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20 ABSTRACT

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Human cytomegalovirus (HCMV) extensively modulates host cells, downregulating >900 22 human proteins during viral replication and degrading  $\geq$ 133 proteins shortly after infection. 23 The mechanism of degradation of most host proteins remains unresolved, and the functions of 24 many viral proteins are incompletely characterised. We performed a mass spectrometry-based 25 interactome analysis of 169 tagged, stably-expressed canonical strain Merlin HCMV proteins, 26 and two non-canonical HCMV proteins, in infected cells. This identified a network of >3,400 27 virus-host and >150 virus-virus protein interactions, providing insights into functions for 28 multiple viral genes. Domain analysis predicted binding of the viral UL25 protein to SH3 29 domains of NCK Adaptor Protein-1. Viral interacting proteins were identified for 31/133 30 degraded host targets. Finally, the uncharacterised, non-canonical ORFL147C protein was 31 32 found to interact with elements of the mRNA splicing machinery, and a mutational study suggested its importance in viral replication. The interactome data will be important for 33 34 future studies of herpesvirus infection.

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#### 40 INTRODUCTION

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Human cytomegalovirus (HCMV) persistently infects the majority of the worldwide 42 population (Mocarski et al., 2013). Following primary infection under the control of a healthy 43 immune system, a latent infection is established that persists lifelong (Reeves et al., 2005). In 44 immunocompromised individuals, particularly transplant recipients and AIDS patients, virus 45 reactivated from latency to induce lytic infection is capable of affecting almost any organ 46 system and causing serious disease (Nichols et al., 2002). HCMV infection in utero is a 47 48 leading cause of deafness and intellectual disability in newborns, affecting ~1/200 49 pregnancies (Mocarski et al., 2013).

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51 Small-molecule disruption of critical virus-virus or virus-host protein interactions could 52 provide novel therapeutic strategies. Indeed, disruption of interactions between antiviral 53 restriction factors (ARFs) and viral antagonists can facilitate endogenous inhibition of 54 infection (Nathans et al., 2008). Systematic characterisation of all viral protein interactions 55 thus has important implications for antiviral therapy, and is particularly important for HCMV, 56 for which only a few drugs are available.

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HCMV encodes 170 canonical protein-coding genes (Gatherer et al., 2011), and a substantial 58 number of non-canonical open reading frames (ORFs) that potentially encode additional 59 proteins have been identified by ribosomal footprinting and proteomics (Nightingale et al., 60 2018; Stern-Ginossar et al., 2012). During productive infection in vitro, HCMV gene 61 expression is conventionally divided into immediate-early, early and late phases over a 62 replication cycle lasting ~96 hours. Five temporal classes of viral protein expression have 63 been defined by measuring viral protein profiles over time (Weekes et al., 2014). Latent 64 infection with HCMV occurs in a restricted range of cell types, and may involve a somewhat 65 more limited range of viral gene expression (Goodrum et al., 2018; Schwartz et al., 2019). 66 However, at least some viral proteins function similarly during both productive infection and 67 latency. For example, UL138, which plays roles in the establishment and maintenance of 68 latent infection, downregulates Multidrug Resistance-Associated Protein 1 (MRP1) during 69 both phases of infection (Weekes et al., 2013; Weekes et al., 2014). 70

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The functions of many canonical HCMV proteins remain poorly understood, and it is not yet clear how many, if any, non-canonical ORFs encode functional polypeptides. We have shown previously that >900 host proteins are downregulated >3 fold over the course of HCMV infection, with 133 proteins degraded in the proteasome or lysosome during the early phase (Nightingale et al., 2018; Weekes et al., 2014). However, it is not yet known which viral factors target these proteins, and certain proteins, including MHC class I molecules and natural killer cell ligands, can be targeted by more than one viral factor (Fielding et al., 2014; Hsu et al., 2015; van der Wal et al., 2002; Wilkinson et al., 2008).

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Here, an examination of each canonical and a subset of non-canonical HCMV proteins in 81 infected cells revealed an extensive network of >3400 high confidence virus-host and >150 82 virus-virus interactions. This provided insights into the functions of multiple uncharacterised 83 or partly characterised viral proteins. The data enabled identification of individual viral 84 factors that target 31 host proteins for degradation. Novel interactions between selected viral 85 and host protein domains were also tested experimentally. In addition, the study provided the 86 first evidence for a functional role for a non-canonical HCMV ORF in viral infection. The 87 extensive interactome data generated in this study predicts viral proteins important in key 88 cellular pathways, and may lead to the development of new antiviral therapeutics. 89

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100 RESULTS

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#### 102 **Construction of the HCMV-host interactome**

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To build a global picture of all HCMV virus-host and virus-virus protein interactions, 170 104 stable cell lines were generated from immortalised primary human fetal foreskin fibroblasts 105 (HFFF-TERTs), each expressing a single, canonical HCMV ORF with a C-terminal V5 tag to 106 facilitate immunoprecipitation (IP). Two non-canonical ORFs, ORFL147C and ORFS343C, 107 108 were also included on the basis of either high or low expression respectively, relative to all other viral ORFs detected previously by proteomics (Figure 1 – Figure Supplement 1A, 109 Supplementary File 1A) (Fielding et al., 2017; Weekes et al., 2014). Prior to profiling by IP-110 mass spectrometry (IP-MS), expression of each tagged viral 'bait' protein was validated by 111 immunoblotting (IB), MS or RT-qPCR, apart from UL136 which could not be detected by 112 any method (Figure 1 – Figure Supplement 1B, Supplementary File 1B). To examine the 113 full range of virus-virus interactions in addition to virus-host interactions, IP was performed 114 115 in cells infected with Merlin strain HCMV at multiplicity of infection (MOI) of 2 for 60 h. Merlin contains a full length genome and expresses all HCMV genes apart from UL128 and 116 117 RL13. All detectable viral proteins are expressed at 60 h post-infection (PI) with this strain (Weekes et al., 2014) (Figure 1 – Figure Supplement 1E). A schematic and details of the 118 IP-MS strategy are shown in Figure 1. 119

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For HCMV UL120 and UL142, no interacting proteins passed the stringent filters employed. 121 For seven further proteins, only the bait itself passed filtering, leaving 162 viral baits with  $\geq 1$ 122 HCIP. In total, 3572 interactions were detected across all 162 baits, with a range of 1-174 123 interactions per bait, reflecting a scale-free degree distribution typical of protein interaction 124 networks. The median number of interactions per bait was 9, similar to previously observed 125 in the Bioplex 2.0 human interactome (Huttlin et al., 2015) (Materials and Methods; 126 Supplementary File 2A, Figure 1 – Figure Supplement 2A). Data were validated from 127 previously reported virus-virus and virus-host interactions described in BioGRID, IntAct, 128 Uniprot, MINT and Virus Mentha (Figure 1 – Figure Supplement 2B, Supplementary 129 Files 2-3) (Calderone et al., 2015; Chatr-Aryamontri et al., 2013; Licata et al., 2012; Orchard 130 et al., 2014). 131

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#### 133 Systematic analysis of viral protein function

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Systematic analysis of protein interactions can improve understanding of viral protein function. To analyse the functions of all viral proteins simultaneously, DAVID software (Huang da et al., 2009) was employed to determine which pathways were enriched amongst the 3416 human proteins that interacted with viral baits (Figure 2 centre, Figure 2 – Figure

- 139 Supplement 1, Supplementary File 4A-B).
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Nucleosome remodeling (NuRD) complex components were significantly enriched among HCMV-interacting proteins. The NuRD complex plays major roles in cellular chromatin remodeling, and is known to be co-opted by HCMV UL29 and UL38 to enhance expression of immediate-early genes (Savaryn et al., 2013; Terhune et al., 2010). The interaction of UL29 and UL38 in a complex with all components of NuRD was confirmed, in addition to p53 (Savaryn et al., 2013). UL29 was also found to interact with multiple human proteins that function in histone deacetylation, which had not been observed previously (**Figure 2**).

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UL87, UL79, UL91 and UL95 are essential for viral replication and necessary for 149 transcriptional activation of viral genes expressed with 'true late' kinetics. UL92 has a similar 150 151 function, and it has been suggested that these five proteins may form one or more complexes that modulate RNA polymerase II activity (Isomura et al., 2011; Omoto et al., 2013, 2014). 152 Interactome data confirmed that UL87 interacted with UL79, UL91 and UL95 but did not 153 detect an interaction with UL92. This latter observation, and in fact the lack of identification 154 of any viral-viral UL92 interactions may be explained by our finding that UL92 was one of 155 the two least abundantly expressed viral proteins during HCMV infection (Supplementary 156 File 1A, bottom). UL87 also interacted with all 12 components of the RNA polymerase II 157 (RPII) complex and the associated protein RPII Associated Protein 2 (RPAP2) (Figure 2). 158 The UL87-RPII interaction was anticipated by analogy to the orthologous RPII-interacting 159 Epstein-Barr virus protein BcRF1, but had not previously been demonstrated. Interaction of 160 UL87, UL95 and UL79 with the UL97 protein kinase was also novel. 161

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163 Collectively, these confirmatory data indicate that the HCMV interactome has the power to 164 predict new functions for uncharacterised or partly characterised viral proteins, particularly 165 where a bait interacts with multiple protein components of the same pathway. For example, 166 UL72 is a temporal protein profile 3 (Tp3)-class HCMV protein derived from deoxyuridine 167 5'-triphosphate nucleotidohydrolase (dUTPase) in other herpesviruses, but lacks dUTPase activity (Caposio et al., 2004; McGeehan et al., 2001). UL72 interacted with all 10 components of the CCR4-NOT (carbon catabolite repressor 4-negative on TATA) complex, which is a key regulator of gene expression from production of mRNAs in the nucleus to their degradation in the cytoplasm (Yi et al., 2018). The interaction between UL72 and CNOT2/CNOT7 was confirmed by co-IP (**Figures 3A-B**). It remains to be determined how UL72 modulates CCR4-NOT function.

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The hitherto uncharacterised viral UL145 protein is known to recruit the Cullin 4 E3 ligase 175 176 scaffold and associated adaptor proteins, and to degrade helicase-like transcription factor (HLTF) (Nightingale et al., 2018). Interactome data suggested that all human proteins 177 interacting with UL145 and the paralogous RL1 were part of the ubiquitin conjugation 178 pathway (Supplementary File 2, Supplementary File 4), and furthermore that RL1 179 interacted with Cullin 4 (CUL4, Figure 2). The interaction with CUL4A was validated by co-180 IP (Figure 3C). Proteins that are degraded after binding RL1/CUL4 still require 181 identification; it is possible that their abundance after degradation may have been insufficient 182 183 to enable identification in this study. Multiple other HCMV proteins additionally interacted with elements of the ubiquitin transfer or conjugation pathways, including the inhibitor of 184 185 apoptosis UL36, which bound the Cullin 1 scaffold, E3 ligase UBR5, and F-box component FBOX3. Similarly, DNA helicase/primase component UL102 interacted with E3 ligase 186 RNF114 and E2 conjugating enzyme UBE2L6 (Figure 2 and Supplementary File 2). 187

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The tegument protein UL71 has an essential function in the final steps of secondary 189 envelopment leading to infectious viral particles, but is expressed with Tp3 kinetics, 190 suggesting the possibility of a role earlier during infection (Dietz et al., 2018; Meissner et al., 191 2012; Weekes et al., 2014). UL71 interacted with multiple interferon-stimulated proteins 192 (Figure 3D), including TRIM22, which restricts replication of HIV-1, influenza A and 193 hepatitis B and C viruses (Lian et al., 2017). The UL71-TRIM22 interaction validated by co-194 IP, suggesting that investigation of a putative innate immune role for UL71 will be important 195 (Figure 3E). 196

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In addition to characterising baits that interacted with multiple members of individual cellular pathways, an alternative approach identified pathways whose members interacted predominantly with single baits (Figure 2 – Figure Supplement 1). The US28 G-protein coupled receptor (GPCR) functions in both lytic and latent HCMV infection via constitutive

signaling to activate distinct intracellular pathways (Krishna et al., 2018). Here, US28 202 interacted with all quantified members of thick filament/muscle myosin complexes, namely 203 myosin heavy and light chain components, a myosin binding protein and titin. This suggests 204 an unanticipated role for US28 in processes such as regulation of the actin cytoskeleton or 205 cytoskeletal remodeling (Wang et al., 2018). Other viral proteins may have novel functions 206 modulating vesicular transport. For example, the US27 GPCR interacted with multiple 207 components of the SNARE complex, whose primary function is to mediate vesicle fusion 208 (Han et al., 2017). Envelope glycoprotein UL132 interacted with the AP-2 adaptor complex, 209 which functions in clathrin-mediated endocytosis (Figure 2 – Figure Supplement 1) 210 211 (Collins et al., 2002).

