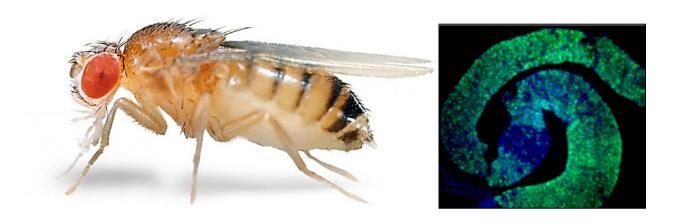
Mini research project n $^{\circ}$ 2



Stem Cell Practical Course Master M2 Gene, Cell & Development

"Homeostasis of Drosophila adult midgut"



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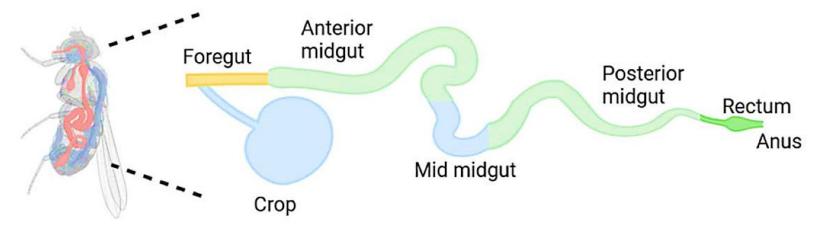
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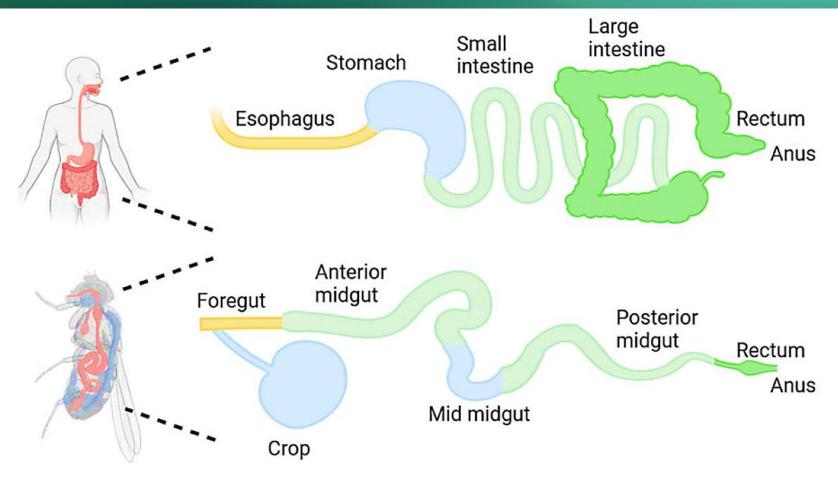
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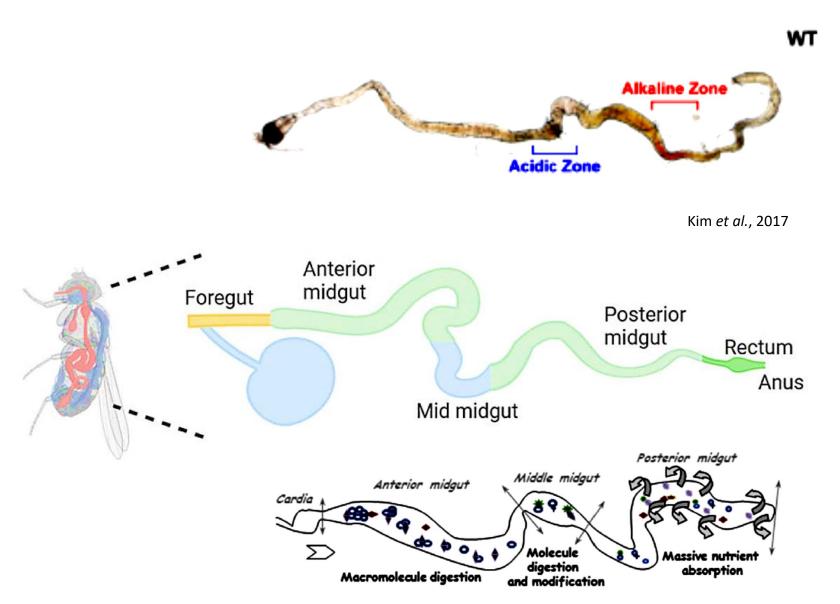
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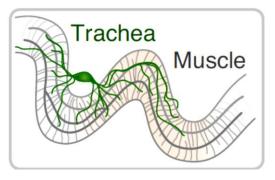
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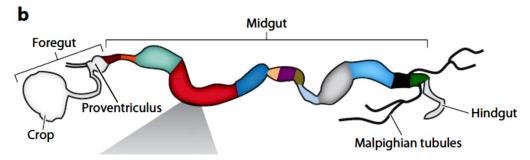
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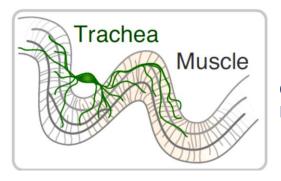




