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Dr Bette Phimister Editor

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Nature Genetics covers important advances, publishing papers on...

• Studies addressing genetic mechanism in humans and model organisms

• Links between genetic variation and common diseases

Functional analysis of key human gene products

- Molecular pathology of human disease
 - Advances in cancer genetics
 - Strategies and techniques for analyzing the human genome
 - Comprehensive genome analysis
 - Imprinting and the regulation of gene expression
 - Advances in gene therapy
 - Plus much more

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PROVIDING EXCELLENCE

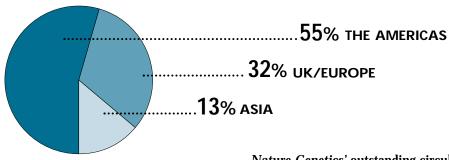
Nature Genetics focuses on advances relevant to human genetics. The range and scope of the material published offers readers a broad spectrum of the latest research findings and discoveries.

CIRCULATION

Nature Genetics continues to enjoy a rapid growth in circulation and has dramatically surpassed initial forecasts.

- Paid circulation is 7,755.
 - Active subscription promotion coupled with acceptance by the influential international scientific community assures continued growth throughout the year.
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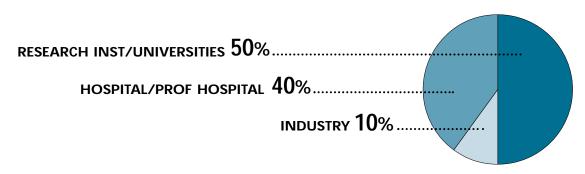




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Thousands of copies are distributed each month at the major conferences listed on the editorial calendar page.

PLACE OF WORK

























2001 EDITORIAL CALENDAR

	BONUS DISTRIBUTION	CONFERENCE		AD CLOSE	
JAN	Oncogenomics, Tucson, AZ, USA Lab Automation and Robotics, Palm Springs, CA, USA G2K, Marco Island, FL, USA Miami NBT Winter Symposium, Miami Beach, FL, USA 7th International Symposium on Hyphenated Techniques in Chromatography, Belgium Biovision, Lyon, France	DATES Jan. 25-27 Jan. 27 Feb. 3-6 Feb. 3-8 Feb. 6-8 Feb. 8-11	Nov. 29	Classified Dec. 1	
FEB	IPOT & MACHINE VISION, NEC, Birmingham AAAS - San Francisco, USA Bio Gen Tec Forum, Cologne, Germany PITTCON - New Orleans, USA	Feb. 14-15 Feb. 16-19 Feb. 28-Mar.1 Mar. 5-8			
MAR	APS - Seattle, WA, USA AACR - New Orleans, USA JSBBA Meeting, Kyoto, Japan Society of Toxicology, San Francisco, CA, USA Engineering Tissue Growth, Pittsburgh, PA, USA Japan Physics Society Meeting, Tokyo, Japan FASEB - Experimental Biology, Orlando, FL, USA ACS (Spring), San Diego, CA, USA International Conference on Proteomics, York, UK 16th National Meeting of the British Neuroscience Association, Harrogate, UK	Mar. 12-16 Mar. 24-28 Mar. 25-27 Mar. 26-28 Mar. 27-29 Mar. 27-30 Mar. 31-Apr. 4 Apr. 2-4 Apr. 8-11	Feb. 5	Feb. 7	
APR	The Biochemical Society, Bristol University, UK Materials Research Society Spring Meeting, San Francisco, CA, USA	Apr. 10-12 Apr. 16-20			
	The Laboratory Show, Olympia, London, UK 10th International Congress of Human Genetics - ESHG, Vienna, Austria American Society for Microbiology, Orlando, Florida, USA 48th American Society for Mass Spectrometry, Chicago, IL, USA French Societe des Neurosciences, Toulouse, France American Society of Gene Therapy, Seattle, WA, USA Tribranch / AALAS, Philadelphia, PA, USA	May 15-17 May 15-19 May 20-24 May 27-31 May 28-31 May 30-June 3 June 4-6	Apr. 3	Apr. 5	
JUN	17th Meeting of the European Society for Animal Cell Technology, Tylosand/Halmstad, Sweden EVCA, Rome, Italy 4th International Conf. on Microplate Technology, Lab Automation and Robotics, Basel, Switzerland 6th Meeting of the European Haematology Association, Frankfurt, Germany Bio 2001, San Diego, CA, USA 27th Meeting of the Federation of European Biochemical Societies, Lisbon, Portugal		May 4		
JUL		July 22-28	June 8	June 8	
AUG	Drug Discovery, Boston, MA, USA 6th International Conference of Neuroimmunology, Edinburgh, Scotland	Aug. 13-17			
SEP	39th Congress of the European Societies of Toxicology, Istanbul, Turkey BioMedical Science Congress, ICC, Birmingham, UK Japan Cancer Society Meeting, Yokohama, Japan Bringing Life Science Community Together, Lyon, France BIOTECHNICA, Hannover, Germany	Sept. 13-16 Sept. 25-27 Sept. 26-28 Sept. 28-29 Oct. 9-11	Aug. 9	Aug. 9	
ОСТ	NIH Research Festival, Bethesda, MD, USA Am. Society for Human Genetics, San Diego, CA, USA The European Cancer Conference, Lisbon, Portugal The Institute of Genome Research TIGR, San Diego, CA, USA Japan Biochemistry Society Meeting, Kyoto, Japan	Oct. 11-12 Oct. 12-16 Oct. 21-25 Oct. 25-28 Oct. 25-28	Sep. 7	Sep. 7	
NOV	MEDICA, Dusseldorf, Germany	Nov. 10-15 Nov. 21-24	Oct. 10	Oct. 10	
DEC	American Society for Cell Biology, Washington DC, USA Japan Molecular Biology Society Meeting, Yokohama, Japan Japan Immunology Society Meeting, Osaka, Japan	Dec. 8-12 Dec. 9-12 Dec. 9-12	Nov. 8	Nov. 8	























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Positive film, right reading, emulsion side down.

Screen: 54 lines/cm or 133 lines/inch Proofs: A cromalin proof is essential.

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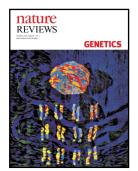
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Mark Patterson Editor

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PAID WORLDWIDE CIRCULATION FORECAST BY END OF 2001: 2,361

Nature Reviews Genetics
The scope of this journal includes (but is not limited to) the following areas:

- Genomics
- Functional Genomics
- Evolutionary Genomics
- Technology
- Multifactorial Genetics
- Disease
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