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Statistics

For all statistical analyses, confirm that the following items are present in the figure legend, table legend, main text, or Methods section.

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☐	☒ The exact sample size (<i>n</i>) for each experimental group/condition, given as a discrete number and unit of measurement
☐	☒ A statement on whether measurements were taken from distinct samples or whether the same sample was measured repeatedly
☐	☒ The statistical test(s) used AND whether they are one- or two-sided <i>Only common tests should be described solely by name; describe more complex techniques in the Methods section.</i>
☒	☐ A description of all covariates tested
☐	☒ A description of any assumptions or corrections, such as tests of normality and adjustment for multiple comparisons
☐	☒ A full description of the statistical parameters including central tendency (e.g. means) or other basic estimates (e.g. regression coefficient) AND variation (e.g. standard deviation) or associated estimates of uncertainty (e.g. confidence intervals)
☐	☒ For null hypothesis testing, the test statistic (e.g. <i>F</i> , <i>t</i> , <i>r</i>) with confidence intervals, effect sizes, degrees of freedom and <i>P</i> value noted <i>Give P values as exact values whenever suitable.</i>
☒	☐ For Bayesian analysis, information on the choice of priors and Markov chain Monte Carlo settings
☒	☐ For hierarchical and complex designs, identification of the appropriate level for tests and full reporting of outcomes
☒	☐ Estimates of effect sizes (e.g. Cohen's <i>d</i> , Pearson's <i>r</i>), indicating how they were calculated

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Software and code

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Data collection	Optical density of bacterial suspension: SoftMax Pro 6 software (version 6.5.1) Fluorescence images: Zeiss ZEN blue software (version 3.8), Olympus BX63 CellSens Dimension software (version 1.18) H&E staining: TEKSQRAY SlideScan software (version 1.1.10) Scanning electron microscopy (SEM): Phenom Pro Suite software (version 3.2) Micro-computed tomography (micro-CT): SkyScan1276 software (version 1.1) Flow cytometry: CytExpert software (version 2.5.0. 77) RT-qPCR: QuantStudio Design and Analysis software (version 1.3) Western blot: GelView 6000 Pro software (version 1.0.0.5) In vivo/ex vivo fluorescence imaging: IVIS Spectrum imaging system Transmission electron microscopy (TEM) for cellular ultrastructure: Tecnai G2 20 TWIN (FEI) Transmission electron microscopy (TEM) for nanoparticle morphology: JEM-F200 (JEOL) Seahorse extracellular flux assay data acquisition: Wave software Proteomics data acquisition: Orbitrap Astral mass spectrometer DLS and zeta potential measurement: Zetasizer Nano ZS XRD acquisition: XRDynamic 500 diffractometer FTIR acquisition: Nicolet iS20 spectrophotometer XPS acquisition: Axis Ultra DLD spectrometer
Data analysis	Micro-CT analysis: NRecon software (version 1.7.5.0), CTAn software (version 1.15.4.0), DataViewer software (version 1.5.6.2),

CTvox software (version 3.3.0)

Flow cytometry analysis: FlowJo software (version 10.4), Java software (version 1.8.0)

RNA-sequencing data analysis: DESeq2 package (version 1.16.1), clusterProfiler package (version 4.8.1), ggplot2 package (version 4.3.0), VennDiagram package (version 1.6.20), GseaVis package (version 0.0.8), enrichplot package (version 1.20.0)

Proteomics (DIA) raw data processing: DIA-NN software (version 1.8.1)

Proteomics downstream bioinformatics/statistics: R software (version 4.3.1)

PPI network analysis/visualization: STRING database; Cytoscape software (version 3.9.1)

Online visualization: OmicShare Tools (GENE DENOVO, online)

Image analysis: Image J (FIJI)

Data representation and Statistical analysis: GraphPad Prism software (version 9.4.0)

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Previously published RNA-sequencing data analyzed in this study are publicly available in the NCBI Gene Expression Omnibus under accession number GSE227521 [<https://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/geo/query/acc.cgi?acc=GSE227521>], GSE166522 [<https://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/geo/query/acc.cgi?acc=GSE166522>], and GSE102444 [<https://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/geo/query/acc.cgi?acc=GSE102444>]. The mass spectrometry proteomics data generated in this study have been deposited to the ProteomeXchange Consortium [<https://proteomecentral.proteomexchange.org/?pxid=PXD076182>] via the iProX partner repository with the dataset identifier PXD076182. All remaining data generated in this study are provided in the Source Data files and Supplementary Information. Source data are provided with this paper. No access restrictions apply.

