

Figure S1: Three-dimensional prediction structure of EHI_016490 (CSP) from *Entamoeba histolytica* generated by I-TASSER.

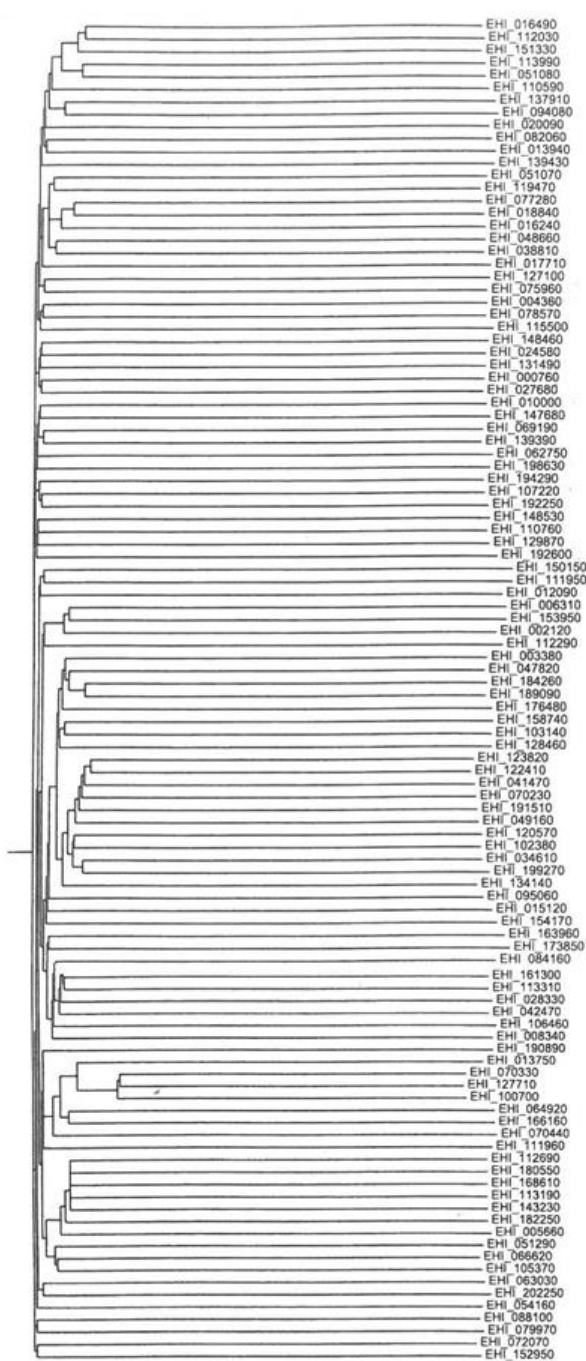
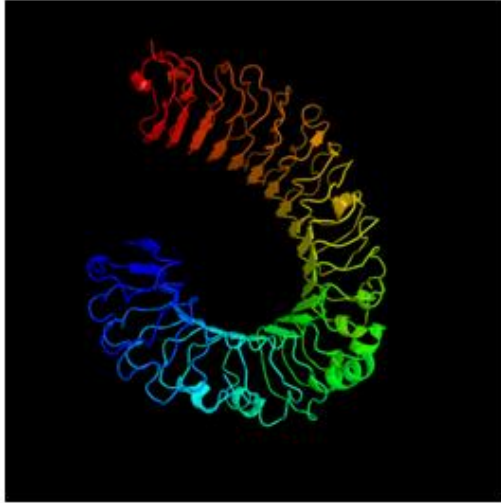
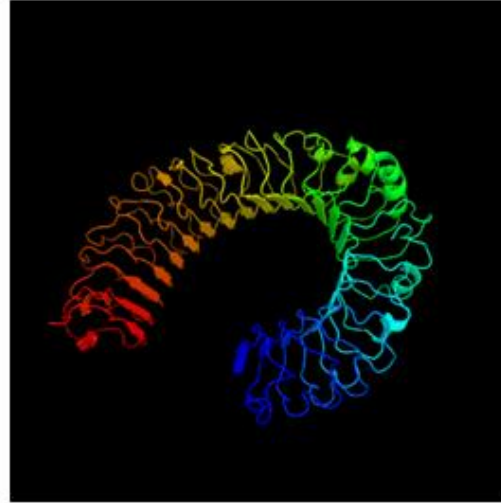


Figure S2: Dendrogram showing the relatedness between EHI_016490 and the BspA like proteins from *Entamoeba histolytica*. All 95 BspA like proteins expressed in trophozoites in in vitro culture were included in the phylogenetic tree, created by using ClustalX.