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To gain further insights into temporal regulation of protein-protein interactions, we 213 determined which functions were enriched amongst human HCIPs for each of the five 214 temporal classes of HCMV bait (Weekes et al., 2014). A clear relation to functions required 215 at different stages of the viral life-cycle was observed (Figure 2 – Figure Supplement 2A, 216 Supplementary File 4C). For example, Tp1 and Tp2 protein HCIPs were enriched in NuRD 217 complex members, proteins involved in histone deacetylation and proteins with SANT 218 219 domains (which function in chromatin remodelling). Tp3 HCIPs were enriched in functions required for viral genomic replication and immune evasion, whilst Tp5 HCIPs were directed 220 at intracellular trafficking and secretion (Figure 2 – Figure Supplement 2A). For viral-viral 221 protein interactions, two patterns emerged - (a) interaction of viral proteins within the same 222 temporal class, or between adjacent classes; (b) interaction of proteins from the largest class 223 (Tp5) with members of each of the five classes (Figure 2 – Figure Supplement 2B, 224 Supplementary File 4D). For example, Tp1 and Tp2 class proteins UL29 and UL38 225 interacted, as previously reported (Supplementary File 3, Figure 2). Tp1-class tegument 226 proteins US23 and US24 interacted. The majority of Tp5 interactions were with other Tp5 227 proteins, 15/37 of which were tegument-tegument, capsid-capsid or tegument-capsid protein 228 interactions (Figure 2 – Figure Supplement 2B). Certain interactions between proteins in 229 different temporal classes have also been reported; for example, between the Tp5 DNA 230 polymerase accessory protein UL44 and Tp2 DNA polymerase UL54. Clearly, other novel 231 interactions also exist between quite distinctly expressed proteins, for example between the 232 functionally unknown Tp2-class membrane protein UL14 and two Tp5-class proteins: 233 membrane protein UL121 and envelope glycoprotein UL4. 234

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### Association between functional domains revealed by protein-protein interactions

Certain domains perform related functions within diverse proteins, often via interactions with complementary structures. The function and interaction(s) of these domains can be predicted by analysing interactions between their parent proteins (Finn et al., 2014; Huttlin et al., 2015). Although domains that co-occur frequently do not necessarily interact directly, these associations can nevertheless provide insights into domain biology.

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By mapping Pfam domains to every bait and prey protein in the interactome, it was possible 247 to identify domain pairs that interact with unusual frequency (Figure 4A) (Finn et al., 2014). 248 This correctly predicted that HCMV glycoprotein UL141 interacts with TNFR cysteine-rich 249 250 domains (TNFR c6), which has been demonstrated for TNFRSF10B and predicted for TNFRSF10A (Nemcovicova et al., 2013). UL141 also interacted with TNFRSF10D as 251 252 reported (Smith et al., 2013) and was found to interact with TNFRSF1A, suggesting that these interactions may also occur via the TNFR c6 domain (Figure 4A, Supplementary File 253 254 **5B**).

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Domain analysis predicted that certain Herpes pp85 proteins interact with host SH3 domains. Underlying interactome data suggested that the viral tegument pp85 phosphoprotein UL25 interacted with SH3 domain-containing proteins NCK1 (Non-catalytic region of protein tyrosine kinase 1) and NCK2. Additionally, UL25 interacted with two other human proteins and the viral tegument protein UL26. UL26 had more diverse targets, including NCK2 but not NCK1 (**Figures 4A-B, Supplementary File 2, Supplementary File 5**).

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SH3 domains are known to interact with proline-rich regions (Kurochkina et al., 2013). UL25 has a proline-rich C-terminus, and NCK1 has three N-terminal SH3 regions. A series of mutations or truncations (**Figure 4C**) suggested that the UL25 C-terminus interacts with the first NCK1 SH3 domain alone, validating and extending the prediction from domain association analysis (**Figure 4D**).

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NCK1 is a multifunctional cytoplasmic adaptor protein with known roles in signal 270 transduction from receptor tyrosine kinases, cytoplasmic remodeling via regulation of actin 271 polymerization, apoptosis and the DNA damage response (Buvall et al., 2013; Keyvani Chahi 272 et al., 2016; Ngoenkam et al., 2014). Interaction of UL25 with NCK1 may thus fulfill a 273 variety of functions. One possibility may include inhibition of immune synapse formation. 274 HCMV UL135 is known to dispel association between F-actin filaments in target cells and 275 the immune synapse (Stanton et al., 2014). UL25 might regulate actin polymerisation in a 276 complementary manner in order to achieve a similar aim. 277

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#### 279 Viral proteins that degrade cellular prey

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We previously described a multiplexed approach for discovering proteins that have innate 281 immune function on the basis of their active degradation by the proteasome or lysosome 282 during the early phase of HCMV infection. Using three orthogonal proteomic/transcriptomic 283 screens to quantify protein degradation, 133 proteins were shown to be degraded in the 284 285 proteasome or lysosome during early phase infection, which were enriched in novel antiviral restriction factors (Nightingale et al., 2018). To facilitate the mapping of viral gene functions, 286 287 a final screen employed a panel of HCMV mutants, each deleted in contiguous gene blocks dispensable for virus replication in vitro. However, this screen did not confidently identify 288 the genetic loci that targeted 121/133 degraded proteins. Furthermore, even for 12/133 289 confidently identified loci, characterization of which individual viral genes degraded cellular 290 targets often proved arduous. For example, to identify UL145 as the gene within the UL133-291 UL150 block that targeted HLTF to the proteasome, 19 single viral gene deletion mutants 292 required testing (Nightingale et al., 2018). 293

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Interactome data revealed viral baits for 31/133 degraded prey (Supplementary File 6). The 295 ubiquitin E3 ligase ITCH (Itchy E3 Ubiquitin Protein Ligase) is known to be targeted for 296 degradation by viral UL42 (Koshizuka et al., 2016). In addition to ITCH, UL42 interacted 297 with Neural Precursor Cell Expressed, Developmentally Down-Regulated 4 (NEDD4)-298 family E3 ligases NEDD4 and NEDD4-like (NEDD4L), which were degraded during early 299 HCMV infection (Figures 5A-B) (Nightingale et al., 2018). These interactions were 300 validated by co-IP using both C- and N-terminally V5 tagged UL42, and UL42 was shown to 301 be sufficient for degradation of NEDD4 (Figures 5D-E, Figure 5 – Figure Supplement 1). 302 UL42 protein has not been detected in any of our previous proteomic studies (Fielding et al., 303

2017; Nightingale et al., 2018; Weekes et al., 2014), however UL42 transcript was quantified 304 by Stern-Ginossar et al. (Stern-Ginossar et al., 2012). Although expression of this transcript 305 peaked at 72 h of infection, it was nevertheless clearly detectable at early time points 306 suggesting that UL42 protein is likely to be expressed contemporaneously with degradation 307 of NEDD4 and NEDD4L (Figure 5C). The route of degradation of each of the UL42 targets 308 requires further characterisation. MG132 and leupeptin both inhibited degradation of each 309 protein (Figure 5B), which may correspond to the known effects of MG132 on lysosomal 310 cathepsins in addition to the proteasome (Wiertz et al., 1996), or effects of leupeptin on 311 312 certain proteasomal proteases in addition to lysosomal proteases.

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To test the sensitivity of the interactome for detecting interactions with weakly-expressed 314 prey, cell surface adhesion molecule Leucine Rich Repeat And Fibronectin Type III Domain 315 Containing 3 (LRFN3) was examined. This protein was previously quantified by a single 316 317 peptide in samples enriched for plasma membrane (PM) proteins only (Nightingale et al., 2018; Weekes et al., 2014). LRFN3 was rapidly downregulated from the PM, accompanied 318 by upregulation of transcript over the same period, suggesting either degradation or retention 319 within the infected cell (Figure 5F). Only the ER-resident transmembrane glycoprotein US10 320 321 interacted with LRFN3, and this was validated by co-IP (Figures 5G-H). US10 may downregulate this cell surface molecule in a manner similar to the reported degradation of 322 HLA-G (Park et al., 2010). 323

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#### 325 **ORFL147C** is a novel viral protein required for viral replication

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It had hitherto been unclear whether any of the 604 HCMV ORFs identified by ribosome 327 profiling (RP-ORFs) encoded functional polypeptides (Stern-Ginossar et al., 2012). The 328 abundance of the two RP-ORFs examined in this interactome was in the same range as 329 canonical HCMV proteins, with ORFL147C present at ~25x lower copy number than the 330 most abundant tegument protein UL83 and ~275x higher copy number than the membrane 331 protein US18. ORFS343C was ~3x more abundant than US18 (Figure 1 - Figure 332 Supplement 1A). ORFL147C had 80 human HCIPs and ORFS343C 23 human HCIPs 333 (Supplementary File 2). 334

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The coding sequence of ORFL147C is oriented parallel to the 5' end of UL56 (**Figure 6A**), which is a canonical gene encoding a subunit of terminase. ORFL147C is expressed with Tp4 kinetics (Figure 6B). Enrichment analysis of ORFL147C HCIPs suggested functions in RNA
binding, mRNA splicing or transcription (Figure 6C-D). We validated the interaction of
ORFL147C with Muscleblind Like Splicing Regulator 1 (MBNL1) and CUG Triplet Repeat
RNA-Binding Protein 1 (CELF1), two proteins with roles in mRNA splicing and RNA
binding (Figure 6E).

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To test whether ORFL147C plays an important role in viral replication, possibly via a 344 splicing or transcriptional mechanism, an HCMV recombinant was generated in which the 345 346 three most N-terminal methionine residues in ORF147C were mutated without modifying the coding sequence of UL56. The growth of  $\triangle ORFL147C$  virus was significantly impaired, 347 suggesting that ORFL147C plays an important functional role during viral infection (Figure 348 **6F-G**). The large HCIP network for ORFL147C suggests that various mechanisms 349 underlying this observation need to be examined; it is as yet unclear whether splicing or 350 transcriptional effects are important. 351

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#### 353 DISCUSSION

In the present study, we report the largest host-pathogen interactome to date and the first comprehensive interactome map for a DNA virus in infected cells. This has suggested functions and domain associations for multiple uncharacterized or partly characterized viral proteins, in addition to providing evidence that the non-canonical HCMV proteins ORFL147C and ORFS343C may be functional. The searchable database provided details virus-virus and virus-host interactions for 162/171 HCMV proteins, and will be of significant value in future studies of HCMV and other herpesviruses.

Different herpesviruses exhibit certain common functions (Mocarski Jr, 2007). A previous 361 study identified 564 human HCIPs of Kaposi's sarcoma-associated herpesvirus (KSHV) 362 (Davis et al., 2015). Comparison of HCMV and KSHV interactomes revealed that baits from 363 both viruses interacted with 176 identical human prey, including RNA Pol II, CCR4-NOT 364 and CTLH components, and elements of the ubiquitin conjugation pathway. It will be 365 important in future studies to determine which of these common functions are mediated by 366 367 orthologous proteins, and which by distinct viral mechanisms. Conversely, certain HCMV prey did not interact with KSHV baits, including mRNA splicing machinery components 368 (Figure 7). Comparisons with interactomes from additional herpesviruses when generated 369

will help to delineate functions exhibited by all herpesvirus genera, and those more specificto individual viruses or viral subfamilies.

The combination of interactome data generated in the present study with our previous screens 372 of protein degradation during early HCMV infection (Nightingale et al., 2018) identified the 373 viral UL42 protein as a hub of degradation for multiple ubiquitin E3 ligases, and predicted 374 novel interactions between viral baits and 29 other degraded cellular prey. More broadly, we 375 discovered that HCMV devotes multiple proteins to interactions with the ubiquitin 376 conjugation pathway, with 18 viral proteins interacting with two or more E3 ligases (defined 377 in (Medvar et al., 2016) and 51 viral proteins interacting with one or more E3 ligase. Details 378 379 of such interactions can potentially identify viral mechanisms of cellular protein degradation. For example, UL25 interacted with the adaptor protein WD Repeat Domain 26 (WDR26), 380 which can recruit substrates to the Cullin-4 RING ubiquitin ligase family (Higa et al., 2006). 381 UL25 interacted with UL26, which itself interacted with 9 out of 10 members of the CTLH 382 complex, a homologue of the yeast glucose-induced degradation-deficient machinery. This 383 complex has inherent E3 ligase activity, however so far substrates have not been well defined 384 385 (Francis et al., 2013; Salemi et al., 2017). Finally, UL26 also interacted with other ligases and scaffolds, such as Cullin 3 and SMAD Specific E3 Ubiquitin Protein Ligase 2 (SMURF2). 386 Future work is likely to identify whether UL25 or UL26 prey are degraded, and which of 387 388 these cellular pathways are employed.

389 The present study also highlights other viral 'hubs' of protein degradation. For example, 390 HCMV UL20 was previously found to be rapidly degraded, with the suggestion it may target unidentified cellular proteins to lysosomes (Jelcic et al., 2011). Here, we identify candidate 391 392 cellular targets. For example, UL20 interacted with Interleukin 6 Signal Transducer (IL6ST), the neonatal Fc receptor (FCGRT), Ephrin A2 (EPHA2), and Interferon Gamma Receptor 1 393 394 (IFNGR1), all of which we have previously shown are rescued from degradation by application of the lysosomal protease inhibitor Leupeptin. Interestingly, all four proteins were 395 also rescued by targeted deletion of members of the viral US12-US21 family of paralogous 396 genes (Fielding et al., 2017). This suggests that there may be cooperativity between the 397 398 US12-US21 proteins and UL20, possibly with UL20 acting in a final common pathway.

