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Phillip Steindel, PhD Review Editor, c/o JoVE 1 Alewife Center, Suite 200 Cambridge, MA 02140

Friday 31st October 2018

Dear Dr Steindel,

Re: submission JoVE59042R3 "A simple workflow of migration/invasion using an automated live-cell imager".

Thank you for your email on 1/11/18 regarding the editorial review of our manuscript JoVE59042, and for giving us the opportunity to make the suggested changes to our manuscript. We would like to thank you for your valuable feedback on this manuscript. The revised manuscript has been attached with track changes to demonstrate the changes made to the manuscript. This current document lists all the changes made to address the comments for the revised manuscript, where words marked with a strike through have been removed, and words underlined have been added. Please be advised that all the page and line numbers following refer to the revision document under All Markup view.

Editorial comment 1. Short and Long abstract: You mention 'similar' platforms and workflows in these sections-similar to what? Please expand.

This has been corrected as follows:

- Page 2, line 70:invasion on a similar single platform in real-time
- Page 2, line 79:provides a similar single workflow between for......
- Editorial comment 2. Protocol steps 1 and 2: You have highlighted the headers here but none of the details; do you intend to show any of these steps? Note that we can indicate that viewers follow the text protocol if you don't want to show specific steps in the video.
 - No, we do not intend to show this in the video, please indicate to viewers to follow the text.
- Editorial comment 3. Figures 2 and 3: Please include a scale bar.
 - A scale bar has now included
- Editorial comment 4. Figures 7 and 8: The scale bars are hard to read; please choose a color that increases contrast.
 - We have made the changes as required.

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We hope that these changes are acceptable to continue the submission process at JoVE.

Yours Sincerely,

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