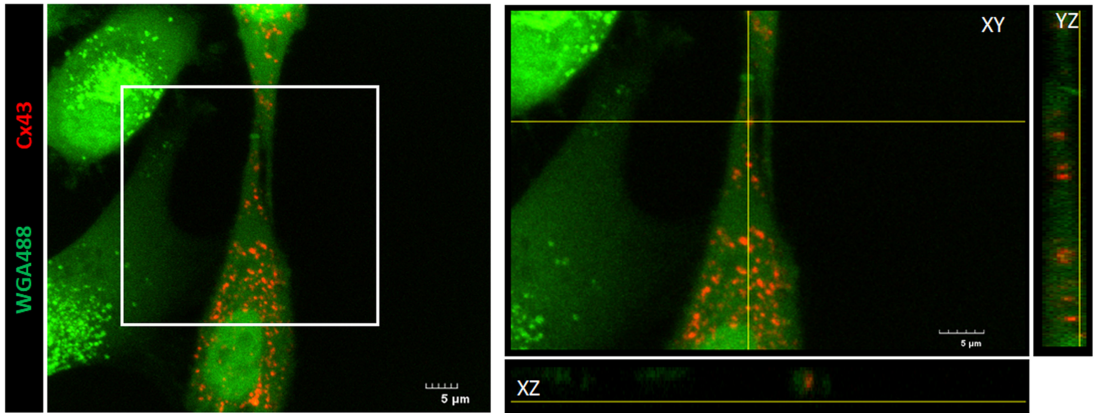




3D image of co-culture MSCs and CMs. Co-cultured MSCs and CMs were labelled by WGA488 (Green) and Connexin 43(Cx43) (Red). confocal images were acquired with 60× objective. In the magnification, the TNTs between the cells containing Cx43. Scale bar = 5 μm.