All systematic interactomes of this type include false discoveries and fail to detect certain genuine interactions. However, a particular advantage of considering multiple interactions simultaneously in comparison to isolated IP-MS experiments is a much lower false discovery

rate (estimated ~5%), as non-specific interacting proteins can be excluded because they are 402 commonly identified in multiple different IPs (Sowa et al., 2009). The present study also 403 identified a subset of VHCIPs by employing two distinct filtering strategies, which will assist 404 future investigations based on our data. It is difficult to estimate a true false negative rate, 405 since there is no gold standard for assessing true interactions, and the published literature also 406 suffers from false discoveries. One factor that may contribute to missed identifications is the 407 abundance of the prey protein. The present study clearly has the ability to identify some 408 interacting proteins present at low cellular abundance, exemplified by identification of the 409 410 interaction between US10 and LRFN3. LRFN3 was below the limit of detection in two unbiased quantitative proteomic studies of >8,000 proteins from whole cell lysates of HFFFs 411 (Supplementary File 1C). However, 36% of previously described interactions that were not 412 identified in the present study were also unquantified in whole cell lysates (Supplementary 413 File 3), suggesting that protein abundance may play a significant role in interaction 414 discovery. Furthermore, degradation of human prey proteins during HCMV infection may 415 also impact the limit of detection by MS. For example, although RL1 interacted with the 416 Cullin 4 scaffold and two associated proteins, no other high confidence RL1 prey were 417 identified. It will therefore be important to repeat this interactome in the presence of 418 419 lysosomal and proteasomal inhibition to identify such targets. Additionally, for future investigations of our data, validation of interactions in which the prey protein has low cellular 420 abundance as indicated in Supplementary File 2B may be best performed by overexpression 421 studies as opposed to attempts to co-IP the endogenous protein. 422

Overexpression of each bait throughout the course of infection may have led to temporal 423 dysregulation of the expression of other viral proteins, and may have facilitated interactions 424 that would usually commence earlier or later than 60 h of infection. However, as 153/153 425 quantified viral ORFs were expressed at 60 h (Weekes et al., 2014), the observed interactions 426 should occur at this phase of infection even if either bait or prey protein or both were not 427 maximally expressed. Stable overexpression of the viral bait might have enabled false 428 positive interactions. However, certain proteins endogenously expressed by HCMV are 429 430 already under the control of strong promoters (Mocarski et al., 2013). Indeed, the abundance of certain stably expressed proteins may actually have been lower than the abundance of the 431 same proteins expressed during HCMV infection. From our IBAQ analysis of host and viral 432 protein abundance averaged across 24, 48 and 72 h of HCMV infection, the most abundant 433 viral protein (UL83) was expressed ~2.4-fold more than the most abundant host protein 434

(Galectin-1), and the least abundant viral protein ~62-fold more than the least abundant host 435 protein (Supplementary File 1A, Supplementary File 1C), suggesting that the range of 436 expression of viral proteins was already shifted towards the higher end of host protein 437 expression. Prior human interactome studies have found no correlation between bait protein 438 expression and the number of HCIPs (Sowa et al., 2009). Alternative strategies to conduct an 439 interactome study would also suffer from potential confounding issues. For example, 440 introduction of a tag into the viral genome prior to or after each coding sequence may 441 facilitate expression of the bait at the same time and level as during infection with 442 443 unmodified virus. However, due to the occurrence of polycistronic transcription of viral genes and overlapping viral ORFs (Stern-Ginossar et al., 2012), introduction of a tag may 444 disrupt expression of neighbouring genes. 445

A large number of noncanonical ORFs were identified by ribosome profiling as potentially 446 being translated (RP-ORFs,(Stern-Ginossar et al., 2012), and 13 novel ORFs from a six-447 frame translation of the HCMV genome sequence were recognised as being represented in 448 MS data (6FT-ORFs,(Nightingale et al., 2018). However, these studies produced no evidence 449 that any of these ORFs encode functional proteins. The present study identified three RP-450 ORFs and 2/13 6FT-ORFs as interactors of canonical HCMV proteins, and identified seven 451 additional interacting 6FT-ORFs for the first time. There is thus a case for functional 452 453 investigations of a modest number of additional ORFs, and initial prediction of these functions can be achieved by interaction analysis. For example, although the precise function 454 of ORFL147C remains to be determined, we validated interactions with proteins involved in 455 mRNA splicing including MBNL1 and CELF1. Other interactors with roles in RNA binding, 456 such as Ribonucleotide PTB-binding 1 (RAVER1) modulates alternative splicing events. 457 Spliced transcripts have long been recognized from HCMV at all times post infection 458 (Rawlinson et al., 1993), and more recently up to 100 splice junctions have been identified 459 (Balazs et al., 2017; Gatherer et al., 2011; Stern-Ginossar et al., 2012). 460

Only three drugs are currently available to treat HCMV infection, and all suffer from significant side effects and the threat of the development of resistance. In the context of the increasing frequency of transplantation, innovative therapeutic strategies are required. The identification of key interactions in virus-virus or virus-host protein complexes may be important in this regard, since small molecule inhibitors may be able to disrupt these interactions or restore endogenous antiviral restriction by preventing host protein degradation

(Cen et al., 2010; Nathans et al., 2008; Pery et al., 2015). To identify bait-prey pairs 467 amenable to straightforward therapeutic interruption, it is desirable to identify factors targeted 468 by a single viral protein, for example members of the CNOT complex by UL72. In addition 469 to the interaction between UL72 and individual CNOT members, CNOT effector function 470 could also be an antiviral target, for example employing inhibitors of the CNOT7 471 deadenylase (Maryati et al., 2014). Ideally, similar interactions involving several distinct 472 pathways might be targeted simultaneously to inhibit viral replication in a way that is 473 refractory to resistance. As an additional strategy, the recent identification of putative ligands 474 for the viral GPCRs may facilitate approaches to targeting cytotoxins exclusively to infected 475 cells (Krishna et al., 2017). These considerations illustrate the potential of the interactome 476 data in the present study for identifying biologically important protein-protein interactions 477 and developing antiviral therapies based on their disruption. 478

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#### 775 Key Resources Table

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#### Reagent Identifiers Additional Designation Source or reference information type strain, strain HCMV Merlin Stanton et al. 2010 RCMV1111 background (HCMV) strain, strain HCMV Merlin UL36-This paper **RCMV2697** Available from Dr background GFP deltaORFL147C Michael Weekes' (HCMV) lab, University of Cambridge strain. strain HCMV Merlin UL36-Nightingale et al, RCMV2582 background GFP 2018 (HCMV) E. coli. (α-Select Bioline Cat# BIO-85026 strain, strain background Silver Competent (Escherichia Cells) coli) cell line HFFF immortalized McSharry et al 2001 (Homowith human telomerase (HFFFsapiens) TERT) cell line Human Embryonic ATCC Cat# CRL-Menzies et al 2018 Kidney 293T cells (Homo-3216, RRID:CVCL\_0063 sapiens) Anti-V5 Agarose antibody Sigma-Aldrich Cat#A7345; (30µl/mL) Affinity Gel RRID:AB\_10062721 Mouse monoclonal R&D Systems antibody Cat#MAB5718; (1:10.000)anti-GAPDH RRID:AB\_10892505 antibody Rabbit polyclonal LifeSpan Cat#LS-B6881: (1:10.000)anti-Calnexin Biosciences RRID:AB\_11186721 antibody Rabbit monoclonal Cell Signaling Cat#3724S; (1:1000)anti-HA (C29F4) Technologies RRID:AB\_1549585 antibody Mouse monoclonal Thermo Cat# R960-25; (1:5000)RRID:AB\_2556564 anti-V5 antibody Rabbit polyclonal Novus Biologicals Cat# NBP2-56034; (1:1000)anti-CNOT2 RRID:AB\_2801658 antibody Rabbit monoclonal Cat# ab195587; (1:1000)Abcam anti-CNOT7 RRID:AB\_2801659 Mouse monoclonal R&D Systems (1:1000)antibody Cat# MAB6218; anti-NEDD4 RRID:AB 10920762 antibody IRDye 680RD goat LI-COR Cat#925-68070. (1:10.000)anti-mouse IgG RRID:AB\_2651128 IRDye 800CW goat Cat#925-32211, antibody LI-COR (1:10.000)anti-rabbit IgG RRID:AB\_2651127 Cat#926-68071; antibody IRDye 680RD goat LI-COR (1:10.000)anti-rabbit IgG RRID:AB\_10956166 IRDye 800CW goat antibody LI-COR Cat#926-32210; (1:10.000)anti-mouse IgG RRID:AB\_621842 antibody Human TruStain FcX BioLegend Cat#422302; 1:20 RRID:AB\_2818986 recombinant pHAGE-pSFFV Nightingale et al, DNA reagent 2018 pDONR223 Nightingale et al, recombinant DNA reagent 2018 pDONR221-MBLN1 Harvard PlasmID Cat# HsCD00079833

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recombinant DNA reagent	pENTR223-NCK1	Harvard PlasmID	Cat# HsCD00370605	
recombinant DNA reagent	pDONR223-CNOT2	Harvard PlasmID	Cat# HsCD00080019	
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peptide, recombinant protein	Trypsin	Promega	Cat# V5111	
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commercial assay or kit	Micro BCA Protein Assay Kit	Thermo Fisher	Cat# 23235	
commercial assay or kit	RNeasy Mini Kit	Qiagen	Cat#74104	
commercial assay or kit	Empore <sup>™</sup> SPE Disks	Supelco	Cat# 66883-U	
commercial assay or kit	GoScript Reverse Transcriptase kit	Promega	Cat#A5001	
commercial assay or kit	Power SYBR® Green PCR Master Mix	Thermo Fisher	Cat#4367659	
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commercial assay or kit	Gateway LR Clonase Enzyme Mix	Invitrogen	Cat# 56484	
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software, algorithm	"MassPike", a Sequest-based software pipeline for quantitative proteomics.	Professor Steven Gygi's lab, Harvard Medical School, Boston, USA.		
software, algorithm	SEQUEST	Eng et al 1994		
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software, algorithm	Reactome software	https://reactome.org/	Reactome, RRID:SCR_003485	
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software, algorithm	FlowJo	FlowJo	Ver. 10; FlowJo, RRID:SCR_008520	
software, algorithm	CompPass	Sowa et al 2009		
software, algorithm	CompPass Plus	Huttlin et al 2015		
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other	Orbitrap Fusion Lumos Mass Spectrometer	ThermoFisher Scientific	Cat# IQLAAEGAAP FADBMBHQ	Instrument
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### 780 *Cells and cell culture*

Human fetal foreskin fibroblast cells immortalised with human telomerase (HFFF-TERTs, male) and HEK293T cells (female) were grown in Dulbecco's modified Eagle's medium (DMEM) supplemented with foetal bovine serum (FBS: 10% v/v), and 100 IU/ml penicillin / 0.1 mg/ml streptomycin (DMEM/FBS/PS) at 37°C in 5% v/v CO<sub>2</sub>. HFFF-TERTs have been tested at regular intervals since isolation to confirm that human leukocyte antigen (HLA) and MHC Class I Polypeptide-Related Sequence A (MICA) genotypes, cell morphology and antibiotic resistance are unchanged. In addition, HCMV strain Merlin grows only in human fibroblast cells (dermal or foreskin in origin), further reducing the possibility that they have
been contaminated with another cell type. HEK293T cells were obtained as a gift from
Professor Paul Lehner and had been authenticated by Short Tandem Repeat profiling
(Menzies et al., 2018). All cells were confirmed to be mycoplasma-negative (Lonza
MycoAlert).

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#### 794 Viruses

The genome sequence of HCMV strain Merlin is designated the reference for HCMV by the National Center for Biotechnology Information, and was originally sequenced after 3 passages in human fibroblast cells (Dolan et al., 2004). A recombinant version (RCMV1111) of this strain was derived by transfection of a sequenced BAC clone (Stanton et al., 2010). RCMV1111 contains point mutations in two genes (RL13 and UL128) that enhance replication in fibroblasts (Stanton et al., 2010).

HCMV expressing rGFP from a P2A self-cleaving peptide at the 3'-end of the UL36 coding 801 region (RCMV2582) was generated by recombineering the strain Merlin BAC as described 802 803 previously (Stanton et al., 2010). An ORFL147C mutant (RCMV2697) was generated by recombineering RCMV2582. Substitutions were introduced into three in-frame ATG codons 804 805 at or near the 5'-end of ORFL147C, in such a way that the coding potential of UL56, with which ORFL147C overlaps extensively in another reading frame, was unaffected. Whole-806 genome consensus sequences of passage 2 of all recombinant viruses were derived using the 807 Illumina platform as described previously (Fielding et al., 2014) 808

809 Viral stocks were prepared from HFFF-TERTs as described previously (Stanton et al., 2007). When complete cytopathic effect was observed, cell culture supernatants were centrifuged to 810 remove cell debris and then centrifuged at  $22,000 \times g$  for 2 h to pellet cell-free virus. The 811 virus was resuspended in fresh DMEM, and residual debris was removed by centrifugation at 812 16,000 x g for 1 min. In total, 17 stocks of RCMV1111 were required for this project. To 813 ensure identical infection conditions between every batch of viral infections, each stock was 814 divided into 25 aliquots. For each batch of infections, one aliquot of each stock was thawed 815 then all 17 aliquots combined and mixed prior to infection. 816

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#### 818 Plasmid construction

For the majority of HCMV genes, a library of recombinant adenovirus vectors (RAds) was used to generate lentiviral constructs. Each template expresses a C-terminally V5-tagged gene under the control of the HCMV major immediate early promoter, with a 6 bp linker region between the end of the gene and the tag. Of 169 genes cloned into RAds, expression was
confirmed for 160 by a combination of IB (152 genes) and immunofluorescence (155 genes).
The codon usage of US14, US17 and UL74 was optimized for expression ( Supplementary
File 1D) (Seirafian, 2012). To amplify genes from the RAds, primers were designed to
recognise the 3' end of the HCMV promoter (forward 'GAW-CMVp-F') and the 3' end of
the V5 tag (reverse 'attB2-V5-R'). Both primers had flanking Gateway attB sequences
(Supplementary File 1E, Key Resources Table).

For HCMV genes amplified from the RCMV1111 BAC, primers were designed to recognize the 3' end and the 5' end of each gene (**Supplementary File 1E**). In addition to the genespecific sequence, the reverse primer also contained a 6 bp linker region, followed by the coding sequence for the V5 tag and a stop codon. Both primers had flanking Gateway attB sequences.

A subset of HCMV genes was synthesized as double-stranded DNA fragments (gBlocks®, Integrated DNA Technologies, detailed in the **Supplementary File 1E** 'Template' column). Each fragment comprised the viral gene (without a stop codon), succeeded by a 6 bp linker region, the coding sequence for the V5 tag then the stop codon. The fragments had flanking Gateway attB sequences. The sequences of all primers and HCMV genes used in this study are shown in **Supplementary File 1D-E** and the Key Resources Table.

