

LifeSensors TUBEs:  
TANDEM UBIQUITIN BINDING ENTITIES

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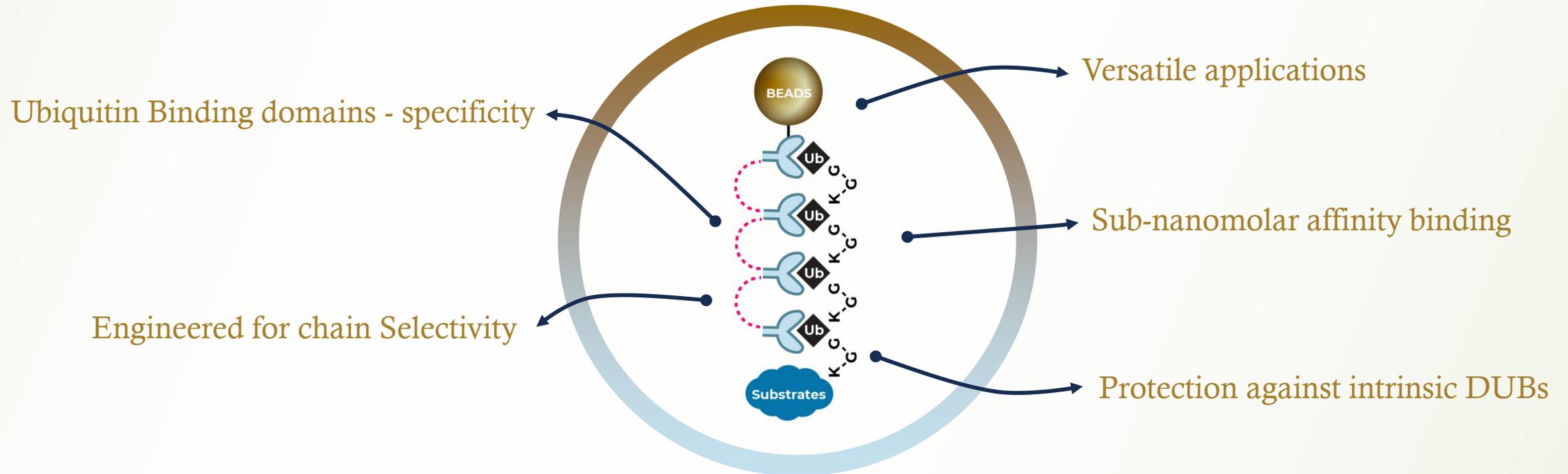
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# LifeSensors Inc. Mission

- Leadership in UPS, [PROTACs](#), [DUBTACs](#), and [Molecular Glues](#)
- Drug Discovery, [UPS Enzymes](#), [DUBs](#), [PROTAC Screening Services](#)
- Biomarker Development and Collaborative Research
- ~500 Products, [DUBs](#), [E3 ligases](#), [Ubiquitin Affinity Matrices \(TUBEs\)](#), [Assay Kits](#) and Proprietary [Protein Expression Systems \(SUMO\)](#)
- Profiling Compounds Against [Ubiquitin Ligases](#) and [DUBs](#)