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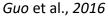
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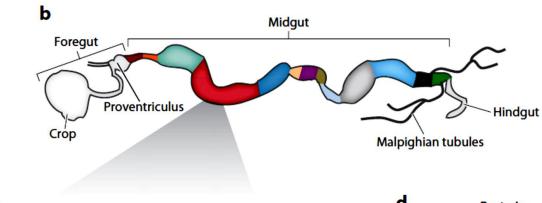


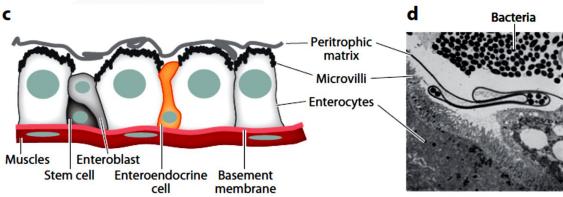


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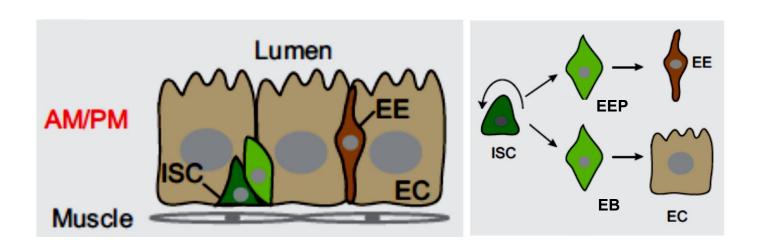
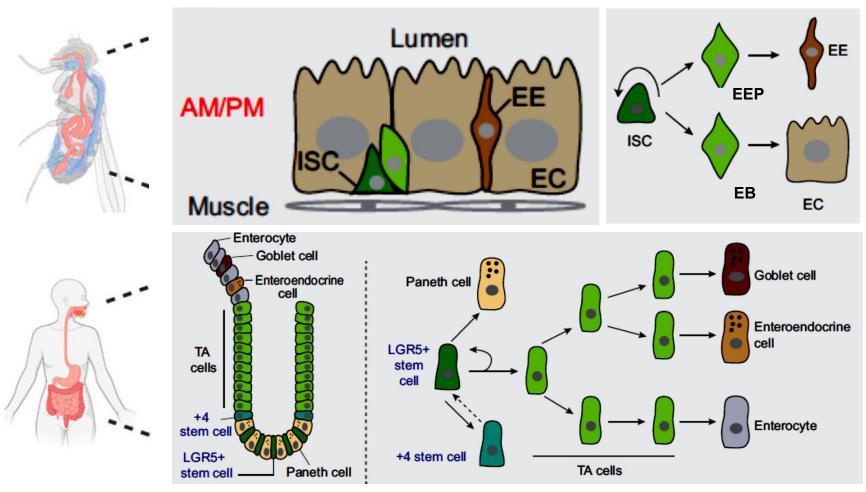
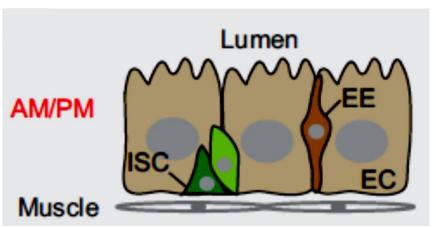


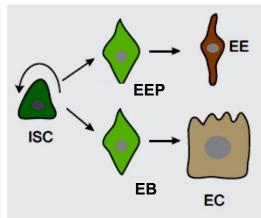
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Adapted from Li & Jasper, 2016

