

# Integrative Genomic Analysis

## Sharing Data, Tools and Models

Use of bionetworks to build better maps of disease

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BETTER MAPS OF DISEASE

NOT JUST WHAT WE DO BUT HOW WE DO IT

POWER OF BUILDING A PRE-COMPETITIVE  
COMMONS FOR EVOLVING  
GENERATIVE MODELS OF DISEASE

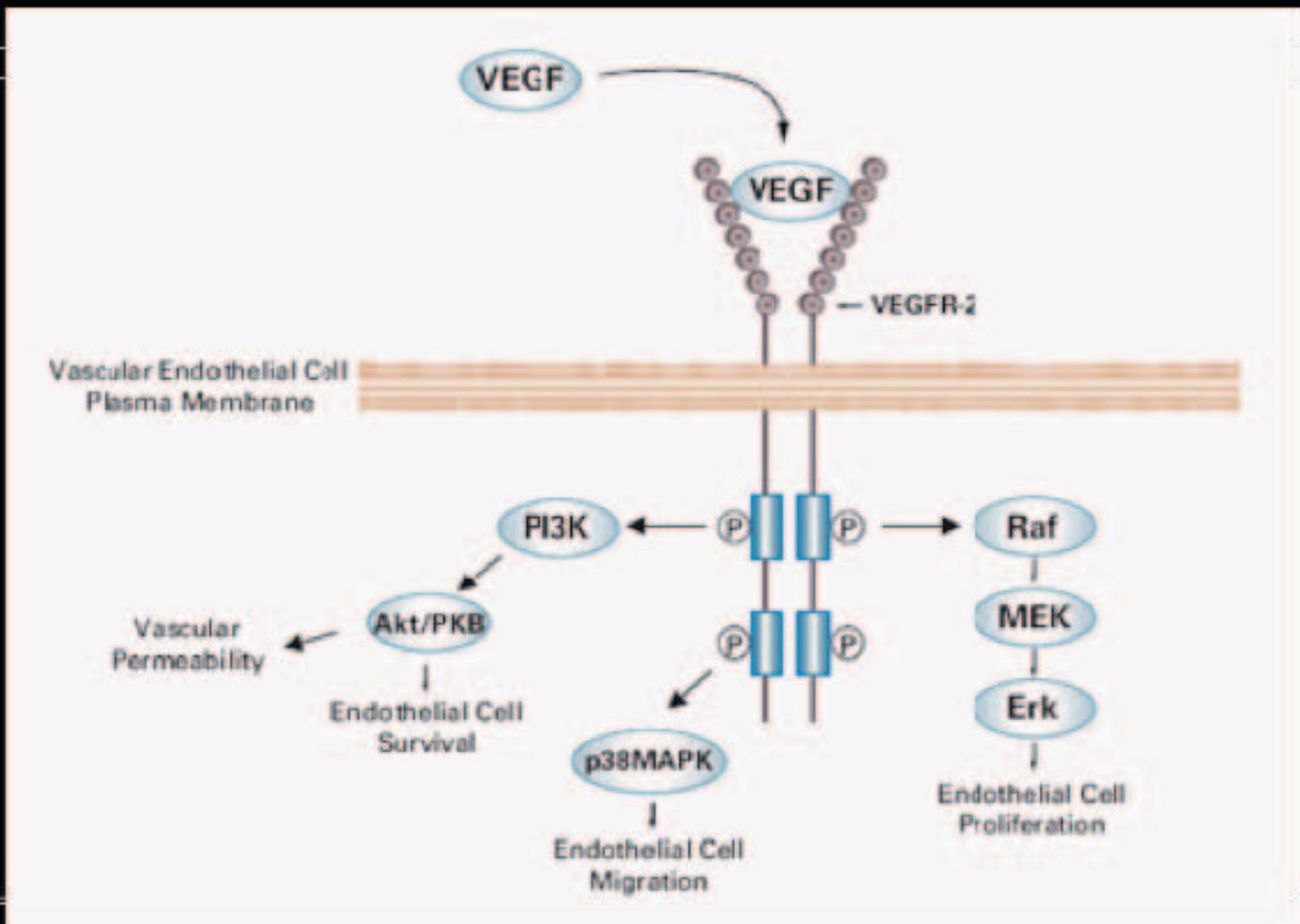
# Existing approaches and issues in Drug Discovery

Current costs for drug approval- ~\$1Billion – 5 -10 years

Only 6% of therapies in Phase I trials will lead to approval  
(CMS)

Cancer- FDA approved marketed drugs as "standards of care" provide significant impact in only 25% of patients

# VEGFR Classical Pathway



# Where the data-driven network approach can combat the want our minds' have for story telling

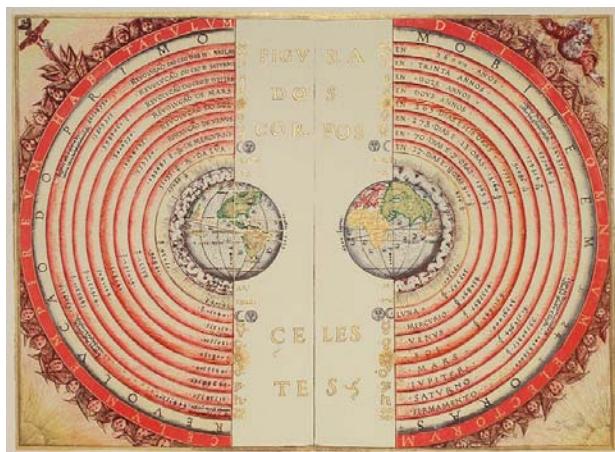
Zeus, the sky god; when he is angry he throws  
lightening bolts out of the sky



The earth is flat

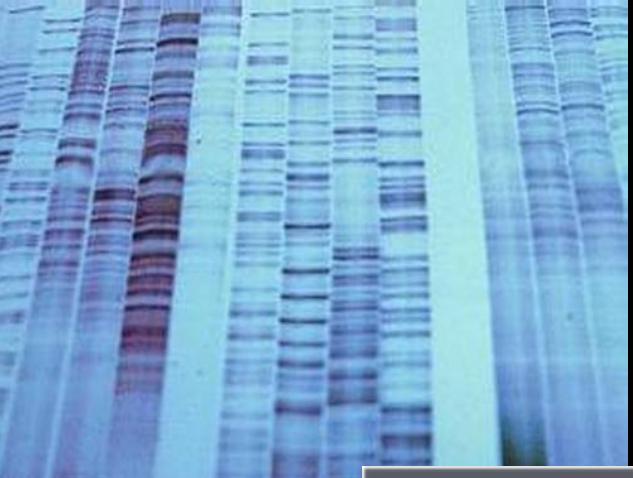


Ptolemaic astronomy: the earth is  
the center of the universe

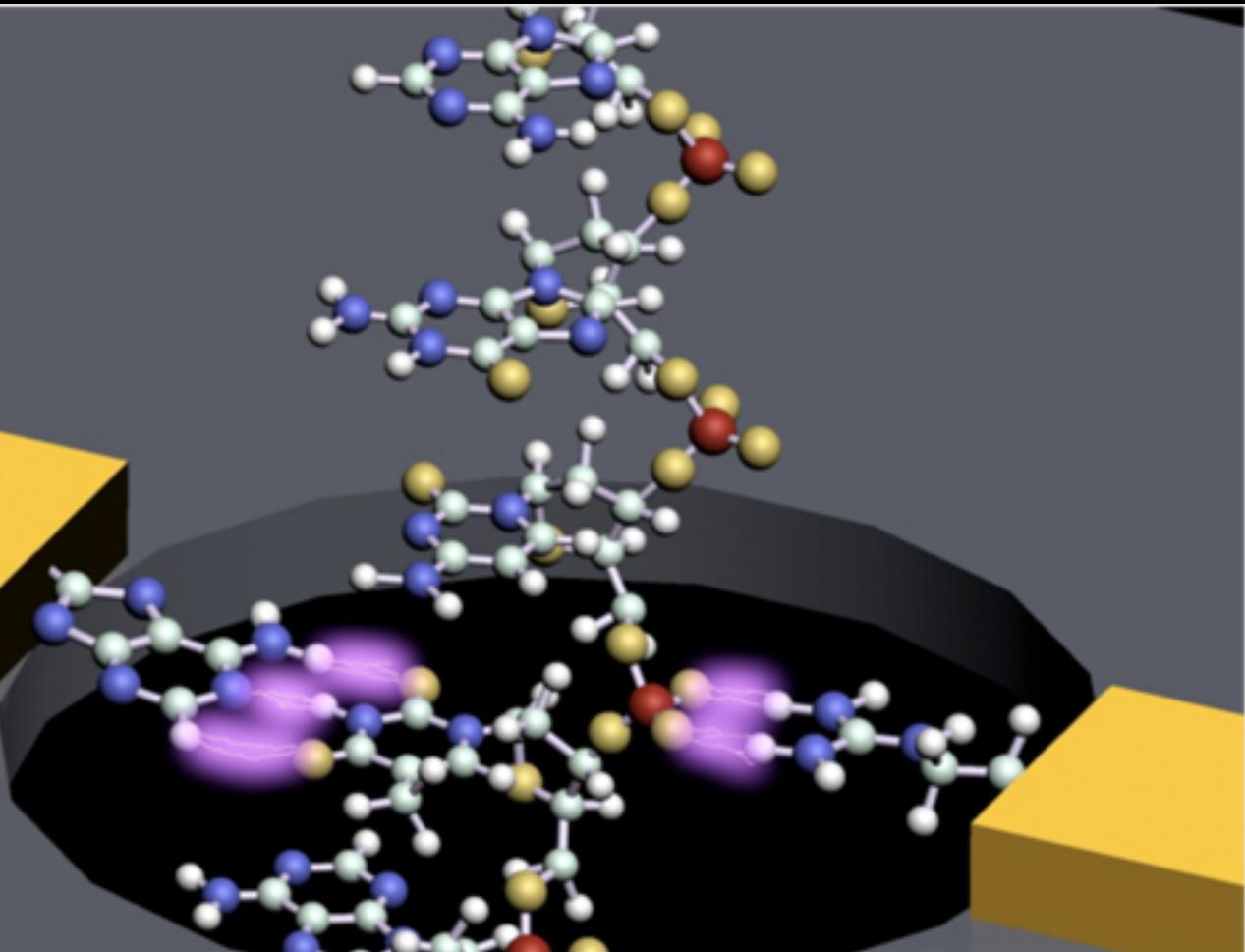


Biological processes are driven by simple linearly  
ordered pathways (TGF-beta signaling)

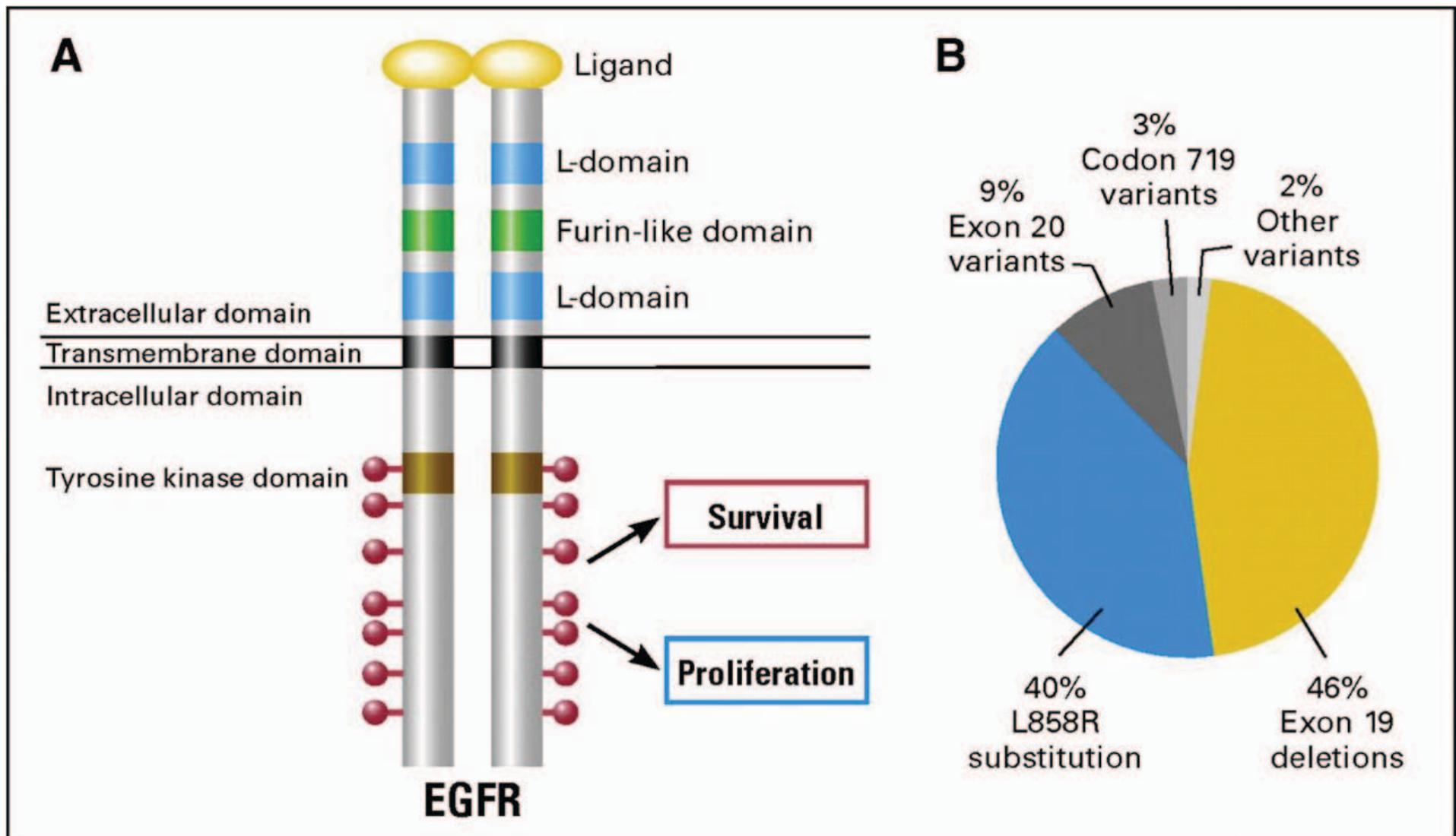




Amazing Technologies  
will soon create a revolution  
in our understanding of diseases  
resulting in new categories, and therapies

