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Spreading inflammation via ASC specks
Inducing type III interferon
Potent anticancer T_H9 cells







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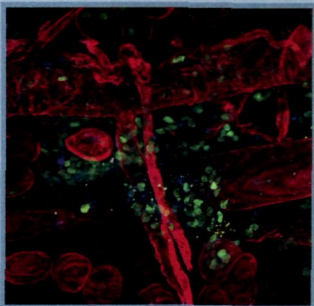
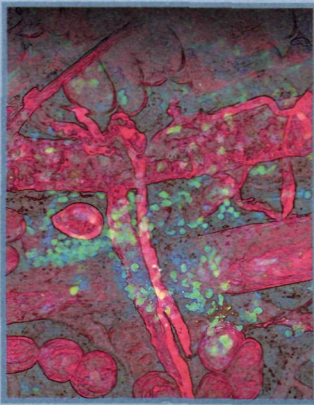
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Cells of the immune system release cytokine 'factories' in the form of bioactive extracellular inflammasome assemblies. New findings by Franklin *et al.* and Baroja-Mazo *et al.* (pp 727 and 738; and News and Views by Broderick & Hoffman, p 698) identify extracellular functions of inflammasomes that are important for autoimmunity and the defense against pathogens.

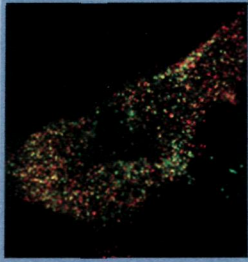
The original image shows the recruitment of neutrophils to injected extracellular specks of the adaptor ASC, which demonstrates their function as danger signals. Original image by Jacqueline M. Ratter. Artwork by Lewis Long.



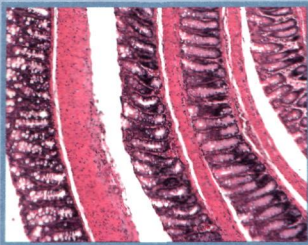
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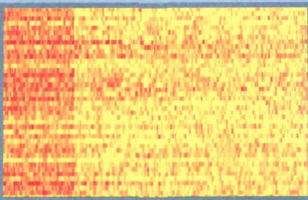
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