# TUBEs: TANDEM UBIQUITIN BINDING ENTITIES

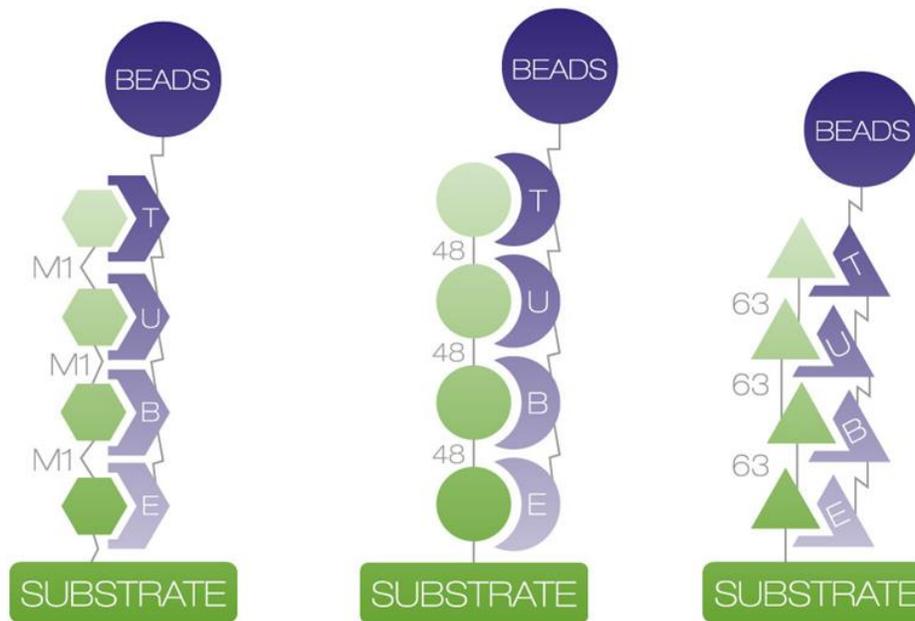


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- ✓ Versatile tool for monitoring [PROTAC and molecular glue function](#)
- ✓ Isolation of ubiquitylated substrates [from cell lysates](#)
- ✓ [Linkage specific isolation](#) of ubiquitinated species
- ✓ [Ubiquitin mass spec proteomics](#) bypassing SILAC
- ✓ HTS of [in vivo ubiquitylated proteins](#)
- ✓ Perform E3 ligase assays using [TR-FRET assays](#)
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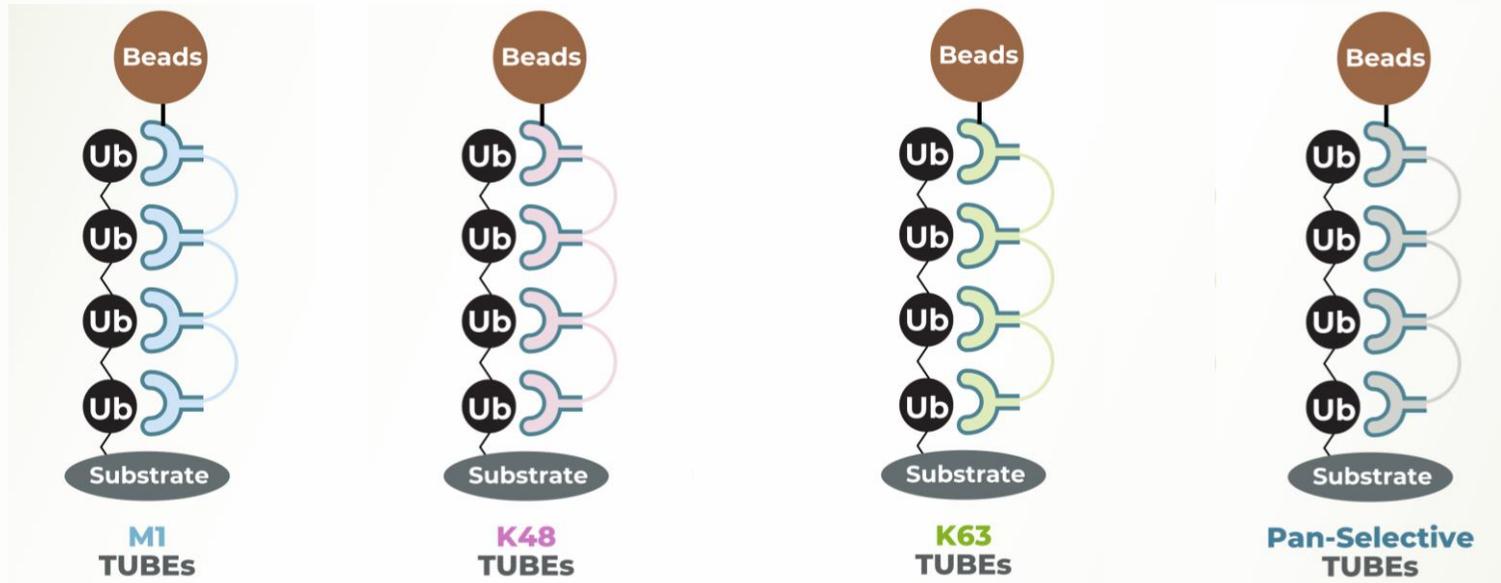
# What are TUBEs?

