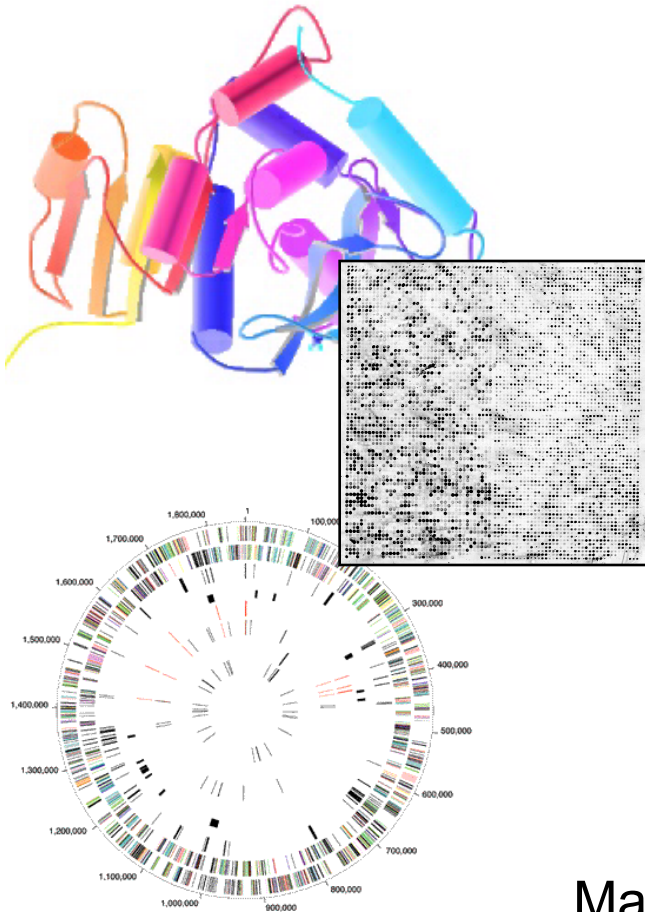


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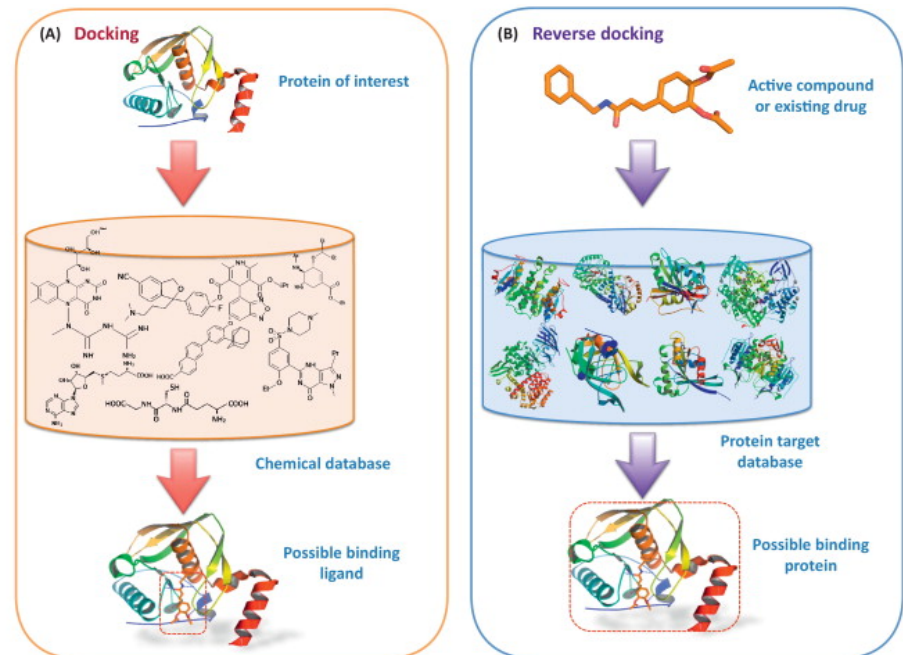
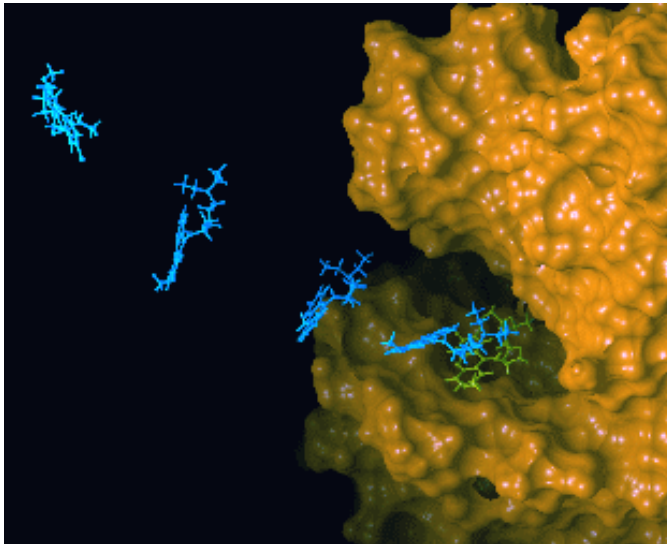
# Personal Genomes Intro.