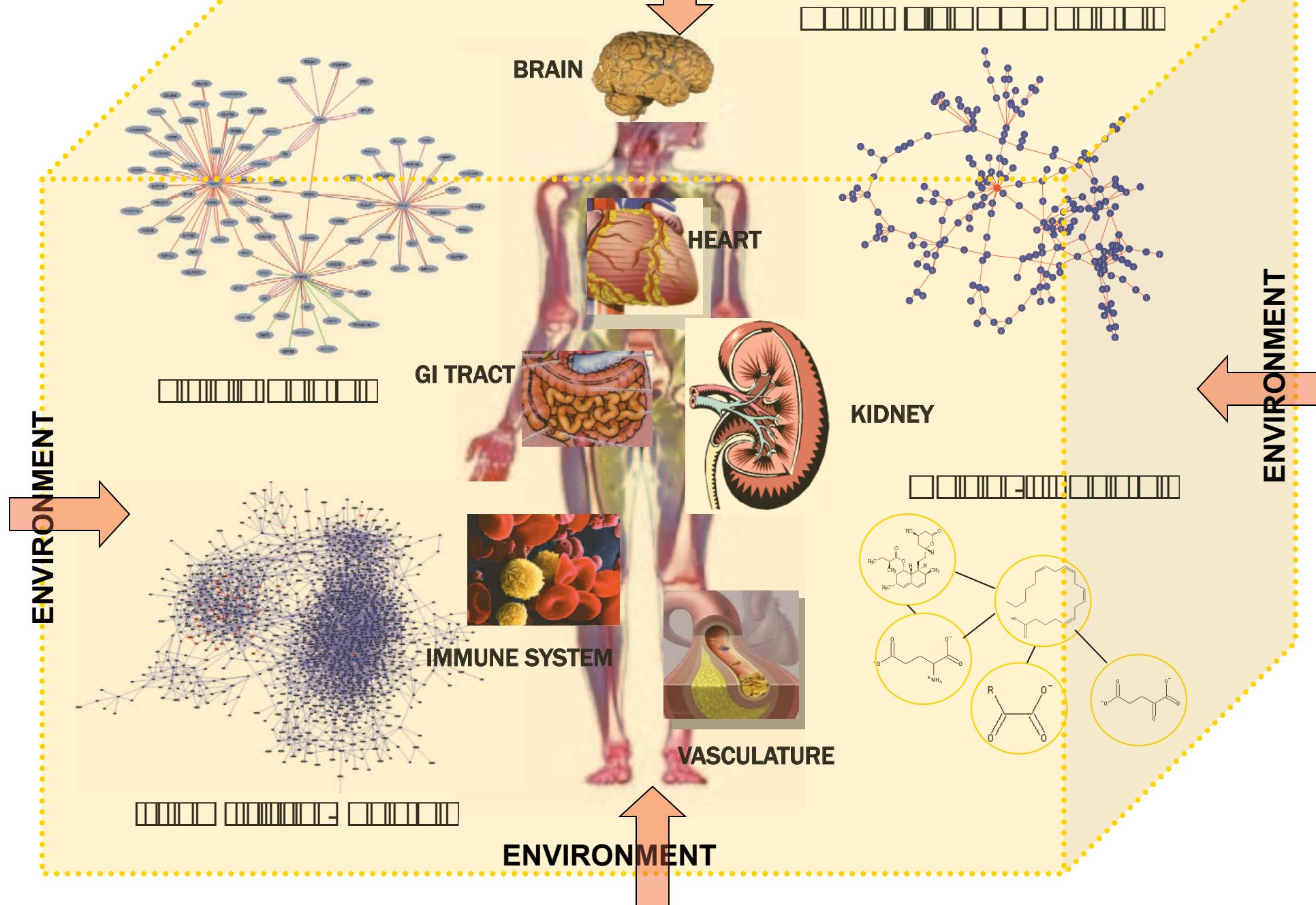


## Personalized Medicine 101: Capturing Single bases pair mutations = ID of responders

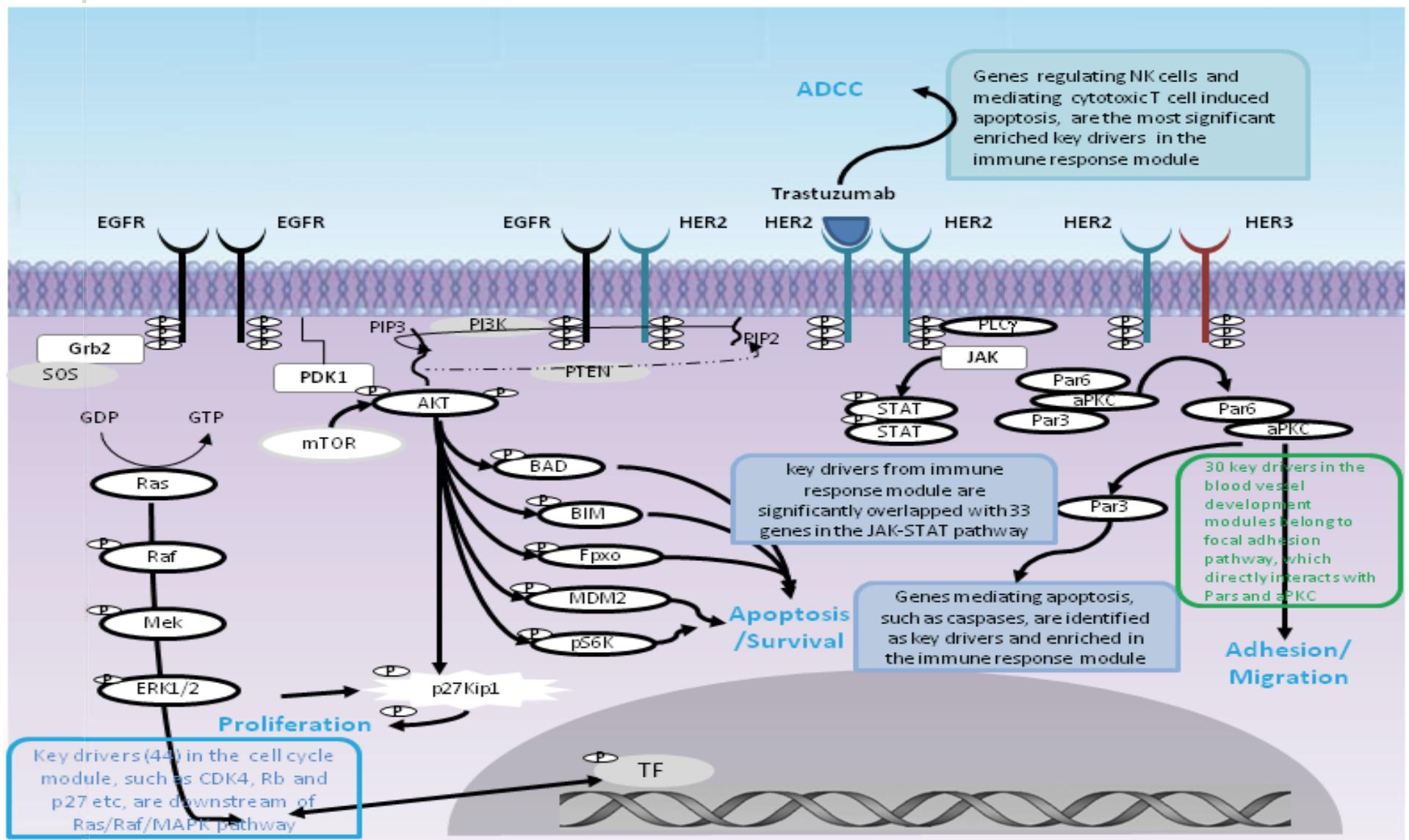


# One Dimensional Technology Slices

## ENVIRONMENT



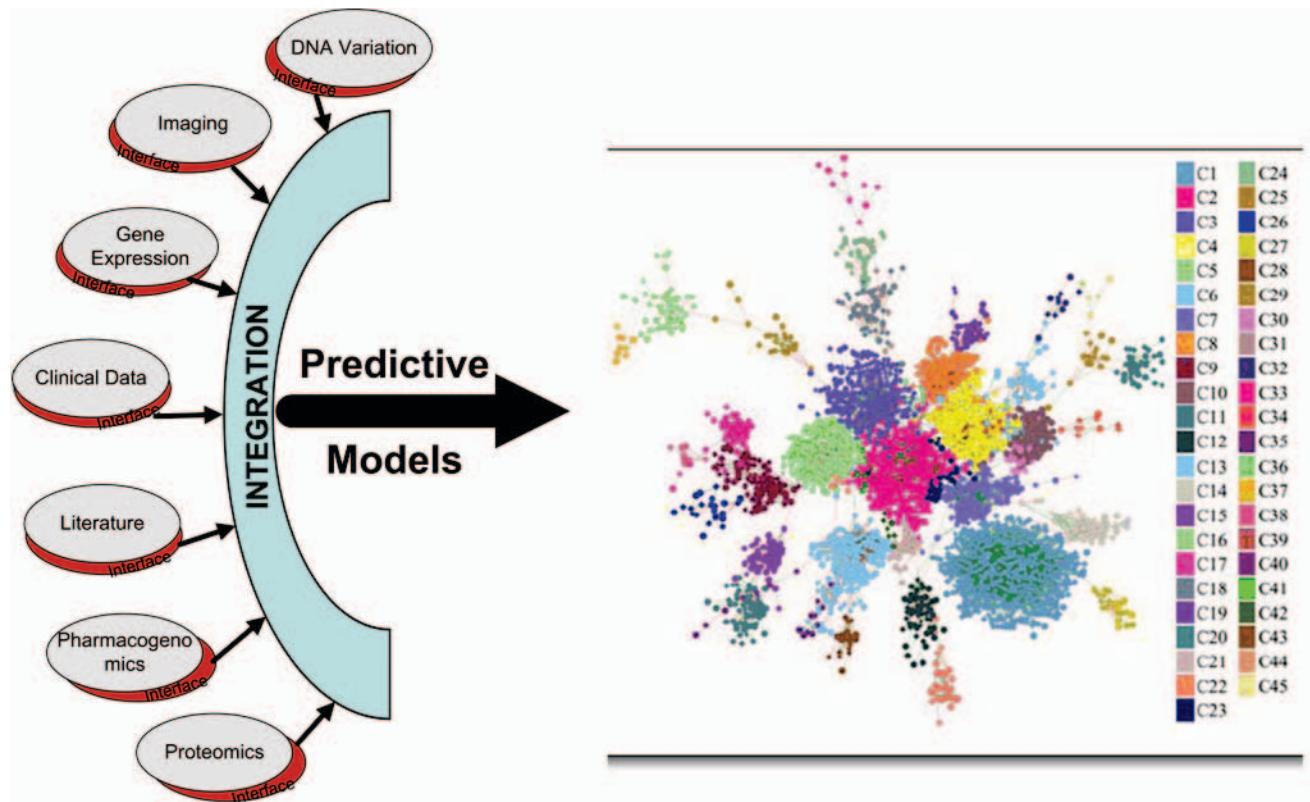
# Example of Complexity: Overlapping of EGFR and Her2 Pathways



# The “Rosetta Integrative Genomics Experiment”: Generation, assembly, and integration of data to build models that predict clinical outcome

**Merck Inc. Co.**  
**5 Year Program**  
**Based at Rosetta**  
**Total Resources**  
**>\$150M**

- Generate data need to build bionetworks
- Assemble other available data useful for building networks
- Integrate and build models
- Test predictions
- Develop treatments
- Design Predictive Markers



# We need to carry out comprehensive monitoring of many traits at the population level

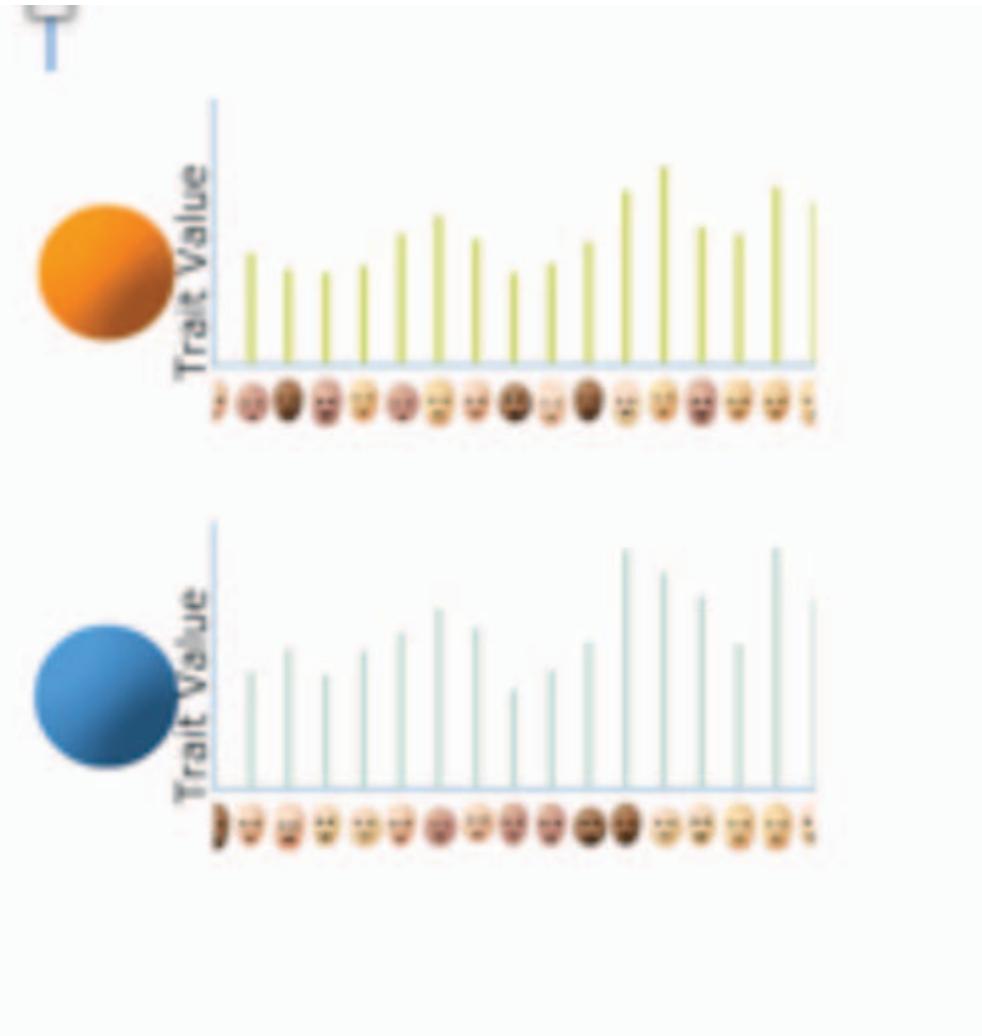
Monitor disease and molecular traits in populations