Two control vectors were additionally employed. 'GAW Control' contains a short DNA sequence (produced by a random DNA sequence generator) flanked by Gateway attB sequences. Complementary oligonucleotides (**Supplementary File 1E**) were annealed to generate a double-stranded DNA fragment, which was then inserted into pDONR223 by gateway recombination. A second control vector coding for GFP was cloned from the adenoviral template library as described above. Neither the 'GAW Control' nor GFP were tagged with V5.

For HA-tagged human genes (**Figures 3-6**), primers were designed to recognise the 3' end and 5' end of each gene (**Supplementary File 1F**). In addition to the gene-specific sequence, the reverse primer also contained a 6 bp linker region, followed by the coding sequence for an HA tag and a stop codon. Both primers had flanking Gateway attB sequences.

PCR employed PfuUltra II Fusion HS DNA polymerase (Agilent). Constructs were subsequently cloned into the pDONR223 entry vector, then into the lentiviral destination vector pHAGE-pSFFV using the Gateway system (Thermo Scientific). pHAGE-pSFFV has a spleen focus-forming virus (SFFV) promoter replacing the HCMV promoter in pHAGEpCMV to prevent promoter inactivation during HCMV infection (Nightingale et al., 2018).

For UL48, which is 6.7 kbp long, it was not possible to express the whole construct via 856 lentiviral transduction alone, probably due to inefficient transduction. UL48 contains a 857 predicted  $\alpha$ -helix from residues 540-1500, but no predicted secondary structure between 858 residues 1501-1509. The gene was therefore divided into two segments, one of 4.5 kbp (1-859 1504 aa) terminating in a stop codon, and one of 2.2 kbp (1505-2241 aa), with an additional 860 start codon. Both segments were stably expressed in different cell lines, and HCMV-infected 861 cellular lysates were combined prior to IP. Full sequencing of all genes was conducted in the 862 pDONR223 vector using standard primers and additional internal primers as required (Key 863 Resources Table). All pHAGE-pSFFV vectors underwent sequencing of the first ~700 864 nucleotides from the 3' end of the SFFV promoter to verify that the viral construct had 865 recombined correctly. 866

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#### 868 Stable cell line production

Lentiviral particles were generated through transfection of HEK293T cells with the lentiviral transfer vector and four helper plasmids (VSVG, TAT1B, MGPM2, CMV-Rev1B), using TransIT-293 transfection reagent (Mirus) according to the manufacturer's recommendations (Nightingale et al., 2018). Viral supernatant was harvested 48 h post-transfection and cell debris was removed with a 0.22  $\mu$ m filter. To facilitate stable, constitutive expression of the viral transgene, target cells were transduced for 48 h and then subjected to antibiotic selection for two weeks.

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#### 877 Immunoblotting to confirm viral bait expression

Lysates for each HFFF-TERT cell line expressing a viral bait were tested for transgene 878 expression by IB for the V5 tag. Cells were lysed with RIPA buffer (Cell Signaling) 879 containing Complete Protease Inhibitor Cocktail (Roche) and clarified by centrifugation at 880 16,000 x g for 10 min. Protein concentration was measured by BCA (Pierce) using the 881 manufacturer's protocol. Lysates were reduced with 6X Protein Loading Dye (375 mM Tris-882 HCl pH 6.8, 12% w/v sodium dodecyl sulphate (SDS), 30% v/v glycerol, 0.6 M dithiothreitol 883 (DTT), 0.06% w/v bromophenol blue) for 5 min at 95°C. 20 µg of protein for each sample 884 885 was separated by polyacrylamide gel electrophoresis (PAGE) using 4-15% TGX Precast Protein Gels (Bio-rad), then transferred to polyvinylidene difluoride (PVDF) membranes 886 using Trans-Blot Systems (Bio-rad). The following primary antibodies were used: anti-V5 887 (MA5-15253, Thermo) and anti-Calnexin (CANX, LS-B6881, LifeSpan BioSciences). 888

- Secondary antibodies were IRDye 680RD goat anti-rabbit (926-68071, LI-COR) and IRDye
  800CW goat anti-mouse (926-32210, LI-COR). Fluorescent signals were detected using a LICOR Odyssey, and images were processed using Image Studio Lite (LI-COR).
- Where viral baits could not be detected by IB, IP-MS was used with uninfected cellular lysates as described below in 'IP and protein digestion for proteomic experiments'. Where a bait could not be detected by IP-MS, RT-qPCR was used as described below.
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#### 897 **RT-qPCR to confirm viral bait expression**

Total RNA from a subset of HFFF-TERT lines expressing viral transgenes was extracted 898 using an RNeasy Mini Kit (Qiagen). cDNA was synthesized using GoScript Reverse 899 Transcriptase (Promega), followed by RT-qPCR using Fast SYBR Green Master Mix 900 (Applied Biosystems) and 7500 Fast & 7500 Real-Time PCR Systems (Applied Biosystems). 901 Primers targeting HCMV genes or GAPDH (as an internal control) are shown in 902 Supplementary File 1E. The PCR program started with activation at 95°C for 2 min, 903 904 followed by 40 cycles of denaturation at 95°C for 5 s and annealing/extension at 60°C for 30 s. The amplification products were then separated by agarose gel electrophoresis, purified 905 906 (QIAquick Gel Extraction, Qiagen) and sequenced to confirm viral bait expression. For UL146 and UL148D, this procedure failed to generate sequenceable amplicons, and UL136 907 failed to generate any PCR product despite the use of primers that recognized both a short 908 and full-sized amplicon (Supplementary File 1E). For UL146 and UL148D, whole gene 909 amplicons (189-363 bp) were generated by PCR with PfuUltra II Fusion HS DNA 910 Polymerase (Agilent), according to the manufacturer's recommendations. Sequencing of the 911 amplified product confirmed expression of the correct gene in each case. 912

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#### 914 Virus infections for IP-MS proteomic experiments

Each batch of viral infections included eight cell lines stably expressing different viral baits 915 in duplicate. For each cell line,  $6 \times 10^6$  cells were plated in DMEM/FBS/PS in each of two 916 150 cm<sup>2</sup> dishes. After 24 h, the medium was changed to DMEM lacking FBS but with 4 917 µg/ml dexamethasone, as this approach has been shown to improve infection efficiency 918 (Tanaka et al., 1984). After 24 h, the medium was changed to DMEM containing the requisite 919 volume of HCMV strain Merlin stock to achieve MOI 2. Cells were gently rocked for 2 h, 920 and then the medium was changed to DMEM/FBS/PS and cells were incubated for a further 921 58 h. 922

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#### 924 IP and protein digestion for IP-MS proteomic experiments

Cells were harvested in one of two lysis buffers in order to best solubilise each bait protein 925 and preserve protein-protein interactions. For soluble and single-pass transmembrane (TM) 926 baits, cells were lysed in (50 mM Tris-HCl pH 7.5, 300 mM NaCl, 0.5% v/v NP40, 1 mM 927 DTT and Roche protease inhibitor cocktail). Baits with two or more TM domains were 928 solubilized in 1% w/v digitonin (Merck Millipore) in TBS (Sigma) and Roche protease 929 inhibitor cocktail. Transmembrane predictions were derived from Uniprot (www.uniprot.org) 930 931 for canonical HCMV proteins, and generated using TMHMM for the two novel proteins (Krogh et al., 2001). Samples were tumbled for 15 min at 4°C and then centrifuged at 16,100 932 g for 15 min at 4°C. Lysates were then clarified by filtration through a 0.7 µm filter and 933 incubated for 3 h with immobilised mouse monoclonal anti-V5 agarose resin (Sigma). 934 Duplicate samples were combined for resin washes. Samples lysed in NP40-containing buffer 935 were washed seven times with lysis buffer, followed by seven PBS pH 7.4 washes. Samples 936 lysed in digitonin-containing buffer were washed once with lysis buffer, twice with 0.2% 937 (w/v) digitonin in TBS and then once with TBS. Subsequently, proteins bound to the anti-V5 938 resin were eluted twice by adding 200 µl of 250 µg/ml V5 peptide (Alpha Diagnostic 939 940 International) in PBS at 37°C for 30 min with agitation. Finally, proteins were precipitated with 20% TCA, washed once with 10% TCA, washed three times with cold acetone and dried 941 to completion using a centrifugal evaporator. Samples were resuspended in digestion buffer 942 (50 mM Tris-HCl pH 8.5, 10% acetonitrile (AcN), 1mM DTT, 10 ug/ml Trypsin) and 943 944 incubated overnight at 37°C with agitation. The reaction was quenched with 50% formic acid (FA), subjected to C18 solid-phase extraction, and vacuum-centrifuged to complete dryness. 945 Samples were reconstituted in 4% acetonitrile / 5% formic acid and divided into technical 946 duplicates prior to LC-MS/MS on an Orbitrap Lumos. To minimise variability in sample 947 preparation, all samples were lysed with aliquots from the same batch of lysis buffer. 948 Similarly, several batches of the anti-V5 agarose resin used for immunoprecipitation were 949 pooled and this pool was used for all samples. In addition, all V5 peptide used for protein 950 elution was derived from the same manufacturer's batch, and all protein digests were 951 performed with aliquots from the same stock of digestion buffer. 952

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#### 954 LC-MS/MS for IP-MS experiments

955 Peptides for each sample were analysed in technical duplicate, with the run order reversed 956 from one batch of replicate analyses to the next to ensure that any carry-over was different in each case. Two washes were used between each sample to further minimise carry-over (i.e.
Run 1: Sample A, wash, wash, Sample B, wash, wash, Sample C...; Run 2: ...Sample C,
wash, wash, Sample B, wash, wash, Sample A). Individual batches included 16-22 samples.
To ensure consistent performance by the mass spectrometer between batches, an identical
aliquot of a control IP of uninfected cells stably expressing the viral UL123 gene with a Cterminal V5 tag was included with each batch. The number of peptides in total, from the bait,
and from known UL123 prey were very similar between batches.

The major reason for pooling the biological replicates and analyzing samples in technical 964 965 duplicate was to solve certain technical issues. Specifically, due to the potential for carryover of peptides between adjacent injections of different IP samples, it was necessary to use 966 consistency of detection of prey as a measure of confidence in bait-prey interaction. To 967 electronically filter out carry-over contaminants, an entropy score (described below in 'Data 968 analysis') compared the number of peptide-spectrum matches (PSM) between technical 969 970 replicate injections and eliminated prey that were not detected consistently. In addition, this form of replicate analysis also enabled false positive interactions to be minimised since the 971 972 same random incorrect interaction was unlikely to appear twice in two different runs. It was therefore important that replicate injection material was as similar as possible to ensure that 973 974 this filter was efficacious. These issues are well understood and examined in (Huttlin et al., 2015); the CompPass algorithm (described below) was developed based on this specific 975 protocol. 976

To directly examine biological variability, six of the IP-MS experiments were re-run, with independent analysis of each replicate. There was very good correlation between the number of PSM from each identified prey protein both between biological as well as between technical replicates (Figure 1 – Figure Supplement 1C-D).

Mass spectrometry data were acquired using an Orbitrap Fusion Lumos. An Ultimate 3000 RSLC nano UHPLC equipped with a 300  $\mu$ m ID x 5 mm Acclaim PepMap  $\mu$ -Precolumn (Thermo Fisher Scientific) and a 75  $\mu$ m ID x 75 cm 2  $\mu$ m particle Acclaim PepMap RSLC analytical column was used.

Loading solvent was 0.1% v/v FA, and the analytical solvents were (A) 0.1% v/v FA and (B) 80% v/v MeCN + 0.1% v/v FA. All separations were carried out at 55°C. Samples were loaded at 5 µl/min for 5 min in loading solvent before beginning the analytical gradient. The following gradient was used: 3-7% B over 3 min then 7-37% B over 54 min followed by a 4 min wash in 95% B and equilibration in 3% B for 15 min. The following settings were used: MS1, 350-1500 Thompsons (Th), 120,000 resolution,  $2x10^5$  automatic gain control (AGC)

target, 50 ms maximum injection time. MS2, quadrupole isolation at an isolation width of 991 m/z 0.7, higher-energy collisional dissociation (HCD) fragmentation (normalised collision 992 energy (NCE) 34) with fragment ions scanning in the ion trap from m/z 120,  $1x10^4$  AGC 993 target, 250 ms maximum injection time, with ions accumulated for all parallelisable times. 994 The method excluded undetermined and very high charge states ( $\geq 25+$ ). Dynamic exclusion 995 was set to +/- 10 ppm for 25 s. MS2 fragmentation was trigged on precursors  $5 \times 10^3$  counts 996 and above. Two 45 min washes were included between every affinity purification-mass 997 spectrometry (AP-MS) analysis, to minimise carry-over between samples. 1 µl transport 998 999 solution (0.1% v/v TFA) was injected, over the following gradient: 3-40% B over 29 min followed by a 3 min wash at 95% B and equilibration at 3% B for 10 min. 1000

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#### 1002 Confirmation of ORFL147C deletion in *AORFL147C* recombinant virus

selected as ORFL147C expression peaks at this time (Figure 6B).

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For Figure 6G, HFFF-TERT cells were infected as otherwise described in 'Virus infections for IP-MS proteomic experiments' with the following modifications:  $1.5 \times 10^5$  cells seeded per well of a 12-well plate for a total of 48 h infection. A total infection duration of 48 h was

1008 As described in (Nightingale et al., 2018) and briefly recapitulated here, cells were washed with PBS, lysed with 6M Guanidine/50 mM HEPES pH 8.5, scraped, vortexed extensively 1009 1010 then sonicated then debris removed by centrifugation. Proteins were reduced using DTT then 1011 cysteines alkylated with iodoacetamide, which was quenched with DTT. Samples were diluted with HEPES pH 8.5 to 1.5 M Guanidine followed by digestion at room temperature 1012 for 3 h with LysC protease at a 1:100 protease-to-protein ratio. Samples were further diluted 1013 with 200 mM HEPES pH 8.5 to 0.5 M Guanidine. Trypsin was then added at a 1:100 1014 protease-to-protein ratio followed by overnight incubation at 37°C. The reaction was 1015 quenched with 5% formic acid, then centrifuged at 21,000 g for 10 min to remove undigested 1016 1017 protein. Peptides were subjected to C18 solid-phase extraction (SPE, Sep-Pak, Waters) and 1018 vacuum-centrifuged to near-dryness.