Aims of the project





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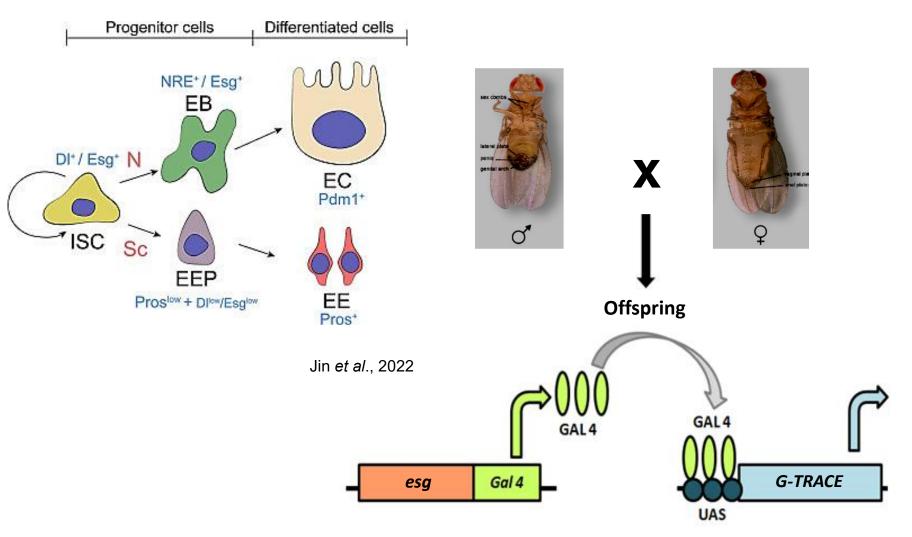
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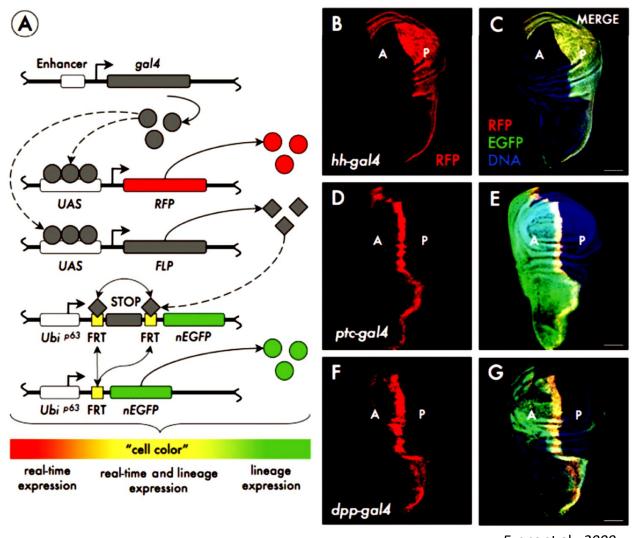


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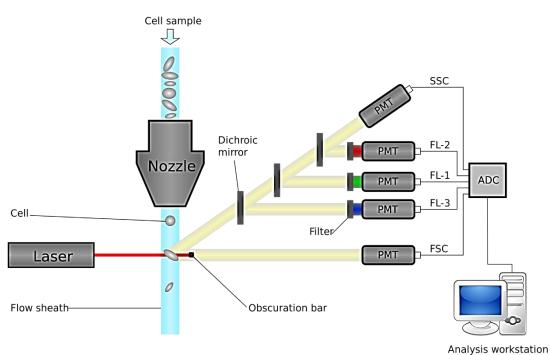
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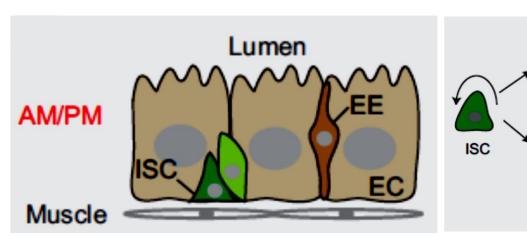
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Method 1: Flow cytometry





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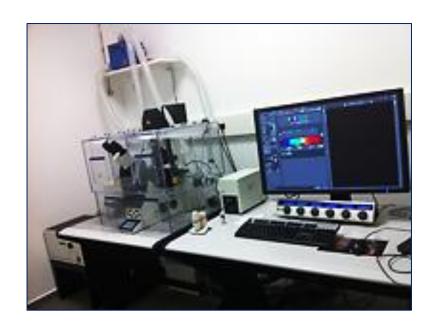
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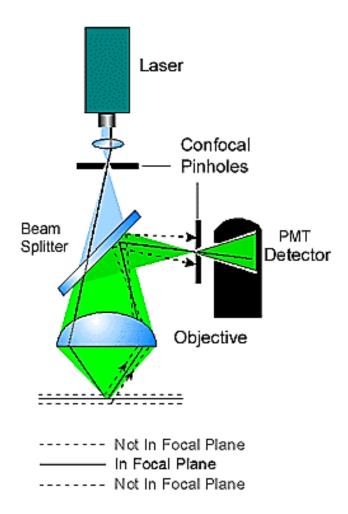
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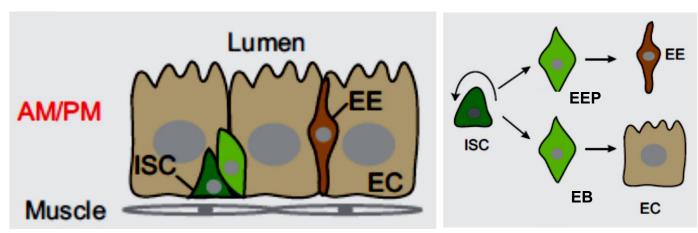
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Method 2: Confocal microscopy





http://www.hi.helsinki.fi



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