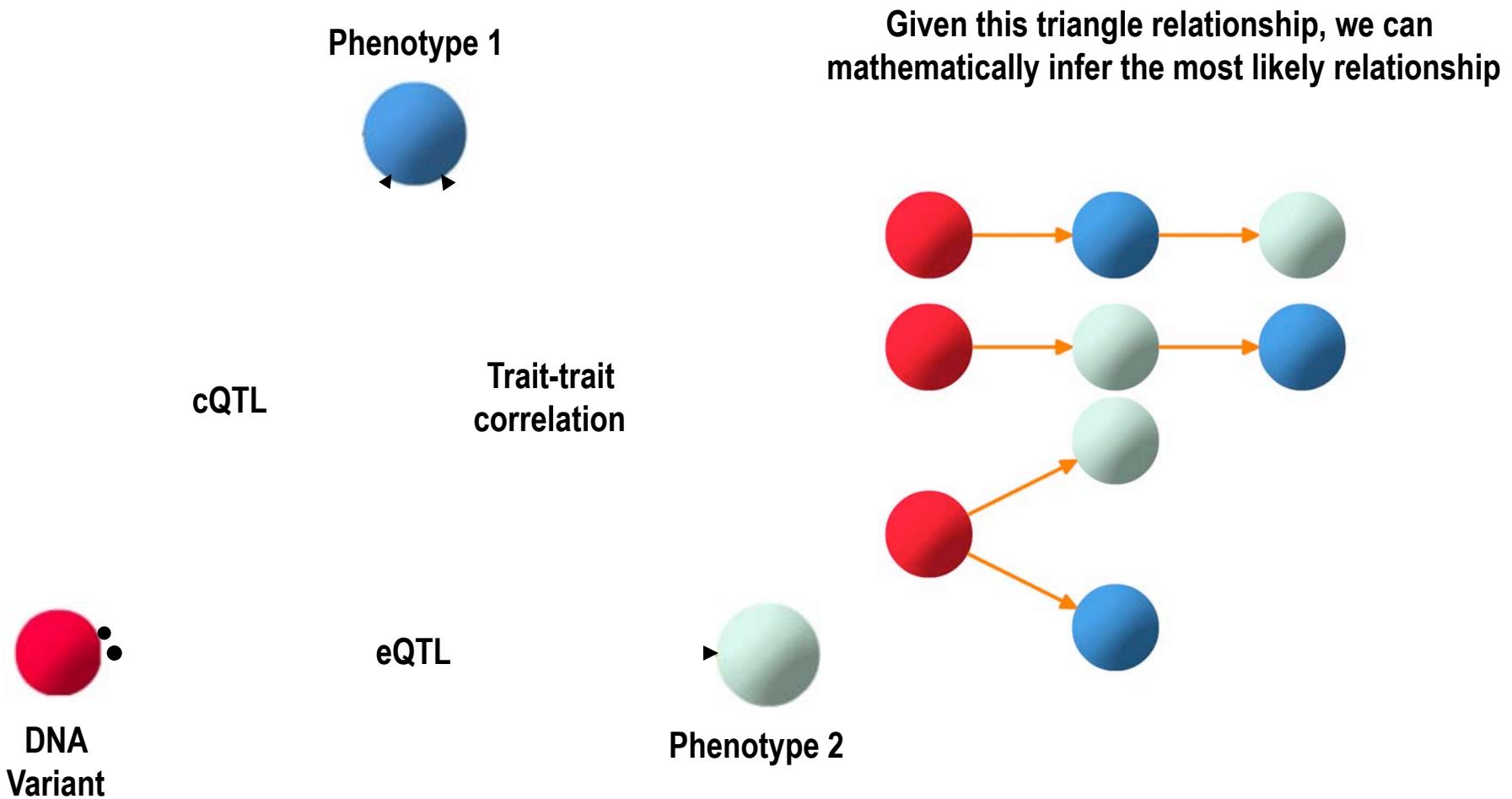
Putative causal gene



Disease trait

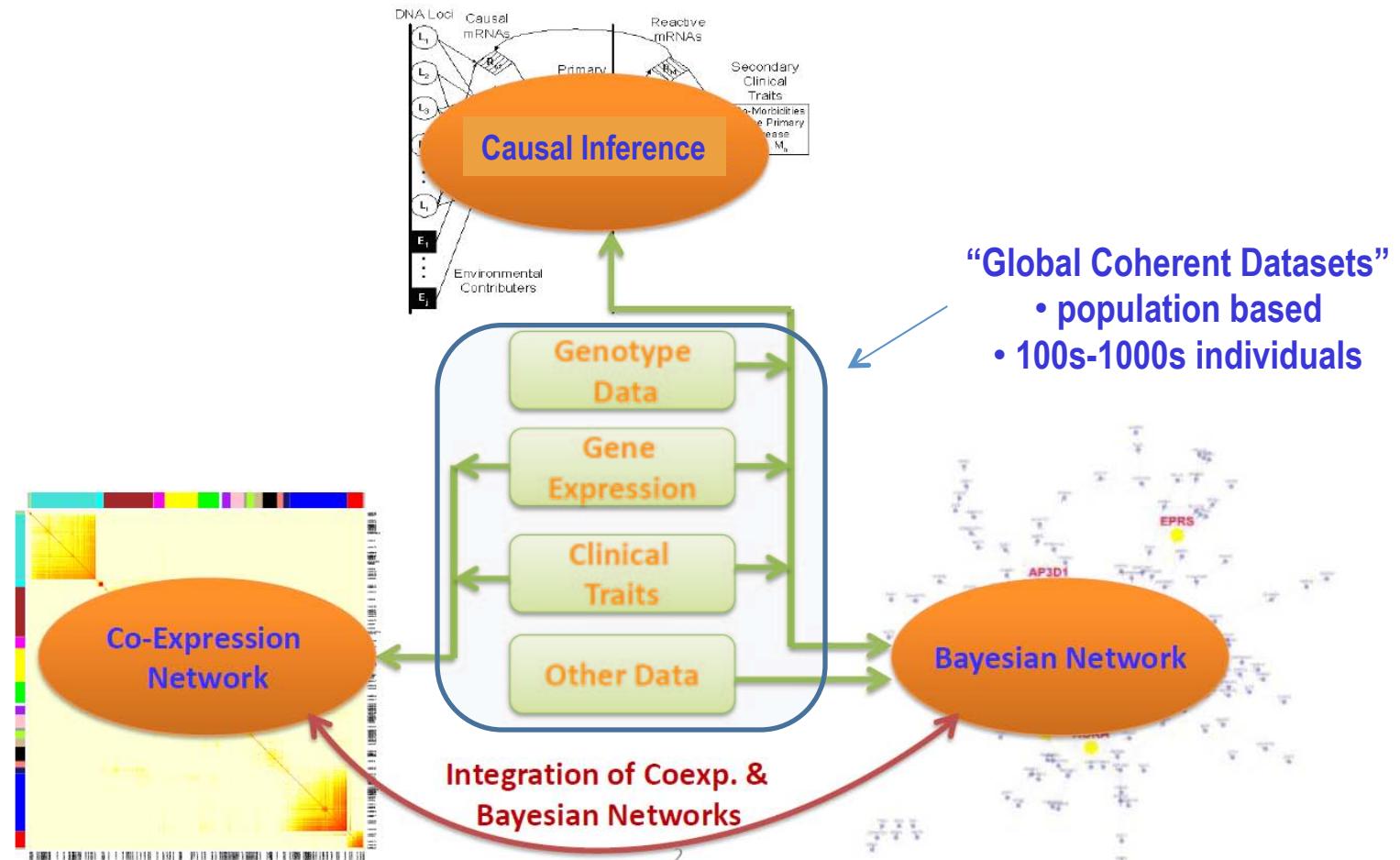


# Leveraging DNA variation as a systematic perturbation source



# Integration of Genotypic, Gene Expression & Trait Data

Schadt et al. *Nature Genetics* 37: 710 (2005)  
Millstein et al. *BMC Genetics* 10: 23 (2009)

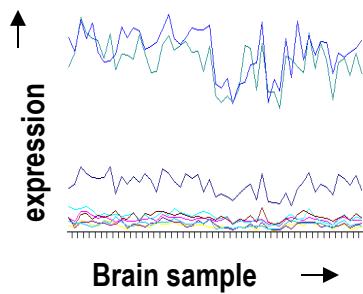


Chen et al. *Nature* 452:429 (2008)  
Zhang & Horvath. *Stat.Appl.Genet.Mol.Biol.* 4: article 17 (2005)

Zhu et al. *Cytogenet Genome Res.* 105:363 (2004)  
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# Constructing Co-expression Networks

Start with expression measures for ~13K genes most variant genes across 100-150 samples

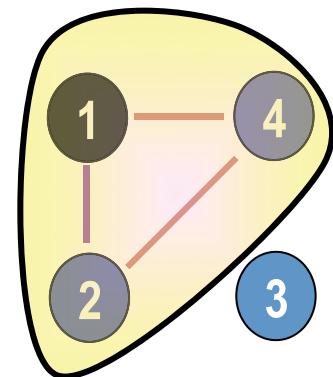


Establish a 2D correlation matrix for all gene pairs

Note: NOT a gene expression heatmap

	1	2	3	4
1	1	0.8	0.2	-0.8
2	0.8	1	0.1	-0.6
3	0.2	0.1	1	-0.1
4	-0.8	-0.6	-0.1	1

Correlation Matrix



Identify modules

Network Module

sets of genes for which many pairs interact (relative to the total number of pairs in that set)

	1	2	4	3
1	1	1	1	0
2	1	1	1	0
4	1	1	1	0
3	0	0	0	1

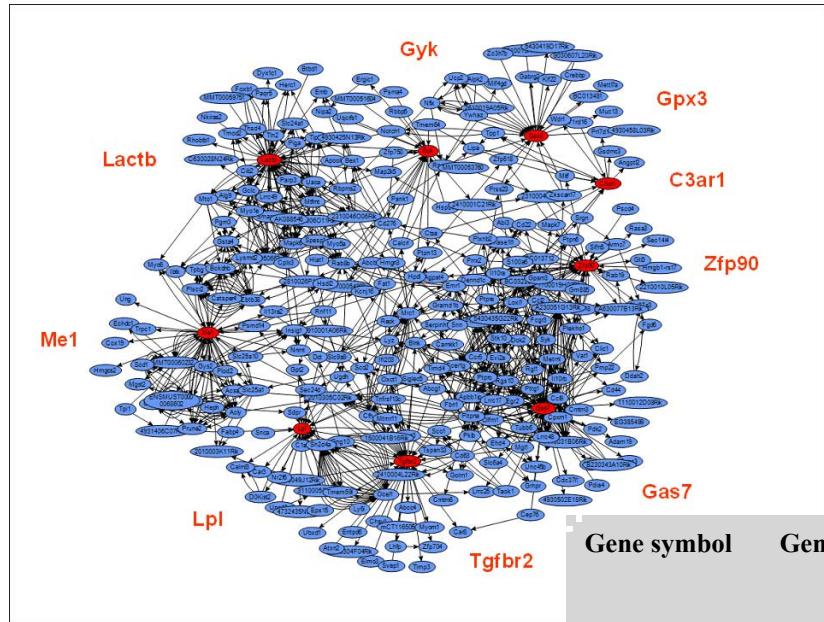
Clustered Connection Matrix

Define Threshold eg >0.6 for edge

	1	2	3	4
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2	1	1	0	1
3	0	0	1	0
4	1	1	0	1

Connection Matrix

# Probabalistic Models- Rosetta

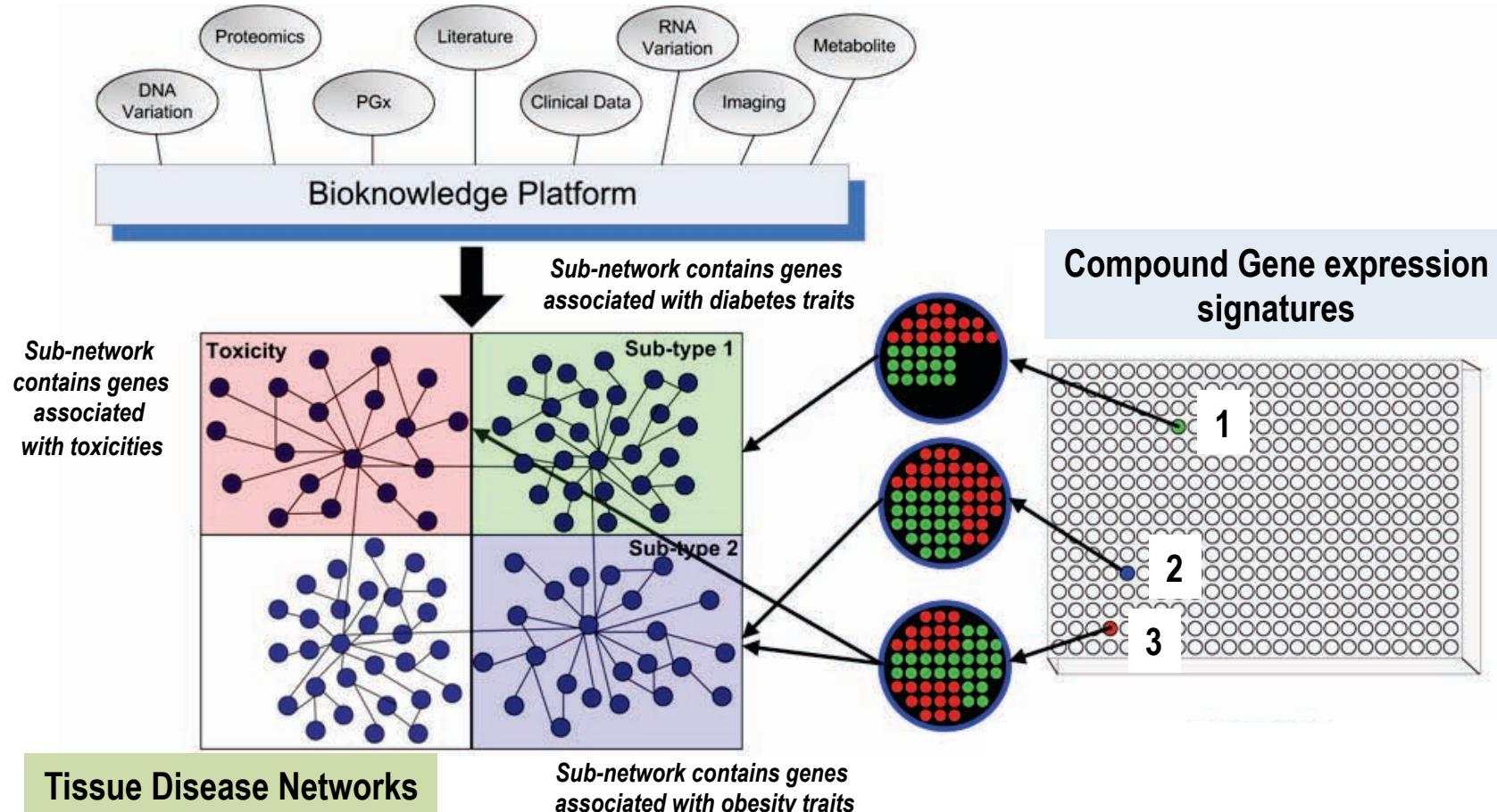


Networks facilitate direct identification of genes that are causal for disease  
Evolutionarily tolerated weak spots

Gene symbol	Gene name	Variance of OFPM explained by gene expression*	Mouse model	Source
Zfp90	Zinc finger protein 90	68%	tg	Constructed using BAC transgenics
Gas7	Growth arrest specific 7	68%	tg	Constructed using BAC transgenics
Gpx3	Glutathione peroxidase 3	61%	tg	Provided by Prof. Oleg Mirochnitchenko (University of Medicine and Dentistry at New Jersey, NJ) [12]
Lactb	Lactamase beta	52%	tg	Constructed using BAC transgenics
Me1	Malic enzyme 1	52%	ko	Naturally occurring KO
Gyk	Glycerol kinase	46%	ko	Provided by Dr. Katrina Dipple (UCLA) [13]
Lpl	Lipoprotein lipase	46%	ko	Provided by Dr. Ira Goldberg (Columbia University, NY) [11]
C3ar1	Complement component 3a receptor 1	46%	ko	Purchased from Deltagen, CA
Tgfbr2	Transforming growth factor beta receptor 2	39%	ko	Purchased from Deltagen, CA



