

### **Supplementary movie 1**

Oli-neu cells expressing PLP<sup>wt</sup>-EGFP, 8 hours post transfection. Small PLP<sup>+</sup> vesicles (<150nm) are mostly golgi-derived and traffic to the cell surface.

### **Supplementary movie 2**

Oli-neu cells expressing PLP<sup>wt</sup>-EGFP, 24 hours post transfection. PLP<sup>+</sup> vesicles are continuously taken up by endocytosis and accumulate in endosomal/lysosomal compartment (>200nm). One such endocytic event is visible at 3 O' Clock position. There are also some events of endosome budding and fusion e.g. 6 O' Clock.

### **Supplementary movie 3**

Oli-neu cells expressing mutant PLP<sup>msd</sup>-EGFP, 24 hours after transfection. In contrast to PLP<sup>wt</sup>, PLP<sup>msd</sup> is completely retained in the ER and is not detected in vesicles or endosomes. EGFP fluorescence displays a reticular pattern of distribution.

### **Supplementary movie 4**

COS-7 cells expressing mutant PLP<sup>msd</sup>-EGFP, 24 hours after transfection. As in oli-neu cells, PLP<sup>msd</sup> is retained in the ER of COS-7 cells.

### **Supplementary movie 5**

Oli-neu cells stably expressing PLP<sup>wt</sup>-EGFP, induced for 24 hours with cAMP, and imaged live. For details see Figure 32.

### **Supplementary movie 6**

Primary oligodendrocytes expressing PLP<sup>wt</sup>-EGFP and imaged live. Note that rapidly moving endosomes/Lysosomes exhibit a tubular morphology. For details see Figure 33.