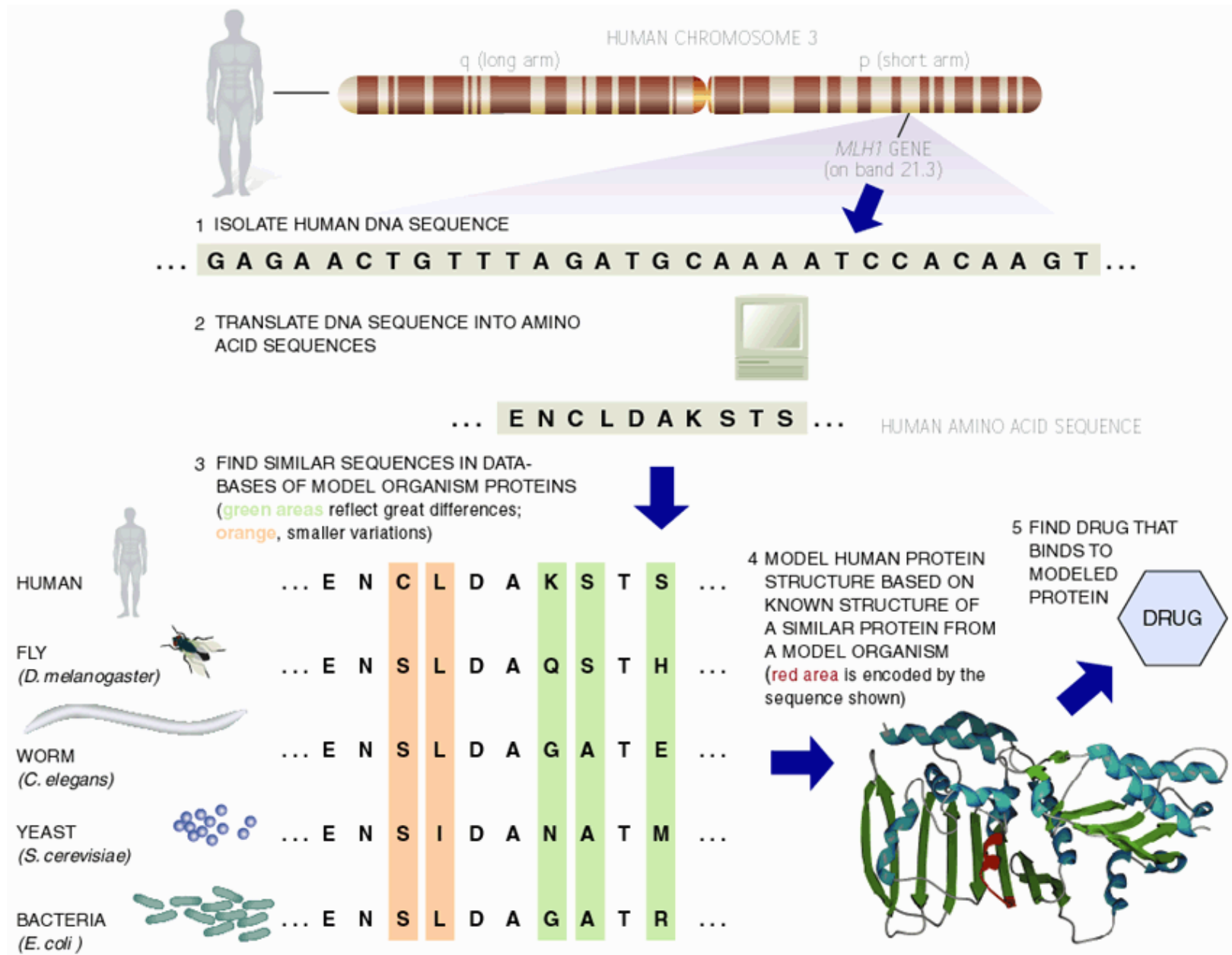
Mark Gerstein, Yale University  
[GersteinLab.org/courses/452](http://GersteinLab.org/courses/452)  
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# Major Application I: Designing Drugs from Structural Targets