# Map compound signatures to disease networks



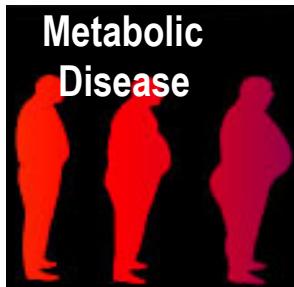
Compound 1: Drug signature significantly enriched in subnetwork associated with diabetes traits

Compound 2: Drug signature significantly enriched in subnetwork associated with obesity traits

Compound 3: Drug signature significantly enriched in subnetwork associated with obesity traits  
**BUT** also in subnetwork associated with toxicities

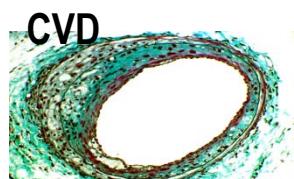
# Extensive Publications now Substantiating Scientific Approach Probabilistic Causal Bionetwork Models

- >80 Publications from Rosetta Genetics / Sage Group (~30 scientists) over 6 years including high profile papers in PLoS Nature and Nature Genetics



Metabolic  
Disease

- "Genetics of gene expression surveyed in maize, mouse and man." Nature. (2003)
- "Variations in DNA elucidate molecular networks that cause disease." Nature. (2008)
- "Genetics of gene expression and its effect on disease." Nature. (2008)
- "Validation of candidate causal genes for obesity that affect..." Nat Genet. (2009)
- ..... Plus 10 additional papers in Genome Research, PLoS Genetics, PLoS Comp.Biology, etc



CVD

- "Identification of pathways for atherosclerosis." Circ Res. (2007)

- "Mapping the genetic architecture of gene expression in human liver." PLoS Biol. (2008)
- ..... Plus 5 additional papers in Genome Res., Genomics, Mamm.Genome



Bone

- "Integrating genotypic and expression data ...for bone traits..." Nat Genet. (2005)
- "..approach to identify candidate genes regulating BMD..." J Bone Miner Res. (2009)

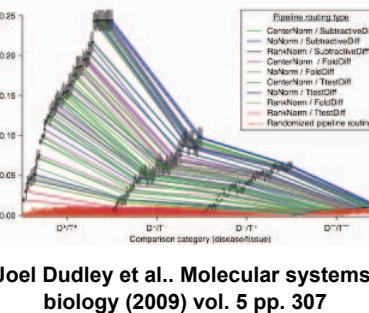
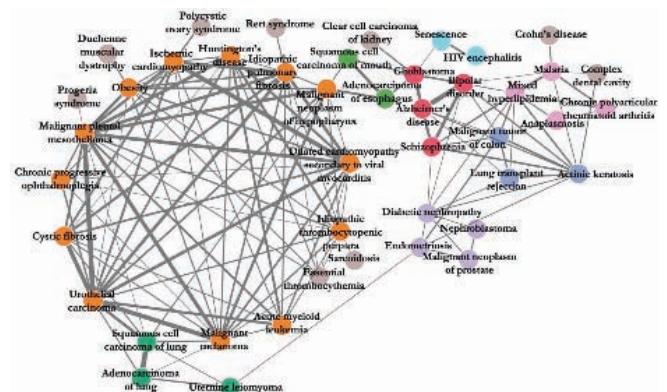


Methods

- "An integrative genomics approach to infer causal associations ..." Nat Genet. (2005)
- "Increasing the power to detect causal associations..." "PLoS Comput Biol. (2007)
- "Integrating large-scale functional genomic data ..." Nat Genet. (2008)
- ..... Plus 3 additional papers in PLoS Genet., BMC Genet.

# Exploring the Global Landscape of Human Disease Through Public Data-approaches taken by Atul Butte

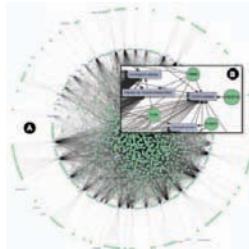
Public data  
enables  
quantitative  
disease  
relationships



High quality  
signals exist  
in public data

# Differences

# Plasma proteome networks

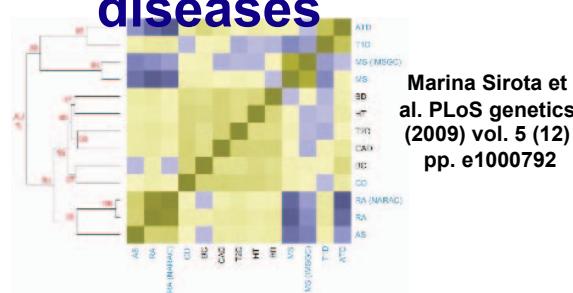


Joel Dudley and  
Atul Butte. Pacific  
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# Which biomarkers best discriminate diseases?

# Is there a blood biomarker for general pathology?

# Genetic architecture of autoimmune diseases



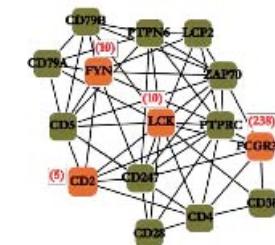
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## Are there genetic “switches” for autoimmunity?

# Is there a common autoimmune susceptibility variant?

## ► Commonalities

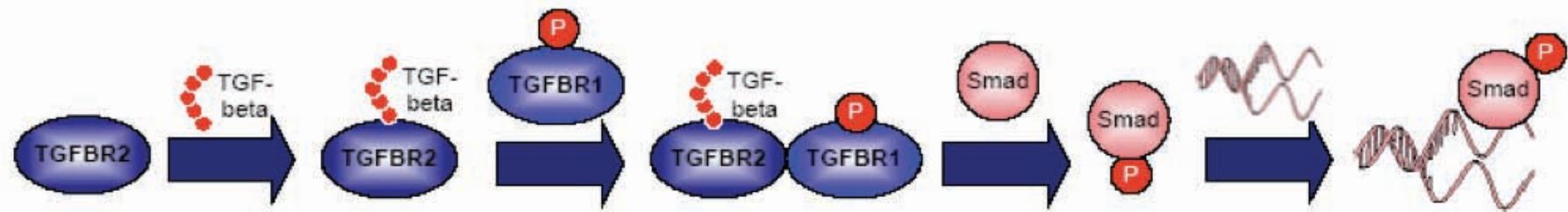
# Functional gene module networks



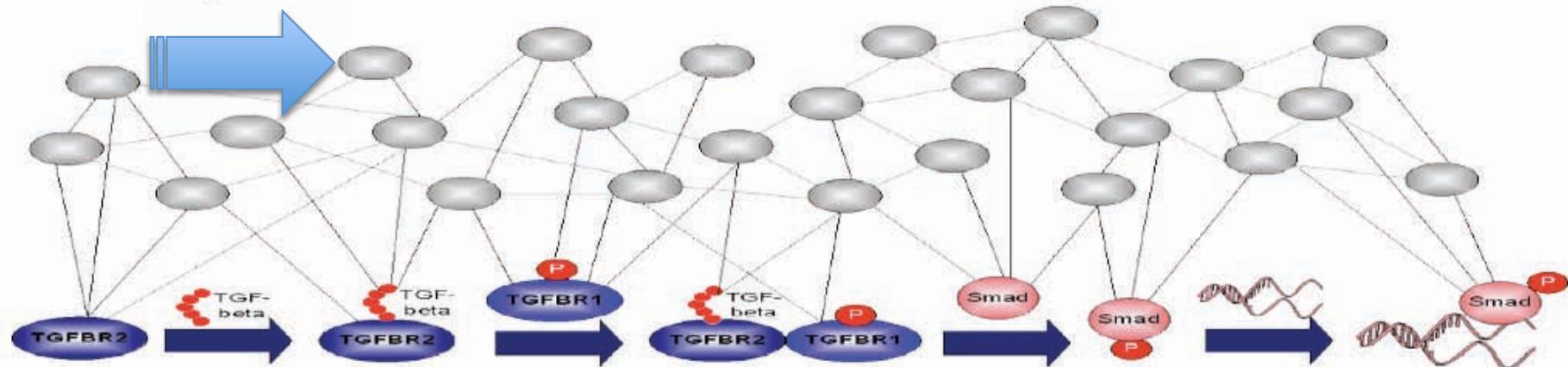
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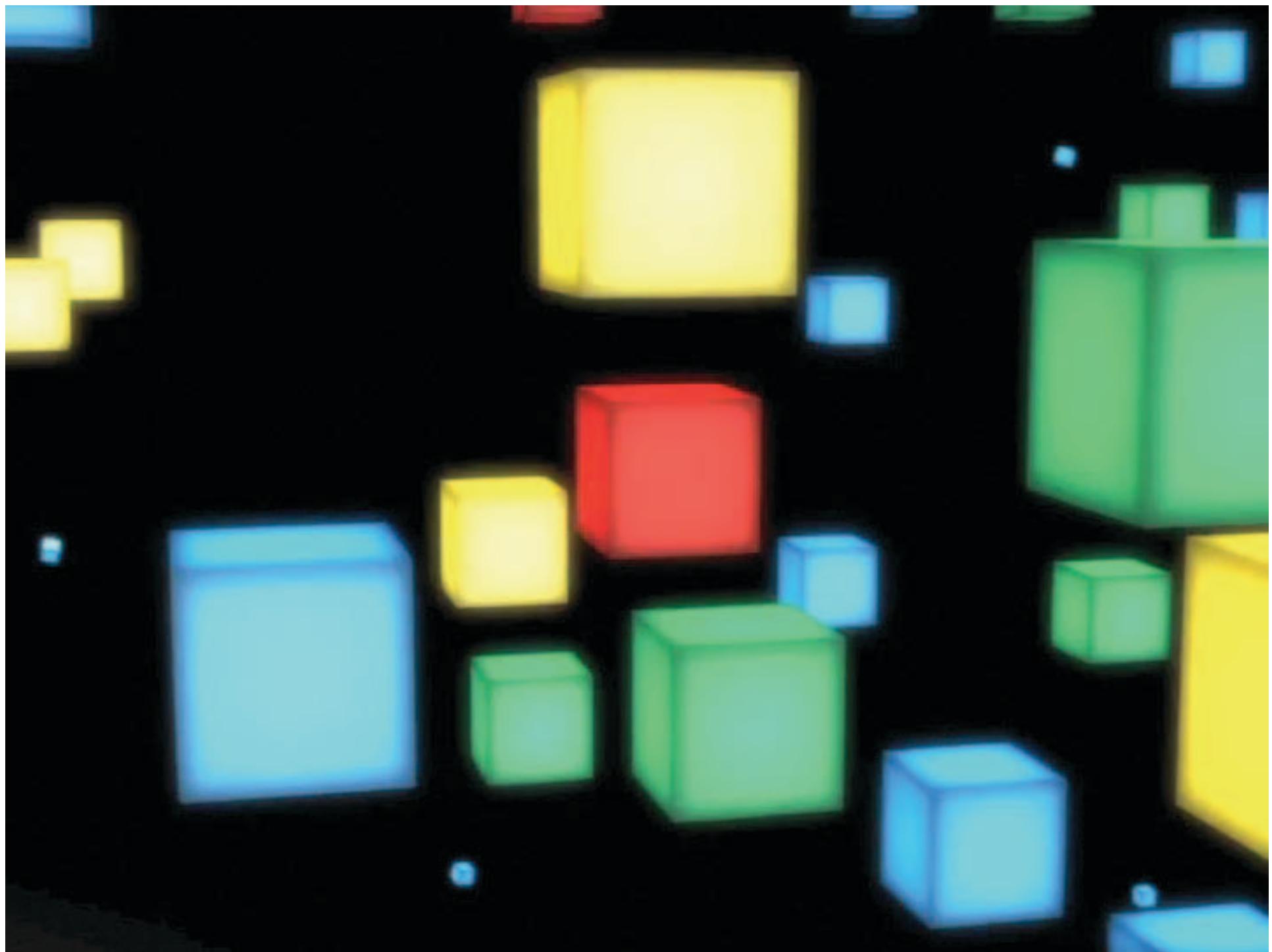
Do common  
modules  
harbor  
pluripotent  
drug targets?

*The way we like to think:*

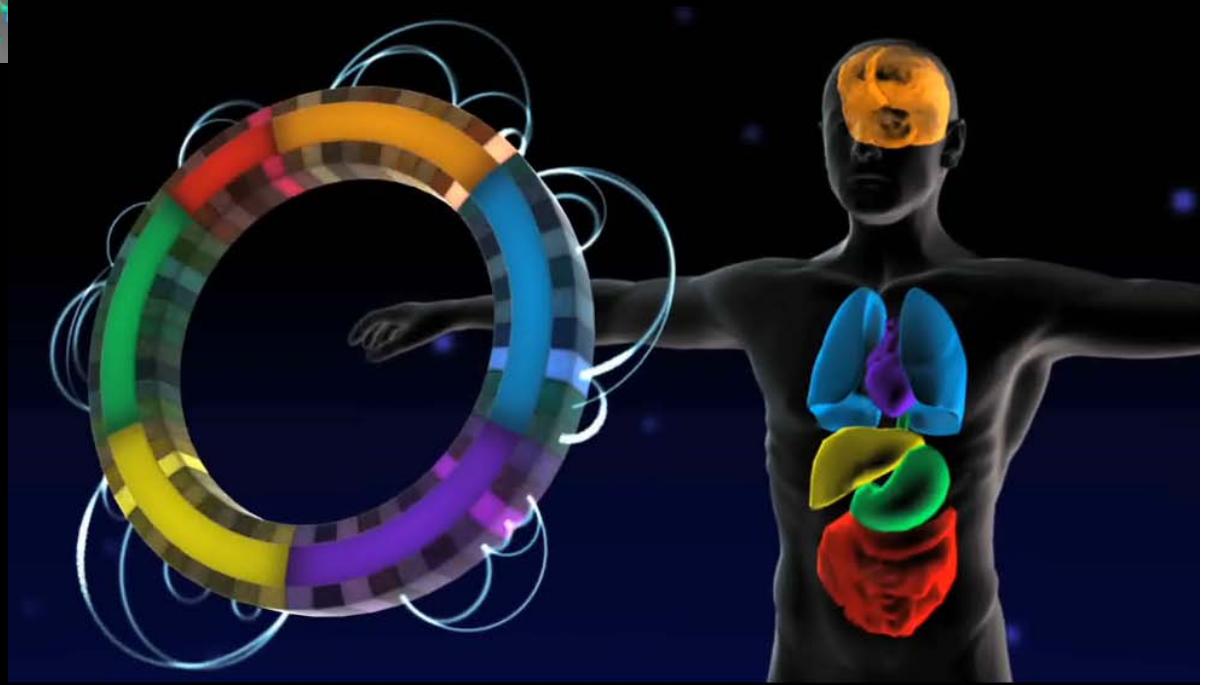
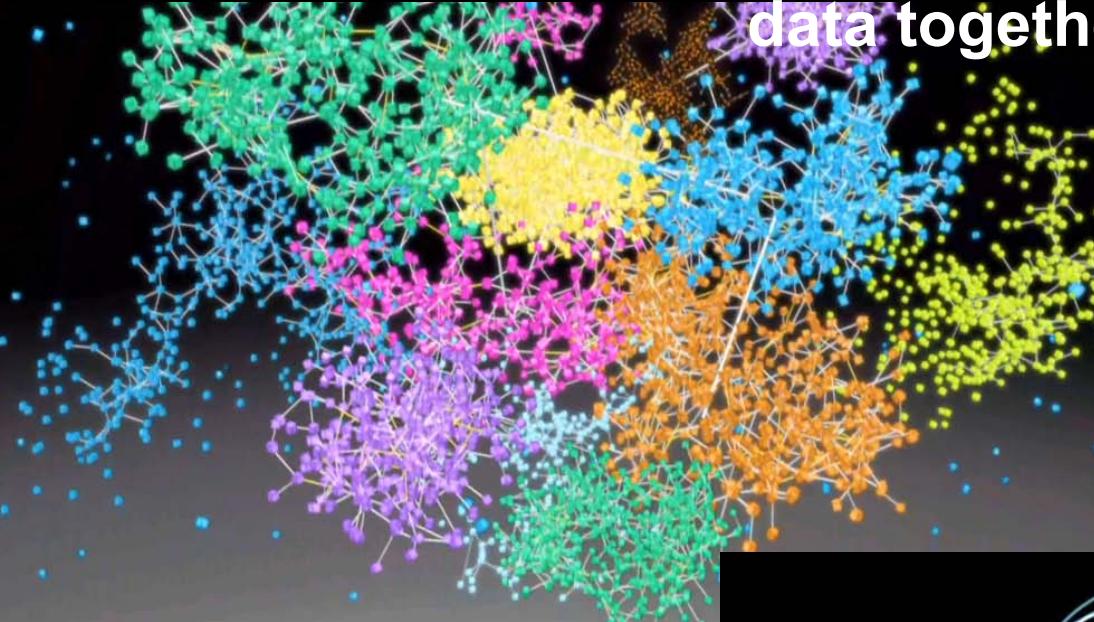


