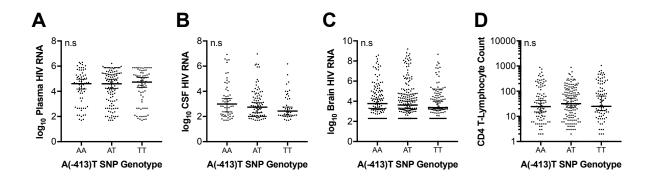
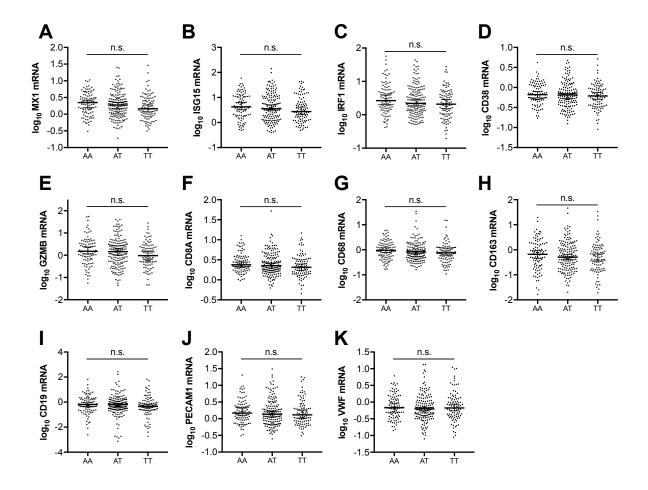
## **Supplementary Figures**



Supplementary Figure 1: HO-1 A(-413)T SNP does not associate with plasma or CNS viral load or blood CD4 T-cell count in HIV-infected individuals. (A) Plasma viral load (copies/ml), (B) CSF viral load (copies/ml), (C) brain parenchyma viral load (copies/g), and (D) peripheral blood CD4 T-lymphocyte count (cells/mm $^3$ ) in HIV+ individuals with AA, AT, and TT A(-413)T SNP genotypes. Lines and error bars indicate median  $\pm$  95% confidence interval. Differences between groups were analyzed by Kruskal-Wallis test. n.s. = not significant.



**Supplementary Figure 2**: **HO-1 A(-413)**T **SNP does not associate with prefrontal cortex neuroimmune marker expression.** Prefrotanal cortex RNA expression of neuroimmune markers was compared between HIV-infected subjects (without HIVE) with AA, AT, and TT genotypes of the HO-1 promoter region A(-413)T SNP. Neuroimmune markers analyzed were (**A**) MX1, (**B**) ISG15, (**C**) IRF1, (**D**) CD38, (**E**) GZMB, (**F**) CD8A, (**G**) CD68, (**H**) CD163, (**I**) CD19, (**J**) PECAM1, and (**K**) VWF. Lines and error bars indicate median ± 95% confidence interval of log<sub>10</sub> transformed RNA expression data. Differences between groups were analyzed by Kruskal-Wallis test.. n.s. = not significant