

**S10 Table.** Correlation between FPN, FBXL5 and STAT3 expression in 143 clear cell RCC patients

		FPN H-score	FBXL5 H-score	STAT3 H-score
FPN H-score	Pearson correlation coefficient (p-value)	-	0.280 (p=0.001)	0.436 (p < 0.001)
FBXL5 H-score	Pearson correlation coefficient (p-value)	0.280 (p=0.001)	-	0.156 (p=0.062)
STAT3 H-score	Pearson correlation coefficient (p-value)	0.436 (p < 0.001)	0.156 (p=0.062)	-

RCC, Renal cell carcinoma; FPN, ferroportin; FBXL5, F-Box and leucine rich repeat protein 5; STAT3, signal transducer and activator of transcription 3.