1019 Desalted peptides were dissolved in 200 mM HEPES pH 8.5 and peptide concentration was 1020 measured by microBCA, 15  $\mu$ g of peptide was labeled with TMT reagent (mock - 126; wild-1021 type - 127N;  $\Delta$ ORFL147C - 128N). After 1 h, the reaction was quenched and samples 1022 combined 1:1:1. The sample was vacuum-centrifuged to near dryness and subjected to C18 1023 SPE (Sep-Pak, Waters). Six fractions generated using high pH reversed phase fractionation as previously described (Nightingale et al., 2018) were analysed to increase the overall numberof peptides quantified.

- Mass spectrometry data was acquired using an Orbitrap Lumos as previously described 1026 (Nightingale et al., 2018). An Ultimate 3000 RSLC nano UHPLC equipped with a 300 µm ID 1027 1028 x 5 mm Acclaim PepMap µ-Precolumn (Thermo Fisher Scientific) and a 75 µm ID x 50 cm 2.1 µm particle Acclaim PepMap RSLC analytical column was used. Loading solvent was 1029 1030 0.1% FA, analytical solvent A: 0.1% FA and B: 80% MeCN + 0.1% FA. All separations were carried out at 55°C. Samples were loaded at 5 µL/minute for 5 minutes in loading solvent 1031 before beginning the analytical gradient. The following gradient was used: 3-7% B over 3 1032 minutes, 7-37% B over 173 minutes, followed by a 4 minute wash at 95% B and equilibration 1033 1034 at 3% B for 15 minutes. Each analysis used a MultiNotch MS3-based TMT method (McAlister et al., 2014). The following settings were used: MS1: 380-1500 Th, 120,000 1035 Resolution,  $2x10^5$  automatic gain control (AGC) target, 50 ms maximum injection time. 1036 MS2: Quadrupole isolation at an isolation width of m/z 0.7, CID fragmentation (normalised 1037 collision energy (NCE) 35) with ion trap scanning in turbo mode from m/z 120,  $1.5x10^4$  AGC 1038 target, 120 ms maximum injection time. MS3: In Synchronous Precursor Selection mode the 1039 1040 top 6 MS2 ions were selected for HCD fragmentation (NCE 65) and scanned in the Orbitrap at 60,000 resolution with an AGC target of  $1 \times 10^5$  and a maximum accumulation time of 150 1041 ms. Ions were not accumulated for all parallelisable time. The entire MS/MS/MS cycle had a 1042 1043 target time of 3 s. Dynamic exclusion was set to +/- 10 ppm for 70 s. MS2 fragmentation was trigged on precursors  $5 \times 10^3$  counts and above. Data analysis is discussed below. 1044
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#### 1047 Transient transfection

1048  $7.5 \ge 10^5$  HEK293T cells were plated in each well of a 6-well dish 24 h prior to transfection. 1049 A total of 2.5 µg plasmid DNA was transfected using TransIT-293 transfection reagent 1050 (Mirus) according to the manufacturer's recommendations. Cell lysates were harvested 48 h 1051 post-transfection as detailed below.

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#### 1053 Site-directed mutagenesis

A method based on PCR overlap extension was used to generate point mutations in the coding sequence of NCK1. Primer sequences spanning the target region were generated incorporating the desired sequence changes in both forward and reverse orientations. These, along with primers that would anneal at the 5' and 3' ends of the full-length NCK1 coding sequence (NCK1F and NCK1R, respectively) were used to amplify two fragments of NCK1, each incorporating the point mutation. Fragments were purified and assembled into a fulllength mutant NCK1 coding sequence by a second round of PCR using only NCK1F and NCK1R. The product was then purified and subcloned as described above. A truncation mutant of UL25 was generated by a single round of PCR using an appropriate internal primer.

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- 1065 **Co-IP**

HEK293T cells were used in all experiments. Cells were harvested and lysed in MCLB (50 1066 mM Tris-HCl pH 7.5, 300 mM NaCl, 0.5% v/v NP40, 1 mM DTT and Roche protease 1067 inhibitor cocktail). Samples were tumbled for 15 min at  $4^{\circ}$ C and then centrifuged at 16,100 g 1068 for 15 min at 4°C. Lysates were then clarified by filtration through a 0.7 µm filter and 1069 incubated for 3 h with immobilised mouse monoclonal anti-V5 agarose resin. Samples were 1070 washed three times with lysis buffer, followed by two PBS pH 7.4 washes. Subsequently, 1071 proteins bound to the anti-V5 resin were eluted once by adding 40 µl of 2.5 mg/ml V5 1072 peptide (Alpha Diagnostic International) in PBS at 37°C for 30 min with agitation. Lysates 1073 1074 were reduced with 6X Protein Loading Dye (375 mM Tris-HCl pH 6.8, 12% w/v SDS, 30% 1075 v/v glycerol, 0.6 M DTT, 0.06% w/v bromophenol blue) for 5 min at 95°C. 50 µg of protein 1076 for each sample was separated by PAGE using 4-15% TGX Precast Protein Gels (Bio-rad), and then transferred to PVDF membranes using Trans-Blot Systems (Bio-rad). The following 1077 primary antibodies were used: anti-Calnexin (CANX, LS-B6881, LifeSpan BioSciences), 1078 anti-GAPDH (MAB5718, R&D Systems), anti-V5 (MA5-15253, Thermo), anti-HA (C29F4, 1079 1080 Cell Signaling), anti-CNOT2 (NBP2-56034, Novus), anti-CNOT7 (ab195587, Abcam), anti-NEDD4 (MAB6218, R&D Systems). Secondary antibodies were IRDye 680RD goat anti-1081 mouse (925-68070, LI-COR), IRDye 680RD goat anti-rabbit (926-68071, LI-COR), IRDye 1082 800CW goat anti-mouse (926-32210, LI-COR) and IRDye 800CW goat anti-rabbit (925-1083 32211, LI-COR). Fluorescent signals were detected using a LI-COR Odyssey, and images 1084 were processed using Image Studio Lite (LI-COR). 1085

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#### 1087 Viral growth curve analysis

For each virus stock,  $1 \times 10^{6}$  HFFF TERTs were seeded in duplicate T25 flasks in DMEM/FBS/PS. After 24 h, the medium was changed to 1 ml DMEM containing the requisite volume of HCMV strain Merlin stock to achieve MOI 1, and the cells were rocked 1091 gently. After adsorption for 2 h at 37°C, unbound virus was removed by washing with 1092 DMEM. Cells were then overlaid with 5 ml DMEM/FBS/PS. Every 48 h, all medium was 1093 removed and replaced. 1 ml aliquots of removed media were retained for titration in 1094 fibroblasts. Cells in these aliquots that had detached from the monolayer were pelleted by 1095 centrifugation at 400 x g for 10 min at 18°C and discarded. Prior to titration, all supernatants 1096 were stored at -70°C.

1097 Titrations of cell-free virus were performed simultaneously in fibroblasts by flow cytometry,
1098 using UL36-GFP expression as a marker to calculate the percentage of infection at 24 h PI.

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#### 1100 Data analysis

In the following description, the first report in the literature for each relevant algorithm is listed. Mass spectra were processed using MassPike, which is a Sequest-based software pipeline for quantitative proteomics, through a collaborative arrangement with Professor Steven Gygi's laboratory at Harvard Medical School. MS spectra were converted to mzXML using an extractor built upon Thermo Fisher's RAW File Reader library (version 4.0.26). This software is a component of the MassPike software platform and is licensed by Harvard Medical School.

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A combined database was constructed as described in (Nightingale et al., 2018) from (a) the 1109 1110 human Uniprot database (accessed 26 January 2017), (b) the HCMV strain Merlin Uniprot database, (c) all additional non-canonical human cytomegalovirus proteins described by 1111 1112 Stern-Ginossar et al. (Stern-Ginossar et al., 2012), (d) a six-frame translation of the HCMV strain Merlin genome filtered to include all ORFs of  $\geq 8$  codons (delimited by stop codons) 1113 1114 rather than requiring an initiating ATG codon), and (e) common contaminants such as 1115 porcine trypsin and endoproteinase LysC. ORFs from the six-frame translation (6FT-ORFs) 1116 were named as follows: 6FT\_Frame\_ORFnumber\_length, where Frame is numbered 1-6, and length is in amino acid residues. The combined database was concatenated with a reverse 1117 database composed of all protein sequences in reversed order. Searches were performed using 1118 a 20 ppm precursor ion tolerance (Haas et al., 2006). Product ion tolerance was set to 0.03 1119 Th. Oxidation of methionine residues (15.99492 Da) was set as a variable modification. 1120 1121 Peptides were assumed to be fully tryptic with up to two missed cleavages.

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1123 To control the fraction of erroneous protein identifications, a target-decoy strategy was 1124 employed (Elias et al., 2007, 2010). Peptide spectral matches (PSMs) were filtered to an

initial peptide-level false discovery rate (FDR) of 1% with subsequent filtering to attain a 1125 final protein-level FDR of 1% (Kim et al., 2011; Wu et al., 2011). PSM filtering was 1126 performed using linear discriminant analysis as described previously (Huttlin et al., 2010). 1127 Filtering was implemented in R using the linear discriminant analysis (LDA) function in the 1128 package MASS (cran.r-project.org/web/packages/MASS). This distinguishes correct from 1129 incorrect peptide identifications in a manner analogous to the widely used Percolator 1130 algorithm (Kall et al., 2007), although employing a distinct machine-learning algorithm. The 1131 following parameters were considered: XCorr,  $\Delta$ Cn, missed cleavages, peptide length, charge 1132 1133 state, and precursor mass accuracy. Peptides shorter than seven amino acids in length or with XCorr less than 1.0 were excluded prior to LDA filtering. Peptides were then assembled into 1134 proteins and the resulting protein IDs were scored probalistically and filtered to a 1% protein-1135 level FDR. 1136

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For MS3-based TMT, as previously described (Nightingale et al., 2018), TMT tags on lysine 1138 residues and peptide N termini (229.162932 Da) and carbamidomethylation of cysteine 1139 1140 residues (57.02146 Da) were included as static modifications. Proteins were quantified by 1141 summing TMT reporter ion counts across all matching peptide-spectral matches using 1142 "MassPike", as described previously (McAlister et al., 2014). Briefly, a 0.003 Th window around the theoretical m/z of each reporter ion (126, 127n, 128n) was scanned for ions, and 1143 1144 the maximum intensity nearest to the theoretical m/z was used. An isolation specificity filter with a cutoff of 50% was employed to minimise peptide co-isolation (McAlister et al., 2014). 1145 1146 Peptide-spectral matches with poor quality MS3 spectra (more than 3 TMT channels missing and/or a combined S:N ratio of less than 100 across all TMT reporter ions) or no MS3 spectra 1147 1148 at all were excluded from quantitation. Peptides meeting the stated criteria for reliable quantitation were then summed by parent protein, in effect weighting the contributions of 1149 1150 individual peptides to the total protein signal based on their individual TMT reporter ion yields. Protein quantitation values were exported for further analysis in Excel. 1151

For protein quantitation, reverse and contaminant proteins were removed, then each reporter ion channel was summed across all quantified proteins and normalised assuming equal protein loading across all channels. For further analysis and display in **Figure 6G**, fractional TMT signals were used (i.e. reporting the fraction of maximal signal observed for each protein in each TMT channel, rather than the absolute normalized signal intensity). This effectively corrected for differences in the numbers of peptides observed per protein.

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#### 1160 Interactor identification with CompPASS

To identify HCIPs for each bait, replicate pairs were combined to attain a summary of 1161 proteins identified in both runs. Peptides within replicates were reassembled into proteins 1162 1163 following the principles of parsimony (Huttlin et al., 2010). Where all PSMs from a given HCMV protein could be explained either by a canonical gene or a non-canonical ORF, the 1164 canonical gene was picked in preference. In four cases (UL24/ORFL71C\_(UL24), 1165 UL31/ORFL87W\_(UL31), UL150A/ORFL321W, UL44/ORFL112C\_(UL44)), **PSMs** 1166 1167 assigned to a non-canonical ORF were a mixture of peptides from the canonical protein and the ORF. This occurred where the ORF was a 5'-terminal extension of the canonical protein 1168 (thus meaning that the smallest set of proteins necessary to account for all observed peptides 1169 included the ORFs alone). In these cases, the peptides corresponding to the canonical protein 1170 were separated from those unique to the ORF, generating two separate entries. 1171

1172 CompPASS scoring was performed as described previously (Huttlin et al., 2015), in two analyses that were subsequently combined, one for NP40-based IPs and the other for 1173 digitonin IPs. These data were treated separately to better model detergent-specific 1174 1175 differences in IP-MS background. Data reported for each protein in every IP in the dataset 1176 include: (a) the number of peptide spectrum matches (PSMs) averaged between technical replicates; (b) an entropy score, which compares the number of PSM between replicates to 1177 1178 eliminate proteins that are not detected consistently; (c) a z-score, calculated in comparison to the average and standard deviation of PSMs observed across all IPs; and (d) an NWD score, 1179 1180 which reflects (i) how frequently this protein was detected and (ii) whether it was detected reproducibly. NWD scores were calculated as described in (Behrends et al., 2010) using the 1181 1182 fraction of runs in which a protein was observed, the observed number of PSMs, the average 1183 and standard deviation of PSMs observed for that protein across all IPs, and the number of 1184 replicates (1 or 2) containing the protein of interest. NWD Scores were normalized so that the top 2% earned scores  $\geq$ 1.0. For NP40-based IPs, the top 2% of z-scores were >6.676, and for 1185 digitonin-based IPs were >4.329. 1186

As the set of digitonin-based IPs was necessarily smaller than NP40-based IPs (18 compared to 153 viral genes examined respectively), additional control IPs were included. Biological duplicates of cells transduced with empty vector controls ('GAW control'), and biological duplicates of cells transduced with a vector encoding green fluorescent protein (GFP) were included in the digitonin set. A single replicate of the GAW control was included in the NP40 set. These controls had the effect of increasing the number of IPs that identified non-specific interacting proteins, thus decreasing NWD and z-scores for these proteins. Mass spectrometry RAW files from control UL123 IPs included to ensure batch-to-batch consistency were not included in the final data analysis, to avoid modification of NWD and z-scores for the infected UL123-expressing sample.