*The way it is:*





We are about to be able to build maps of disease based on alterations found in multitudes of patients if we can bring the data together



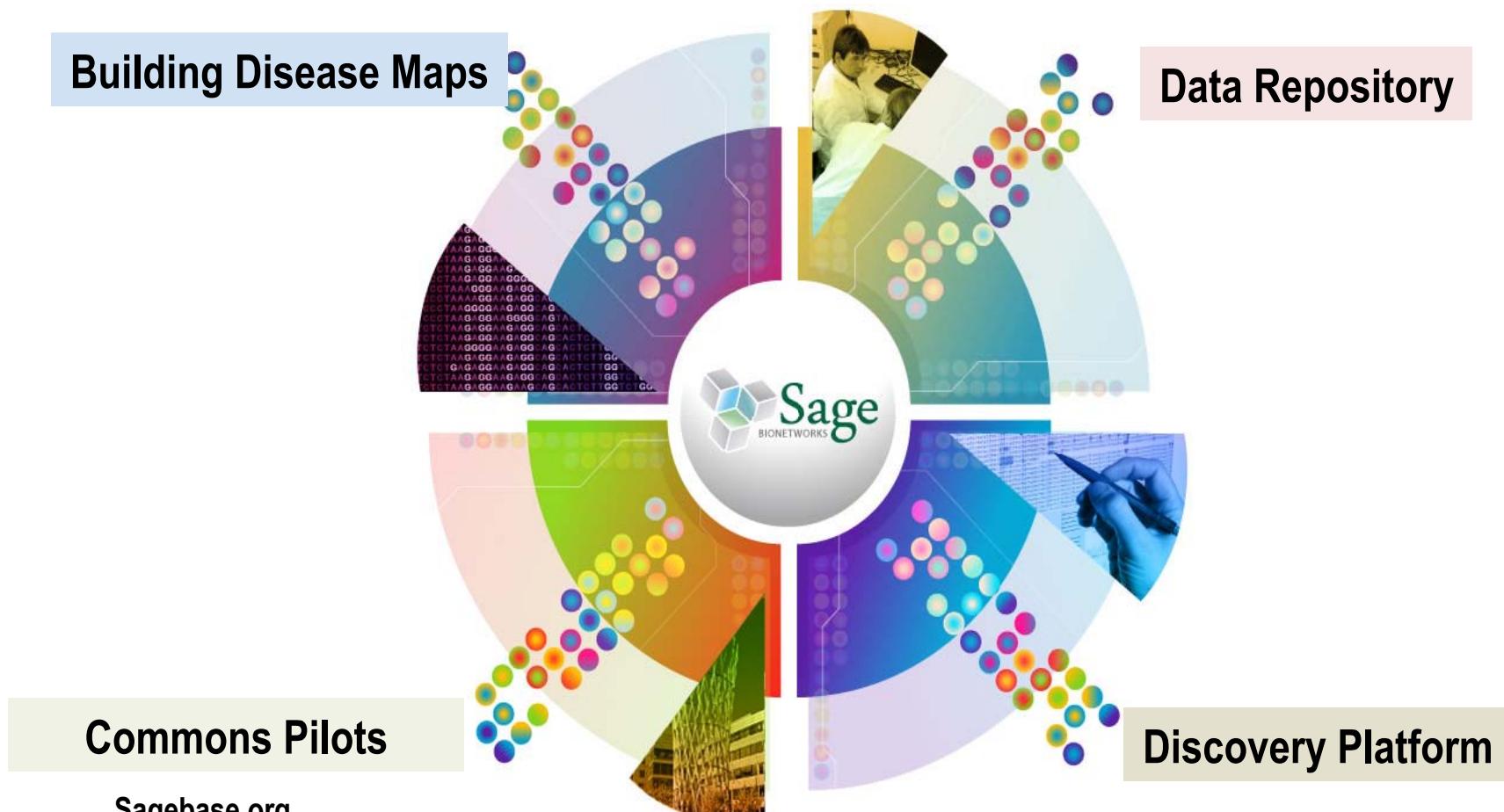


Recognition that the benefits of bionetwork based molecular models of diseases are powerful but that they **require significant resources**

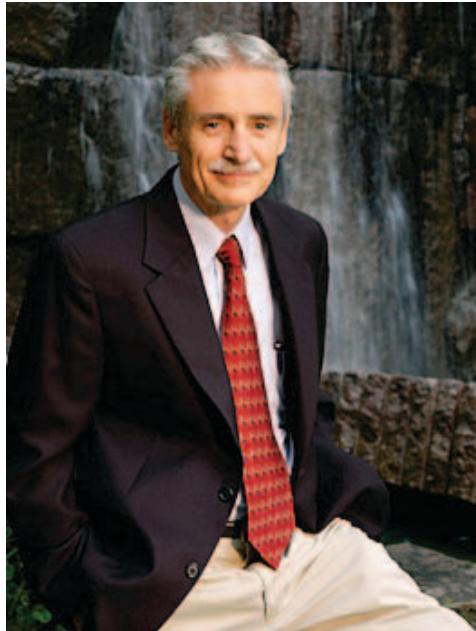
Appreciation that it will **require decades** of evolving representations as real complexity emerges and needs to be integrated with therapeutic interventions

# Sage Mission

Sage Bionetworks is a non-profit organization with a vision to create a “commons” where integrative bionetworks are evolved by contributor scientists with a shared vision to accelerate the elimination of human disease

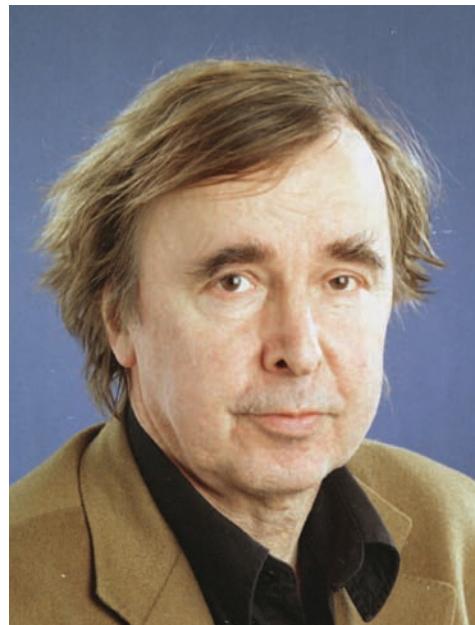


# Board of Directors- Sage Bionetworks



**Lee Hartwell**

**Nobel Laureate**  
**Co-Founder Rosetta**



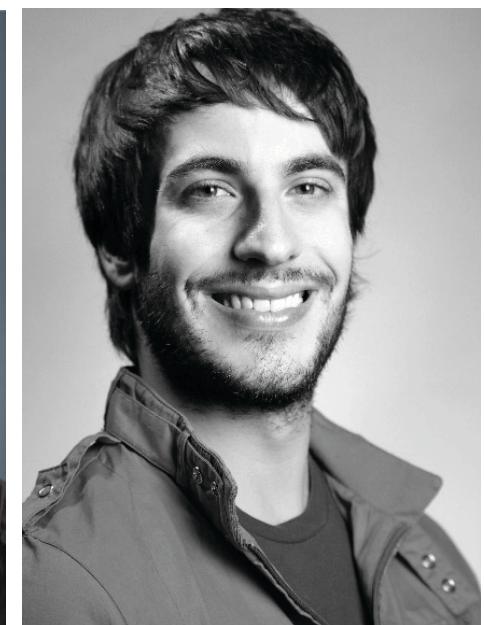
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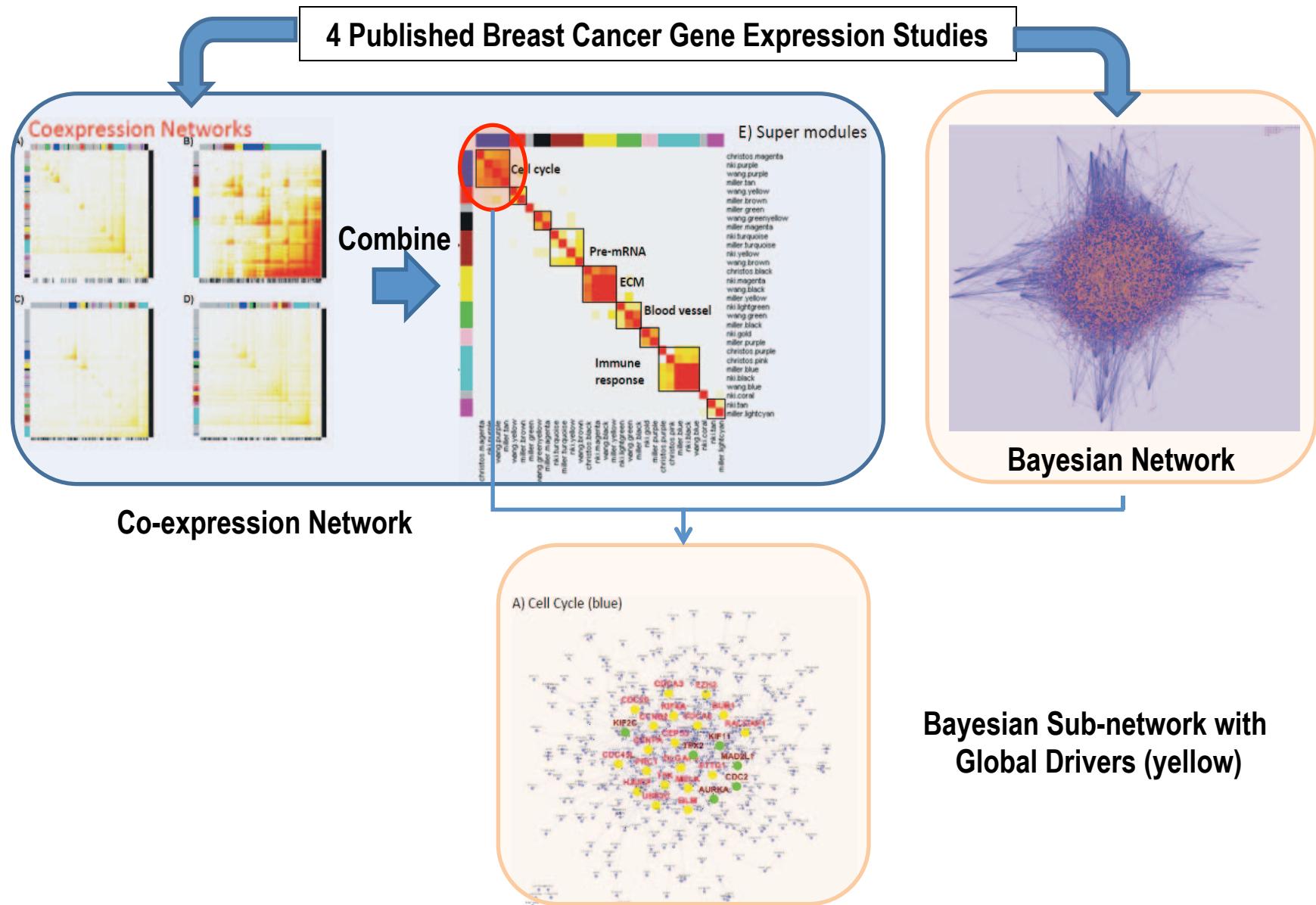
**Executive Director**  
**BGI**



**Jeff Hammerbacher**

**CEO Cloudera**  
**Built and Headed**  
**Facebook**  
**Data Architecture**

## Example 1: Identification of Molecular Drivers of Breast Cancer



## Example 2. The Sage Non-Responder Project in Cancer

**Purpose:**

- To identify Non-Responders to approved drug regimens so we can improve outcomes, spare patients unnecessary toxicities from treatments that have no benefit to them, and reduce healthcare costs

**Leadership:**

- Co-Chairs Stephen Friend, Todd Golub, Charles Sawyers & Rich Schilsky

**Initial Studies:**

- AML (at first relapse)
- Non-Small Cell Lung Cancer
- Ovarian Cancer (at first relapse)
- Breast Cancer
- Renal Cell
- Multiple Myeloma



Genetic Alliance



Johnson & Johnson



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# Example 3: Clinical Trial Comparator Arm Partnership (CTCAP)



Bridging the Chasm Between Microscope and Marketplace

- **Description:** Collate, Annotate, Curate and Host Clinical Trial Data with Genomic Information from the Comparator Arms of Industry and Foundation Sponsored Clinical Trials: Building a Site for Sharing Data and Models to evolve better Disease Maps.
- **Public-Private Partnership** of leading pharmaceutical companies, clinical trial groups and researchers.
- **Neutral Conveners:** Sage Bionetworks and Genetic Alliance [nonprofits].
- **Initiative to share existing trial data** (molecular and clinical) from non-proprietary comparator and placebo arms to create powerful new tool for drug development.