TUBEs are high affinity ‘ubiquitin traps’ that capture poly-ubiquitinated proteins with sub-nanomolar affinity.

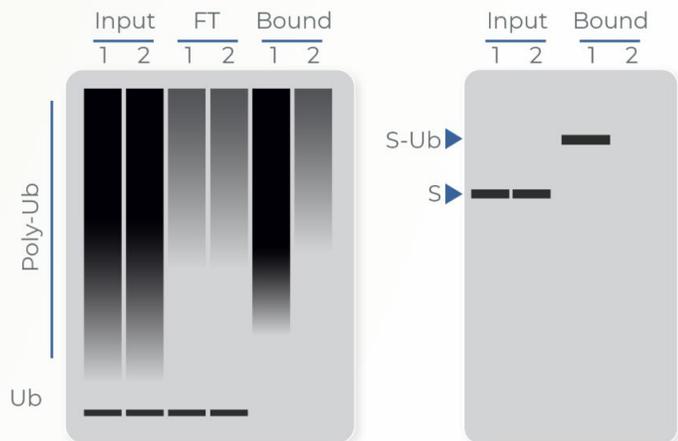


TUBEs can be used for capture or detection of total polyubiquitin or enrichment of linkage specific proteins **K63-linked polyubiquitin**, **K48-linked polyubiquitin**, and **M1-linear polyubiquitin**.

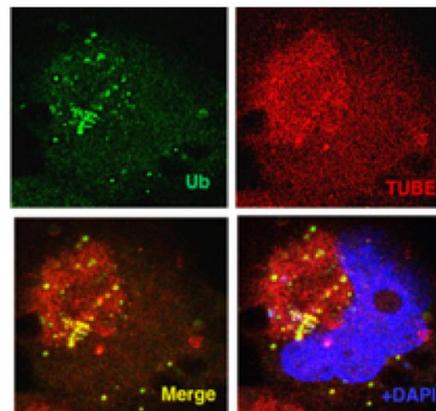
# TANDEM\_UBIQUITIN\_BINDING\_ENTITIES (TUBE<sub>s</sub>)



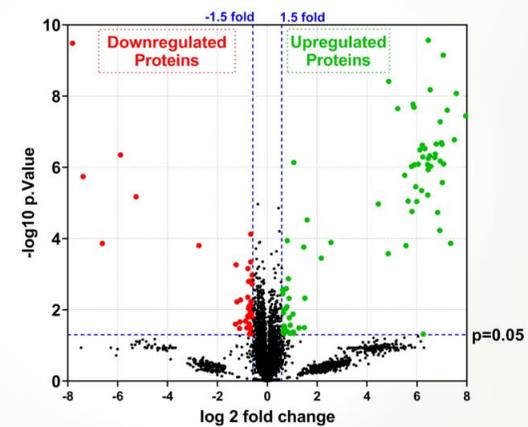
Poly-Ubiquitin Substrate Enrichment & Western Blotting