Research involving human participants, their data, or biological material

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Population characteristics N/A

Recruitment N/A

Ethics oversight N/A

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

All studies must disclose on these points even when the disclosure is negative.

Sample size No specific statistical tests were performed to predetermine the sample size. Sample size was chosen based on our experience and common practice in previous experiments (Bonilla et al. Science 2012; Winkler et al. Nature Immunology 2019). Sample size for each independent experiment is indicated in the figure legend.

Data exclusions No data was excluded from analysis.

Replication All experiments were performed at least 3 independent experiments. The sample size and number of independent experiments are indicated in the figure legend. The experimental findings were reliably reproduced.

Randomization All mice were randomly assigned to each group after establishment of model.

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Materials & experimental systems

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Involved in the study

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Antibodies

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Eukaryotic cell lines

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Palaeontology and archaeology

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Animals and other organisms

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Clinical data

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Dual use research of concern

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Plants

Methods

n/a

Involved in the study

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ChIP-seq

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Flow cytometry

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MRI-based neuroimaging

Antibodies

Antibodies used

Rabbit anti-S. aureus antibody — Abcam — Ab20920 — 1:100

Rat anti-F4/80 antibody — BIO-RAD — MCA497GA — 1:100

Rabbit anti-Sirt3 antibody — ABclonal — A5419 — 1:100

Rabbit anti-PINK1 antibody — Proteintech — 23274-1-AP — 1:100

Goat anti-rat IgG Dylight 594 — Abbkine — A23440 — 1:500

Goat anti-rabbit IgG Dylight 488 — Abbkine — A23220 — 1:500

DAPI — BBI Life Science — E607303-0002 — 1:100

Rabbit anti-S. aureus antibody — Abcam — Ab20920 — 1:100

Rabbit anti-Sirt3 antibody — ABclonal — A5419 — 1:100

Anti-rabbit IgG Dylight 594 — Abbkine — A23420 — 1:500

Goat anti-rabbit IgG Dylight 488 — Abbkine — A23220 — 1:500

Rabbit anti-Pink1 antibody — Proteintech — 23274-1-AP — 1:500

Rabbit anti-Parkin antibody — Proteintech — 14060-1-AP — 1:1000

Rabbit anti-phospho-Parkin antibody — Bioss — bs-19882R — 1:500

Rabbit anti-LC3B antibody — Affinity Biosciences — AF5384 — 1:500

Rabbit anti-p62 antibody — Proteintech — 18420-1-AP — 1:500

Rabbit anti-Sirt3 antibody — ABclonal — A5419 — 1:500

Mouse anti-beta actin antibody — Proteintech — 66009-1-Ig — 1:5000

Rabbit anti-HA-tag antibody — Proteintech — 51064-2-AP — 1:5000

Anti-CD16/32 (Fc block) — BioLegend — 101320 — 1:50

Anti-CD11b (BV605) — BioLegend — 101257 — 1:80

Anti-F4/80 (APC-Cy7) — BioLegend — 157315 — 1:80

Live/dead viability dye (eFluor 450) — Thermo — L34963 — 1:100

Anti-CD11b (PerCp/Cy5.5) — Elabscience — E-AB-F1081f — 1:20

Anti-Ly6G (APC) — Elabscience — E-AB-F1108E — 1:20

Anti-F4/80 (APC) — BioLegend — 123115 — 1:80

Anti-CD3 (PerCp/Cy5.5) — Elabscience — E-AB-F1013J — 1:20

Anti-CD4 (PE) — Elabscience — E-AB-F1097D — 1:20

Anti-CD8 (APC) — Elabscience — AN00576E — 1:20

Live/dead viability dye (Zombie Yellow) — BioLegend — 423103 — 1:100

Validation

All antibodies used are well-established clones, commercially available, and validated by both the manufacturer and peer-reviewed literature. Detailed validation data for each antibody are available on the respective manufacturer's websites.

Eukaryotic cell lines

Policy information about [cell lines and Sex and Gender in Research](#)

Cell line source(s)

RAW264.7 mouse macrophage cell line (serial: SCSP-5036, Cell Bank of the Chinese Academy of Sciences ,Shanghai, China)

Authentication

The cell line was obtained directly from commercial vendor but was not independently authenticated in our laboratory. Cell morphology was routinely monitored throughout the experiment.

Mycoplasma contamination

The cell line was tested negative for Mycoplasma contamination before usage.

Commonly misidentified lines
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Not listed in ICLAC.

Animals and other research organisms

Policy information about [studies involving animals](#); [ARRIVE guidelines](#) recommended for reporting animal research, and [Sex and Gender in Research](#)

Laboratory animals

The study did not involve laboratory animals

Wild animals

Wild-type mice with a C57BL/6 genetic background were obtained from the Experimental Animal Center of Southern Medical University. For the *S. aureus* osteomyelitis model, we used 10-12-week-old mice. Bone marrow stromal cells were isolated from 4-5-week-old mice and differentiated into preadipocytes, while bone marrow-derived macrophages were prepared from 6-8-week-old mice.

Reporting on sex

Findings apply to both sexes.

Field-collected samples

This study did not involve field-sample collections.

Ethics oversight

All animal experiments and procedures were conducted in accordance with the ARRIVE Guidelines 2.0 and approved by the Animal Welfare and Use Committee of Nanfang Hospital, Southern Medical University.

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Plants

Seed stocks

N/A

Novel plant genotypes

N/A

Authentication

N/A

Flow Cytometry

Plots

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Methodology

Sample preparation

Flow cytometry sample preparation (mitophagy detection in SIOM model)

Bone marrow cells were isolated from femurs (as described above). Red blood cells were lysed using ACK lysis buffer on ice, and the remaining cells were resuspended in 0.1% BSA-PBS and adjusted to 1×10^6 cells per 100 μ L. Fc receptors were blocked with anti-CD16/32. Cells were then stained with fluorophore-conjugated surface antibodies (anti-CD11b and anti-F4/80) together with a live/dead viability dye (eFluor 450). For mitophagy detection, cells were further incubated with the Mitophagy Detection Kit (PerCP-Cy5.5) combined with a Lysosome Tracker (FITC) at 37 °C for 30 min in the dark. After washing, cells were resuspended in PBS for flow cytometric acquisition.

Flow cytometry sample preparation (immune cell composition in infected femoral cavity)

To characterize the immune microenvironment in the infected medullary cavity, bone marrow cells were isolated from femurs as described above, followed by red blood cell lysis and Fc blocking. Cells were stained with fluorophore-conjugated antibodies against CD11b, Ly6G, F4/80, CD3, CD4 and CD8 to identify myeloid and lymphoid populations. A live/dead viability dye (Zombie Yellow) was included to exclude dead cells. After staining and washing, cells were subjected to flow cytometric acquisition.

Instrument	CytoFLEX Flow Cytometer (Beckman Coulter)
Software	CytExpert software (version 2.5.0.77), FlowJo software (version 10.4), Java software (version 1.8.0)
Cell population abundance	The abundance of cell populations is indicated in representative FACS plots
Gating strategy	Cells were gated using FSC-H vs. SSC-H to identify events corresponding to lymphocytes. Doublets were excluded by gating on single cells using FSC-H vs. FSC-A. Living cells were selected by negativity for the viability dye (Zombie Aqua dye). Subsequent gateings were established according to the bimodal expression patterns of surface markers or intracellular antigens. The complete gating strategies are presented in Supplementary Figures along with their corresponding legends. Positive populations were defined using unstained and single-stained controls, with a minimum of 20000 cells analyzed per sample

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