

## **SUPPLEMENTARY MATERIAL**

## corresponding to:

## The past, present and future of Dictyostelium as a model system

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Supplementary Movie. Chemotaxis and tight aggregate formation. Aggregation-competent cells are plated on glass and stimulated with cAMP diffusing from a microcapillary. The first part of the movie (at higher magnification) shows cells moving chemotactically toward the microcapillary. The cells are polarized with pseudopods in the front, which rapidly re-orient toward the microcapillary when this is shifted to a different location. In the second part (at lower magnification) the microcapillary is held in place, the cells stream around the microcapillary, forming end-to-end contacts, which are the result of signal relay propagating outwardly and cell-cell adhesion. Eventually a large, tight aggregate is formed.

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