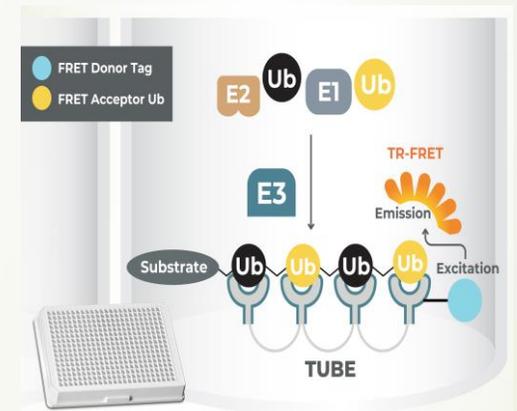
Fluorescent Microscopy



Mass Spectrometry Ubiquitomics



High-Throughput Screening



# TUBEs for Research

- ✓ Follow dynamics of UPS by purification and detection of ubiquitinated proteins
- ✓ Follow PROTAC mechanism by analyzing Ub<sup>MAX</sup> (maximum ubiquitination)
- ✓ Analyze chain selective ubiquitination of target proteins
- ✓ Pulldown studies with TUBEs to perform ubiquitin mass spec proteomics (ubiquitome)
- ✓ TUBE embedded microtiter plates to study diagnostic biomarker from blood
- ✓ TUBE microtiter plates to analyze overall up or down regulation of global ubiquitome/proteome
- ✓ Application of pan, K48, K63, M1 (linear) TUBE microtiter plates to analyze chain selective ubiquitination of POI
- ✓ Variety TUBE-based E3 ligase assays and HTS

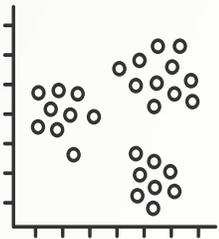
# TUBEs address critical TPD challenges



**Ternary complex not sufficient to induce ubiquitination**



**Inherent rigidity hinders the formation of the ternary complex, affecting the overall degradation efficiency of the target protein**

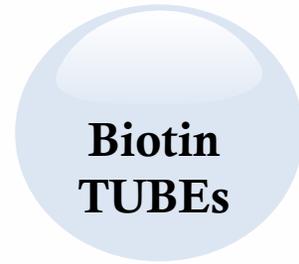


**TUBEs, a flexible platform for comprehensive analysis of ligand-dependent ubiquitination**

# The Power of TUBE Applications



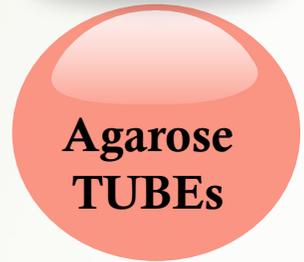
Pull-down of  
polyubiquitinated  
proteins



Biochemistry  
Ubiquitin Detection  
TR-FRET  
'Far Western' Blot  
Histochemistry



