# Reconstruction and Analysis of Transcriptional Regulatory Networks with TReNA 

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## Genes influence phenotypes through a network of

 networks

## Transcriptional Regulatory Network Analysis (TReNA)



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## Combining diverse annotations improves prediction of TF binding sites



TRUE/FALSE classes:
USFI DNase footprints with/without USFI ChIP-seq peaks

All USFI footprints:
79\% sensitivity
$31 \%$ specificity
USFI footprints with modeled probability > 50\%:
55\% sensitivity 70\% specificity

# CombiningTF binding sites and gene co-expression improves prediction of TFs' functional target genes 


shRNA-microarray profiling of 25 TFs in lymohoblasts

Expression patterns ofTFs accurately predict the expression patterns of thousands of genes in each tissue


Prediction of brain gene expression with fitTRN

## Genome-scale TRN model for the human brain

## Input data

- 4.6M predicted human brain TFBSs
- 2,756 gene expression profiles from the Allen Brain Atlas


## Summary Statistics

- 745 TFs
- 11,093 target genes
- 201,218 interactions
(Ament et al., in prep.)



## TReNA reveals master regulator TFs and regulatory genetic variants in psychiatric disorders

| Master Regulator TFs |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | BD | SCZ | MDD |
| sox9 |  |  |  |
| SOX2 |  |  |  |
| FOXJ1 |  |  |  |
| FOXO1 |  |  |  |
| PRRX1 |  |  |  |
| FOXN2 |  |  |  |
| HMBOX1 |  |  |  |
| TEAD1 |  |  |  |
| POU3F4 |  |  |  |
| RUNX1 |  |  |  |
| NPAS3 |  |  |  |
| IRF9 |  |  |  |
| SREBE1 |  |  |  |
| POU3F2 |  |  |  |
| PFATA |  |  |  |
| FOXO4 |  |  |  |
| FOXN3 |  |  |  |
| OTX1 |  |  |  |
| SMAD1 |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |
| p -value |  |  |  |
| $\square 1 \mathrm{e}-2$ |  |  |  |
| $\square 1 \mathrm{e}-6$ |  |  |  |
| $\square 1 \mathrm{e}-20$ |  |  |  |


rs 133842 I 9 allele and POU3F2 expression influence the activity of the VRK2 promoter