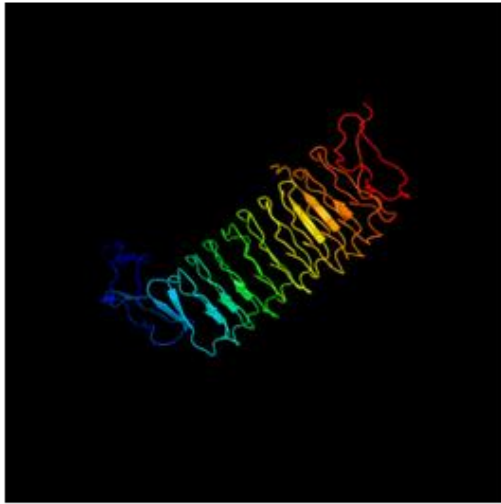
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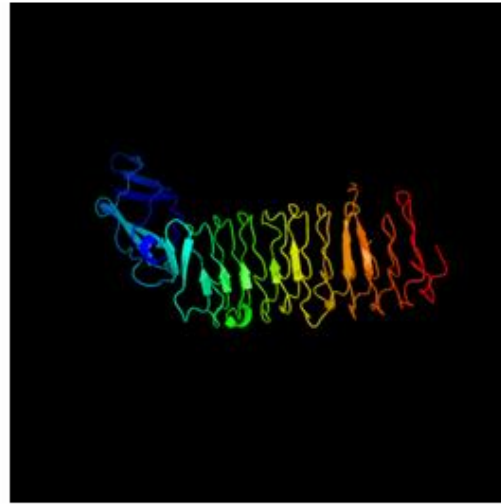


Figure S3: Three-dimensional prediction structure of the two most closely related BspA like proteins EHI_112030 (A) and EHI_151330 (B) from EHI_016490 (CSP) and the two most divergent BspA like proteins EHI_072070 (C) and EHI_152950 (D).

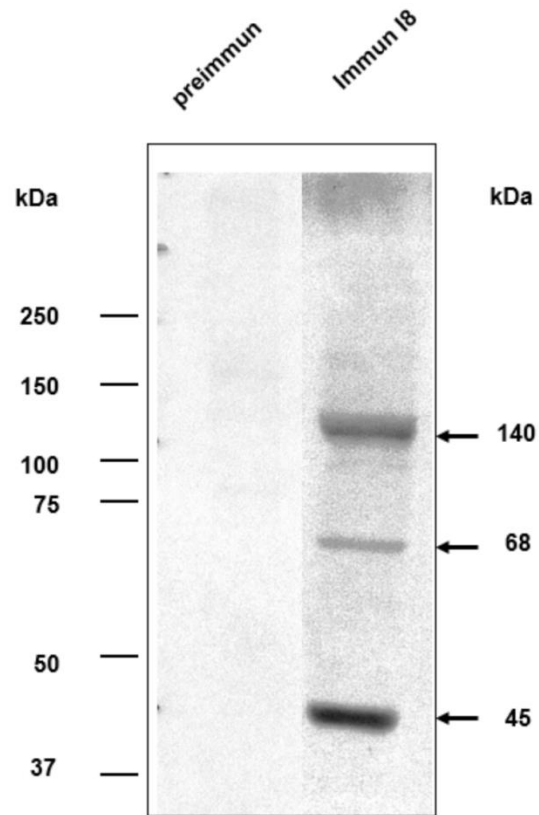


Figure S4: 10% polyacrylamide gel electrophoresis under reducing conditions, and a Western blot of *Entamoeba histolytica* crude lysates. Twenty μg of proteins were loaded. A polyclonal rabbit antiserum against two synthetic peptides from EHI_016490 detected bands at 45, 68 and 140 kDa. Pre-immune serum merely gave a low background signal.