Histochemistry  
Cytochemistry  
Flow cytometry  
TR-FRET

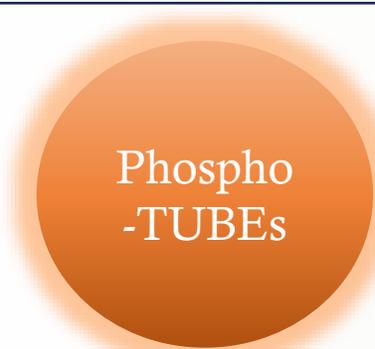


Mass Spec  
&  
Proteomics



Biomarkers

**NEW!**

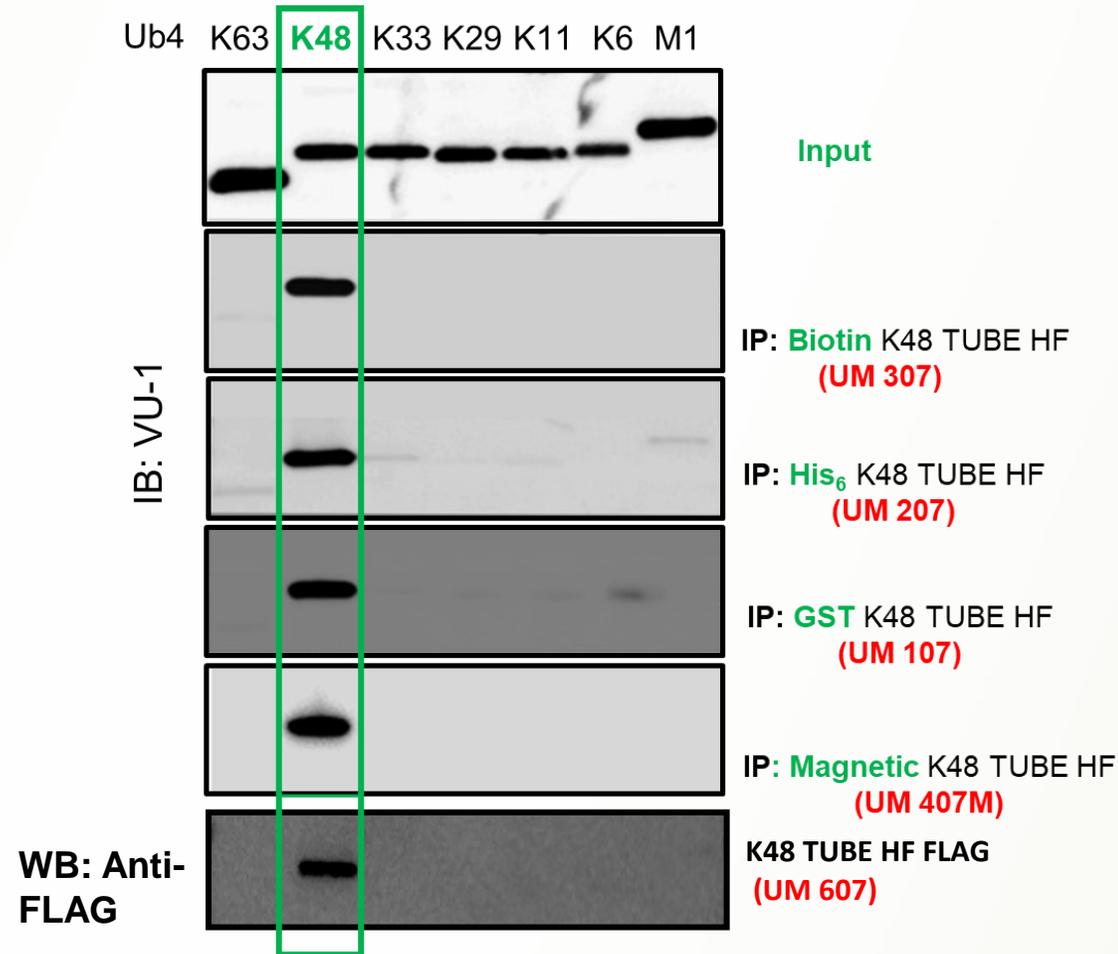


Neurodegeneration,  
Mitophagy,  
Autophagy  
Biomarkers

# TUBEs for Drug Development

- ✓ Monitor drug mediated [changes in ubiquitination in cells or tissues](#)
- ✓ Analyze [inhibitors or activators of E3s](#)
- ✓ Assess [DUB inhibitor or DUBTAC activity](#) in cells or tissues
- ✓ Examine activation or inhibition of proteasome function in diseases
- ✓ [Neurodegenerative diseases profiling](#) from poly-ubiquitinated proteins from neurons
- ✓ [Heart Failure and Cushing disease](#)

