



Supplementary Fig. 2. Pure OM fraction was analyzed by negative stain under the transmission electron microscope at low (A) and high (B) magnification, respectively. Scale bars are indicated.

Methods: OM vesicles of the pure OM fraction were concentrated by repeated centrifugation using an airfuge (at 150'000 g for 30 minutes). The resulting concentrated vesicle suspension was adsorbed for ~ 1 – 2 min to Parlodion carbon-coated hexagonal copper grids rendered hydrophilic by glow discharge at low pressure in air. Grids were washed in double distilled water and stained with 1% uranyl acetate. Electron micrographs were recorded on a Philips CM12 operated at 80 kV.