Time to Register for the iDEA Conference

Scientists from around the world will gather to discuss new visualization and algorithmic designs for next-generation sequencing and high-density array studies.

Celebrating Award-Winning Design Technologies

The iDEA Conference is the culmination of the iDEA Challenge, an international, multidisciplinary competition empowering the acceleration of analysis, visualization, and interpretation of data generated by Illumina technologies. More than 150 teams from 24 countries have registered for the iDEA Challenge. The winning visualization and algorithmic design technologies will be presented at the conference, which is open to everyone.

Bringing together academic and commercial researchers from around the world, the conference will focus on the latest advances to understand and decipher the vast amount of data produced by next-generation sequencing and high-density array studies. Highlighting the event will be the announcement of the iDEA Challenge Award winners chosen by a seven expert panel of judges, including Steven Jones (British Columbia Cancer Research Centre), Jared Maguire (Broad Institute), John Quackenbush (Dana-Farber Cancer Institute), Steven Salzberg (University of Maryland), Gavin Sherlock (Stanford University), Barbara Wold (Beckman Institute), and Bang Wong (Broad Institute).

iDEA Challenge 2011 Illumina's Data Excellence Award

The awards include:

Overall Academic Award -- wins a $50,000 grant awarded to their institution

Overall Commercial Award -- wins a one-year Illumina co-marketing package

Most Creative Algorithm and Most Creative Visualization Recognition Awards in Academic and Commercial fields

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June 14–15, 2011

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