1197 Following CompPASS analysis, a series of filters were applied to remove inconsistent and 1198 low-confidence protein identifications across all IPs and minimize both false protein 1199 identifications and associations. These included: (a) a minimum PSM score of 1.5 (i.e. a minimum of 3 peptides per protein across both replicates); (b) a minimum entropy score of 1200 1201 0.75; (c) a top 2% NWD or z-score. Previous studies have estimated a 5% false discovery rate when employing a similar strategy with a top 2% NWD score (Sowa et al., 2009). 1202 Interactions passing these criteria are shown in **Supplementary File 2B**, and used in all 1203 subsequent analyses throughout this work. As found in prior human interactome 1204 investigations, certain known interactions fell just below the stringent top 2% NWD or z-1205 score cutoffs. Proteins were therefore also included with top 5% NWD or z-scores (>0.434 1206 and >3.688, respectively), if they had been reported to interact with the bait in a prior study 1207 1208 (Gallegos et al., 2016). For protein UL133 (2 TM regions), an initial digitonin-based AP-MS 1209 analysis failed to generate any interactors after filtering. This IP was repeated using the 1210 NP40-based lysis buffer.

For added stringency with baits solubilized in NP40, the supervised learning algorithm 1211 1212 CompPass Plus, was employed. This identifies HCIPs whilst minimising both false positive protein IDs and background proteins as described previously (Huttlin et al., 2017). The 1213 1214 CompPass Plus model was trained using known HCMV protein interactions drawn from BioGRID, IntAct, Uniprot, MINT, and Virus Mentha; incorrect protein IDs were modeled 1215 1216 using the target-decoy method. Results reported from this algorithm include p(Interactor), the probability that a given prey is a specific interactor. We considered interactions that passed 1217 CompPass filters, had p(Interactor) values of >0.75 from CompPass Plus and in which the 1218 prey was identified by at least two unique peptides as a VHCIP. These are also indicated in 1219 Supplementary File 2B.Cytoscape ver 3.7.1 was employed to display protein-protein 1220 interactions (Shannon et al., 2003). 1221

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#### 1223 IBAQ analysis

The intensity-based absolute quantification (IBAQ) method was adapted from the original description (Schwanhausser et al., 2011) for two independent whole cell analyses of wildtype (WT) HCMV strain Merlin infection at 24, 48 and 72 h PI. These included: (a) WCL3

from (Weekes et al., 2014) (conditions examined were 0, 24, 48, 72, 96 h PI with WT Merlin 1227 with or without the viral DNA synthesis inhibitor phosphonoformate); (b) proteomic series 3 1228 from (Fielding et al., 2017) (0, 24, 48, 72 h PI with WT Merlin with or without the lysosomal 1229 inhibitor leupeptin, or with an HCMV recombinant having a block deletion in the US12-1230 1231 US21 region). The maximum MS1 precursor intensity for each quantified peptide was determined for each experiment, and a summed MS1 precursor intensity for each protein 1232 across all matching peptides was calculated. To determine the proportion of the summed 1233 intensity that arose at 24, 48 and 72 h PI, the summed intensity was adjusted in proportion to 1234 normalized TMT values:  $(24h + 48 h + 72 h PI) / \sum (all quantified times or conditions).$ 1235 Adjusted intensities were divided by the number of theoretical tryptic peptides from each 1236 protein between 7 and 30 amino acid residues in length to give an estimated IBAQ value. The 1237 same calculation was used to estimate IBAQ abundances for viral proteins (Supplementary 1238 File 1A, columns C-E) and human proteins (Supplementary File 1C columns E-G). Viral 1239 1240 and human IBAQ values in these columns can be directly compared to examine the relative abundances of HCMV and host proteins. 1241

Where PSMs had been assigned to a non-canonical viral ORF but were redundant to a canonical viral protein, peptides corresponding to the canonical protein were separated from those unique to the ORF, generating two separate entries as described in 'Interactor Identification with CompPASS'. For the non-canonical ORF, the number of theoretical peptides from the non-canonical protein fragment were used in the IBAQ calculation.

Values were separately normalized for HCMV and human proteins by the sum of all IBAQ
values within each experiment, and average and range of the normalized values calculated
and plotted (Figure 1 – Figure Supplement 1A, Supplementary File 1A columns F-I,
Supplementary File 1C columns H-K).

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#### 1252 Interaction Database Comparisons

For purposes of comparison, lists of physical interactions between viral proteins and human proteins were downloaded in October 2018 from: BioGRID (Chatr-Aryamontri et al., 2013), IntAct (Orchard et al., 2014), Uniprot (www.uniprot.org), MINT (Licata et al., 2012), and Virus Mentha (Calderone et al., 2015).

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#### 1258 Domain association analysis

Domain enrichments were calculated by mapping Pfam domains drawn from Uniprot ontohuman and HCMV amino acid sequences. The total number of interactions that included each

domain, and the number of interactions involving pairs of domains whose parent proteins 1261 associate, were counted. The significance of the association among co-occurring domains 1262 was calculated using Fisher's Exact Test as described previously (Huttlin et al., 2015). p-1263 values were corrected for multiple hypothesis testing (Benjamini et al., 1995). Domains were 1264 1265 considered significantly associated if their adjusted p-value was <0.01. Overall 96 domains have been identified in HCMV proteins by Pfam, however only 10 domains were identified 1266 in two or more baits. Only this subset was examined in Figure 4A and Supplementary File 1267 **5** to increase confidence in domain association predictions. 1268

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#### 1270 Statistical analysis

*Figures 2, Figure 2 - Supplement 1* Benjamini-Hochberg adjusted p-values for enrichment are shown as blue surrounds to each pathway where p<0.05. More significantly enriched pathways are shown in darker blue as detailed in the figures.

*Figure 4* The significance of the association among co-occurring domains was
calculated using Fisher's Exact Test as described previously (Huttlin et al., 2015). p-values
were corrected for multiple hypothesis testing.

*Figure 5* (B) Benjamini-Hochberg adjusted Significance A values were used to estimate p-values in the top panels; \*\*p<0.005, \*\*\*p<0.0005. Mean and SEM are shown for transcript quantitation (n=3) in the middle panels. A p-value for the difference between rates of degradation is shown in the bottom panel; \*\*\*p<0.0005. All calculations and statistics are described in (Nightingale et al., 2018). (F) Mean and SEM are shown for transcript quantitation as in (B).

- *Figure 6* (F) p-values for a difference between wild-type and ORFL147C-deficient
  virus were estimated using a two-tailed Student's t-test. \*\*\*p<0.001, \*\*\*\*p<0.0001.</li>
- 1285 *Figure 7* Benjamini-Hochberg adjusted p-values are shown for each enriched pathway.
- *Figure 1 Figure Supplement 1* Average IBAQ values +/- range are plotted for proteins
  quantified in both analyses (n=2).
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#### 1290 Pathway analysis

The Database for Annotation, Visualisation and Integrated Discovery (DAVID) version 6.8 was used to determine pathway enrichment for **Figures 2 and Figure 2 – Figure Supplement 1, 2A** (Huang da et al., 2009), in which all human HCIPs for all viral baits were searched against a background of all human proteins, using default settings. For **Figures 6C**  and Figure 4 – Figure Supplement 1, DAVID and Reactome software (Fabregat et al.,
2018) were used to analyse 80 human HCIPs interacting with ORFL147C compared to all
human proteins as background.

To identify type I interferon-stimulated genes (ISG) for **Figure 3D**, gene symbols were searched in 'Interferome 2.0' (<u>http://interferome.org/interferome/home.jspx</u>) (Rusinova et al., 2013). A gene was considered to be an ISG if it was upregulated at least 2-fold by type I interferon in at least two independent experiments in human cells.

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#### 1303 Data Availability

The mass spectrometry proteomics data have been deposited to the ProteomeXchange Consortium (http://www.proteomexchange.org/) via the PRIDE (Vizcaino et al., 2016) partner repository with the dataset identifier PXD014845.

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#### 1308 FIGURE LEGENDS

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#### 1310 Figure 1. Schematic of the IP strategy.

IP samples were generated and analysed in technical duplicate, using the method originally 1311 described in (Huttlin et al., 2017; Huttlin et al., 2015) and discussed in detail in the Materials 1312 and Methods section. For 153 baits with zero or one transmembrane (TM) region predicted 1313 by Uniprot, an NP40-based lysis buffer was used; for 18 baits with >1 TM region, a 1314 digitonin-based buffer was used, as this has previously been demonstrated to improve 1315 1316 identifications of interacting proteins ('prey') (Babu et al., 2012) (Supplementary File 1B). Each dataset was scored separately using the CompPASS algorithm (Huttlin et al., 2015; 1317 Sowa et al., 2009) to better model detergent-specific variation in IP-MS background. Data 1318 reported for each prey protein in every IP includes: (a) the number of peptide spectral 1319 1320 matches (PSMs), averaged between technical replicates; (b) an entropy score, which compares the number of PSM between replicates to eliminate proteins that are not detected 1321 1322 consistently; (c) a z-score, calculated in comparison to the average and standard deviation of PSMs observed across all IPs; and (d) a normalized WD (NWD) score. The NWD score 1323 addresses whether (i) the protein is detected across all IPs, and (ii) whether it is detected 1324 reproducibly among replicates. It was calculated as described in (Behrends et al., 2010) using 1325 the fraction of runs in which a protein was observed, the observed number of PSMs, the 1326 average and standard deviation of PSMs observed for that protein across all IPs, and the 1327

number of replicates (1 or 2) containing the protein of interest. NWD scores were normalized 1328 so that the top 2% earned scores of  $\geq 1.0$ . Stringent filters were applied to remove inconsistent 1329 and low-confidence protein identifications across all IPs and thus minimize both false protein 1330 identifications and associations (Huttlin et al., 2015). These included: (a) a minimum PSM 1331 1332 score of 1.5 (i.e.  $\geq$ 3 peptides per protein across both replicates); (b) an entropy score of  $\geq$ 0.75; and (c) an NWD or z-score in the top 2%. Previous studies have estimated a 5% false 1333 discovery rate when employing a similar strategy with a top NWD score cutoff of 2% (Sowa 1334 et al., 2009). Interactions passing these criteria are named 'high confidence interacting 1335 1336 proteins' (HCIPs) (Supplementary File 2B), and were used in all subsequent analyses. For added stringency, the supervised learning algorithm CompPass Plus was employed. This 1337 additionally assessed batch variations, overall spectral counts, unique peptide counts and 1338 protein detection frequency. Shannon entropy quantified a protein's consistency of detection 1339 across technical duplicate LC-MS analyses, removing inconsistent protein identifications 1340 1341 (Huttlin et al., 2017). CompPass plus was developed for interactomes with  $\geq 96$  baits and in the present study was only applied to the 153 baits solubilized in NP40. Interactions that 1342 1343 passed CompPass filters, had CompPass Plus p(Interactor)>0.75 and in which the prey was identified by  $\geq 2$  unique peptides were considered as very high confidence interacting proteins 1344 1345 (VHCIPs). These are indicated in green shading in Supplementary File 2B. To facilitate global analysis of all data, and because digitonin-solubilised interactions were not analysed 1346 using CompPass plus, HCIPs as opposed to VHCIPs were examined for the remainder of this 1347 study. The identification of an interacting protein as a VHCIP nevertheless adds additional 1348 1349 confidence that the interaction observed is likely to be genuine.

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#### **Figure 1 – Figure Supplement 1.** Further details of the interactome.

