COL4A1 ^{*1}	Probe	5'-/56-FAM/TCATACAGA/ZEN/CTTGGCAGCGGCT/3IABkFQ/-3'	51-52	NM_001845	142
	Primer2	5'-AGAGAGGAGCGAGATGTTCA-3'			
	Primer1	5'-TGAGTCAGGCTTCATTATGTTCT-3'			
human COL6A1 ^{*1}	Probe	5'-/56-FAM/CAGGTTTCG/ZEN/GTCACAGCGGTAGT/3IABkFQ/-3'	2-3	NM_001848	114
	Primer2	5'-CCTCGTGGACAAAGTCAAGT-3'			
	Primer1	5'-GTGAGGCCTTGATGATCTC-3'			
human FN1 ^{*1}	Probe	5'-/56-FAM/TACAGCTTA/ZEN/TTCTCCCTCGCCCAG/3IABkFQ/-3'	3-4	NM_212482	129
	Primer2	5'-CGTCCTAAAGACTCCATGATCTG-3'			
	Primer1	5'-ACCAATCTTGTAGGACTGACC-3'			
human αSMA ^{*1}	Probe	5'-/56-FAM/AGACCCTGT/ZEN/TCCAGCCATCCTTC/3IABkFQ/-3'	8-9	NM_001613	105
	Primer2	5'-AGAGTTACGAGTTGCCTGATG-3'			
	Primer1	5'-CTGTTGTAGGTGGTTTCATGGA-3'			
human TIMP1 ^{*1}	Probe	5'-/56-FAM/TCAACCAGA/ZEN/CCACCTTATACCAGCG/3IABkFQ/-3'	2-4	NM_003254	121
	Primer2	5'-CCTTCTGCAATTCGACCT-3'			
	Primer1	5'-GCTTGGAACCCCTTATACATCTTG-3'			
human TIMP2 ^{*1}	Probe	5'-/56-FAM/TCTCATTGC/ZEN/AGGAAAGGCCGAGG/3IABkFQ/-3'	3-4	NM_003255	133
	Primer2	5'-GACGTTGGAGGAAAGAAGGA-3'			
	Primer1	5'-TGTGGTTCAGGCTCTTCTTC-3'			
human TIMP3 ^{*1}	Probe	5'-/56-FAM/CCTCCTTTA/ZEN/CCAGCTTCTTCCCCAC/3IABkFQ/-3'	1-3	NM_000362	112
	Primer2	5'-CCTTCTGCAACTCCGACATC-3'			
	Primer1	5'-CGGTACATCTTCATCTGCTTGA-3'			
human TIMP4 ^{*1}	Probe	5'-/56-FAM/ACTGAGGAC/ZEN/CTGACCAGTCAAGAGA/3IABkFQ/-3'	3-4	NM_003256	149
	Primer2	5'-GGTTTGAGAAAGTCAAGGATGTTTC-3'			
	Primer1	5'-GTTGCACAGATGGATGAAGAC-3'			
human MMP2 ^{*1}	Probe	5'-/56-FAM/TTCTGTCCCC/ZEN/CATGAAGCCCTGTTC/3IABkFQ/-3'	6-7	NM_004530	140
	Primer2	5'-TCCACCACCTACAACCTTTGAG-3'			
	Primer1	5'-GTGCAGCTGTCATAGGATGT-3'			
human MMP9 ^{*1}	Probe	5'-/56-FAM/CCAGGAGGA/ZEN/AAGGCGTGTGC/3IABkFQ/-3	3-4	NM_004994	123
	Primer2	5'-ACATCGTCATCCAGTTTGGTG-3'			
	Primer1	5'-CGTCGAAATGGGCGTCT-3'			
human MMP14 ^{*1}	Probe	5'-/56-FAM/TTGTTCCCTC/ZEN/AAAGTGCCTGTTTGCTC/3IABkFQ/-3	1-1	NM_004995	114
	Primer2	5'-TTCGCCGACTAAGCAGAAG-3'			
	Primer1	5'-CTTGAATTCCTAGACCGCTGT-3'			
human ZO1 ^{*1}	Probe	5'-/56-FAM/ACTGAATTA/ZEN/CCTTCACCATGTGCTCCC/3IABkFQ/-3'	24-25	NM_175610	117
	Primer2	5'-CGCGTCTCTCCACATACATTC-3'			
	Primer1	5'-GCTGGCTTATTCTGAGATGGA-3'			
human CLDN11 ^{*1}	Probe	5'-/56-FAM/TGACTGCCT/ZEN/GCTTTGTGCTACGT/3IABkFQ/-3'	2-3	NM_001185056	129
	Primer2	5'-CATGGATTTCAGAACCTGCATT-3'			
	Primer1	5'-GGAAGAACAGTCAGCAGCA-3'			
human Grp78 ^{*2}	Forward	5'-CATCACGCCGTCCTATGTCG-3'		NM_005347	215
	Reverse	5'-CGTCAAAGACCGTGTCTCG-3'			
human GRP94 ^{*2}	Forward	5'-CTGGGACTGGGAACTTATGAATG-3'		NM_003299	152
	Reverse	5'-TCCATATTCGTCAAACAGACCAC-3'			
human XBP ^{*2}	Forward	5'-AGTAGCAGCTCAGACTGCCA-3'		NM_005080	313
	Reverse	5'-CCTGGTTCTCAACTACAAGGC-3'			
human sXBP ^{*2}	Forward	5'-GGTCTGCTGAGTCCGCAGCAGG-3'		AB076384	97
	Reverse	5'-GGGCTTGGTATATATGTGG-3'			
human CHOP ^{*2}	Forward	5'-GGAGAACCAGGAAACGGAAAC-3'		NM_004083	69
	Reverse	5'-TCTCCTTCATGCGCTGCTTT-3'			

*1 Taqman probes (IDT, Coralville, IA, USA). *2 SYBR probes (IDT, Coralville, IA, USA).