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Dear CBL Members,

Here are the updates for August...

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I have very happy news: Dr. Anthony Tung just got his promotion to associate professor. Big congratulations to Anthony.

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This month we say good bye to Zhang Wen, who has completed his attachment with A/P Wynne Hsu in CBL. But we welcome the following new PhD students and RA's to CBL:

Limsoon's students: Wang Yue, Fan Mengyuan, Lisa's students: Simi Varghese, Cai Wei, Nim Tri Heu, Ken's students: Chandana Tennakoon, WEI Xueliang, Thiagu's students: Gireedhar Venkatachalam, Shi Yuan, Anthony's student: Zheng Le.

I may have missed out some ... Let me know!

 $^{3/}$  Here are three CBL papers published in the last couple of months that just came to my attention:

X. Chen, H. Xu, P. Yuan, F. Fang, M. Huss, V. B. Vega, E. Wong, Y. L. Orlov, W. Zhang, J. Jiang, Y. H. Loh, H. C. Yeo, Z. X. Yeo, V. Narang, K. R. Govindarajan, B. Leong, A. Shahab, Y. Ruan, G. Bourque, W. K. Sung, N. D. Clarke, C. L. Wei, H. H. Ng. Integration of external signaling pathways with the core transcriptional network in embryonic stem cells. Cell, 133(6):1106--1117, June 2008.

Hon Nian Chua, Limsoon Wong. Increasing the Reliability of Protein Interactomes. Drug Discovery Today, 13(15/16):652--658, August 2008.

H. H. Do, K. P. Choi, F. P. Preparata, W. K. Sung, L. Zhang. Spectrum-based de novo repeat detection in genomic sequences. Journal of Computational Biology, 15(5):469-487, June

2008.

4/ We also gave the following invited lectures:

Difeng Dong, Guimei Liu, Limsoon Wong. Drug Pathway Decipherer and Some Exciting Results in Protein Complex Prediction. Invited talk at Symposium on Biomolecular Mechanism Discovery with Computational Biology, Biopolis, Singapore, 14 August 2008

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We did not host any seminar this month. But Thiagu has started a Systems Biology Club. The first meeting is this Thursday (today) at 5pm over at Temasek LIfesciences Lab. There will be two talks at the meeting. You are welcome to attend.

For more details, please visit
http://www.comp.nus.edu.sg/~cbl/events/SystBioClub\_08sep.pdf

Regards,

Limsoon

Ps. For those of you who missed the SOC 10th anniversary gala dinner, I enclose here a photo taken of us at the dinner.