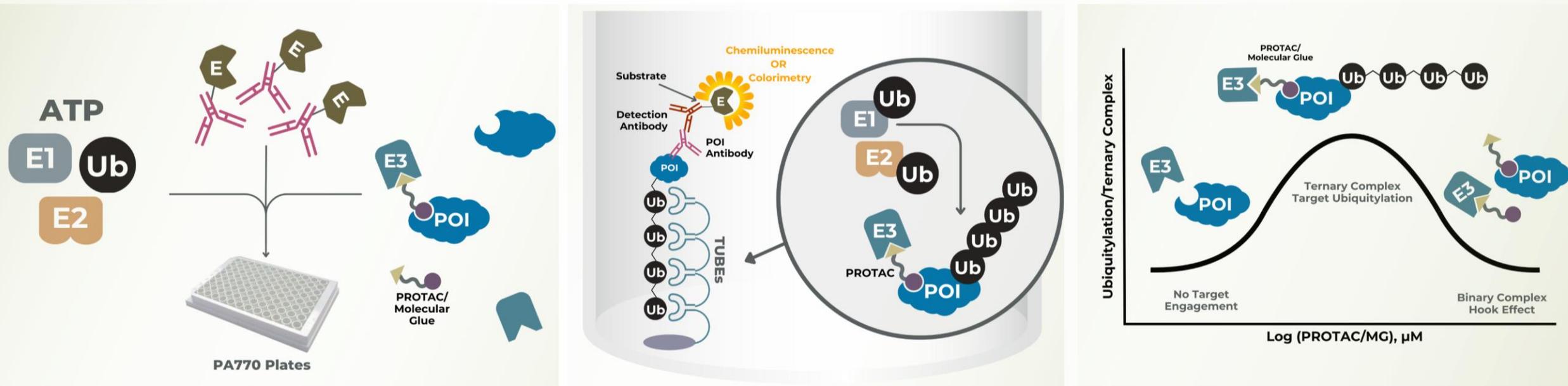
# Lysine 48 Poly-ubiquitin TUBES are Highly Selective



**K48 TUBE HF FLAG** detects only K48-linked ubiquitin chains in Western Blots

# TUBE Application for HTS- In Vitro Biochemical Assay

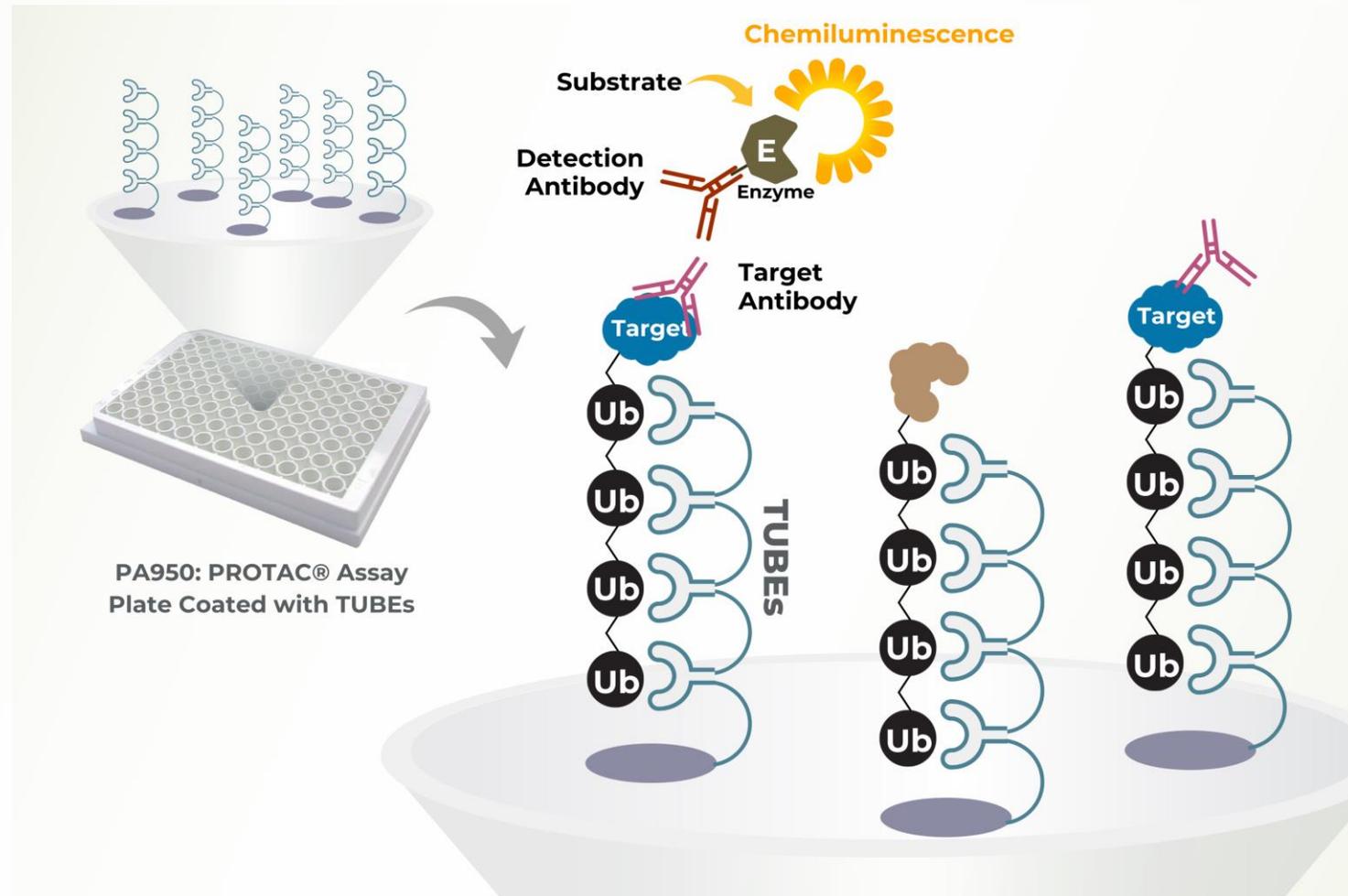
To study functional ternary complex and 'PROTACability'