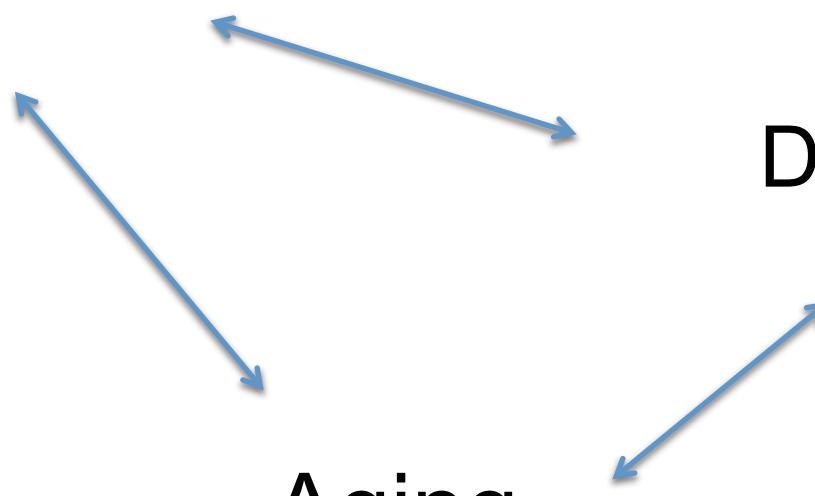
## Example 4: The Sage Federation

- Founding Lab Groups
  - Seattle- Sage Bionetworks
  - New York- Columbia: Andrea Califano
  - Palo Alto- Stanford: Atul Butte- (Joel Dudley is here)
  - San Diego- UCSD: Trey Ideker
  - San Francisco: UCSF/Sage: Eric Schadt
- Initial Projects
  - Aging
  - Diabetes
  - Warburg
- Goals: *Share all datasets, tools, models*  
*Develop interoperability for human data*

Warburg

Diabetes

Aging



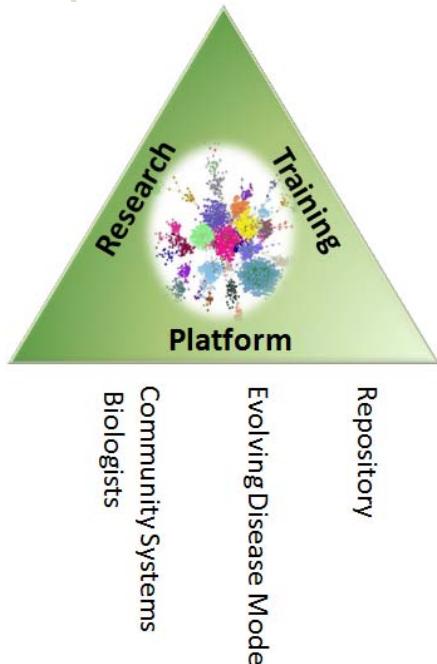
# THE FEDERATION

Butte   Califano   Friend   Ideker   Schadt

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# Sage Bionetworks: Platform

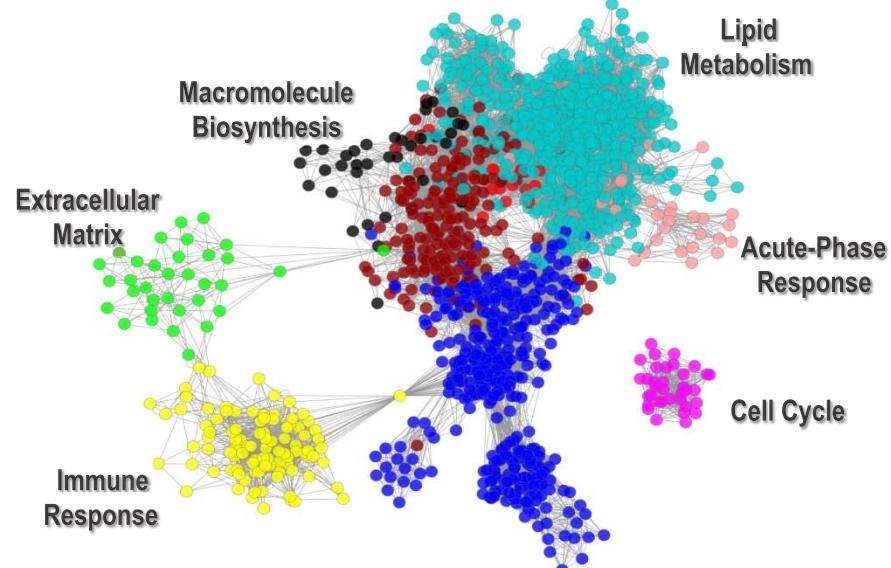


## GLOBAL COHERENT DATASETS

A data set containing genome-wide DNA variation and intermediate trait, as well as physiological phenotype data across a population of individuals large enough to power association or linkage studies, typically 50 or more individuals. To be coherent, the data needs to be matched with consistent identifiers. Intermediate traits are typically gene expression, but may also include proteomic, metabolomic, and other molecular data.

See <http://www.sagebase.org/commons/repository.php>

## MODELS



## TOOLS

**Key Driver Analysis (KDA) Tool (R package/Cytoscape plug in)**

<http://sagebase.org/research/tools.php>

**NOT JUST WHAT BUT HOW**



**Clinical/genomic data  
are accessible but minimally usable**



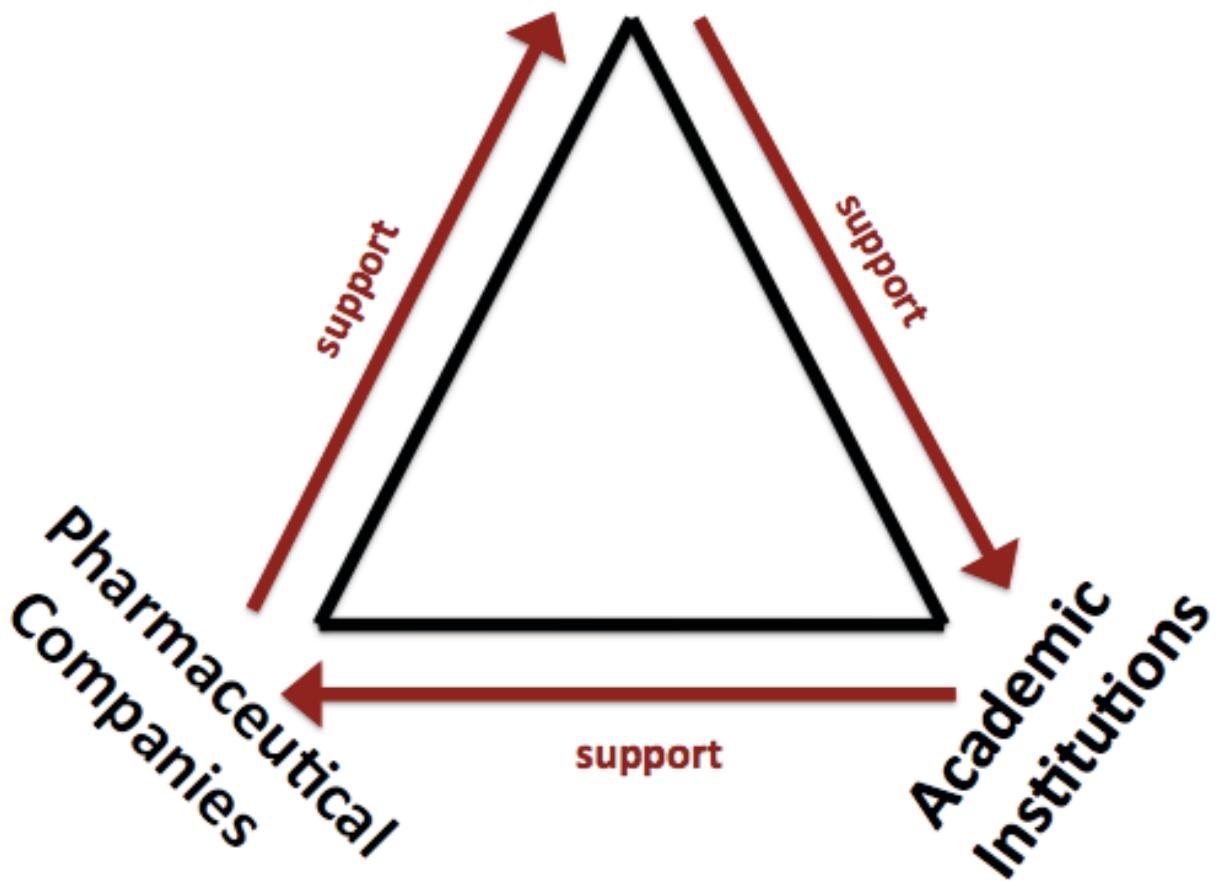
**Little incentive to annotate and curate  
data for other scientists to use**



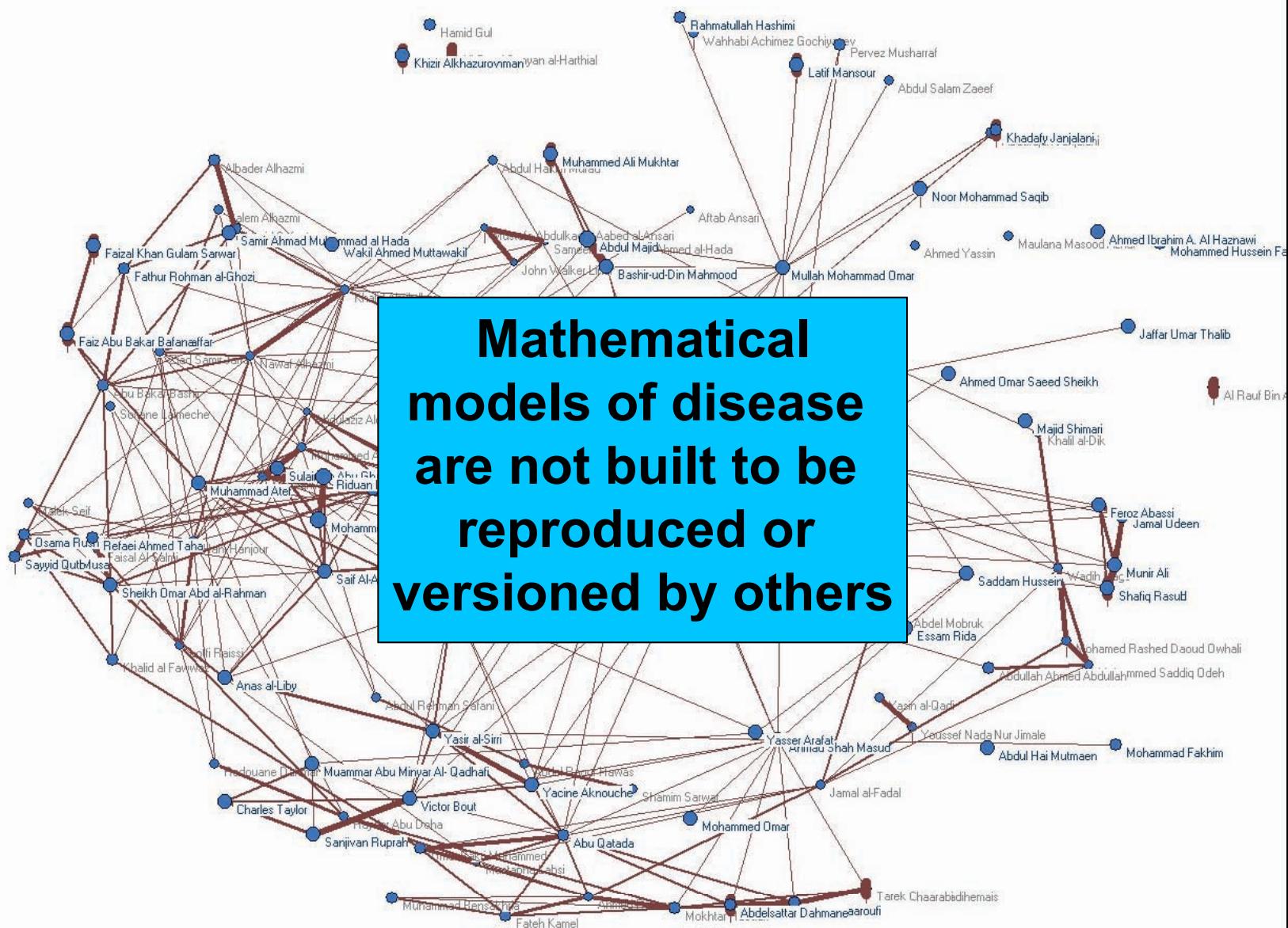
We still consider much clinical research as if we were  
“hunter gathers”- not sharing