(A) Abundance of 127 quantified canonical and non-canonical HCMV ORFs. The 1352 intensity-based absolute quantification (IBAQ) method was adapted for data from two 1353 whole cell analyses of HCMV infection at 24, 48 and 72 h PI (Fielding et al., 2017; 1354 Weekes et al., 2014) as described in the Materials and Methods section. Normalised 1355 average IBAQ values +/- range are plotted for proteins quantified in both analyses. 1356 Data is split across two graphs to improve legibility. For proteins only quantified in 1357 one of the two analyses, data are shown in Supplementary File 1A. ORFL147C was 1358 the most abundant non-canonical ORF, and ORFS343C.iORF1 (referred to in the 1359 manuscript as ORFS343C) was one of the least abundant non-canonical ORFs (shown 1360 in red). Both were included as baits in the interactome. 1361

- (B) Proportion of baits whose expression was verified by IB, MS or RT-qPCR (see also 1362 Supplementary File 1B). Experiments were performed in advance of the interactome 1363 study, using uninfected lysates to validate bait expression. MS was used if the bait 1364 was not detected by IB, and RT-qPCR was used if the bait was not identified by MS. 1365 Expression of 78% of baits was further validated in the interactome itself, including 1366 9/18 baits initially only observed by RT-qPCR. These nine baits were included in the 1367 'detected by MS' category. For the nine baits whose expression was only ever 1368 observed by RT-qPCR, four were small proteins of 47-111 amino acids, with 1-4 1369 1370 theoretically observable peptides. None of these four proteins were previously detected in two systematic proteomic analyses of HCMV infection (Nightingale et al., 1371 2018; Weekes et al., 2014). In the same studies, a further 4/9 viral proteins were only 1372 detected by a median of 0-2 peptides, and 2/4 had multiple transmembrane domains, 1373 suggesting that detection may have been limited by protein abundance or 1374 hydrophobicity. Nevertheless, known protein prey of these nine viral baits were 1375 detected in the interactome, for example the interaction between the small capsomere-1376 1377 interacting protein UL48A and major capsid protein UL86, and membrane protein 1378 US18 and natural killer cell cytotoxicity receptor 3 ligand 1 (NCR3LG1) 1379 (Supplementary File 3, (Fielding et al., 2017). Data for the nine baits that were only validated by RT-qPCR was therefore included in this interactome. Only expression of 1380 UL136 could not be validated by any method, despite the use of primers that 1381 recognized both a short and full-sized amplicon (Supplementary File 1E) and this 1382 1383 bait was excluded from further analysis.
- (C) Correlation of the number of total, unique and bait peptides from each protein 1384 identified in replicates 1 and 2. 'Unique peptides' refers to peptides that exist only in 1385 one protein from the human or HCMV proteomes. 'Bait peptides' refer to peptides 1386 derived from the bait protein for each IP (i.e. from US1 in the US1 IP; from UL29 in 1387 UL29 IP etc). All data for this figure 1388 the are also shown in Figure\_1\_Figure\_Supplement\_1 - source data 1. 1389
- (D) Reproducibility of interactome analyses. In this interactome, as previously described
  (Huttlin et al., 2015), biological replicates were pooled and samples analysed in
  technical duplicate to solve certain technical issues. Specifically, due to the potential
  for carry-over of peptides between adjacent injections of different IP samples (even
  with two washes between each sample), it was necessary to use consistency of
  detection of prey as a measure of confidence in bait-prey interaction. To electronically

filter out carry-over contaminants, an entropy score (described in 'Data analysis' in 1396 Materials and Methods) compared the number of peptide-spectrum matches (PSM) 1397 between replicate injections and eliminated prey that were not detected consistently. It 1398 was therefore important that replicate injection material was as similar as possible to 1399 1400 ensure that this filter was efficacious (see also Materials and Methods). The 1401 CompPass algorithm (Huttlin et al., 2015; Sowa et al., 2009) was developed based on this specific protocol. To gain a measure of variability between biological replicate 1402 samples, six IP-MS experiments were repeated with independent analysis of each 1403 1404 biological replicate. In this figure, PSM are shown for HCIPs predicted by the interactome for each of the baits. For example, the interactome predicted four HCIPs 1405 for RL1: CUL4A, CUL4B, DDA1 and RL1 itself (Figure 2, Supplementary File 1406 2B). All data for this figure are also shown in Figure\_1\_Figure\_Supplement\_1 -1407 source data 2. 1408

- (E) Viral proteins expressed at 60 h PI. Profiles of typical viral proteins from each of five
  temporal classes Tp1-Tp5 are shown (adapted from (Weekes et al., 2014)). At 60 h PI,
  peptides from 139/139 quantified canonical HCMV proteins and 14/14 quantified
  non-canonical ORFs were detected.
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#### 1414 **Figure 1 – Figure Supplement 2.** Further details of interactions.

- (A) Number of HCIPs per bait excluding bait-bait interactions. Four graphs with different
  x-axis scales illustrate the range of interacting viral or cellular proteins per bait.
  Gridlines are displayed at each log interval. Full data is shown in Supplementary
  File 2A.
- (B) Validation of the interactome data from BioGRID, IntAct, Uniprot, MINT, and Virus
  Mentha (Calderone et al., 2015; Chatr-Aryamontri et al., 2013; Licata et al., 2012;
  Orchard et al., 2014). 167 virus-virus and virus-host interactions were identified from
  these databases. Of these, 127 were identified in unfiltered data from the HCMV
  interactome, and 59 passed the stringent scoring thresholds employed (see also
  Supplementary File 3). Full details of all HCIPs are given in Supplementary File 2.
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Figure 2. Systematic analysis of interactome data predicts novel functions for viral proteins. DAVID software with default settings (Huang da et al., 2009) was applied to determine which pathways were enriched amongst all HCIPs in the interactome, in comparison to all human proteins as background. Benjamini-Hochberg adjusted p-values are

shown as blue surrounds to each pathway enriched at p<0.05. Viral baits are linked to 1430 enriched pathways where >33% of human interacting proteins belonged to a given pathway, 1431 and examples are shown around the outside of the figure. These examples are indicated in the 1432 central part of the figure by purple shading. For example, 6/9 (67%) human HCIPs for UL43 1433 1434 were part of the 14-3-3 protein. Viral baits are shown as large turquoise circles, and interacting viral proteins as smaller turquoise circles. Members of enriched pathways are 1435 shown in orange or yellow (for NuRD complex and histone deacetylation, protein 1436 membership of both pathways is indicated by half-orange, half-yellow circles). Solid lines 1437 1438 indicate interactions identified by this interactome, and dashed lines indicated interactions 1439 derived from human Bioplex 2.0 and subsequent unpublished data ((Huttlin et al., 2017) and http://bioplex.hms.harvard.edu/downloadInteractions.php). Full data 1440 are shown in Supplementary File 4. As an alternative approach to highlight cellular functions that 1441 predominantly related to individual viral proteins, Figure 2 – Figure Supplement 1 shows 1442 1443 pathways with p < 0.05 (after Benjamini-Hochberg adjustment) and for which >33% of the identified cellular protein members of the pathway interacted with a given viral bait. 1444

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Figure 2 – Figure Supplement 1. Pathways enriched with p<0.05 (after Benjamini-1446 1447 Hochberg adjustment) and for which >33% of the identified components interacted with a given viral bait. For example, all members of the thick filament/muscle myosin complex 1448 1449 detected in this interactome interacted with US28 (100%). For the bottom three complexes (UL74, US27 and UL132), each viral bait interacted with a total of 52-107 proteins. For 1450 1451 simplicity, only members of the illustrated pathway identified in this interactome are displayed. For example, 14 members of the SNARE complex were enriched in the 1452 1453 interactome, of which 9 interacted with US27 (64%). Green circles show members of a pathway that were detected in the interactome but did not interact with the bait. Other 1454 1455 colouring is shown as described in the legend to Figure 2.

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Figure 2 – Figure Supplement 2. Further details of interactions according to viral protein
temporal class.

(A) Functional enrichment of host HCIPs for each temporal class of viral bait. DAVID
software with default settings (Huang da et al., 2009) was applied to determine which
pathways were enriched amongst human HCIPs of each of the Tp1-Tp5 classes of
bait, in comparison to all human HCIP as background. Benjamini-Hochberg adjusted
p-values are shown on the x-axis.

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(B) Temporal analysis of viral-viral protein interactions. The contingency table shows 71 viral protein-protein interactions for which both bait and prey had a defined Tp class (from (Weekes et al., 2014)).

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### 1468 **Figure 3. Validation of interactome data by co-IP.**

- (A) Co-IPs validating that UL72 interacts with CCR4-NOT Transcription Complex 1469 Subunits 7 and 2 (CNOT7 and CNOT2), conducted in HEK293T cells. For all 1470 experiments in this figure, left panels show an IB of 1-2% of input sample, and 1471 1472 right panels shown an anti-V5 co-IP. Cells were transiently transfected with two plasmids, one expressing the C-terminally V5-tagged viral protein and the other 1473 expressing the C-terminally HA-tagged cellular prey. Bait proteins were detected 1474 with anti-V5, and prey with antibodies against CNOT7 or CNOT2 protein. 1475 Controls included GFP or the viral UL34 protein. CANX - calnexin loading 1476 control. This figure is representative of n=1 experiment (CNOT2); n=21477 experiments (CNOT7). Expected sizes: CNOT7: 33kDa; CNOT2: 52kDa; 1478 1479 CANX: 72kDa; UL72: 44kDa; UL34: 45kDa.
- (B) Co-IPs validating that UL72 interacts with CNOT7 and CNOT2, conducted in
  HFFF-TERT cells overexpressing C-terminally V5-tagged UL72. Proteins were
  detected as described in (A). This figure is representative of n= 2 experiments
  (CNOT2); n=1 experiment (CNOT7). Expected sizes: CNOT7: 33kDa; CNOT2:
  52kDa; CANX: 72kDa; UL72: 44kDa; UL34: 45kDa.
- (C) Co-IP validating the interaction between RL1 and CUL4A, conducted in HEK293T cells as described in (A), but with detection of CUL4A using anti-HA.
  This figure is representative of n= 4 experiments. Expected sizes: CUL4A: 77kDa; RL1: 35kDa; UL34: 45kDa; CANX: 72kDa.
- (D) HCMV UL71 interacted with multiple interferon-stimulated proteins, including
   TRIM22.
- (E) Co-IP validating the interaction between UL71 and TRIM22, conducted as
  described in (C). This figure is representative of n= 3 experiments. Expected
  sizes: TRIM22: 56kDa; UL71: 40kDa; UL34: 45kDa; CANX: 72kDa.
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Figure 4. Interaction between UL25 and NCK1 identified by domain association
analysis.

(A)Table depicting significant associations between domains present in HCMV baits 1497 (top) and human or viral prey (side). Pfam domains were mapped onto every bait and 1498 prey protein in the interactome (Finn et al., 2014). The numbers of interactions 1499 emanating from proteins containing each domain were tallied individually, along with 1500 1501 the numbers of interactions linking each observed domain pair. Contingency tables 1502 were then populated to relate domain associations. For each pair, Fisher's exact test determined the likelihood of a non-random association. p values were adjusted for 1503 multiple hypothesis testing (Benjamini et al., 1995). Coloured boxes identify domain 1504 1505 pairs that associate at a 1% false discovery rate (FDR). Red boxes indicate domain pairs from this analysis discussed in the text. Domain associations are only shown for 1506 domains occurring in at least two viral proteins. Supplementary File 5 shows the full 1507 1508 underlying data.

(B) All HCIPs for UL25 and a subset of HCIPs for UL26 (full data are shown in Figure 4 1509 1510 - Figure Supplement 1). DAVID analysis identified that members of the C-terminal to LisH (CTLH) complex and COPII vesicle coat proteins were enriched among 1511 UL26 HCIPs (Figure 2 - Figure Supplment 1). Domain association analysis 1512 suggested that interaction of UL26 with CTLH components may occur via interaction 1513 1514 of the viral US22 domain with either cellular CLTH or LisH domains (Supplementary File 5). Dashed lines represent human-human interactions derived 1515 either from Bioplex 2.0 as described in Figure 2 or from curated or experimental data 1516 in the STRING database. CPSF - Cleavage and polyadenylation specificity factor. 1517

(C) Schematic of NCK1 and UL25 protein structures, indicating the position of point
 mutations or truncation for (D).

(D)Co-IP demonstrating that the UL25 proline-rich C-terminal domain associates with 1520 the first NCK1 SH3 domain, conducted as described in Figure 3. HEK293T cells 1521 were transiently transfected with the indicated plasmids, one expressing the C-1522 terminally V5-tagged viral protein and the other expressing C-terminally HA-tagged 1523 NCK1. These proteins were detected with anti-V5 and anti-HA. Mutations or 1524 truncations of each gene are indicated in the figure and in (C). GAPDH – loading 1525 control. This figure is representative of n=3 experiments. Expected sizes: NCK1: 1526 43kDa; UL25: 74kDa; UL26: 21kDa; GAPDH: 36kDa. 1527

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Figure 4 – Figure Supplement 1. Full interaction data for UL25 and UL26, annotated as
described in Figure 4B.

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Figure 5. UL42 identified as a hub of E3 destruction by a combination of interactome and degradation data. US10 interacts with LRFN3, which is rapidly downregulated from the PM during HCMV infection.