**TUBE capture & PROTAC/MG mediated ubiquitination of POI detection**

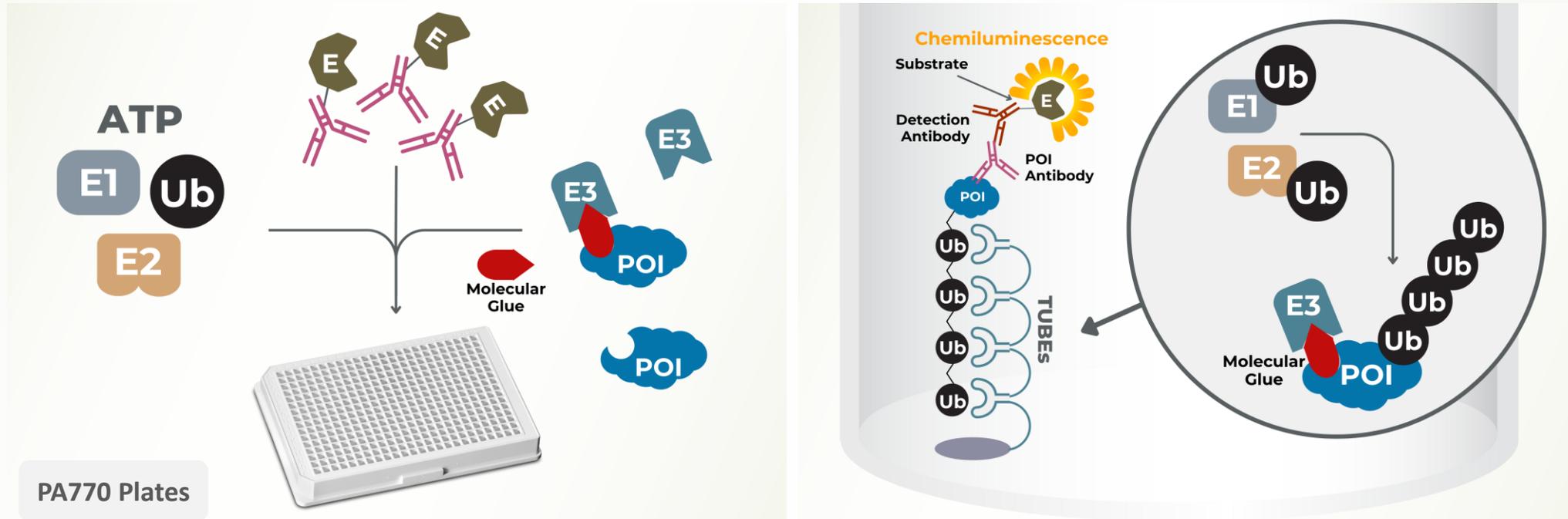
# Cell-Based PROTAC Assay using TUBE-coated plate

