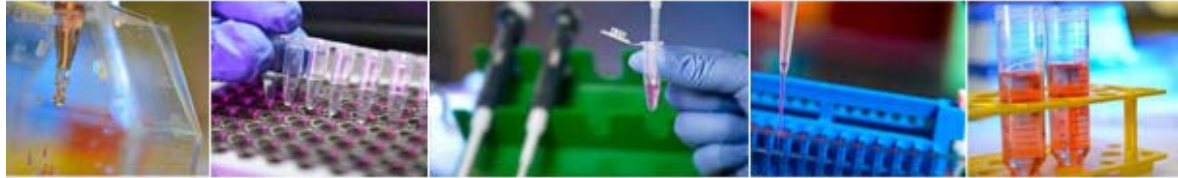




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### Dr. Wan heads Collaborative Core for Cancer Bioinformatics



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**Jun Wan**, PhD, is the new director of the [Collaborative Core for Cancer Bioinformatics](#), succeeding **Lang Li**, PhD.

The core is unique because it is available to members of both the IU Simon Cancer Center and Purdue University Center for Cancer Research. The bioinformatics services of the core mostly focus on, but are not limited to, next generation sequencing (NGS) analyses, including RNA-seq, ChIP-seq, ATAC-seq, Bisulfite-seq, and Whole Genome/Exome seq among others.

The core's goal is to integrate and accelerate cancer discovery, drug discovery, precision medicine and training through a joint bioinformatics/molecular genetics/genomics initiative that will enhance research capability and form the foundation for more rapid data generation, manuscript publication, and joint multi-investigator

grant applications.

Dr. Wan, assistant professor of medical and molecular genetics at IU School Medicine, is active in bioinformatics and computational biology. His research interest focuses on gene regulation from transcription to translation, especially effects of epigenetic modifications and genetic mutations on gene expression and networks.

Questions? Contact Dr. Wan at (317) 278-6445 or e-mail [junwan@iu.edu](mailto:junwan@iu.edu).

### **2016 IUSCC scientific report is online**

The 2016 IU Simon Cancer Center scientific report is now [online](#). The report features **Murray Korc**, MD, and the Pancreatic Cancer Signature Center and the work **Susan Rawl**, PhD, will be doing to compare interventions to increase colorectal cancer screening as well as stories about the next generation of personalized medicine and moving science from bench to



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