- Understanding how structures bind other molecules
- Designing inhibitors using docking, structure modeling
- *In silico* screens of chemical and protein databases

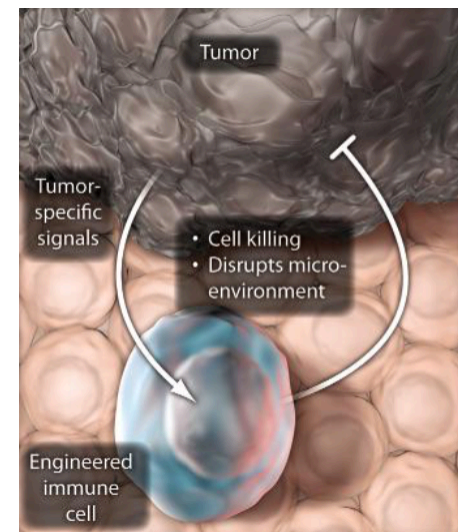
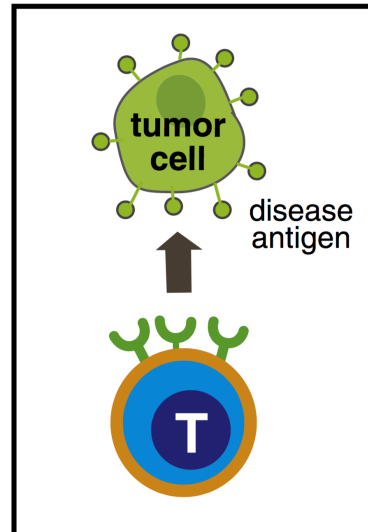
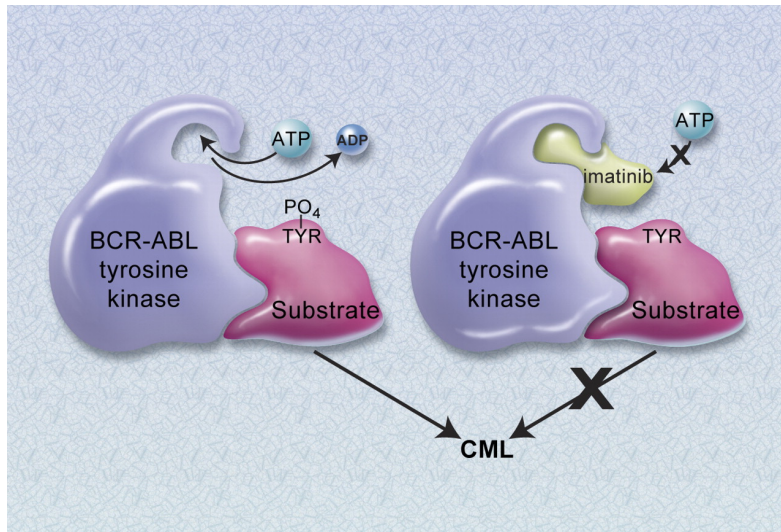