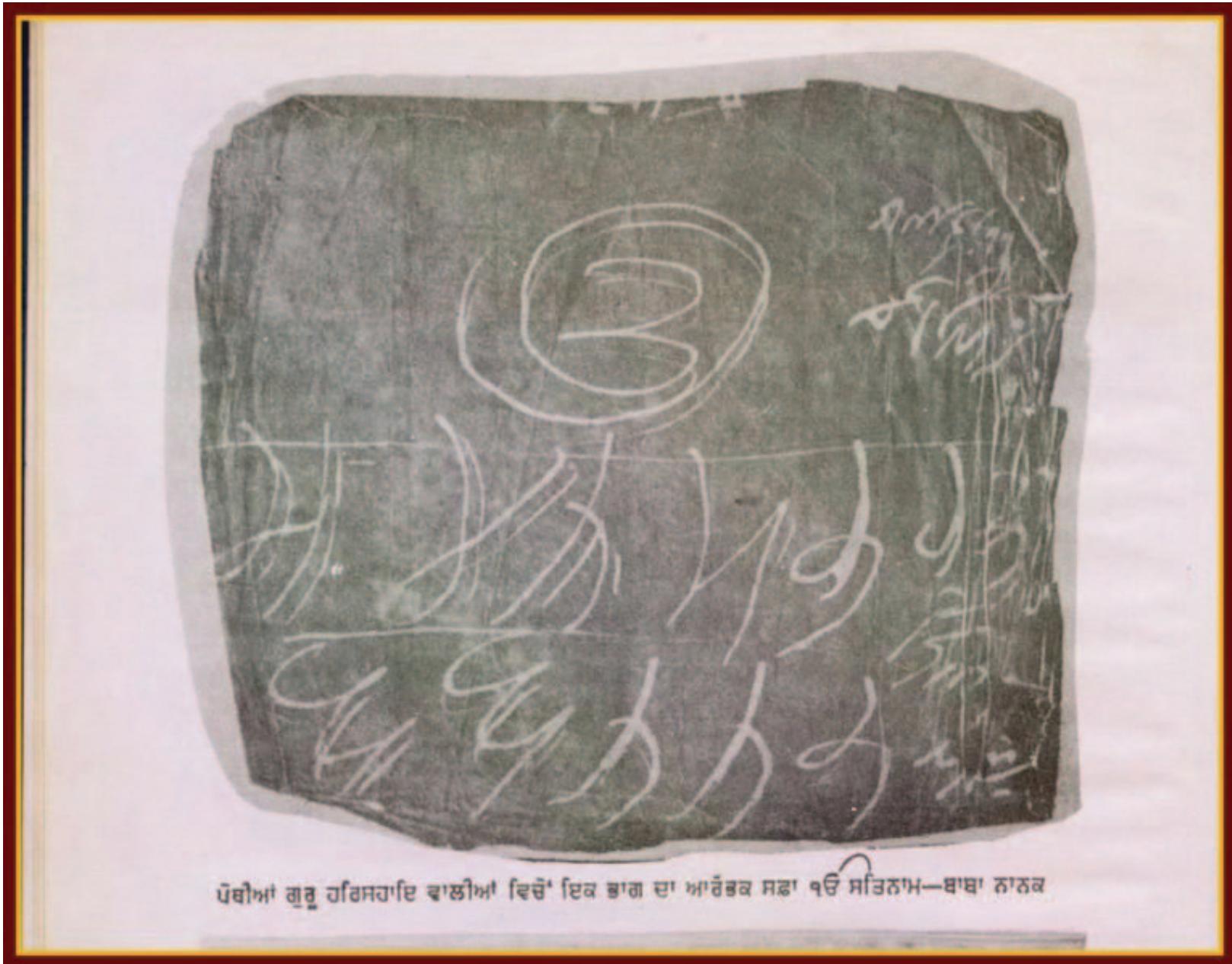
# The Medical Industrial Complex

## Physicians/Scientists



**Mathematical  
models of disease  
are not built to be  
reproduced or  
versioned by others**

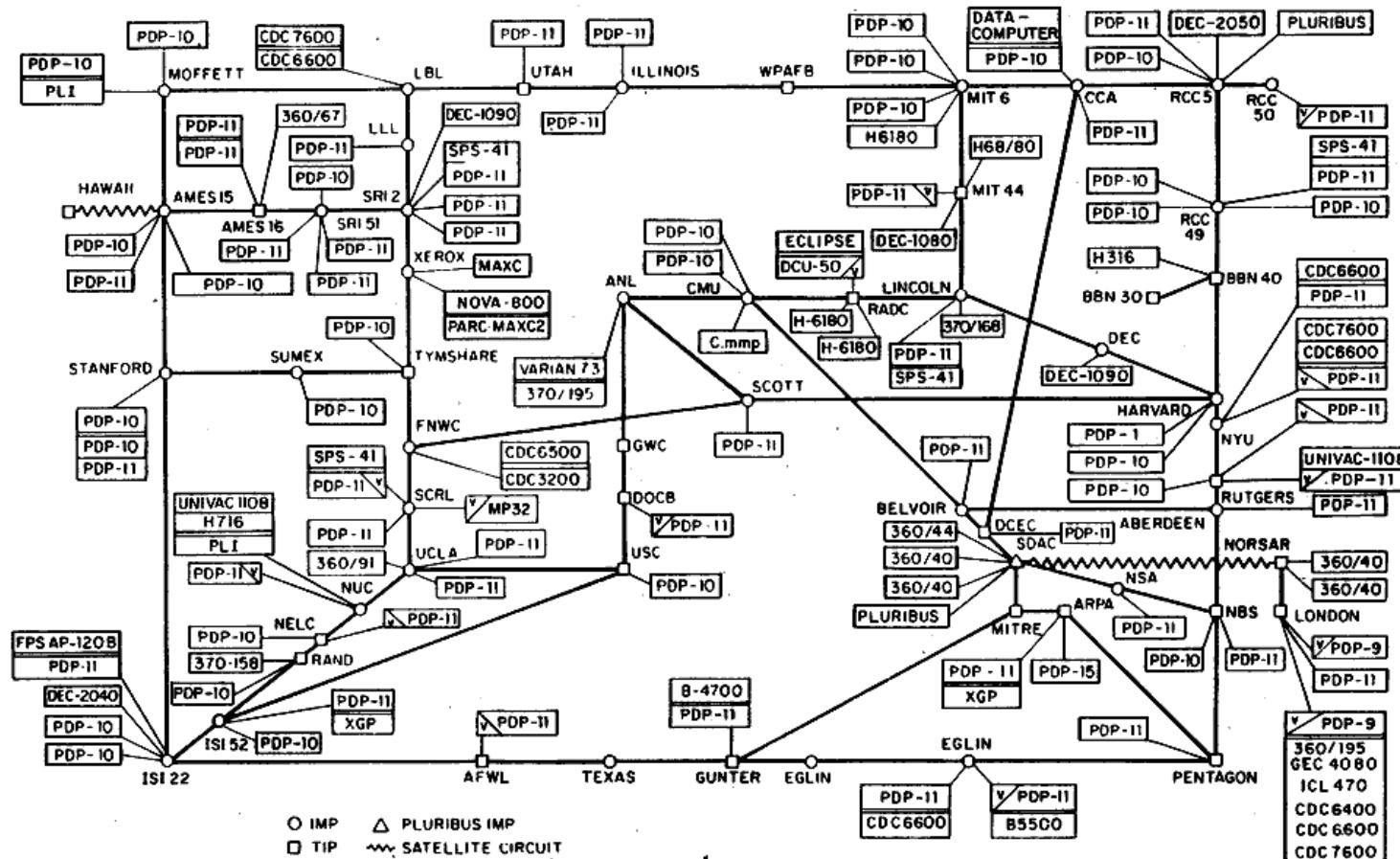




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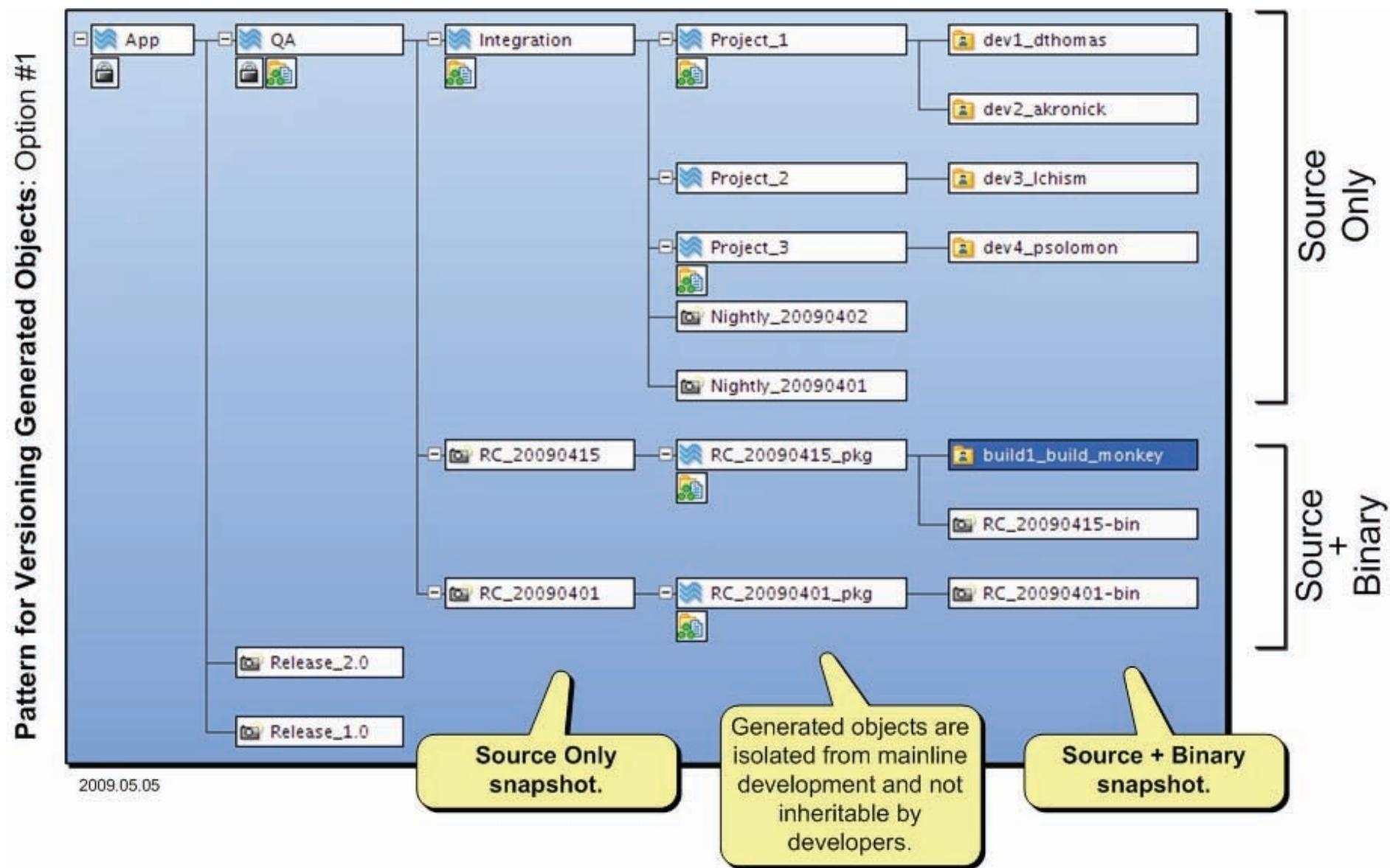
**Lack of standard forms for sharing data  
and lack of forms for future rights and consents**

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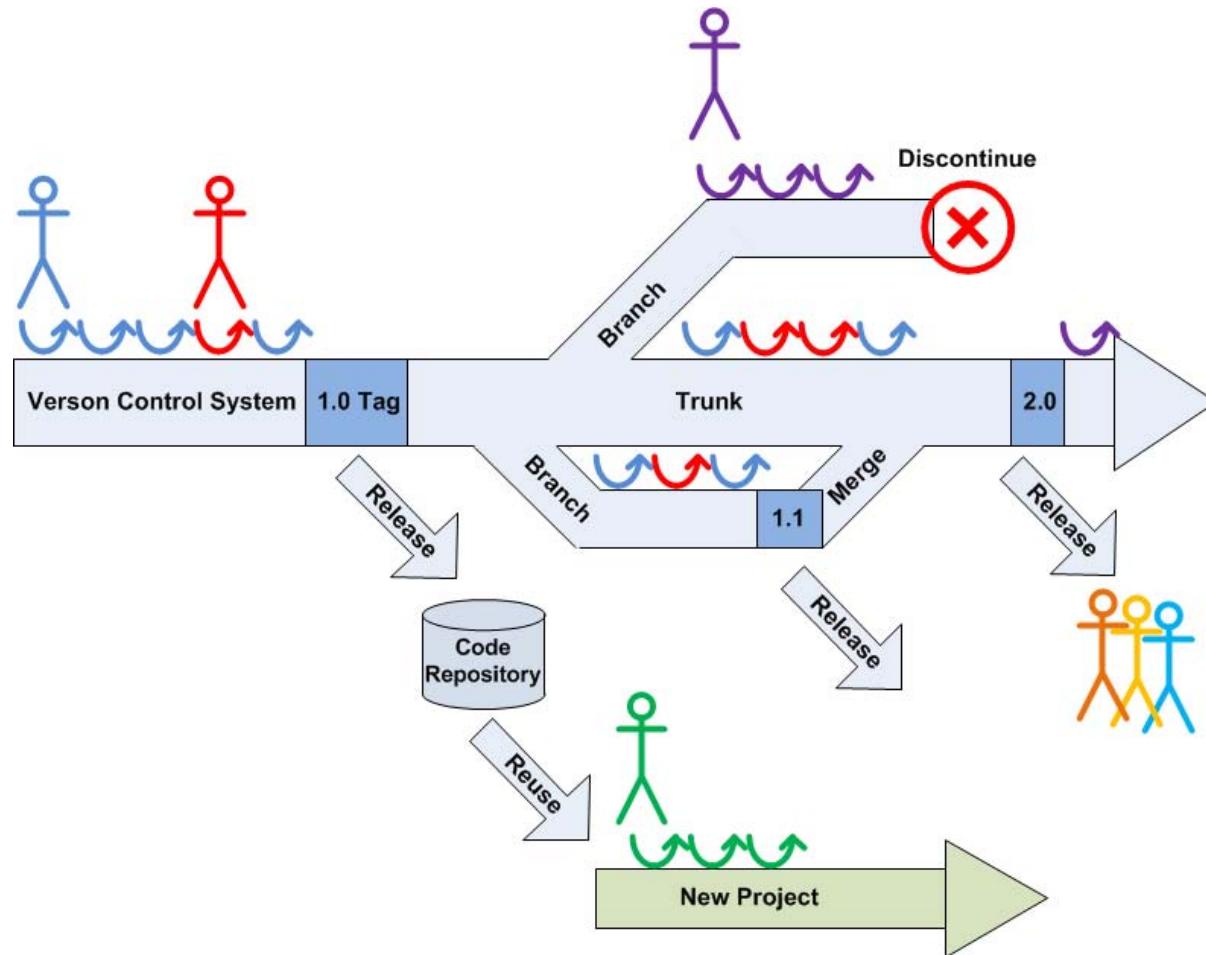


sharing as an adoption of common standards..  
 Clinical Genomics Privacy IP

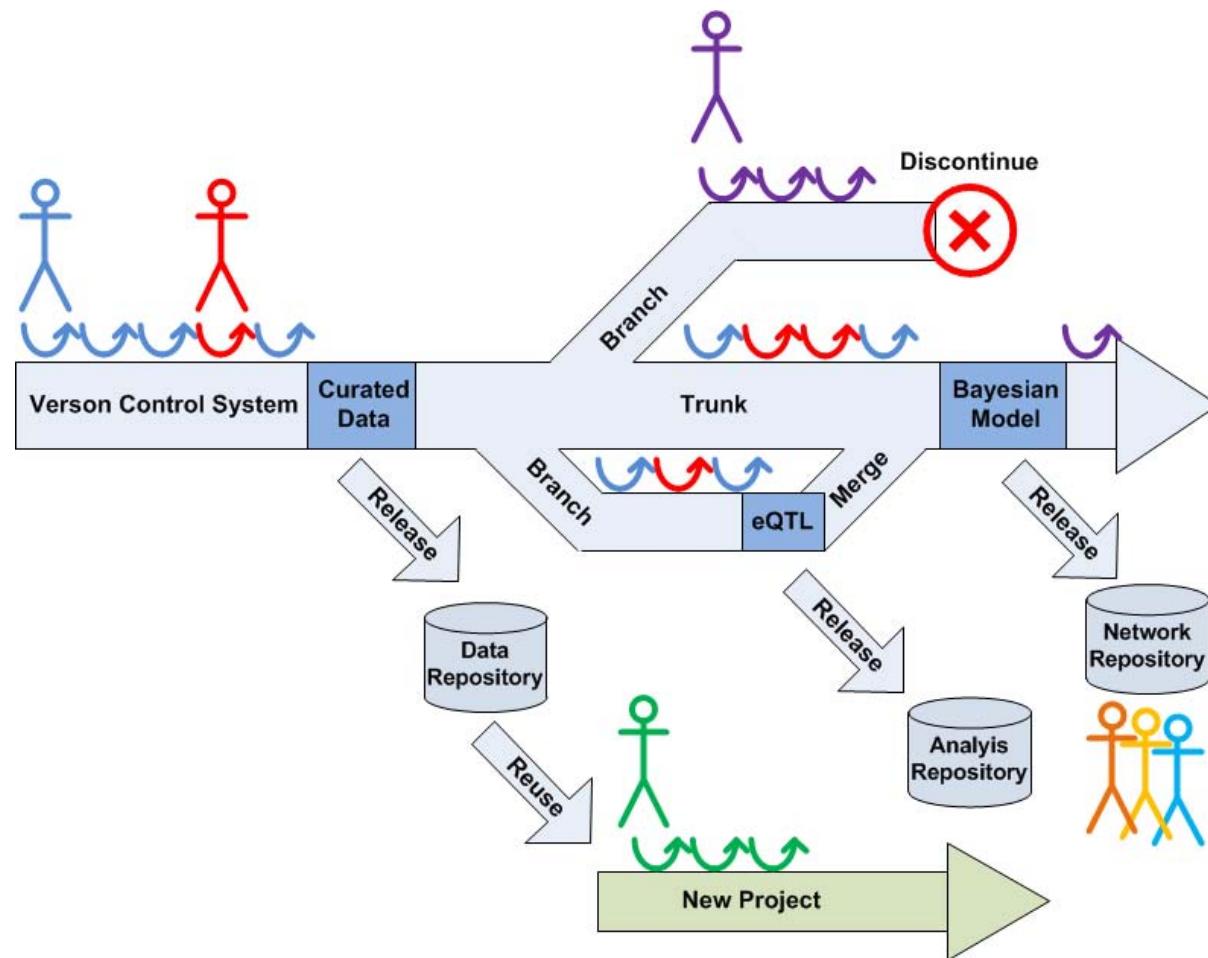
Why not share clinical /genomic data and model building in the ways currently used by the software industry  
(power of tracking workflows and versioning)