- (A) High-confidence cellular interactors of UL42. 57% of UL42 interactors exhibited
  ubiquitin protein transferase activity (Figure 2, counting NEDD4 only once). UL42
  interacted with NEDD4, NEDD4 isoform 4 and NEDD4L, in addition to HECT, C2
  and WW Domain Containing E3 Ubiquitin Protein Ligases HECW1 and 2. NEDD44: isoform 4 of NEDD4.
- (B) ITCH, NEDD4 and NEDD4L are degraded during early HCMV infection (data from 1540 (Nightingale et al., 2018)). Protein degradation was measured using three orthogonal 1541 tandem mass tag (TMT)-based proteomic screens. The first measured protein 1542 abundance throughout early infection in the presence or absence of inhibitors of the 1543 proteasome or lysosome. The second compared transcript and protein abundance over 1544 time to distinguish between degraded and transcriptionally regulated proteins. The 1545 third employed an unbiased global pulse-chase to compare the rates of protein 1546 1547 degradation during HCMV infection against mock infection (NEDD4 and NEDD4L 1548 were not quantified in this latter screen). Benjamini-Hochberg adjusted Significance A values were used to estimate p-values in the top panels; \*\*p<0.005, \*\*\*p<0.0005. 1549 Mean and SEM are shown for transcript quantitation (n=3) in the middle panels. A p-1550 value for the difference between rates of degradation is shown in the bottom panel; 1551 1552 \*\*\*p<0.0005. All calculations and statistics are described in (Nightingale et al., 1553 2018).
- (C) UL42 transcript is expressed contemporaneously with NEDD4 and NEDD4L
  degradation. Protein profiles from Figure 5B (red colour, (Nightingale et al., 2018))
  are overlaid with a UL42 transcript profile (blue colour, (Stern-Ginossar et al., 2012)).
  UL42 transcript was not detected in our previous RNAseq analysis (Nightingale et al., 2018).
- (D) Validation of interaction between UL42 and NEDD4 (left panel) and NEDD4L (right panel) by co-IP, conducted as described in Figure 3. HEK293T cells were transiently transfected with the indicated plasmids, one expressing the C-terminally V5-tagged viral protein and the other expressing C-terminally HA-tagged NEDD4 or NEDD4L.
  These proteins were detected with anti-V5 and anti-HA. This figure is representative

- of n= 2 experiments (NEDD4); n=1 experiment (NEDD4L). Expected sizes: NEDD4:
  104-149kDa; NEDD4L: 96-111kDa; UL42: 14kDa; UL34: 45kDa; CANX: 72kDa.
- (E) UL42 was sufficient to degrade NEDD4. HFFF-TERTs expressing UL42 or controls
  were lysed and immunoblotted as indicated. Anti-NEDD4 was used to detect
  endogenous NEDD4. This figure is representative of n= 1 experiment. Expected sizes:
  NEDD4: 104-149kDa; UL42: 14kDa; UL34: 45kDa; CANX: 72kDa.
- (F) LRFN3 was rapidly downregulated from the PM during HCMV infection, in the
  presence of upregulated transcript (mean and SEM are shown for transcript
  quantitation (n=3); data are from (Nightingale et al., 2018)).
- 1573 (G) HCIPs of US10, including LRFN3.
- (H) Validation of the interaction between US10 and LRFN3 by co-IP, conducted as
  described in Figure 3. Prey were detected using anti-HA. This figure is representative
  of n= 2 experiments. Expected sizes: LRFN3: 66kDa; US10: 21kDa; UL34: 45kDa;
  CANX: 72kDa.
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Figure 5 – Figure Supplement 1. Validation of interaction between UL42 and NEDD4 (left
panel) and NEDD4L (right panel) by co-IP, conducted as described in Figure 3. HEK293T
cells were transiently transfected with the indicated plasmids, one expressing N-terminally
V5-tagged UL42 and the other expressing C-terminally HA-tagged NEDD4 or NEDD4L.
These proteins were detected with anti-V5 and anti-HA. This figure is representative of n= 1
experiments. Expected sizes: NEDD4: 104-149kDa; NEDD4L: 96-111kDa; UL42: 14kDa;
CANX: 72kDa.

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1587 **Figure 6.** HCMV ORFL147C interactors function in RNA binding, splicing and 1588 transcription.

- (A)Diagram of the ORFL147C coding sequence and relation to neighbouring viralgenes.
- (B) Expression kinetics of ORFL147C, taken from (Weekes et al., 2014). Data was
  taken from experiments WCL2 and WCL3, enabling assessment of 24, 48, 72 and
  96 h time points in biological duplicate. Error bars show range. Mean expression
  was normalized to a maximum of 1.
- (C) Enrichment analysis of 80 human HCIPs interacting with ORFL147C. (i) DAVID
  analysis using all human proteins as background. Benjamini-Hochberg adjusted pvalues are shown. (ii) Reactome database analysis (Fabregat et al., 2018) showing

- results with a minimum of 4 entities per enriched pathway. Full details of
  interacting proteins are given in Supplementary File 7A-B.
- (D) A subset of HCIPs for ORFL147C (full data is shown in Figure 6 Figure
   Supplement 1). Dashed lines represent human-human interactions derived from
   Bioplex 2.0 as described in Figure 2, in addition to known interactions that had
   been experimentally determined or derived from curated data as part of the
   STRING database.
- (E) Validation of interaction between ORFL147C and MBNL1 and CELF1 by co-IP, 1605 1606 conducted as described in Figure 3. HEK293T cells were transiently transfected with the indicated plasmids, one expressing the C-terminally V5-tagged viral 1607 protein and the other expressing C-terminally HA-tagged MBNL1 or CELF1. 1608 These proteins were detected with anti-V5 and anti-HA. GAPDH - calnexin 1609 loading control. This figure is representative of n = 1 experiment. Expected sizes: 1610 MBNL1: 33-42kDa; CELF1: 50-55kDa; ORFL147C: 50kDa; UL25: 74kDa; 1611 GAPDH: 36kDa. 1612
- (F) Growth analysis of an ORFL147C-deficient recombinant. The ORFL147C and 1613 1614 wild-type viruses were HCMV strain Merlin recombinants in which the enhanced 1615 GFP (eGFP) gene was cloned as a 3'-terminal fusion with immediate-early gene UL36, with a self-cleaving P2A peptide releasing the reporter following synthesis. 1616 1617 Insertion of GFP does not impede UL36 function in such recombinants (Nightingale et al., 2018). Cells were infected at a MOI of 1, and supernatants 1618 1619 harvested and titred every two days. Cells were infected in biological duplicates, and each supernatant was titred in technical duplicates. Mean values are shown, 1620 and error bars represent SD. p-values for a difference between wild-type and 1621 ORFL147C-deficient virus were estimated using a two-tailed Student's t-test. 1622 \*\*\*p<0.001, \*\*\*\*p<0.0001. This figure is representative of n= 2 experiments. All 1623 data for this figure are also shown in **Figure\_6 - source data 1**. 1624
- (G) ORFL147C protein is not expressed during infection with the ORFL147Cdeficient recombinant (MOI = 2, 48 h post infection). Viral protein expression
  was analysed using tandem mass tag-based proteomics as previously described
  (Nightingale et al., 2018). ORFL147C protein was measured at the same level as
  during mock infection in cells infected with the ORFL147C-deficient
  recombinant, attributable to noise. All data for this figure are also shown in
  Figure\_6 source data 2.

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1633 **Figure 6** – **Figure Supplement 1**. Further details of ORFL147C interactions, and 1634 construction of the  $\triangle$ ORFL147C virus.

- 1635 (A) Full interaction data for ORFL147C, annotated as described in **Figure 4B**.
- (B) Construction of a viral ORFL147C deletion mutant. The three most N-terminal
  methionines in ORF147C were mutated without affecting the amino acid
  sequences coded by UL56. The N-terminal protein sequences of ORFL147C and
  UL56 are shown, in addition to corresponding coding sequences in the region of
  the mutations.
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1642 **Figure 7**. Overlap in functions targeted by different viruses.

- (A) DAVID analysis of pathway enrichment among 176 HCIPs that interacted both
  with HCMV baits (this study) and KSHV baits (Davis et al., 2015), in comparison
  to all human proteins as background. Benjamini-Hochberg adjusted p-values are
  shown for each pathway. Full details of interacting viral and host proteins are
  given in Supplementary File 7A.
- (B) DAVID analysis of pathway enrichment among HCIPs that only interacted with 1648 HCMV but not KSHV baits, in comparison to all human proteins as background. 1649 1650 As the KSHV interactome was performed in HEK293T cells as opposed to HFFFs, the list of HCMV HCIPs was first filtered to include proteins that were 1651 clearly detectable in HEK293Ts, using the list of ~50,000 unfiltered bait-prey 1652 interactions from KSHV to indicate protein expression (Davis et al., 2015). 1653 Subsequently, both high confidence interacting prey of KSHV baits, and first 1654 degree interactors of these prey from the human interactome, were excluded 1655 (Huttlin et al., 2017), to leave a list of proteins that only interacted with HCMV. 1656 Benjamini-Hochberg adjusted p-values are shown for each pathway. Full details 1657 1658 of interacting viral and host proteins are given in Supplementary File 7B.
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1660 SUPPLEMENTARY FILE LEGENDS

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Supplementary File 1. Details of the interactome. (A) Relative abundance of all canonical and non-canonical viral proteins quantified in experiment whole cell lysate 3 (WCL3) from (Weekes et al., 2014) and whole cell lysate series 3 from (Fielding et al., 2017). Further

details of the calculations employed are given in Figure 1 – Figure Supplement 1A and the 1665 Materials and Methods section. (B) Details of all 172 baits. Bait expression was verified by 1666 IB, MS or RT-qPCR (Figure 1 – Figure Supplement 1B). (C) Relative abundance of all 1667 human proteins expressed in HFFFs, calculated as described in (A). The 'rank' column 1668 1669 indicates the ranked average IBAQ abundance. The most abundant protein calculated by this 1670 method was ranked 1, and least abundant ranked 8129. (D) Coding sequences of all viral genes used in this study. A six base-pair linker region, a V5 tag then a stop codon directly 1671 followed each sequence (Key Resources Table). Codon usage was optimised for expression 1672 1673 for US14, US17 and UL74. (E) Oligonucleotides and templates employed in the generation and RT-qPCR of each viral vector. (F) Oligonucleotides and templates employed in the 1674 generation and RT-qPCR of each human overexpression vector. 1675

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Supplementary File 2. Full interactome data. (A) Numbers of HCIPs per bait, excluding 1677 1678 bait-bait interactions. (B) HCIPs for each bait (see Figure 1 and the Materials and Methods section for details of the filtering employed, and the scores shown in this table). For baits 1679 1680 solubilized in NP40, VHCIPs are shown in green. The 'Prey IBAQ rank' column shows the ranked IBAQ abundance from Supplementary File 1C, and gives an indication of how 1681 1682 abundant each prey protein was in infected HFFFs. A range of ranks is shown where more than one isoform of a protein could be detected, in order to reflect data for all isoforms of that 1683 protein. Abundantly expressed prey may be more easily validated using IB with antibodies 1684 against an endogenous protein; less abundant proteins may require overexpression to enable 1685 1686 detection. (C) All detected interacting proteins for each bait, without filtering.

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Supplementary File 3. Validation of the interactome data from BioGRID, IntAct, Uniprot, 1688 MINT and Virus Mentha (Calderone et al., 2015; Chatr-Aryamontri et al., 2013; Licata et al., 1689 1690 2012; Orchard et al., 2014). Columns give details of the database(s) that included each interaction, the method used, and cell type employed. Interactome scores from the present 1691 study are shown in columns H-K. Column L shows whether a given interaction was validated 1692 in this interactome. A value of 1 indicates validation; 0 indicates detection of the interaction 1693 but failure to pass stringent scoring thresholds; 'ND' indicates the interaction was not 1694 detected by the interactome. Column M shows the ranked abundance of each human prey 1695 protein from Supplementary File 1C. Interactions that were not detected in this study 1696 included a number of prey proteins that could not be detected in HFFFs. Further details are 1697 given in the Materials and Methods section. 1698

Supplementary File 4. Enriched functional pathways, protein components and interacting 1700 viral baits. (A) All enriched functional pathways amongst all human HCIPs (p<0.05, after 1701 Benjamini-Hochberg adjustment). Column D shows the bait(s) interacting with each pathway 1702 component. (B) Further details of viral baits interacting with components of each pathway. 1703 1704 Two values are shown: "% interaction", the percentage of human interactors of each bait that belonged to the pathway (relates to Figure 2, where viral baits are included if >33% of 1705 1706 interactors belonged to a given pathway). "% function" illustrates the percentage of proteins from the pathway that interacted with the bait (relates to Figure 2 – Figure Supplement 1, 1707 1708 where viral baits are included if >33% of the pathway components identified interacted with a given viral bait). Values of >33% are coloured in this table. The 'count' column shows the 1709 1710 total number of interacting pathway members; Figures 2 and Figure 2 – Figure Supplement 1 included data with counts  $\geq 2$ . (C) All enriched functional pathways amongst human HCIPs 1711 from each temporal class (p<0.05, after Benjamini-Hochberg adjustment). Column E shows 1712 the bait(s) interacting with each pathway component. This data underlies Figure 2 - Figure 1713 Supplement 2A. (D) Temporal interactions of viral bait and viral prey proteins. This data 1714 1715 underlies Figure 2 – Figure Supplement 2B.

Supplementary File 5. Full data underlying the domain-domain association predictions. (A)
HCMV proteins that contain each described Pfam domain. Links are given to additional
information on each domain on the Pfam website. Overall 96 domains have been identified in
HCMV proteins by Pfam, however only 10 domains were identified in two or more baits.
Only this subset was examined to increase confidence in domain association predictions. (B)
Subset of Supplementary File 2B illustrating individual protein-protein interactions that
underpin data shown in Figure 4A.

Supplementary File 6. Proteins degraded early during HCMV infection from (Nightingale et
al., 2018), using sensitive criteria. Interactome data identified viral baits for 31 of these
degraded proteins.

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1729 Supplementary File 7. Enrichment of functional pathways among proteins interacting with

- (A) ORFL147C, using DAVID software and a maximum p-value of 0.3; (B) ORFL147C,
- using the Reactome database and  $\geq 4$  entities per enriched pathway; (C) both HCMV and
- 1732 KSHV (Davis et al., 2015), using DAVID software and a maximum p-value of 0.05; (D) only
- 1733 HCMV as described in Figure 5C, using DAVID software and a maximum p-value of 0.01.

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#### 1735 SOURCE FILES PROVIDED

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- 1737 Figure 1 Figure Supplement 1 source data 1: Correlation of the number of total, unique
- and bait peptides from each protein identified in replicates 1 and 2.
- **Figure 1 Figure Supplement 1 source data 2:** Reproducibility of interactome analyses.
- 1740 **Figure 6 source data 1:** Growth analysis of an ORFL147C-deficient recombinant.
- **Figure 6 source data 2:** Tandem mass tag-based proteomics analysis of ORFL147C protein
- 1742 expression.

### Figure 1



### Figure 1 – Figure Supplement 1



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### Figure 1 – Figure Supplement 2



### Figure 2





## Figure 2 – Figure Supplement 2



Viral protein interactors for each viral TP class Β

		Prey				
		TP1	TP2	TP3	TP4	TP5
	TP1	1	1	-	-	2
	TP2	1	1	-	-	3
Bail	TP3	-	2	2	-	8
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	TP5	-	6	5	-	37

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### Figure 4



### Figure 4 – Figure Supplement 1



### Figure 5



## Figure 5 – Figure Supplement 1



## Figure 6



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### Functions enriched amongst interactors unique to HCMV

