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In the original version of this article, “A73” in Fig 6b was inadvertently labeled as “G73”. The corrected Fig. 6 is given here.

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Fig. 6 **a** Tertiary structure of *A. fulgidus* AlaRS complexed with tRNA (PDB ID: 3WQY). The corresponding regions to *N. equitans* AlaRS- α and AlaRS- β are colored in magenta and green, respectively, based on the multisequence alignment (Supplementary Material, Fig. S1). tRNA is shown in yellow. **b** Detailed stick representation of interactions between *A. fulgidus* AlaRS and C71 and A73 of tRNA^{Ala}. Distances within 3.5 Å between the amino acid residues of *A. fulgidus* AlaRS and any atoms of C71 and A73 are shown. **c** Schematic simplified representation of the proposed evolutionary processes of AlaRS-tRNA^{Ala} system. Before the appearance of the specific G3:U70, minimalist RNA and protein structures and their interactions resulted in requisite aminoacylation activities (Color figure online)

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