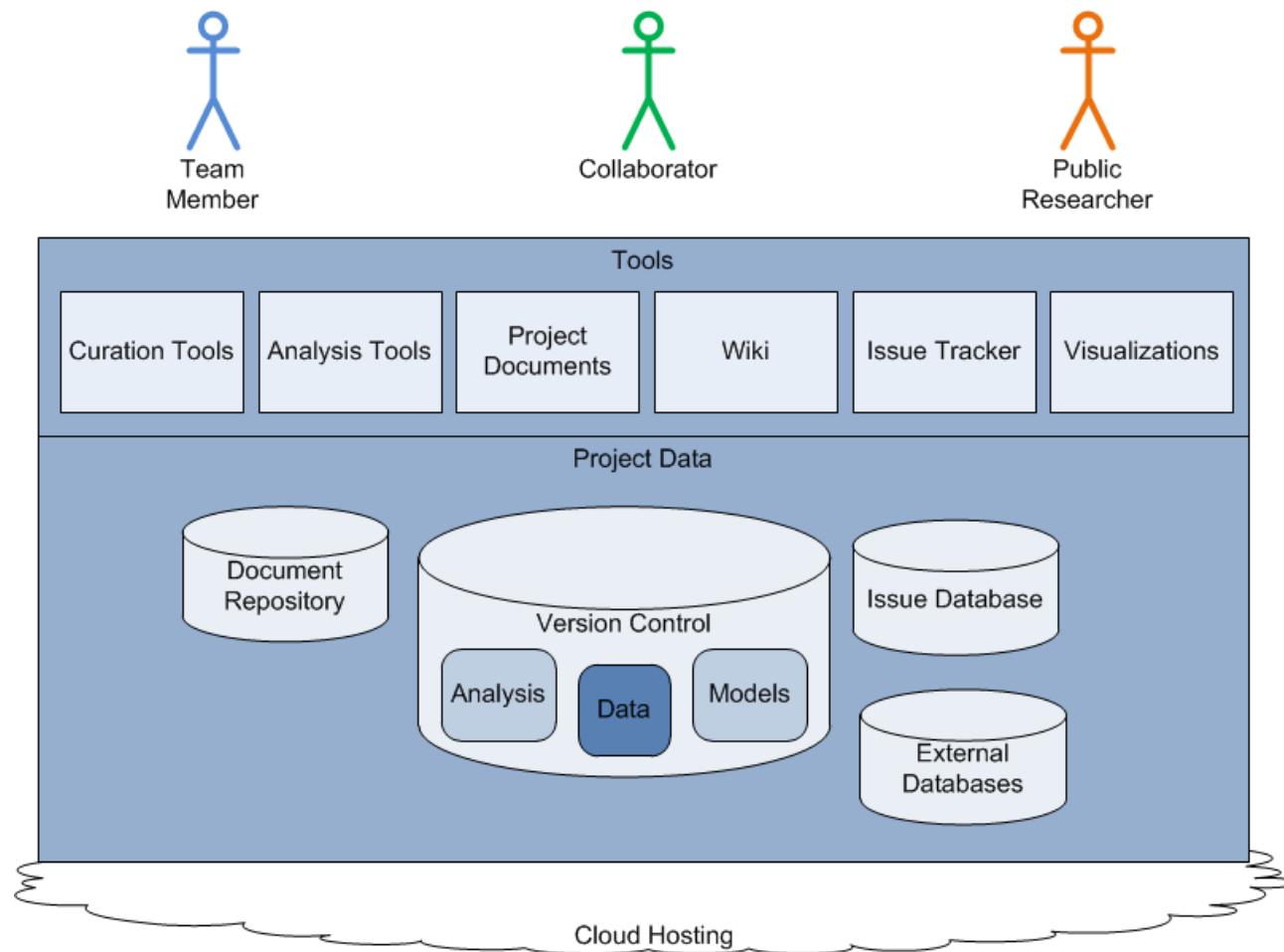
# Evolution of a Software Project



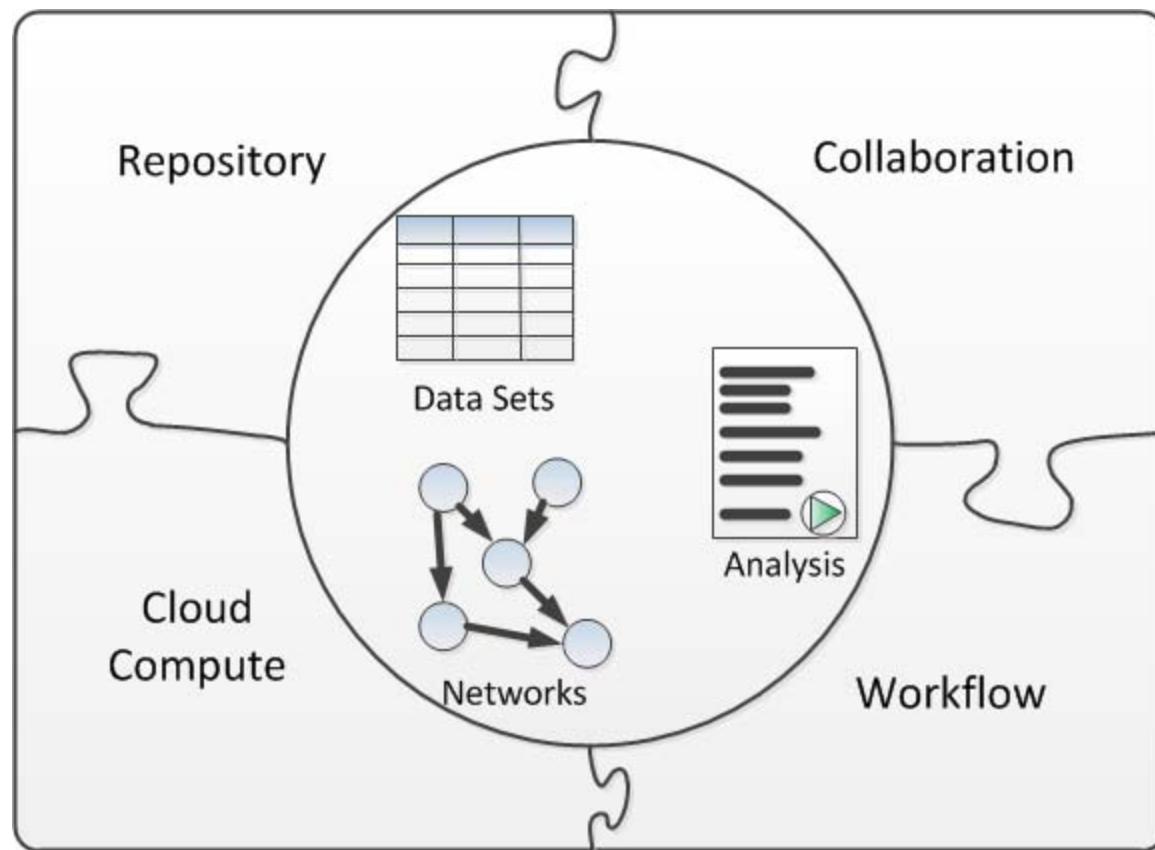
# Evolution of a Biology Project



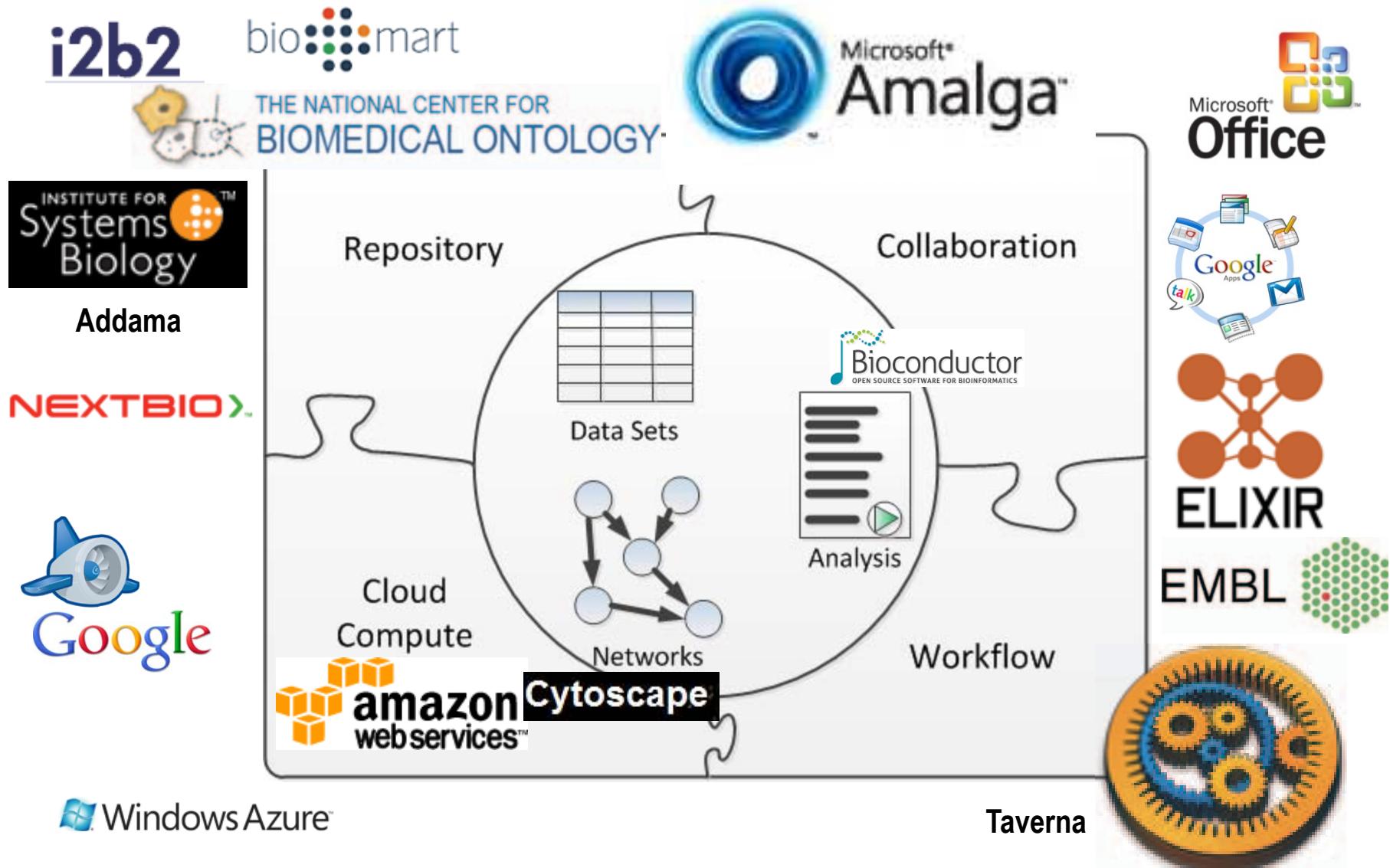
# Biology Tools Support Collaboration



# Platform Functional Areas



# Potential Supporting Technologies



# Sage Commons Congress

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## 2011 CONGRESS VENUE



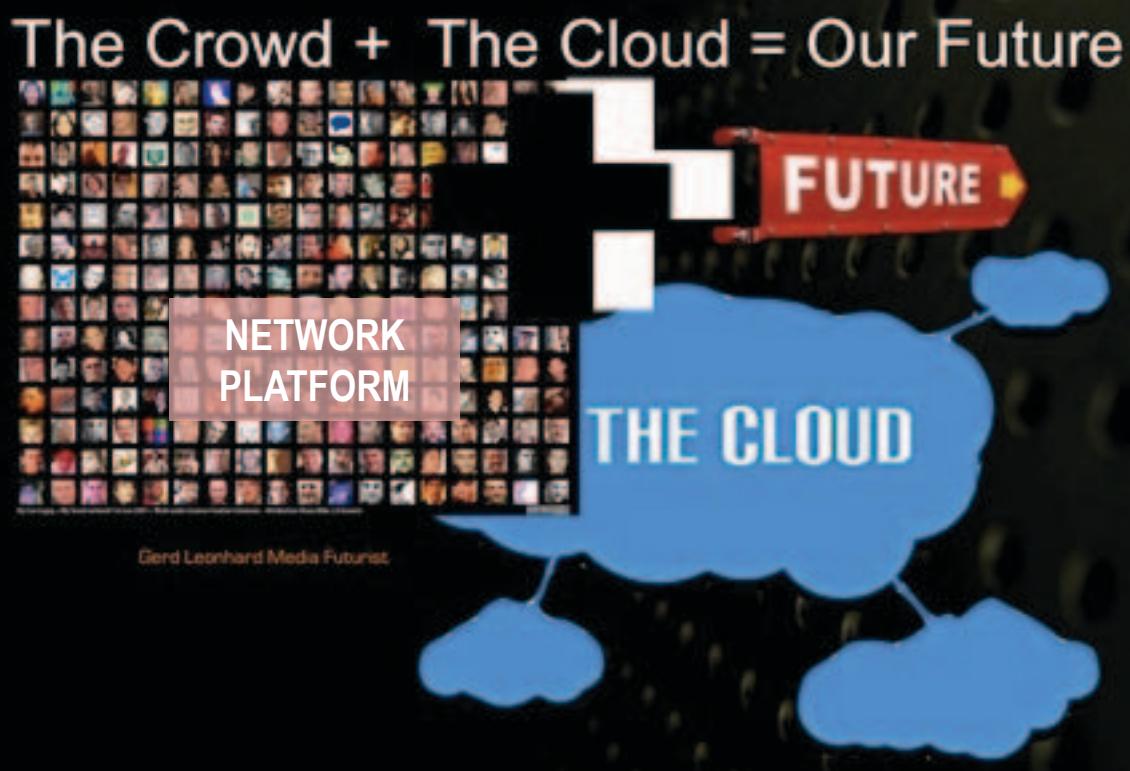
The 2011 Sage Bionetworks Commons Congress will be held at the Mission Bay Conference Center at UCSF an exciting new meeting and event destination centered in the University of California, San Francisco's new 43-acre life sciences campus for teaching and research. Located just south of downtown San Francisco, and convenient to Oakland and Berkeley, this stunning new building offers a world-class setting in the heart of Mission Bay.

April 15-16 this will be broadcast LIVE as completely oversubscribed

Google: Sage Commons Congress as time approaches

Who will build the datasets/ models capable of providing powerful safety and efficacy insights?

Institute  
PI  
Post  
Docs  
Grad  
Students



Patients Physicians Citizens Knowledge Experts

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