Directly monitor PROTAC-mediated ubiquitination and degradation of target protein

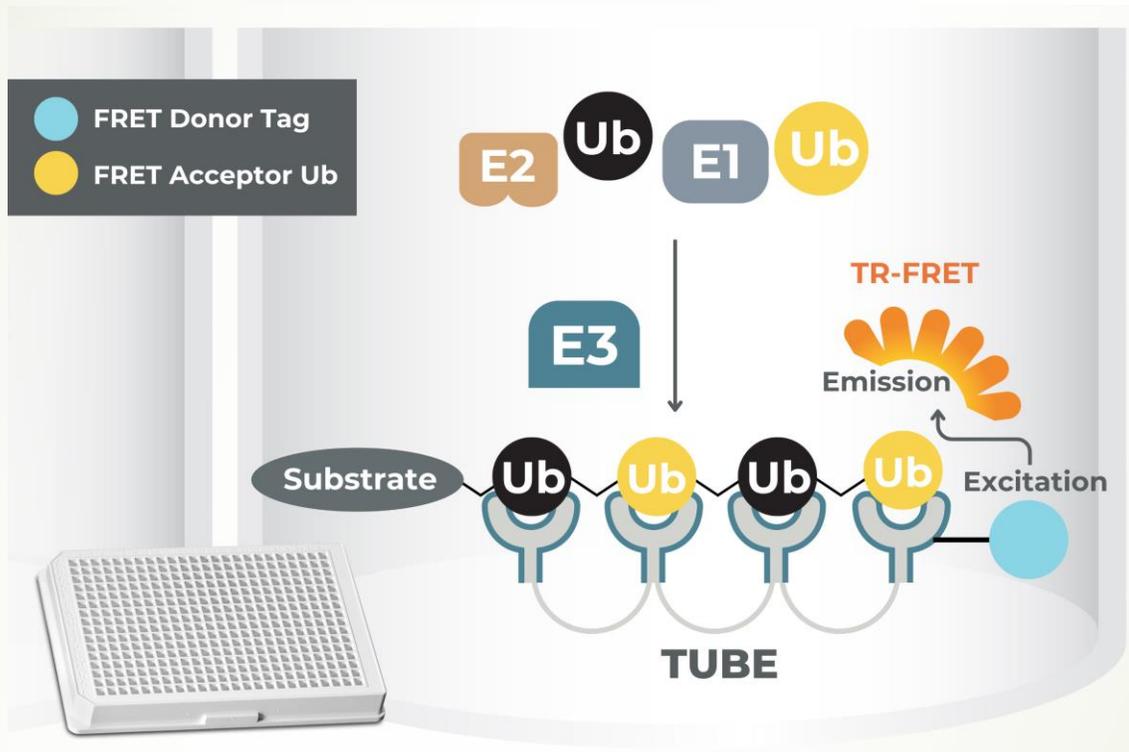


# TUBEs' Role in Molecular Glue Discovery

Study Molecular Glue mediated ubiquitination and degradation simultaneously



# TUBEs Facilitate Discovery of Novel E3 Ligase for KRAS



- ✓ High throughput screening for E3 ligase activators
- ✓ Homogenous assay for library screening
- ✓ Identification of novel E3 ligands
- ✓ SPR / TSA based confirmation and PROTACability

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# Thank You

We are your partner in UPS, TUBEs, DUBs, E3s, PROTAC, Mol Glue, Protein Expression, CAR-T/Gene therapy and vaccine development

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