# Major Application II: Finding Homologs, to Find Experimentally Tractable Gene Targets



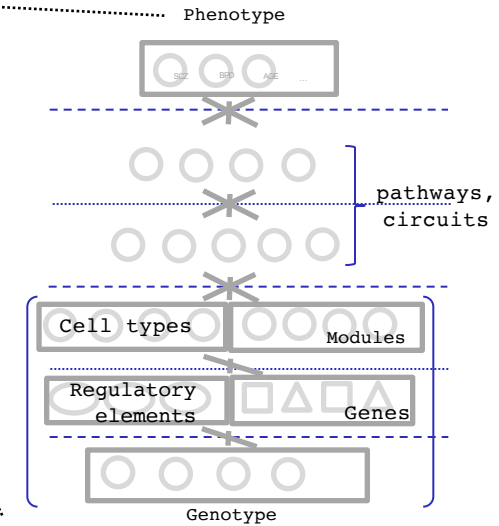
## Major Application III: Customizing treatment in oncology

- Identifying disease causing mutations in individual patients
- Designing targeted therapeutics
  - e.g. BCR-abl and Gleevec
  - Cancer immunotherapies targeting neoantigens



# Major Application IV: Finding molecular mechanisms & drug targets for diseases we know little about (Neuro-psychiatric Diseases)

Disease	Heritability*	Molecular <b>Mechanisms</b>
<b>Schizophrenia</b>	<b>81%</b>	-
<b>Bipolar disorder</b>	70%	-
<b>Alzheimer's disease</b>	58 - 79%	Apolipoprotein E (APOE), Tau
<b>Hypertension</b>	30%	Renin–angiotensin–aldosterone
<b>Heart disease</b>	34-53%	Atherosclerosis, VCAM-1
<b>Stroke</b>	32%	Reactive oxygen species (ROS), Ischemia
<b>Type-2 diabetes</b>	26%	Insulin resistance
<b>Breast Cancer</b>	25-56%	BRCA, PTEN



Many psychiatric conditions are highly heritable

Schizophrenia: up to 80%

But we don't understand basic molecular mechanisms underpinning this association  
(in contrast to many other diseases such as cancer & heart disease)

Moreover, current models substantially underestimate heritability using genetic data

Schizophrenia : ~25%

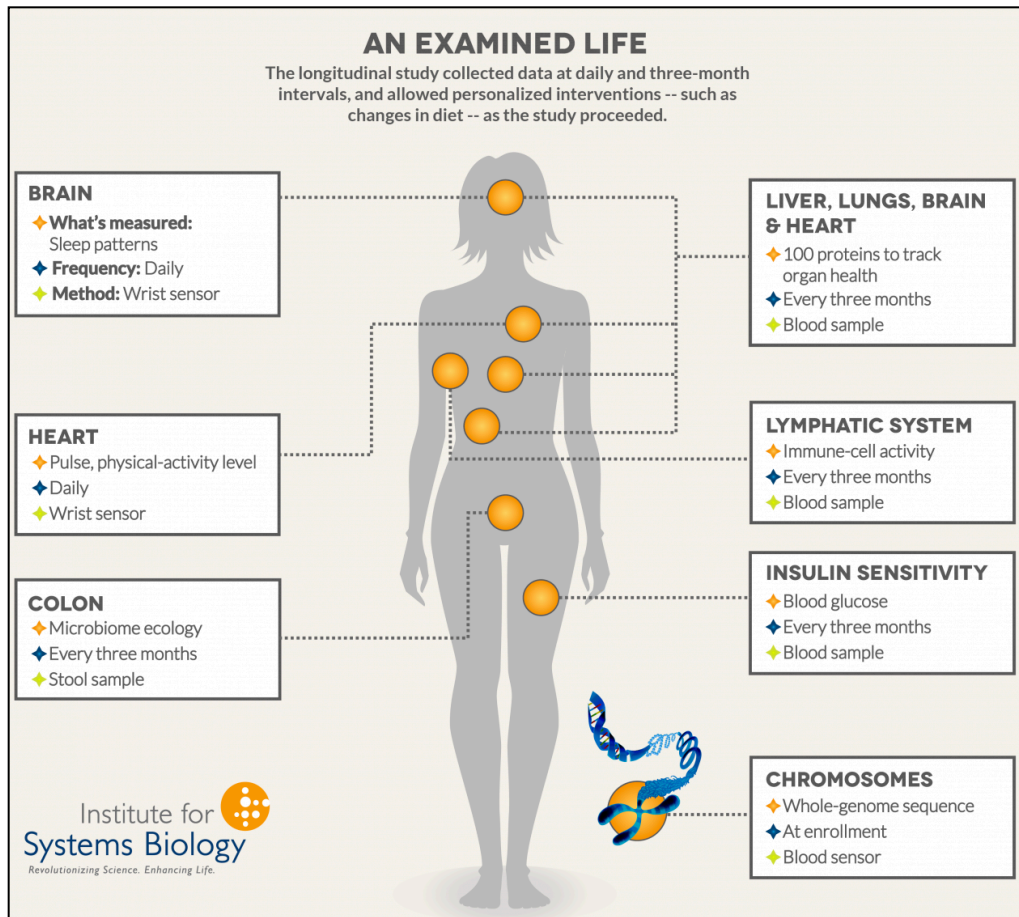
Thus, interested in developing predictive models of psychiatric traits which:

Use observations at intermediate (molecular levels) levels to inform latent structure.

Use the predictive features of these “molecular endo phenotypes” to begin to suggest actors involved in mechanism

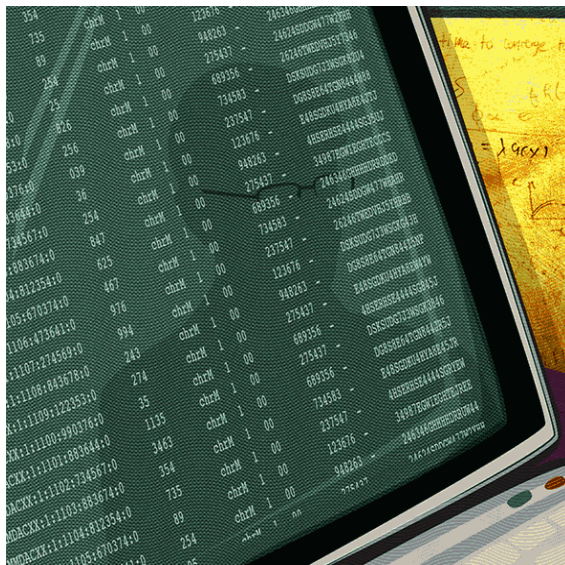
# Major Application V: Holistic Personal Genome Characterization, in Normal Individuals

- Mental disease & cancer are two extremes with respect to genomics (CEN, 92: 26)
  - Many other conditions in between, often involving interaction with the environment
- Pers. Genome Characterization
  - Identify mutations in personal genomes (SNPs, SVs, &c)
  - Estimate phenotypic (deleterious or protective) impact of variants.
  - Compare one person to wider population.
- Track changes over time & consider interaction w/ environment
  - Transcriptome studies
  - Longitudinal health studies (e.g. 100K wellness project, Framingham Heart Study)



# Analyzing Carl Zimmer's genome

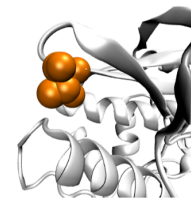
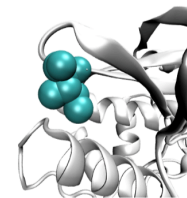
## CARL ZIMMER'S GAME OF GENOMES SEASON 1



SNV

AAGCT → ACGCT

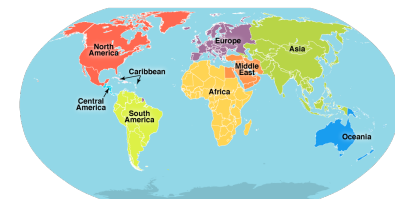
Protein  
Structure



Wild-type

Mutated

Ancestry



## Expanding personalized medicine beyond the genome.

- An integrated personal omics profile (iPOP) is an example of a more comprehensive version of personalized medicine.
- Michael Snyder had his genome sequenced and collected many other large scale datasets over an extended period of time.





# Integrated personal omics profile (iPOP)

- Numerous types of data were collected, primarily from blood samples. The datasets include:
  - Transcriptomic
  - Proteomic
  - Metabolomic
  - Cytokine profiling
  - Autoantibody profiling
  - Medical exams

