

Newsletter of The International Society for Biocuration.



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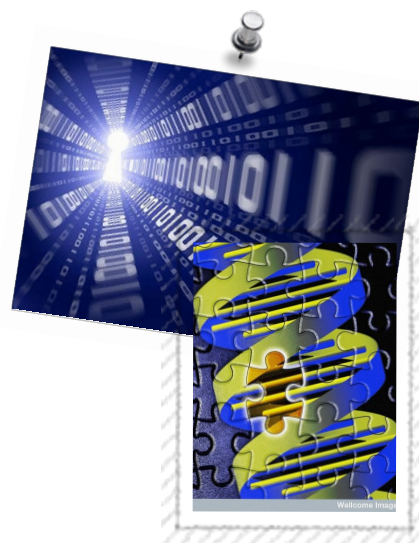
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Upcoming Meetings

- Please note these highlights at ISMB/ECCB 2011 in Vienna, Austria:
 - ☑ Visit the EBI booth at the ISMB meeting and meet members of the ISB executive committee. July 18, 2011
 - ☑ ISMB / BioDBCore workshop on Unifying Bio-Resource Descriptors. July 18th, 2:30 PM. <http://www.iscb.org/ismbeccb2011-program/workshops#w4>
- International Conference on Biomedical Ontology: ICBO 2011. July 26-30, 2011. <http://icbo.buffalo.edu>
- Workshop: Training Courses in Web Publishing. August 3rd - 4th, 2011. Scientific Data and Services in Vancouver, BC, Canada. It will provide both theory and practical skills in the semantic technologies that underpin the development of semantic web services. The training course will cover Semantic Web and DL Reasoning, and SADI Semantic Web Services. Early Registration open until July 15th, 2011. <http://tinyurl.com/web-publishing>
- Asia Pacific Bioinformatics Network's 10th InCoB - 1st ISCB Asia Joint Conference 2011 Nov 30-Dec 2, 2011. The main objective of the InCoB/ISCB-Asia Joint Conference 2011 is to provide a platform for experts and budding bioinformaticians to discuss and exchange ideas and thoughts on the development of bioinformatics in the Asia Pacific region. Includes a workshop on Biocuration. Plenary speakers at the InCoB/ISCB-Asia Joint Conference 2011 include ISB's Alex Bateman and Pascale Gaudet. <http://www.incob2011.org>.
- The Fifth International Biocuration Conference. April 2 - 4, 2012, Washington, D.C. Hosted by the Protein Information Resource (PIR).



ISB Membership

Renew your membership or join ISB!

Your participation allows ISB to continue to promote the field of biocuration to the wider scientific community. With your continued support, we are able to provide opportunities for biocurators to enhance their professional goals, improve their understanding of new methods, and discuss and exchange ideas at our workshops and conferences.



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☒ Two curators are needed in the UniProt group at the EBI. Details may be found at <http://www.ebi.ac.uk/Information/Staff/jobs/jobs.php>

☒ The Mount Sinai School of Medicine's Levy Library is seeking candidates for a Basic Sciences and Bioinformatics Librarian. Email cover letter and CV or detailed resume to Alan Krissoff at alan.krissoff@mssm.edu. More information can be found at <http://www.metro.org/en/jobs/v/96>.

☒ Scientific curator positions are available with Xenbase, at the Cincinnati Children's Research Foundation. Send your resume and cover letter to aaron.zorn@cchmc.org. Please reference "Xenbase Curator" in the subject line. Applications close August 30th, 2011. More information is available at <http://tinyurl.com/xenbase-job>

☒ Genentech Research Bioinformatics is seeking a biology student (senior, masters or PhD) with a working knowledge of molecular biology, medical terminology, and genetics for a part time biocuration position. The primary task is to provide annotation support to research scientists by using both in-house and public resources (EBI & NCBI) and our internal systems. The position also requires a working knowledge of excel and relational databases. For details about this position please email Jeff Milton at milton.jeff@gene.com or call 650-467-6500.

☒ The Health Care and Life Sciences (HCLS) at the Digital Enterprise Research Institute (DERI, <http://www.deri.ie/>) of the National University of Ireland, Galway invites applications for a Software Developer/Research Assistant (2 year post) for R&D in the area of Semantic Web in Life Sciences. Please send your application (CV, two letters of reference) in PDF format to Ronan Fox at ronan.fox@deri.org. More information can be found at <http://www.deri.ie/about/jobs>.

ISB EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETINGS

The ISB Executive Committee meets monthly. Minutes from the meetings can be found on the ISB website at <http://tinyurl.com/isb-minutes>

Please email us at intsocbio@gmail.com with announcements you would like to share with other ISB members. Comments and suggestions are encouraged!

Kind regards,
The ISB Executive Committee.

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