Human Anatomical Structures, Cell Types and Biomarkers (ASCT+B) Tables

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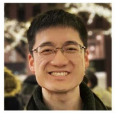

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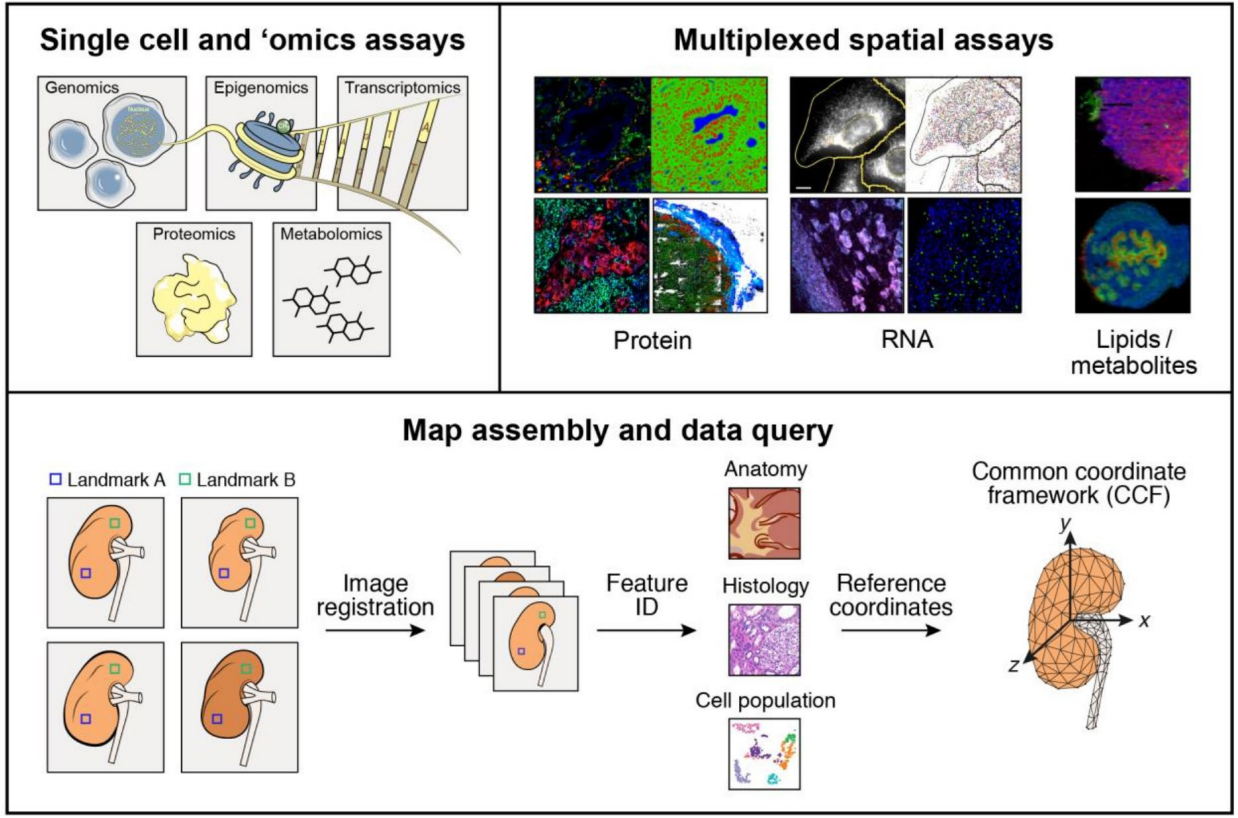

Fig. 3 | Map generation and assembly across cellular and spatial scales. HuBMAP aims to produce an atlas in which users can refer to a histological slide from a specific part of an organ and, in any given cell, understand its contents on multiple 'omic levels—genomic, epigenomic, transcriptomic, proteomic, and/or metabolomic. To achieve these ends, centres will apply a combination of imaging, 'omics and mass spectrometry techniques to specimens collected in a reproducible manner from specific sites in the body. These data will be then be integrated to arrive at a high-resolution, high-content three-dimensional map for any given tissue. To ensure inter-individual differences will not be confounded with collection heterogeneity, a robust CCF will be developed.

Toward a Human Reference Atlas

Much recent research and ontology & reference organ design, including

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Previous Metadata Call on CFF on 3/9/2020

The Common Coordinate Framework

Challenges toward building a common coordinate framework for the human respiratory system - Tommaso Biancalani

What is a CCF?

The Common Coordinate System (CCF) consists of ontologies and reference object libraries, computer software (e.g., user interfaces), and training materials that

- enable biomedical experts to semantically annotate tissue samples and to precisely describe their locations in the human body ("registration"),
- align multi-modal tissue data extracted from different individuals to a reference coordinate system ("mapping") and,
- provide tools for searching and browsing HuBMAP data at multiple levels, from the whole body down to single cells ("exploration").

See CCF Portal and SciTech Webinar from Oct 12, 2020 on YT.

https://hubmapconsortium.github.io/ccf/

The Human Body Atlas: High-Resolution, Functional Mapping of Voxel, Vector, and Meta Datasets

MC-IU team within the HuBMAP HIVE

The ultimate goal of the HIVE Mapping effort is to develop a common coordinate framework (CCF) for the healthy human body. This framework will support cataloging different types of individual cells, understanding the functions of and relationships between those cell types, and modeling their individual and collective function. During the initial two years of HuBMAP, the MC-IU team has built many elements of the CCF. We co-organized the design of ASCT+B Tables and implemented a CCF Ontology. We collaborated with NIAID at NIH on the design of a 3D Reference Object Library. Lastly, we developed two interactive user interfaces. The CCF Registration User Interface (RUI) supports tissue data registration. The CCF Exploration User Interface (EUI) supports exploration of semantically and spatially explicit data—from the whole body to the single cell level. For an introduction to HuBMAP goals, data, and code visit the Visible Human MOOC (VHMOOC).

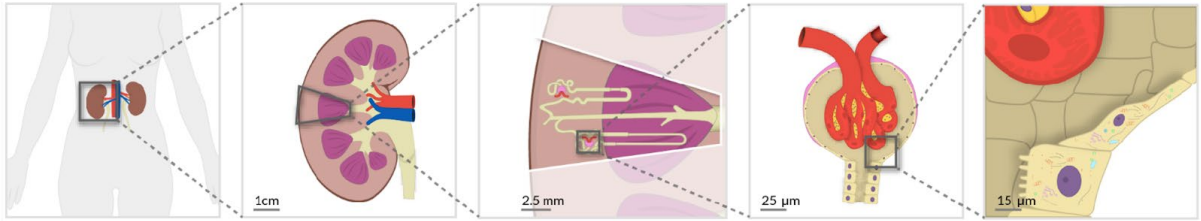
Data and Code Published with 1st HuBMAP Portal Release in August 2020

- CCF Anatomical Structures, Cell Types and Biomarkers (ASCT+B) Tables
- CCF Ontology
- CCF 3D Object Library
- Visible Human MOOC (VHMOOC)
- CCF Registration User Interface (RUI)
- CCF Exploration User Interface (EUI)

CCF Requirements

The CCF must capture major **anatomical structures, cell types, and biomarkers** and their interrelations across **multiple levels of resolution**.

It should be **semantically explicit** (using existing ontologies, e.g., Uberon, CL) and **spatially explicit** (e.g., using 3D reference organs for registration and exploration).



Body	Organ	Functional Tissue Unit	FTU Sub-structure(s)	Cellular
• Body • Kidney (Left, Right) • Aorta • Renal artery • Renal vein • Ureter	• Renal capsule • Renal pyramid • Renal cortex • Renal medulla • Renal calyx • Renal pelvis	• Nephron • Renal corpuscle • Proximal convoluted tubule • Loop of Henle • Distal convoluted tubule • Connecting tubule • Collecting duct	• Bowman's capsule • Glomerulus • Efferent arteriole • Afferent arteriole	• Parietal epithelial cell • Capillary endothelial cell • Mesangial cell • Podocyte

ASCT+B Table Construction

ASCT+B Tables

Anatomical Structures, Cell Types, and Biomarkers (ASCT+B) tables aim to capture the partonomy of anatomical structures, cell types, and major biomarkers (e.g., gene, protein, lipid or metabolic markers).

Structure/Region	Substructure/Subregion	Cell Type	Subset of Marker Genes
Renal Corpuscle	Bowman's Capsule	Parietal epithelial cell	*CRB2*, CLDN1**
	Glomerulus	Podocyte	*NPHS2*, PODXL*, NPHS1**
		Capillary Endothelial Cell	*EHD3*, EMCN*, HECW2*, FLT1*, AQP1**
		Mesangial Cell	*POSTN*, PIEZO2*, ROBO1*, ITGA8**

Partial ASCT Table from

- El-Achkar et al. A Multimodal and Integrated Approach to Interrogate Human Kidney Biopsies with Rigor and Reproducibility: The Kidney Precision Medicine Project. bioRxiv. 2019, Updated Aug 2020. doi:10.1101/828665

Table 3: Cell types and associated markers from KPMP Pilot 1 transcriptomic studies. Asterisk denotes genes detected by more than one technology. *Italics*, genes detected by a single technology.

Structure/Region	Sub structure/Sub region	Cell Type	Abbreviation	Subset of Marker Genes	Pertinent negatives/comments
Renal Corpuscle	Bowman's Capsule	Parietal epithelial cell	PEC	*CRB2*, CLDN1**	
	Glomerulus	Podocyte	POD	*NPHS2*, PODXL*, NPHS1**	
		Capillary Endothelial Cell	GC-EC	*EHD3*, EMCN*, HECW2*, FLT1*, AQP1**	
		Mesangial Cell	MC	*POSTN*, PIEZO2*, ROBO1*, ITGA8**	
Tubules	Proximal Tubule	Proximal Tubule Epithelial Cell (general)	PT	*CUBN*, LRP2*, SLC13A1*, ALDOB*, GATM**	
		Proximal Convoluted Tubule Epithelial Cell Segment 1	PT-S1	*SLC5A2*, SLC5A12**	There is overlap among the segments
		Proximal Tubule Epithelial Cell Segment 2	PT-S2	*SLC22A6**	
		Proximal Tubule Cell Epithelial Segment 3	PT-S3	*PDZK1IP1*, MT1G**	
	Loop of Henle, Thin Limb	Descending Thin Limb Cell (general)	DTL	*CRYAB*, VCAM1*, AQP1*, SPP1**	*CLDN10* low
		Ascending Thin Limb Cell (general)	ATL	*CRYAB*, TACSTD2*, CLDN3**	*AQP1* low to none
	Loop of Henle, Thick Limb	Thick Ascending Limb Cell (general)	TAL	*SLC12A1*, UMOD**	*SLC12A3* low to none
		Cortex-TAL cell	C-TAL	*SLC12A1*, UMOD**	
		Medulla-TAL cell	M-TAL	*SLC12A1*, UMOD**	
		TAL-Macula Densa cell	TAL-MD	*NOS1*, SLC12A1**	
	Distal Convolution	Distal Convoluted Tubule Cell (general)	DCT	*SLC12A3*, TRPM6**	
		DCT type 1 cell	DCT-1	*SLC12A3*, TRPM6*	*SLC8A1, HSD11B2* (low to none)
		DCT type 2 cell	DCT-2	*SLC12A3*, SLC8A1*, HSD11B2*	Has CNT and DCT signature
	Connecting Tubule	Connecting Tubule Cell (general)	CNT	*SLC8A1*, CALB1, TRPV5*	*SLC12A3* low to none. IC or PC without *SLC8A1* could be in the CNT structure
		CNT-Principal Cell	CNT-PC	*SLC8A1*, AQP2*, SCNN1G**	
		CNT-Intercalated Cell	CNT-IC	*SLC8A1*, CA2, ATP6VOD2**	
		CNT-IC-A cell	CNT-IC-A	*SLC8A1*, SLC4A1*, SLC26A7**	
		CNT-IC-B cell	CNT-IC-B	*SLC8A1*, SLC26A4*, SLC4A9**	
	Collecting Duct	Collecting duct (general) cell	CD	*GATA3**	*GATA3* may be in subpopulation of DCT, CNT and vSMC/P. SLC8A1, CALB1, TRPV5
		CD-PC (general)	CD-PC	*AQP2*, AQP3*, FXYD4*, SCNN1G*, GATA3**	
		C-CD-PC	C-CD-PC		
		M-CD-PC	M-CD-PC		
		Outer medulla-CD-PC	OM-CD-PC		
		Inner Medulla-CD cell	IM-CD	*AQP2*, SLC14A2*	
		Transitional PC-IC cell	tPC-IC	*FXYD4*, SLC4A9*/SLC26A7**	(low to none); Low to No *CALCA* and *KIT* in C-CD-IC-A. It may not be possible to assign IC or PC to CNT or CD structures without regional information of their source.
		CD-IC (general) cell	CD-IC	*CA2, ATP6VOD2**	
		CD-IC-A (general) cell	CD-IC-A	*SLC4A1, SLC26A7*, TMEM213**	
		C-CD-IC-A cell	C-CD-IC-A	*SLC26A7*, SLC4A1**	
		M-CD-IC-A cell	M-CD-IC-A	*SLC26A7*, SLC4A1, KIT*, CALCA*	
		CD-IC-B (general) cell	CD-IC-B	*SLC4A9*, SLC26A4**	
		C-CD-IC-B cell	C-CD-IC-B		
		M-CD-IC-B cell	M-CD-IC-B		
Vessels	Endothelial Cells (non-glomerular)	Endothelial Cell (general)	EC	*EMCN*, PECAM1*, FLT1**	
		EC-Afferent/Efferent Arteriole	EC-AEA	*SERPINE2*, TM4SF1**	likely *PALMD*
		EC-Peritubular capillaries	EC-PTC	*PLVAP**	
		EC-Descending Vasa Recta	EC-DVR	*TM4SF1*, PALMD*	
		EC-Ascending Vasa Recta	EC-AVR	*DNASEIL3**	low to none
		EC-Lymphatics	EC-LYM	*MMRN1*, PROX1*	
Structure/Region	**Sub structure/Sub region**	**Cell Type**	**Abbreviation**	**Subset of Marker Genes**	**Pertinent negatives/comments**
Interstitium	Stroma (non-glomerular)	Vascular Smooth Muscle/Pericyte (general)	vSMC/P	*TAGLN*, ACTA2*, MYH11*, NTRK3, MCAM*	
		vSMC/P-Renin	vSMC/P-REN	*REN*	
		Fibroblast	FIB	*DCN*, ZEB2, C7, LUM*	
	Immune	Macrophages-Resident	MAC-R	*CD163*, IL7R**	
		Macrophage	MAC	*S100A9*	
		Natural Killer Cell	NKC	*NKG7*	
		Dendritic Cell	DC	*APOE*	
		Monocyte	MON	*C1QA, HLA-DRA*	
		T lymphocyte (general)	T	*CD3*	
		T Cytotoxic	T-CYT	*GZMA*	
		B lymphocyte	B	*IGJ*	

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	HuBMAP	RBK	KPMP	SPARC	LungMAP	HTAN	HCA	GUDMAP	Gut Cell Atlas	BICCN	Allen Brain	TCGA	Wellcome	MRC	H2020	GTEx	Total
Kidney	1	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	1	0	1	9
Liver	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	3
Spleen	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	4
Heart	1	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	4
Lung	1	0	0	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	1	1	10
L intestine/Colon	1	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	7
S intestine	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2
Bladder	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	5
Ureters	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Thymus	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	2
Lymph nodes	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
mediastinal lymph node	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Eye	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	3
Brain	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	1	1	6
Brain stem	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Cerebellum	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	3
Spinal cord	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Pancreas	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	1	5
Breast	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	1	5
Skin	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	3
Pediatric systems	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	2
Ovaries	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	2
Testes	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	2
Cervix	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1
Uterus	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	1	1	5
Blood	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	2
Bone	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Placenta	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Decidua	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Embryo	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
esophagus	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	3
hematopoietic system	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	2
immune system bulk	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Stomach	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	3
Thyroid	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	2
Prostate	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	3
Adrenal gland	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	1	3
Totals	11	1	1	7	1	6	21	4	1	2	2	20	7	5	4	21	114

SOP for ASCT+B Tables

ASCT+B for 10 organs on 9/14/2020, 9:45am:

Organ Name	#AS	#CT	#B	#AS-CT	#CT-B
Brain	21	127	254	127	346
Heart	23	16	35	73	42
Kidney	39	53	83	55	135
Large Intestine	22	33	45	306	72
Liver	16	27	34	29	35
Lung	18	62	103	110	128
Lymph Nodes	34	30	50	63	110
Skin	14	32	57	37	99
Small intestine	20	32	48	196	57
Spleen	33	26	46	48	72

https://hubmapconsortium.github.io/ccf/pages/ccf-anatomical-structures.html

SOP for Construction, Review, Revision of Anatomical Structure and Cell Types and Biomarker (ASCT+B) Tables

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Introduction

Anatomical Structures, Cell Types, plus Biomarkers (ASCT+B) tables aim to capture the nested *part_of* structure of anatomical human body parts, the typology of cells, and biomarkers used to identify cell types (e.g., gene, protein, lipid or metabolic markers). The tables are authored and reviewed by an international team of anatomists, pathologists, physicians, and other experts.

Identification of Subject Matter Experts (SMEs)

- CCF Experts (cross-consortium team lead by MC-IU) invite leading organ experts to contribute to the design of ASCT+B tables.
- Leading organ experts submit information on their expertise and credentials via this online form.
- CCF Experts approve 3-5 experts per organ and give them access to the ASCT+B table forms so they can author and review the forms.

Construction by Subject Matter Experts (SMEs)

- MC-IU provide pre-populated initial ASCT+B table with UBERON and CL ontology IDs.
- A first set of organ experts authors the tables and indicates author contributions.
- Authors use the ASCT+B Reporter to identify/resolve naming and interlinkage issues.
- Completed tables are submitted to the CCF Experts for review.

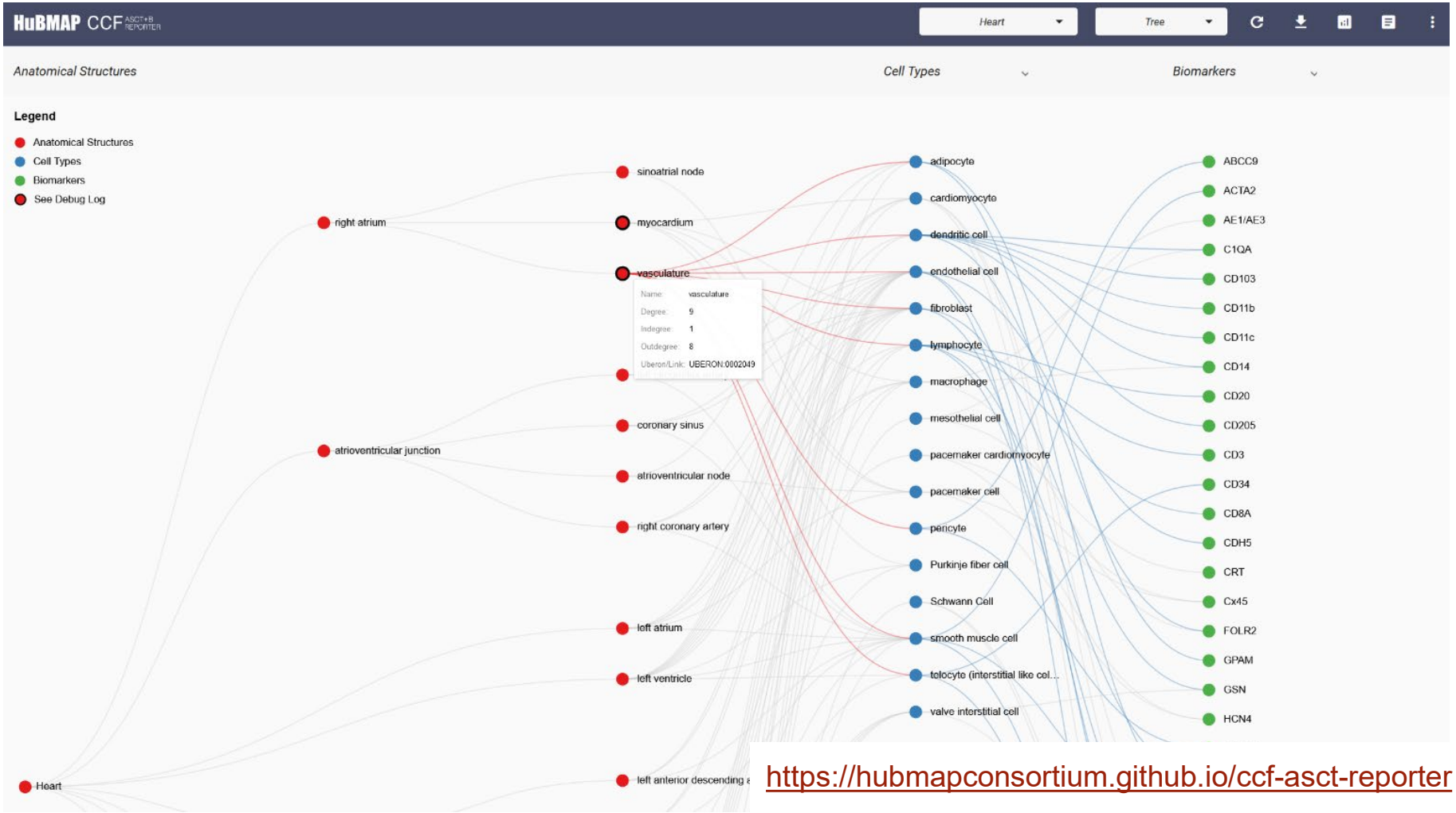
Review by Subject Matter Experts (SMEs)

- The beginning of each month, all tables ready for review are submitted by CCF Experts to a second set of organ experts for review.
- Review criteria include: scientific rigor (citation of publications, data), coverage and quality of the ASCT+B tables.
- Review results comprise detailed comments together with a rating (accepted, accepted with minor or major revisions, rejected) and are shared back with the author team.

Review by CCF Experts

The begin of each month, all tables ready for review are cross-checked against

1. existing ontologies, e.g., UBERON, CL, to identify any terms that might be missing or that might have different spelling. The goal is to arrive at ASCT+B tables that are in close alignment with existing ontologies so only few changes need to be requested from ontology owners.



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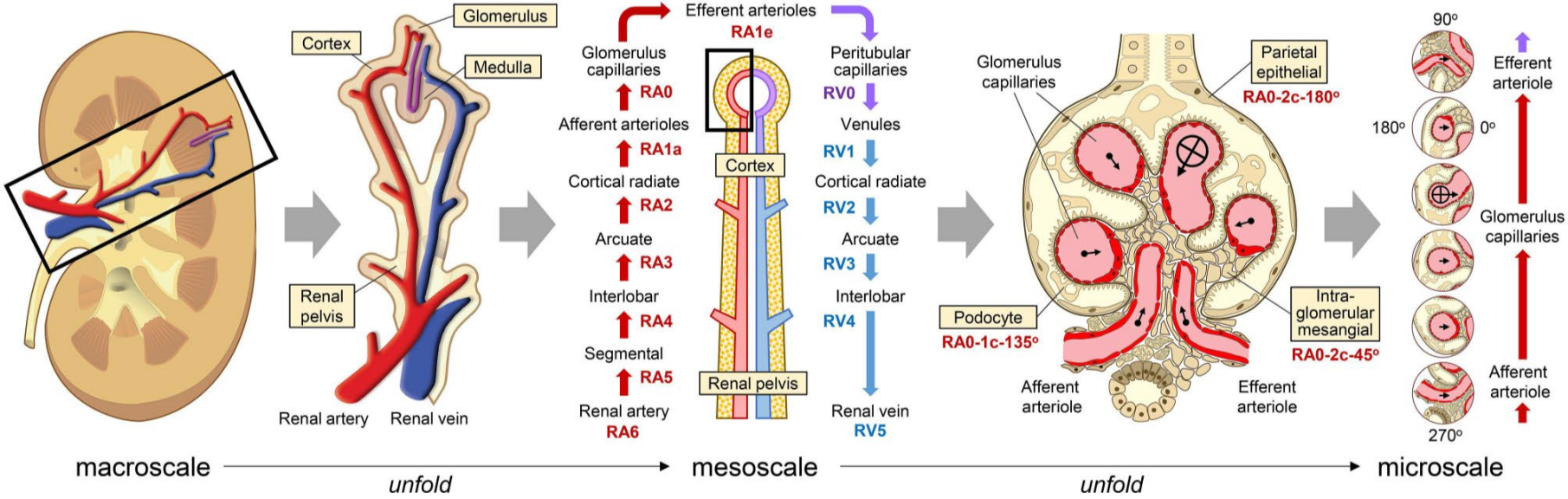
Capturing vasculature details from macro to micro scale is critically important for a vasculature based CCF



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Example: Converting tables into machine readable formats – Kidney vasculature

Vasculature	renal atery [L/R]				Endothelial Cell (general)	EC	*EMCN*, PECAM1*, FLT1**
		segmental arteries [superior, inferior, anterior, posterior]					
		interlobar aterties					
		arcuate aterties					
		cortical radiate ateries {cortex}	afferent arterioles {nephron}		EC-Afferent/Efferent Arteriole	EC-AEA	*SERPINE2*, TM4SF1**
				glomerulus capillaries {glomerulus}	Capillary Endothelial Cell	GC-EC	*EHD3*, EMCN*, HECW2*, FLT1*, AQP1**
			efferent arterioles {nephron}		EC-Afferent/Efferent Arteriole	EC-AEA	*SERPINE2*, TM4SF1**
				peritubular capillaries	EC-Peritubular capillaries	EC-PTC	*PLVAP**
				descending vasa recta	EC-Descending Vasa Recta	EC-DVR	*TM4SF1*, PALMD*
				ascending vasa recta	EC-Ascending Vasa Recta	EC-AVR	*DNASEIL3**
	renal vein [L/R]	cortical radiate veins {cortex}	venules		Endothelial Cell (general)	EC	*EMCN*, PECAM1*, FLT1**
		arcuate veins					
		interlobar veins					

Vasculature	renal artery [L/R]				Endothelial Cell (general)	EC	EMCN*, PECAM1*, FLT1*
Vasculature	renal artery [L/R]	segmental arteries [superior, inferior, anterior, posterior]			Endothelial Cell (general)	EC	EMCN*, PECAM1*, FLT1*
Vasculature	renal artery [L/R]	interlobar arterties			Endothelial Cell (general)	EC	EMCN*, PECAM1*, FLT1*
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Vasculature	renal artery [L/R]	cortical radiate arteries {cortex}	afferent arterioles {nephron}		EC-Afferent/Efferent Arteriole	EC-AEA	SERPINE2*, TM4SF1*
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ASCT+B Table Working Group

Lead by Katy Börner and Jim Gee; Ellen M Quardokus serves as Knowledge Manager

Meetings take place monthly to review and approve tables, formalize and unify table design language, discuss and expand table usage, see WG Charter.

Next meetings: Dec 3, 1:30p EST. **In 2021:** Jan 6, Feb 3, March 3, 11a-noon ET.
Please register to receive invites and updates.

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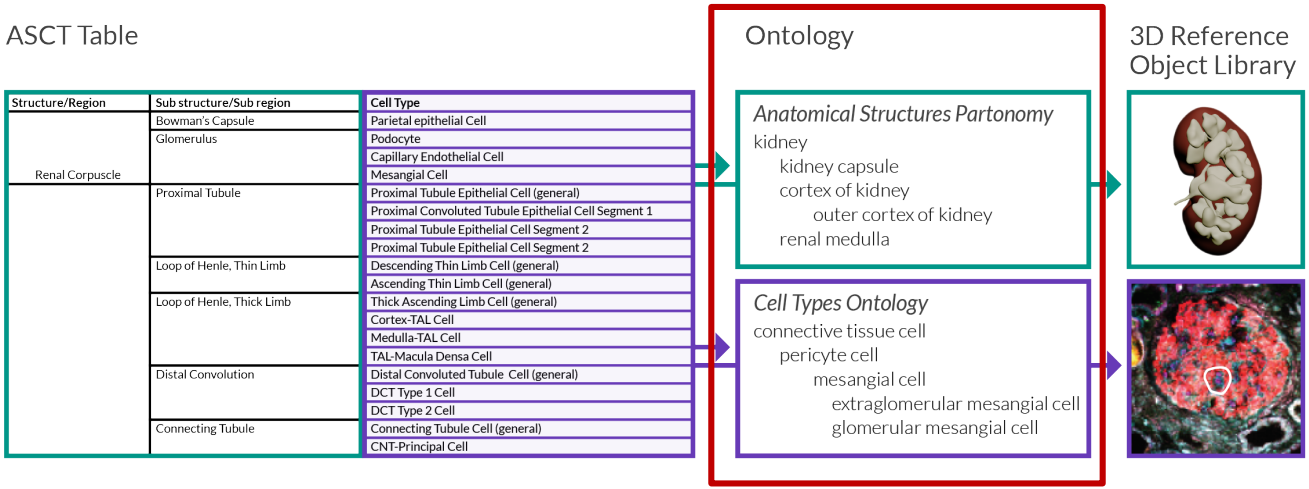

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CCF Ontology v1.5.0

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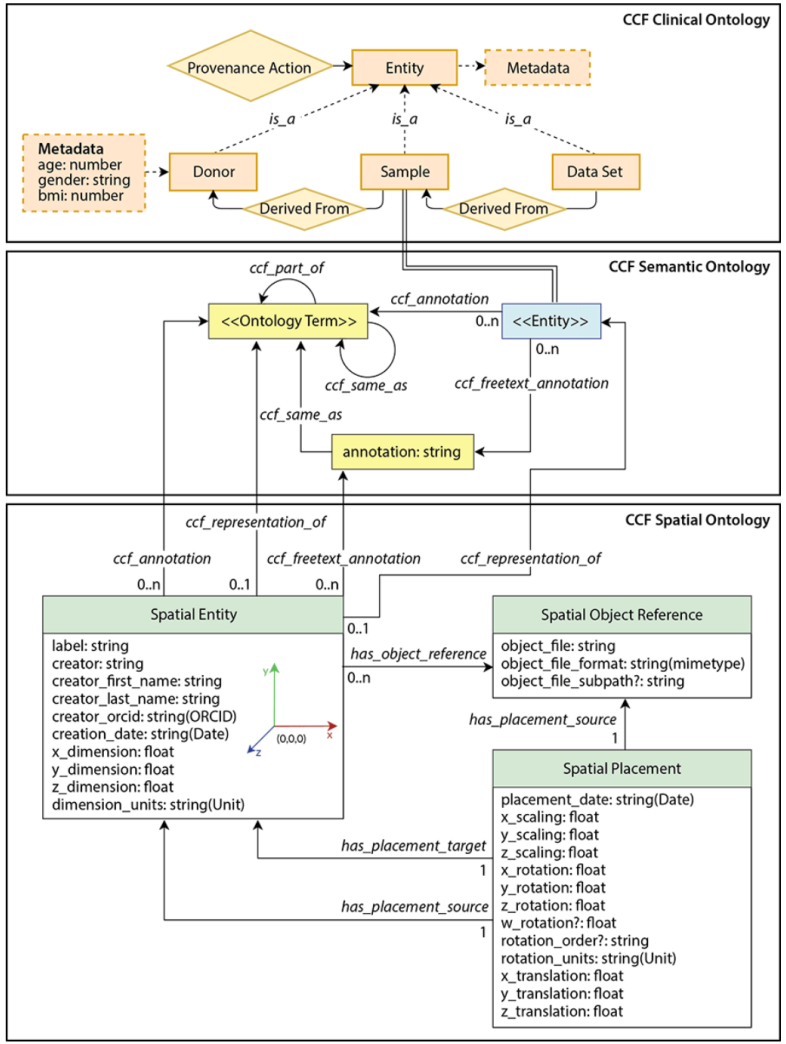

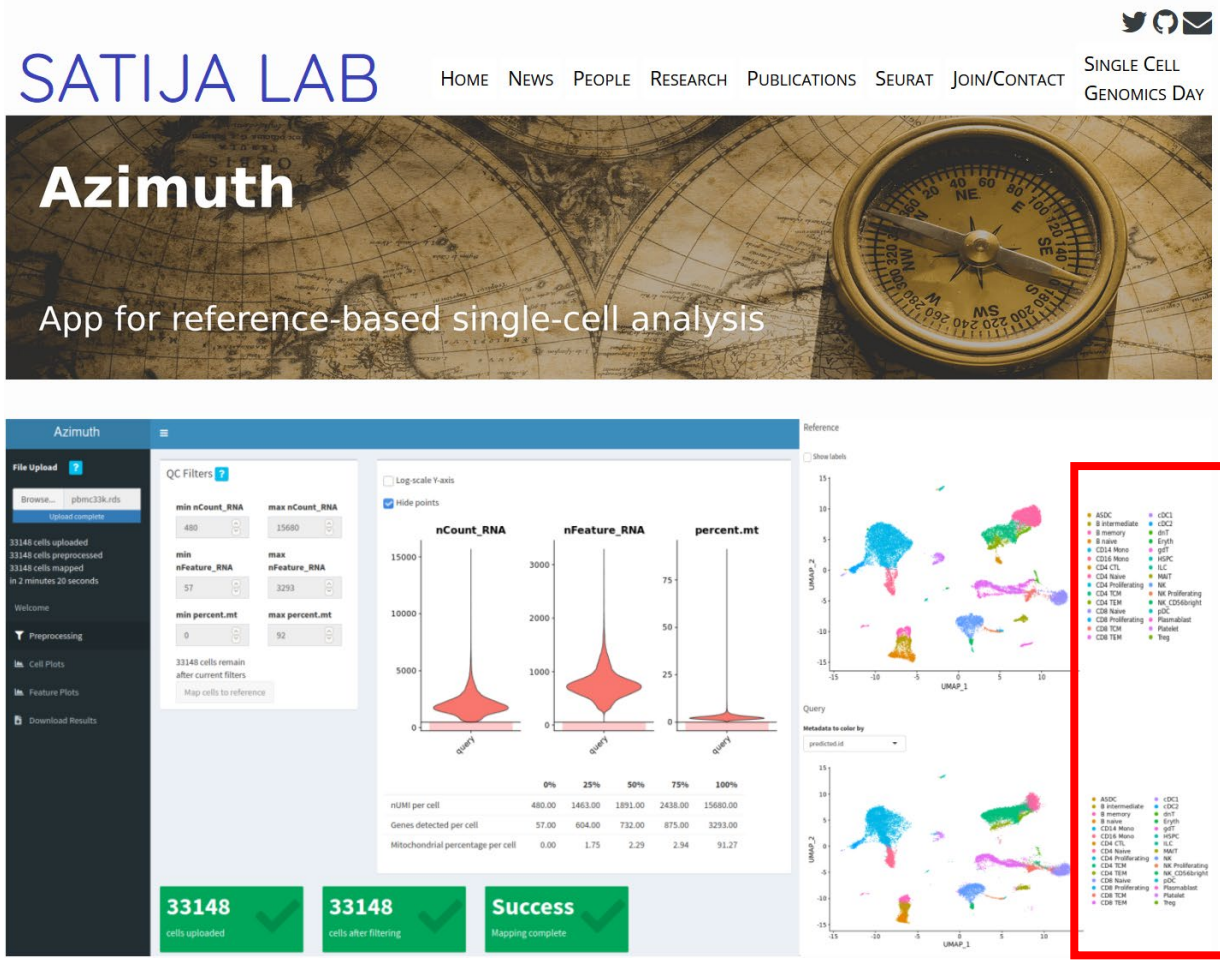

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CT terms from ASCT+B linked to Cell Ontology

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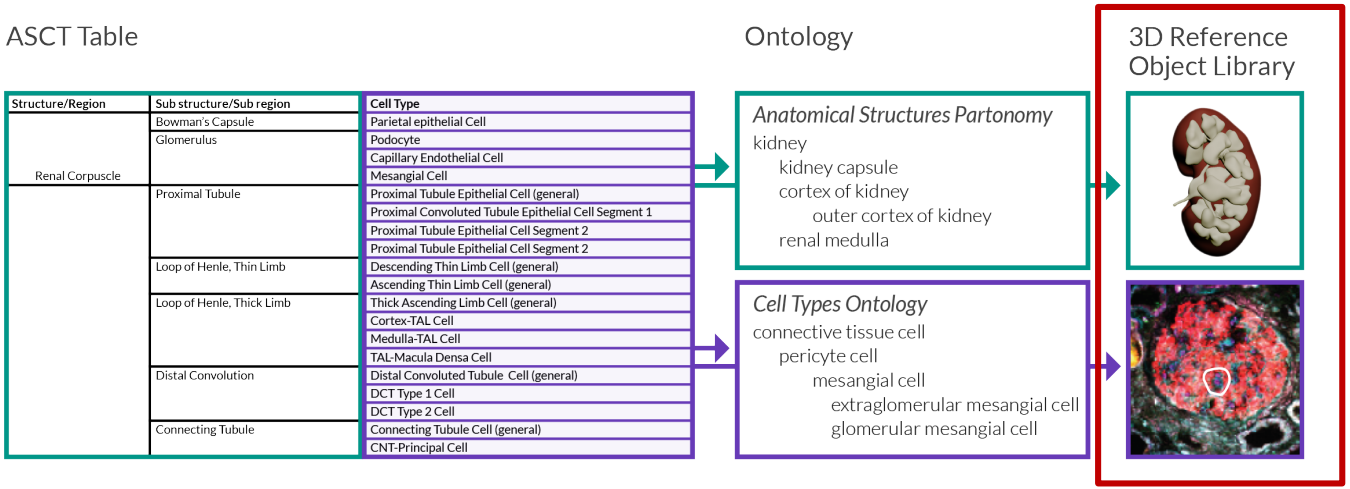

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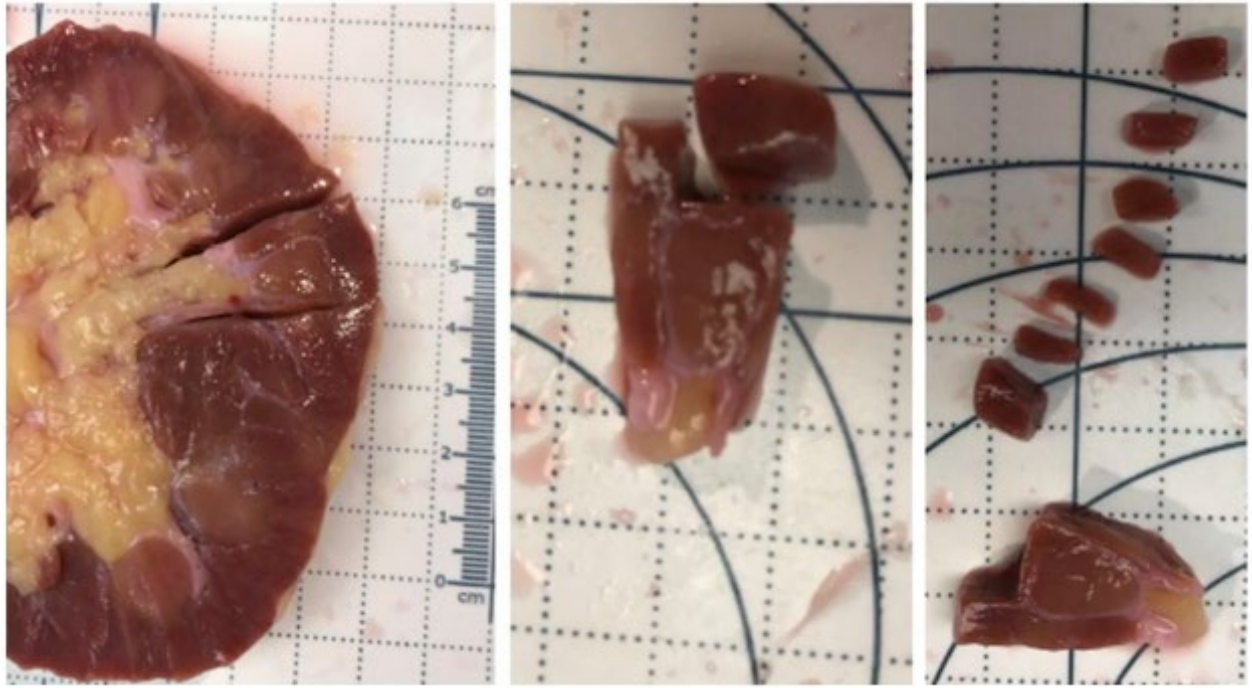

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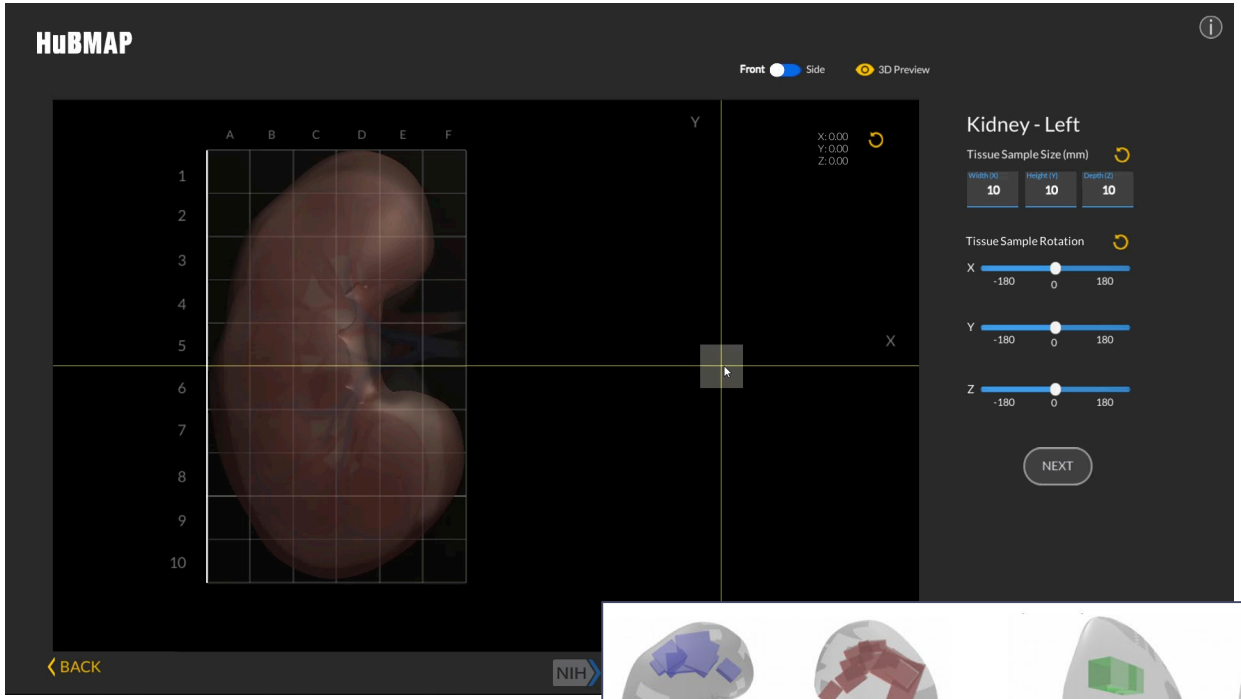
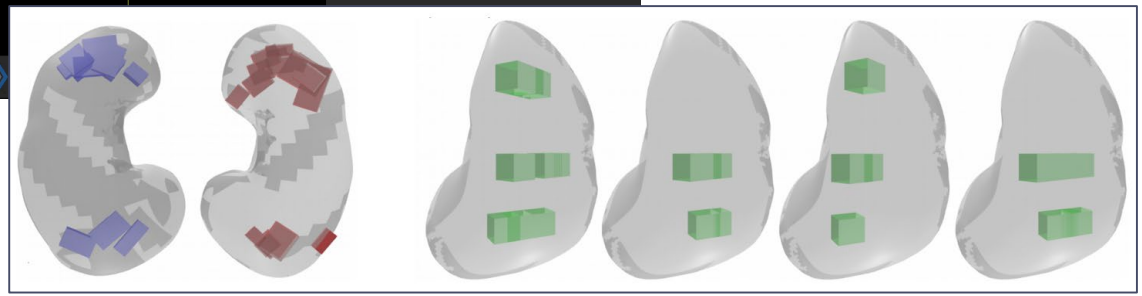
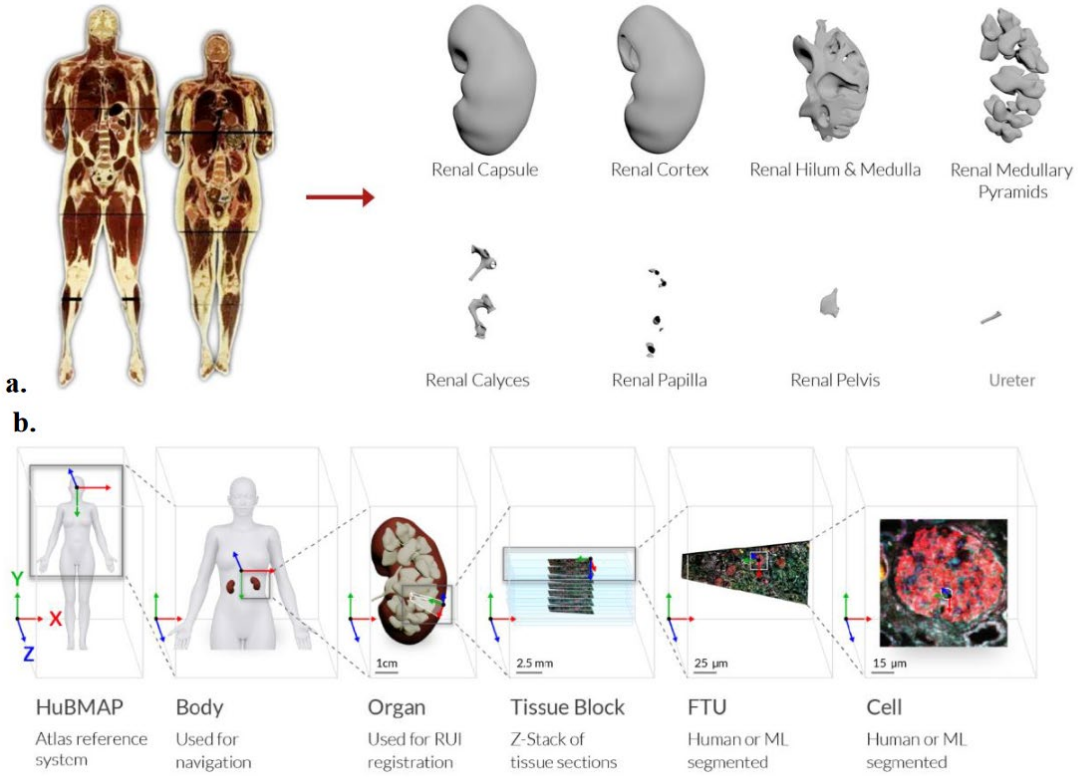




For the first HuBMAP portal release, 48 tissue blocks were registered.

Figure 3. Spatial Representation of a Kidney. (a) The CCF Spatial Ontology leverages a 3D Reference Object Library to define the dimensions and shapes of ASTC entities in 3D space. (b) Construction of the CCF Spatial Ontology involves relative positioning of objects from whole body down to individual cells.



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SOP for Approval of 3D Reference Objects

CCF 3D Reference Object Library

Overview

The CCF 3D Reference Object Library provides anatomically correct reference organs. The organs are developed by a specialist in 3D medical illustration and approved by organ experts, see SOP.

Initially, reference objects were created using data from the Visible Human male and female datasets provided by the National Library of Medicine. The male dataset comprises 1,871 cross-sections at 1mm intervals for both CT and anatomical images at a resolution of 4,096 pixels by 2,700 pixels. The female data set has the same characteristics as the Visible Human Male but axial anatomical images were obtained at 0.33 mm intervals resulting in 5,189 cross-section anatomical images. The male was white, 180.3 cm (71 inch) tall, 199-pound and was 38 years old. The female was white, 171.2 cm (67.4 inch) tall, obese, and 59 years old.

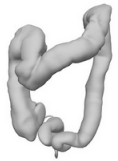
For the 1st HuBMAP Portal Release, kidney and spleen reference organs are freely available in GLB format. They can be viewed and explored using free web browsers such as Babylon.js. Screenshots and major properties of the nested reference organ objects are given in table below.

For selected organs, 3D extraction site objects are provided. Some extraction sites resemble geometric objects (e.g., cuboids for heart) while others take the shape of one or more whole or partial anatomical structures (e.g., in spleen). The 3D extraction sites do not restrict registration to specific regions, instead they provide "expert defined landmarks" to help guide tissue registration. The extraction site objects are also used for automatic semantic annotation of tissue samples via collision detection during registration.

Reference Organs

COLON | HEART | KIDNEY | SPLEEN

MALE: Colon



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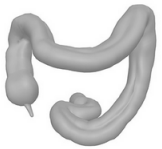
FEMALE: Colon



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Cells of the adult human heart

https://www.nature.com/articles/s41586-020-2797-4

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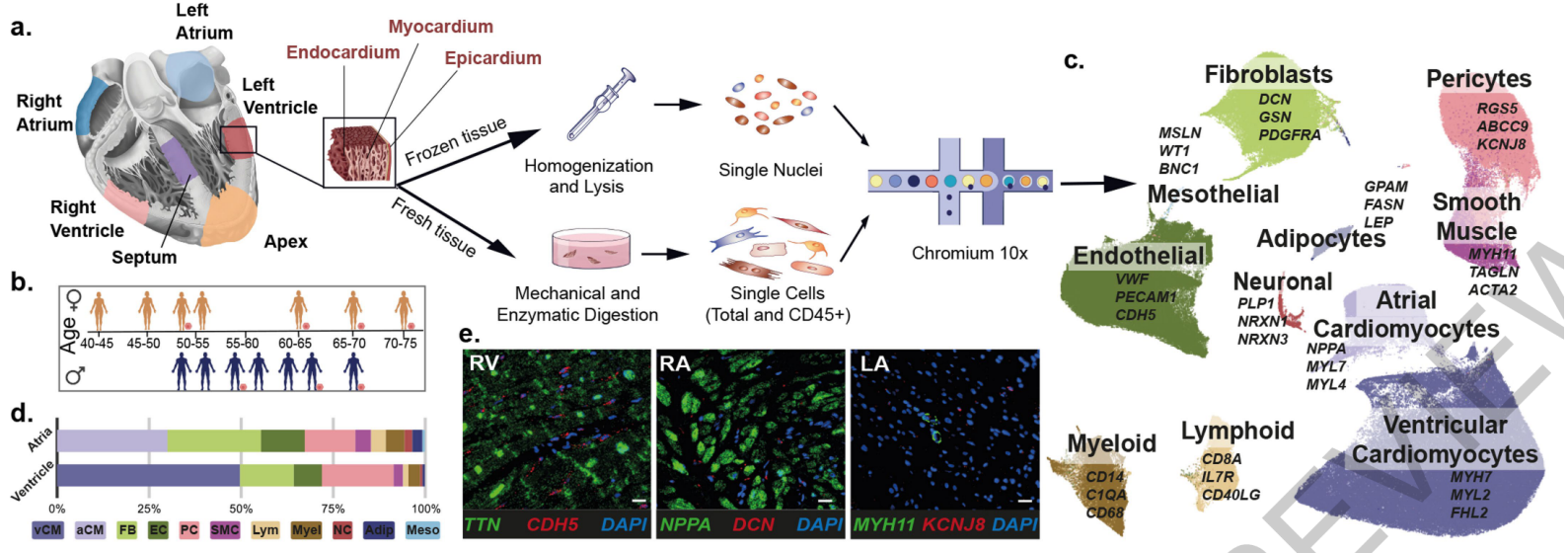
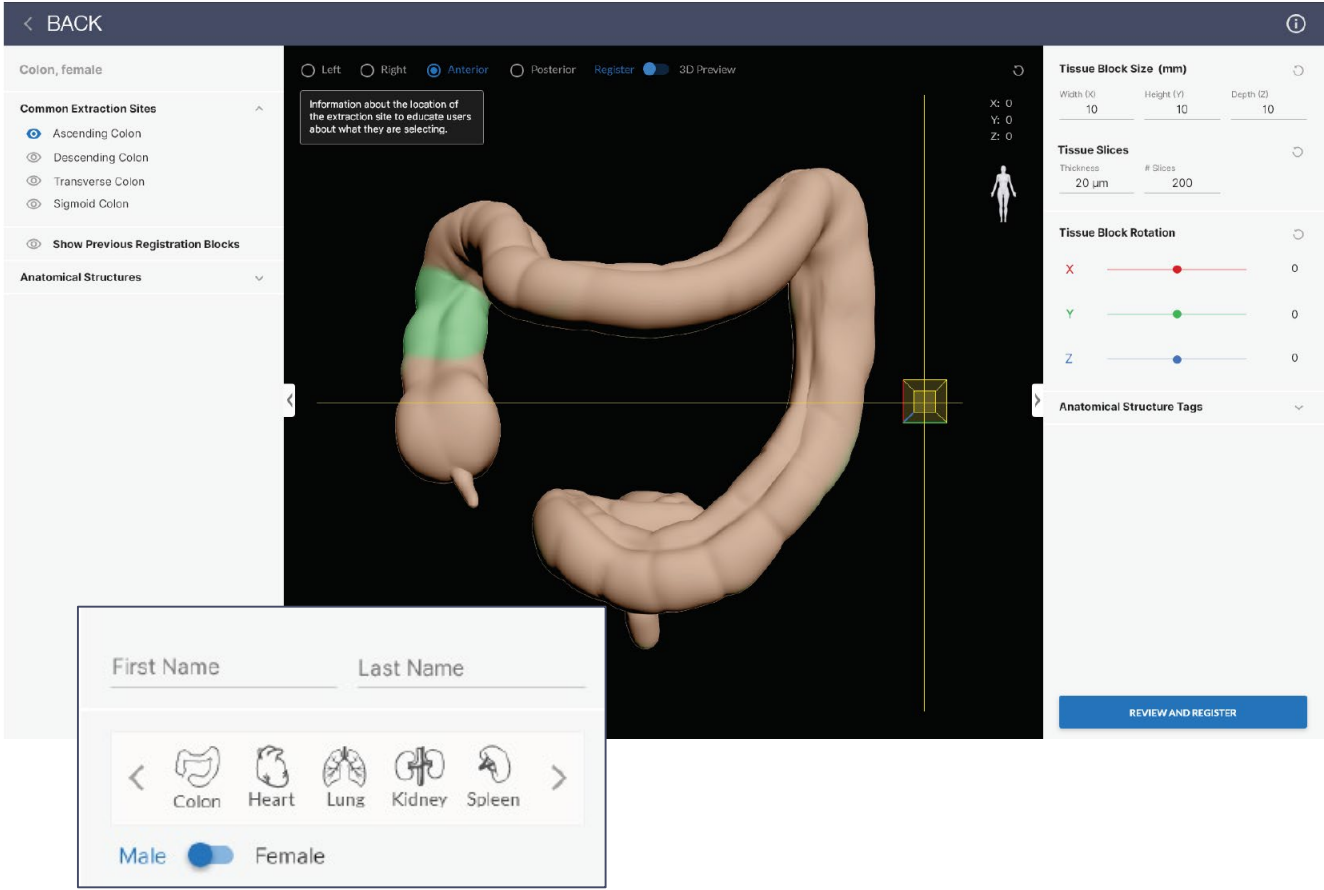


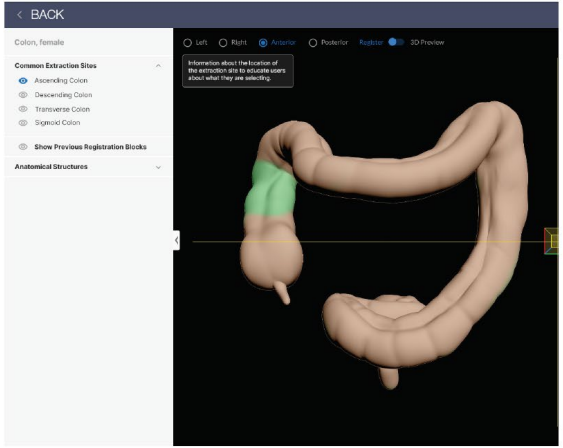
Fig. 1 | Cell composition of the adult human heart. a. Transmural samples were obtained from RA, LA, RV, LV, AX and SP from 14 individuals. Single nuclei (n = 14) and single cells (n = 7) were processed using Chromium 10X 3'DEG chemistry. **b.** Infographic shows donors (women, top; men, bottom), age, and contribution to cells and nuclei datasets (orange circle) (Data available in Supplementary Table 1) **c.** UMAP embedding of 487,106 cells and nuclei delineate 11 cardiac cell types and marker genes. **d.** Distribution of cell populations, identified from nuclei within atria (LA, RA) and ventricles (LV, AX, SP, RV) after subclustering analysis. Color code corresponds to **c** (Data available in Supplementary Table 2). **e.** Multiplexed smFISH of cell type-specific transcripts in RV (left): *TTN* (green, CM) and *CDH5* (red, EC) RA (middle): *NPPA* (green, aCM) and *DCN* (red, FB) and LA (right): *MYH11* (green, SMC) and *KCNJ8* (red, PC), nuclei are DAPI-stained (dark blue). Scale bar 20 µm. For details on statistics and reproducibility, please see **Methods**.

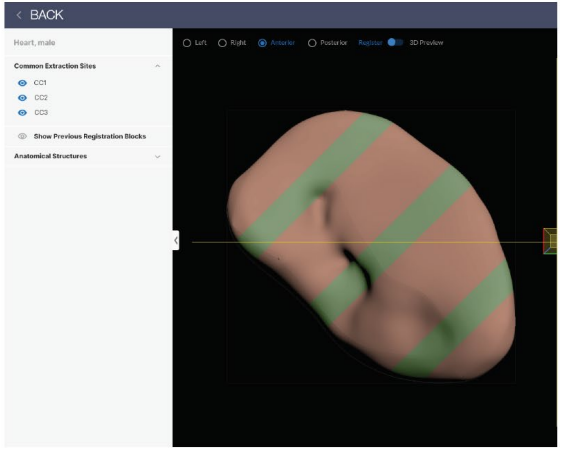
CCF Registration User Interface (RUI) v1.0.0

New Features:

- Organ carousel with 4 reference organs
- Support for tissue extraction sites
- Expanded ontology
- Semantic annotation via collision detection & manual annotation
- Support for non-HuBMAP usage







Kidney

- Bisection Line

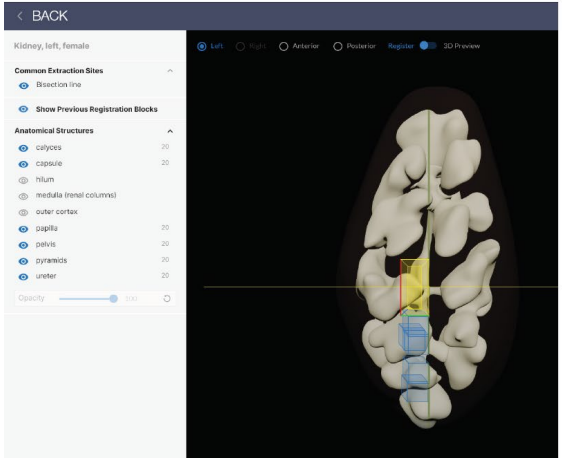
Spleen

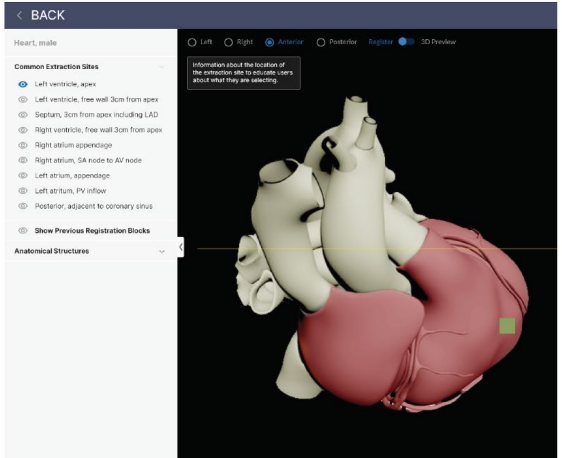
- CC1
- CC2
- CC3

Colon

- Ascending Colon
- Descending Colon
- Transverse Colon
- Sigmoid Colon

Heart	Extraction Site Mapping
Left atrium, appendage	7
Left atrium, PV inflow	8
Left ventricle, apex	1
Left ventricle, free wall 3cm from apex	2
Septum, 3cm from apex including LAD	3
Posterior, adjacent to coronary sinus	9
Right atrium appendage	5
Right atrium, AV (atrioventricular) node	6a
Right atrium, SA (sinoatrial) node	6b
Right ventricle, free wall 3cm from apex	4





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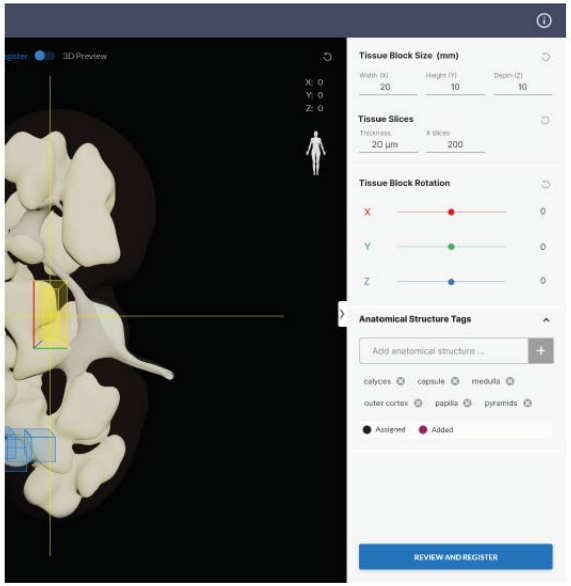

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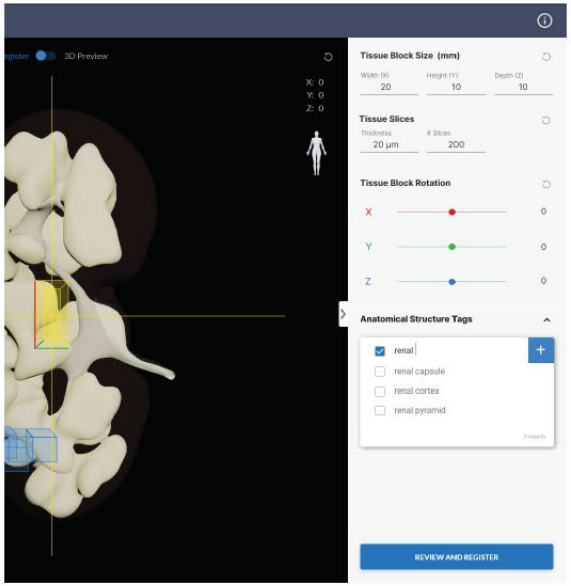

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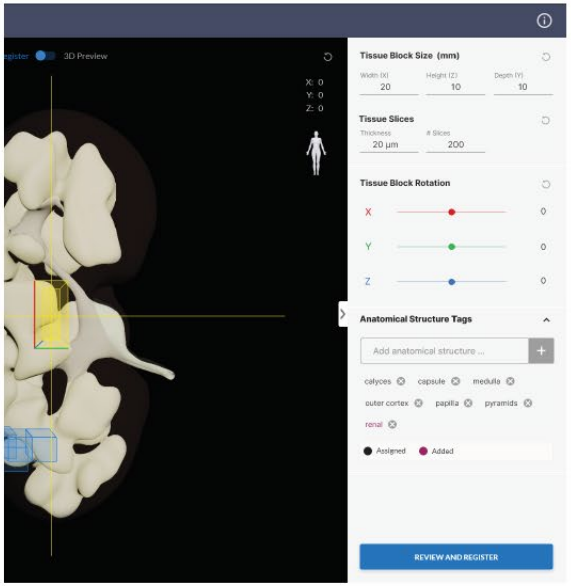

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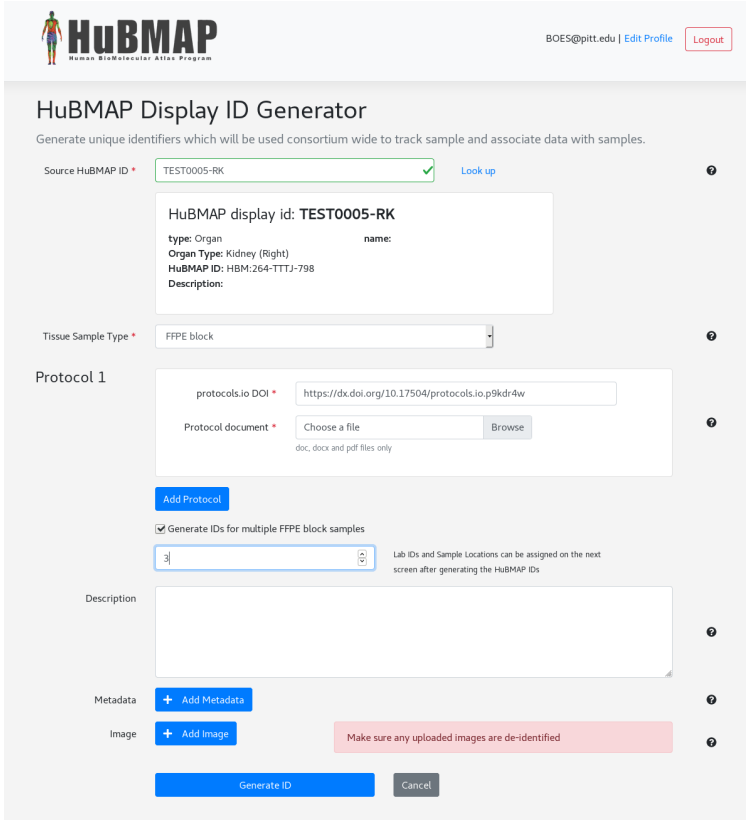

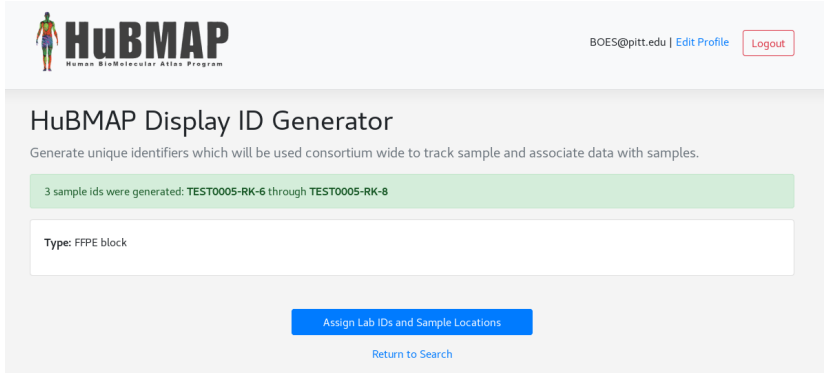

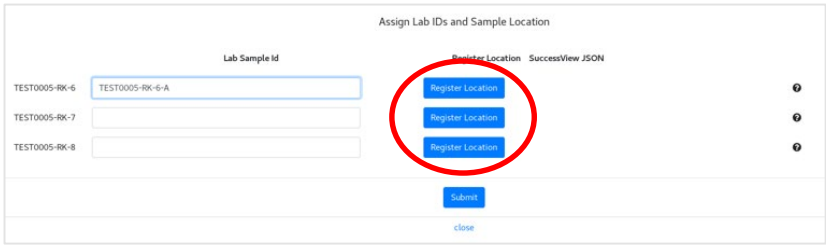

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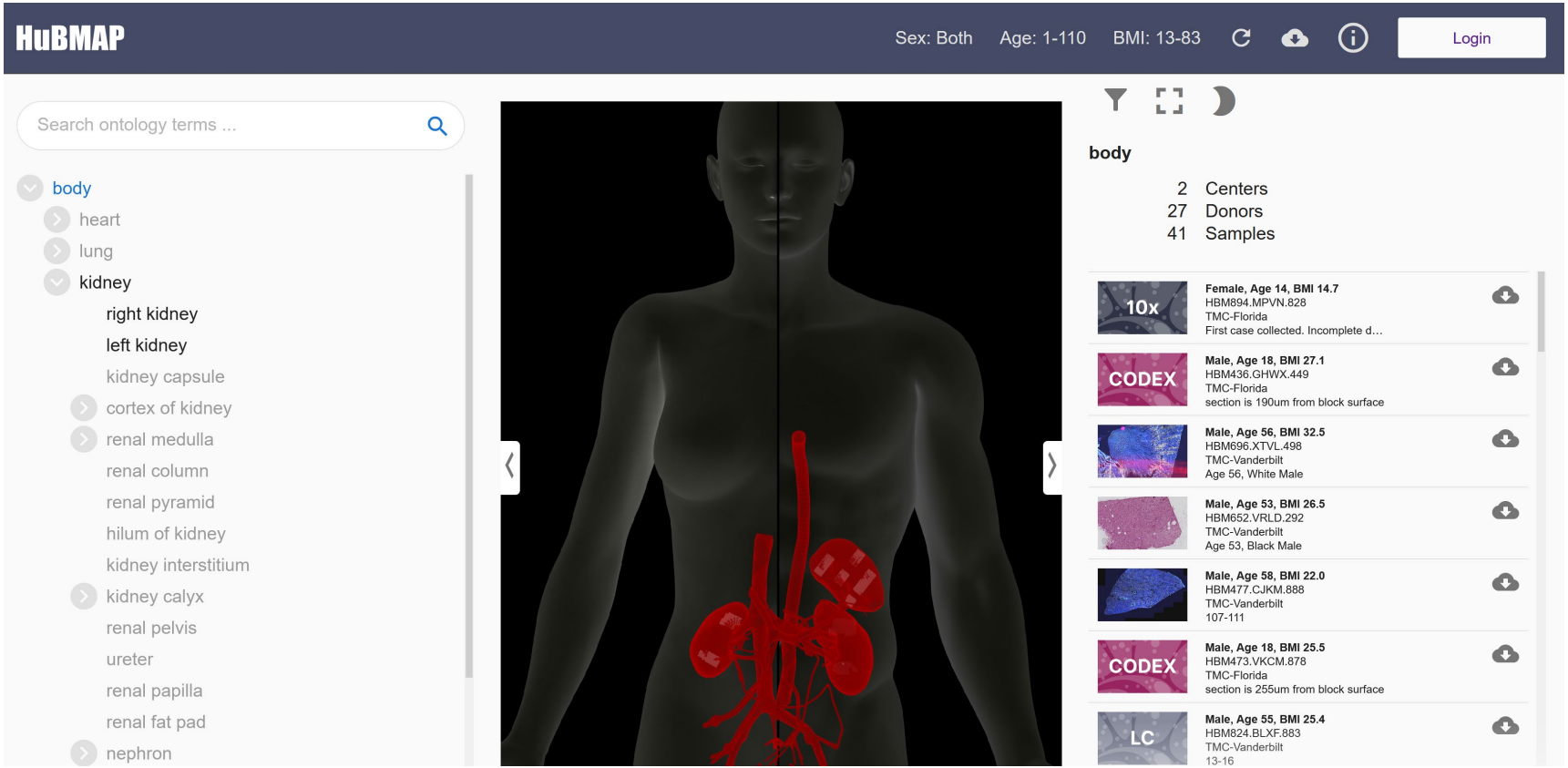

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HuBMAP

Sex: Both Age: 1-110 BMI: 13-83

Logout

Search ontology terms ...

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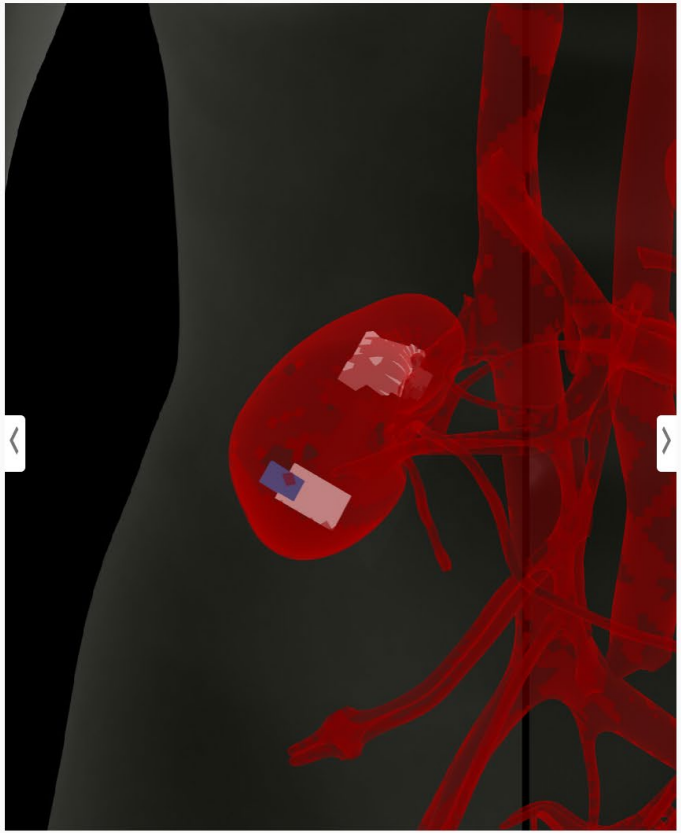

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9 Donors
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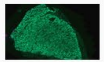

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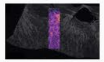

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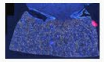

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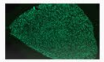

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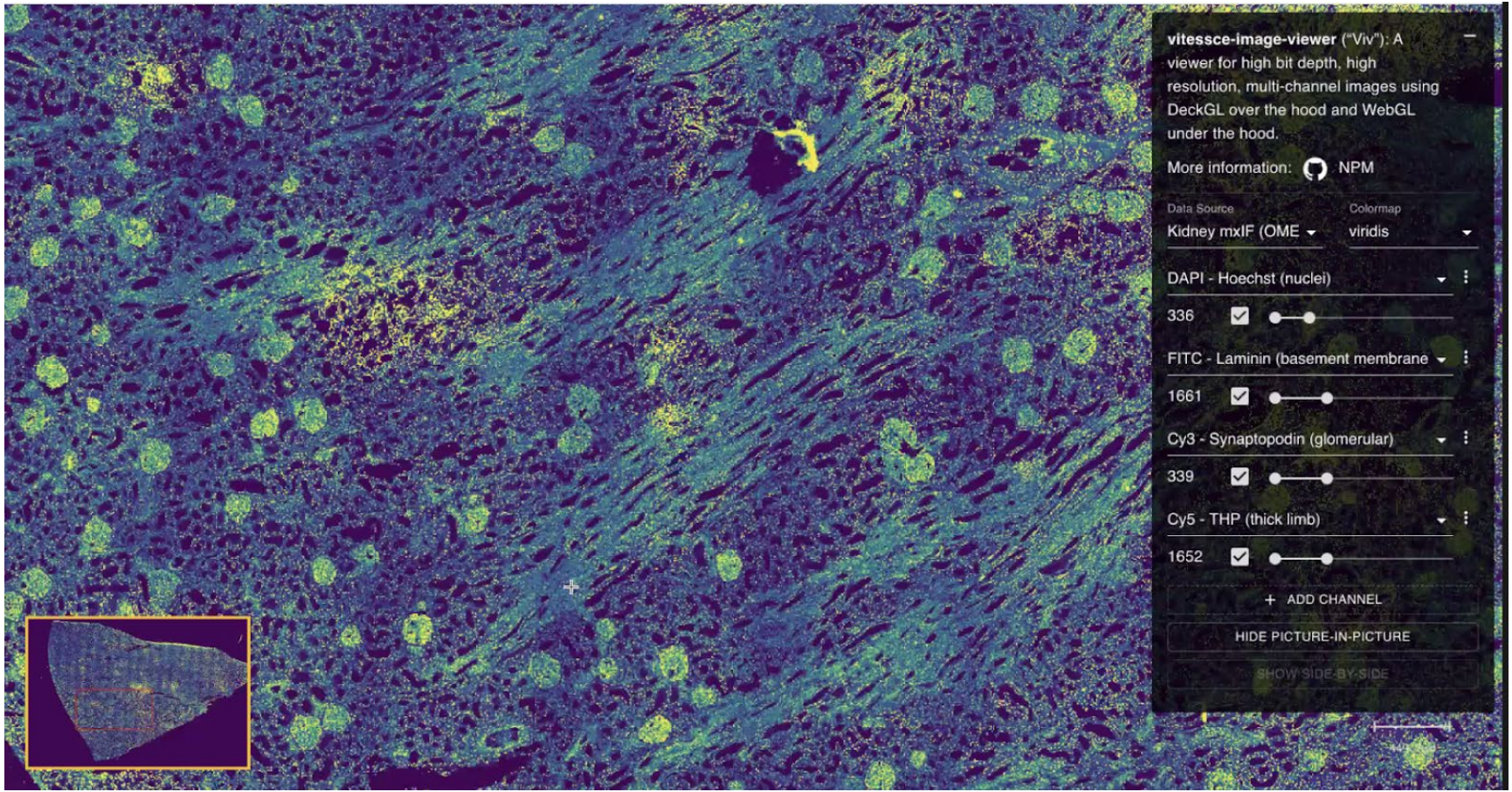

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Human Reference CCF Atlas: Checklist

Common Coordinate Framework (CCF) Design (see CCF Portal):

1. **Make sure the Anatomical Structures, Cell Types, and Biomarkers (ASCT+B) that you use/submit are listed in the ASCT+B tables. The tables are authored and reviewed by an international team of anatomists, pathologists, physicians, and other experts, see this SOP.**
2. Spatially register all tissue samples using the CCF Registration User Interface (RUI) in the Ingest Portal. End of October 2020, kidney, spleen, heart, colon registration are supported. For other organs, see SOP.
3. After submitting data, review data in the CCF Exploration User Interface and make sure spatial, semantic, and other metadata are correct.
4. For functional tissue unit (FTU) segmentation, submit a list of FTUs for your organ(s) and make sure FTU names and all relevant cell types (CT) are captured in the ASCT+B table. Use assays/biomarkers (B) that make it possible to identify FTUs—initially manually, later automatically. Submit tissue with 1000 FTUs manually identified FTUs.
5. In support of the Vasculature-based CCF, provide cell segmentation data for blood vessels and different cell types.
6. Smoking, pregnancy, period cycle, time of the day (what cells produce does change),

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Other

HuBMAP Visible Human MOOC (VHMOOC)

Started Aug 4, 2020

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INDIANA UNIVERSITY

Course Introduction

This 10h course introduces the HuBMAP project which aims to create an open, global reference atlas of the human body at the cellular level. Among others, the course describes the compilation and coverage of HuBMAP data, demonstrates new single-cell analysis and mapping techniques, and introduces major features of the HuBMAP portal.

Delivered entirely online, all coursework can be completed asynchronously to fit busy schedules. If you have questions or experience issues during registration, please email cnscntr@indiana.edu.

Learning Outcomes

- Theoretical and practical understanding of different single-cell tissue analysis techniques.
- