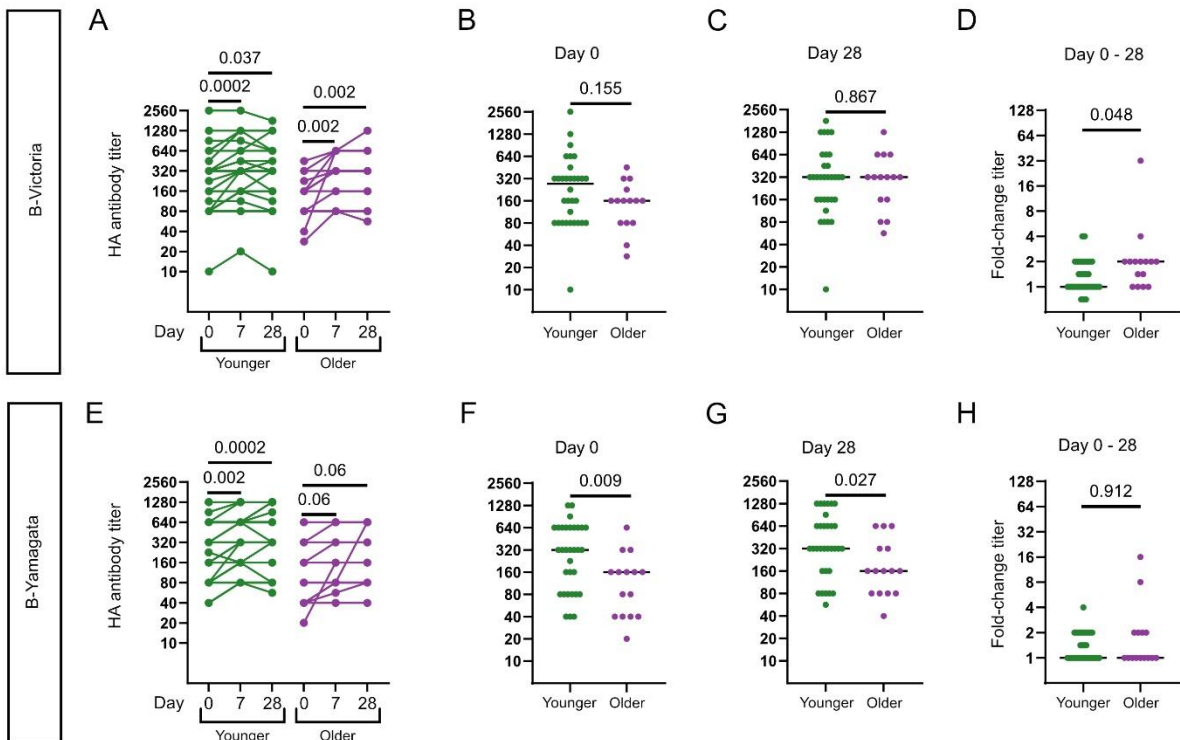


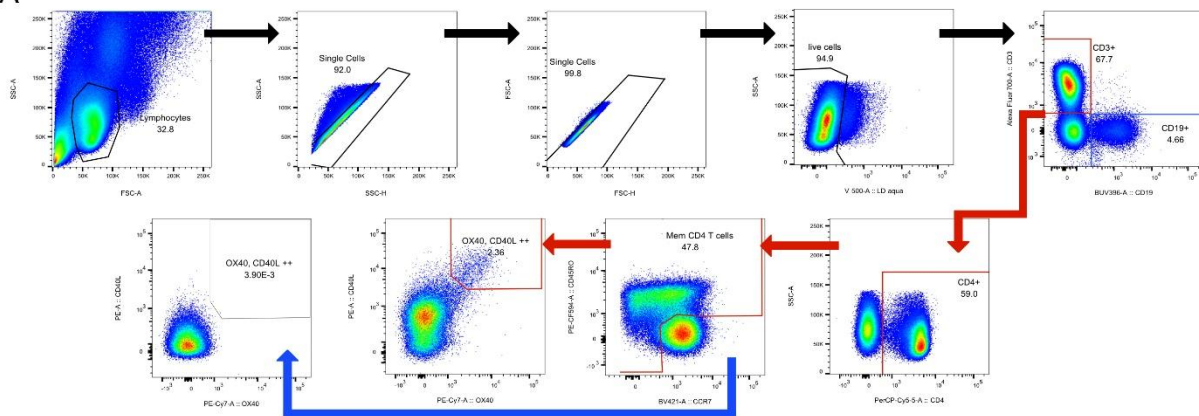


Supplemental Figure 1. HAI titers to influenza B differ between older and younger adults.

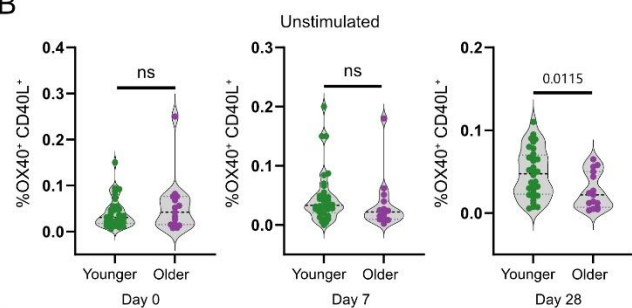
(A-D) HAI antibody responses to the B-Victoria vaccine component, and (E-H) HAI antibody responses to the B-Yamagata vaccine component. (A, H) Statistical comparisons represent two-sided paired Wilcoxon rank tests with Bonferroni correction, while (B-D, F-H) represent a two-sided Mann-Whitney U statistical test. For statistical tests, ns indicates not significant.

Independent biological samples include younger adults (n = 32) and older adults (n = 15).

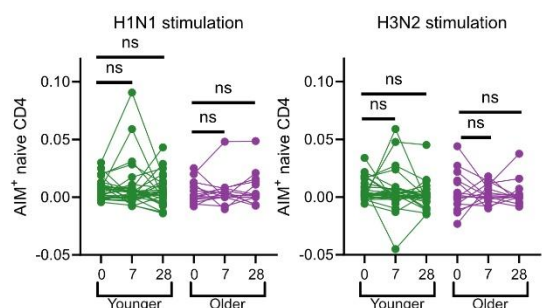
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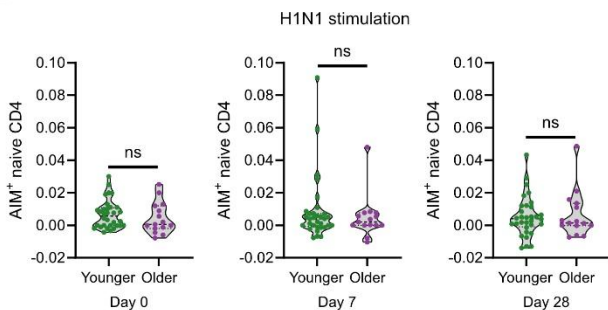
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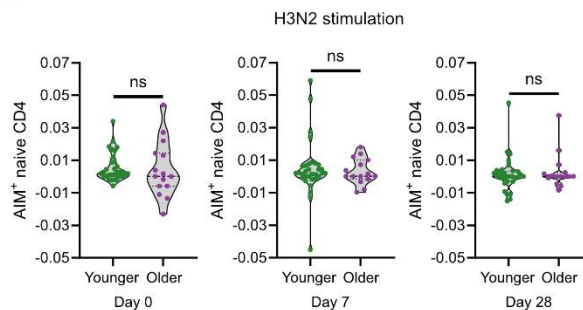
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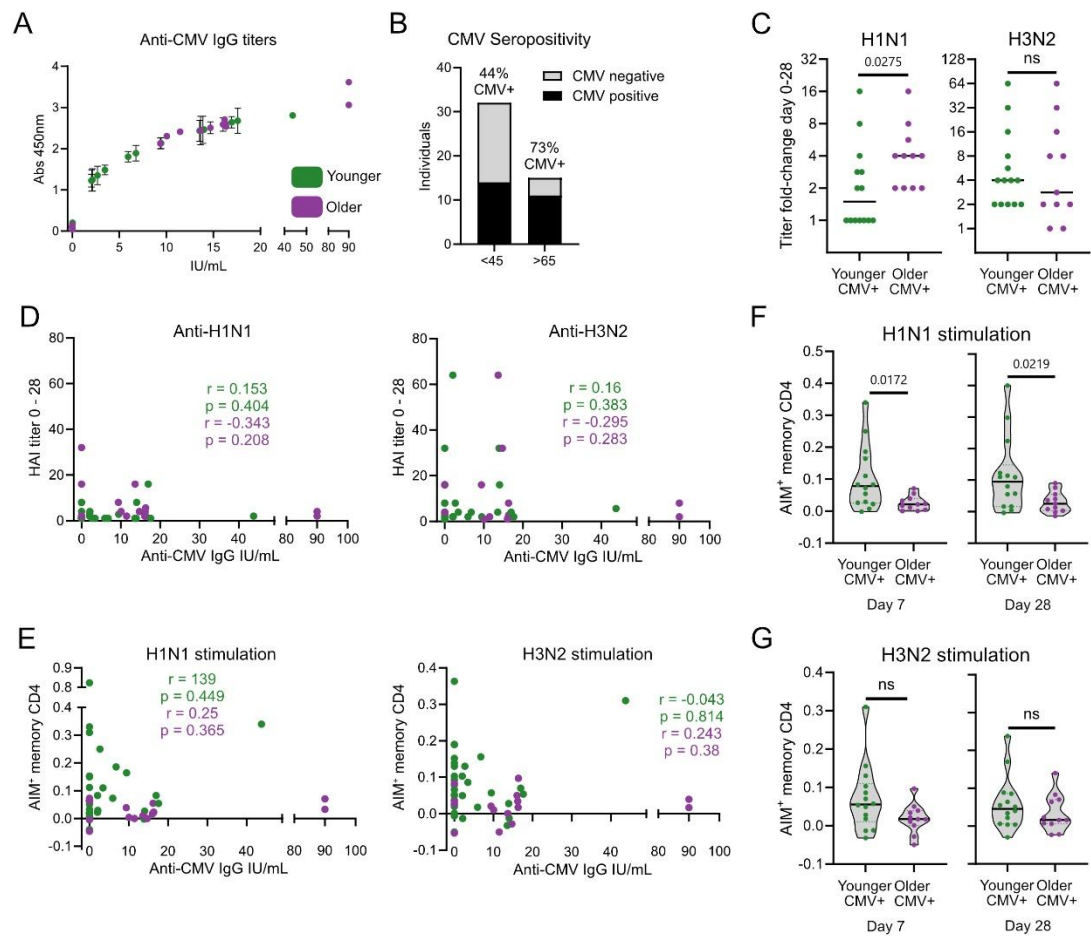
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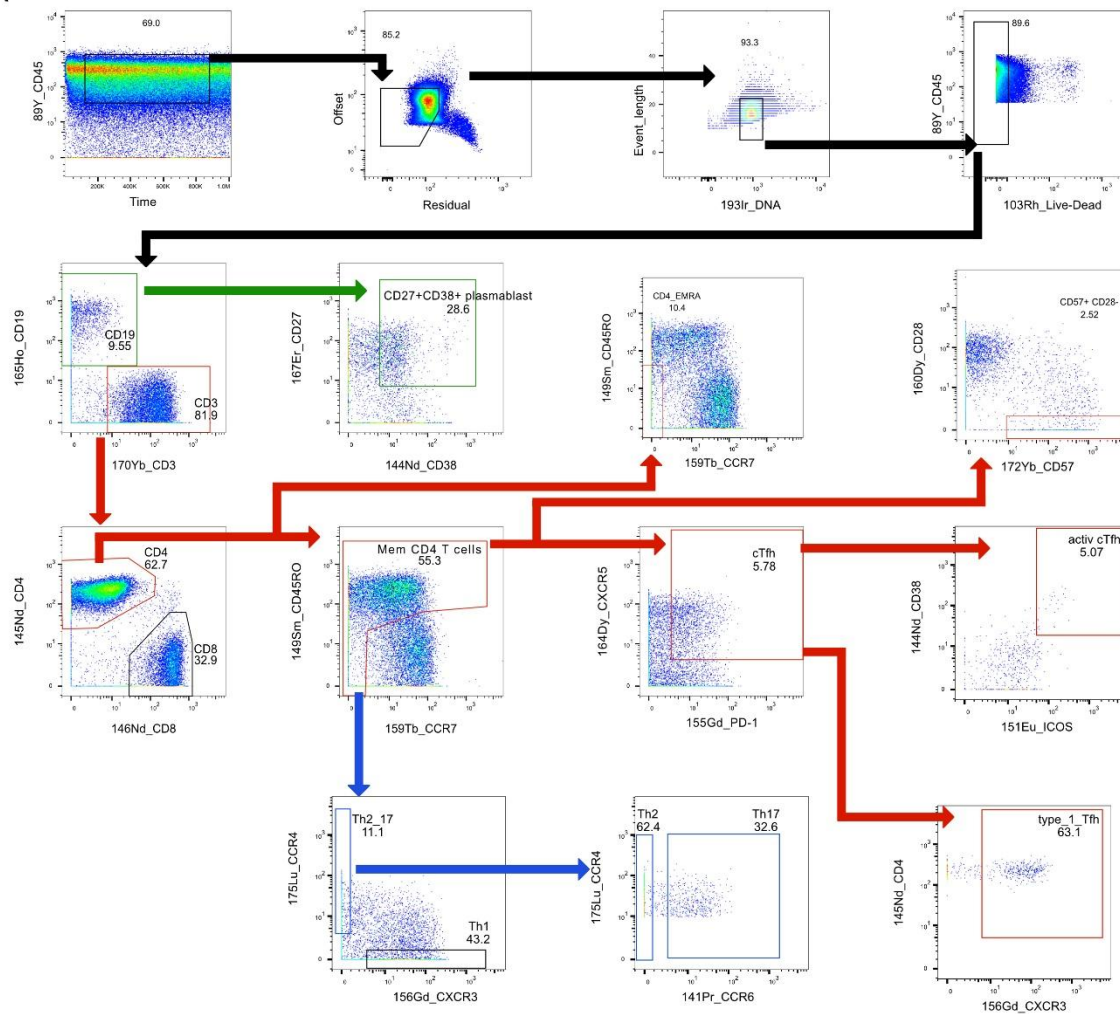
Supplemental Figure 2. Flow Cyometry AIM assay gating strategy and naïve CD4 T cell activation. (A) Gating strategy for AIM assay with colored arrows representing population lineages. (B) Frequency of activated memory CD4⁺ T cells in the unstimulated condition comparing older and younger adults at day 0 (left), day 7 (center), and day 28 (right) using a two-sided Mann-Whitney test. (C) Comparison of antigen-reactive naïve CD4⁺ T cells at 0-, 7-, or 28-days post-vaccination in older (purple) and younger (green) adults assessed by two-sided paired Wilcoxon rank tests with Bonferroni correction. (D-E) Comparison of antigen-reactive naïve CD4⁺ T cells between older and younger adults analyzed by a two-sided Mann-Whitney U tests. Percentages of activated cells without stimulation have been subtracted from the stimulated conditions for each antigen. For statistical tests, ns indicates not significant. Independent biological samples include younger adults (n = 32) and older adults (n = 15).



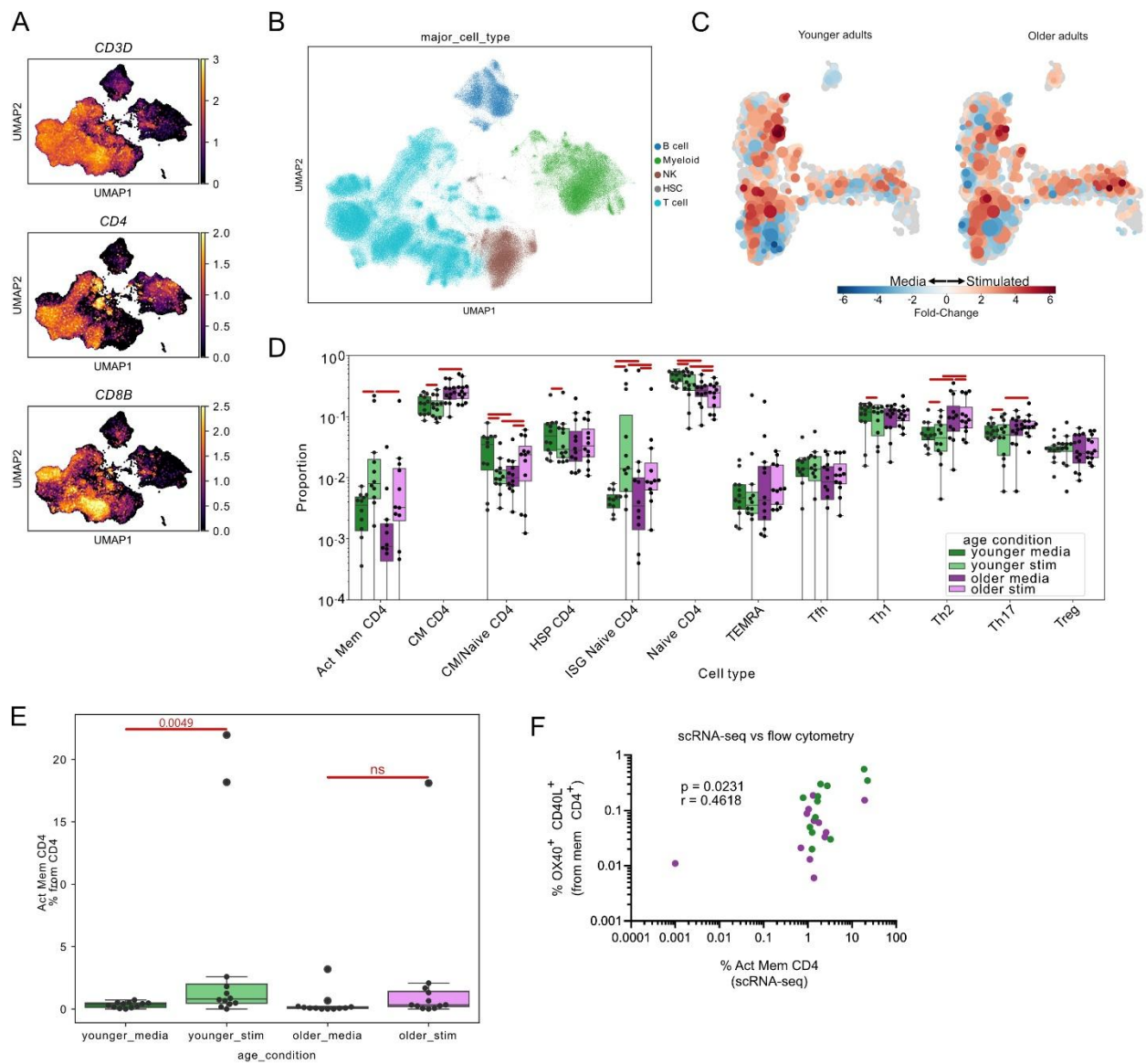
Supplemental Figure 3. CMV seroprevalence has no impact on vaccine responses. (A)

Measurement of CMV antibody titers with younger adults colored in green and older adults colored in purple. (B) CMV serostatus by age group, with CMV-positive individuals in black and CMV-negative individuals in grey. (C) Comparison of H1N1 and H3N2 HAI titer fold change in CMV positive younger and older adults by a two-sided Mann-Whitney test. (D-E) Spearman correlations between anti-CMV antibody titer and (D) HAI fold-change at day 28 or (E) influenza-specific memory CD4⁺ T cells at day 7 post-vaccination from flow cytometry AIM data. Data points and statistics are colored green for younger adults and purple for older adults. (F-G) Frequencies of flow cytometry AIM positive memory CD4 T cells at (left) day 7 or (right) day 28 post vaccination against an (F) H1N1 stimulus or (G) H3N2 stimulus by a two-sided Mann-Whitney test. For statistical tests, ns indicates not significant. Independent biological samples include (A-B, D-E) younger adults (n = 32) and older adults (n = 15), and (C, F, G) younger adults (n = 14) and older adults (n = 11).

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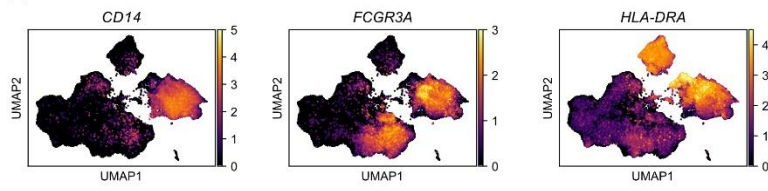
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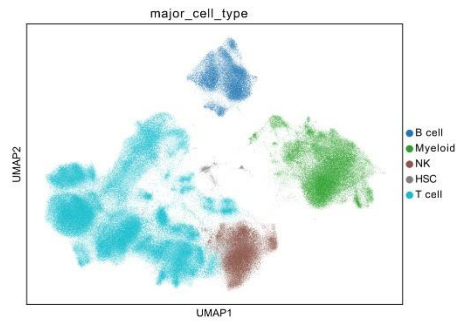
Supplementary Figure 5. Identification of CD4⁺ T cells and changes with stimulation. (A)

Gene transcript abundance of *CD3D*, *CD4*, and *CD8B* is overlaid on UMAP and contains all PBMC. Gene counts are transformed using a shifted log. (B) Identification of major cell subsets before splitting by cell type and integration. (C) Nearest-neighbor search to calculate fold-change between media and stimulated cells in younger and older adult CD4 T cells. (D) CD4 T cell composition proportions on a log₁₀ scale comparing populations using a Bayesian model. Significant population changes are denoted by a red bar. (E) Frequency of activated memory CD4⁺ T cells split by age and condition using a paired a two-sided Wilcoxon rank test. (F) Comparison of activated cell frequencies by AIM assay and the activated memory CD4 population by scRNA-seq by Spearman correlation for all individuals. Independent biological samples include younger adults (n = 32) and older adults (n = 15).

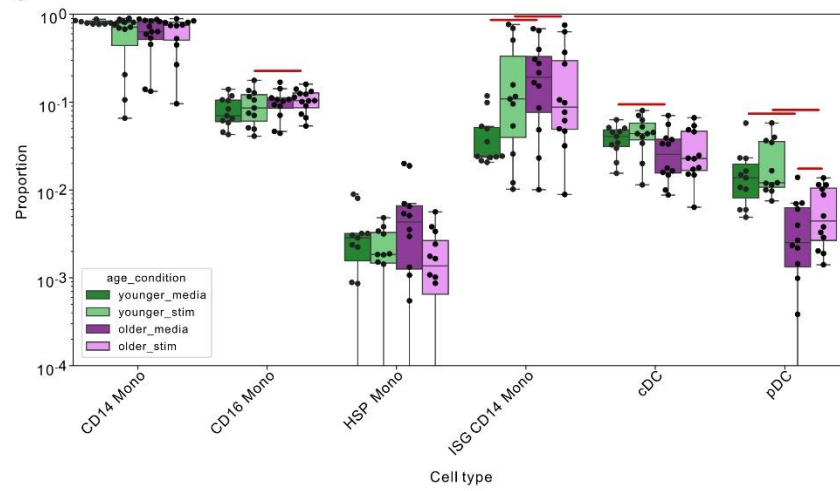
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Supplemental Figure 6. Identification of myeloid cells in scRNA-seq dataset. (A) Gene transcript abundance of CD14, CD16(FCGR3A), and HLA-DR overlayed on UMAP containing all cells. Gene counts are transformed using a shifted log. (B) Identification of major cell subsets before splitting by cell type and integration. (C) Myeloid cell composition proportions on a $\log_{10}$ scale comparing populations using a Bayesian model. Significant population changes are denoted by a red bar. Independent biological samples include younger adults (n = 32) and older adults (n = 15).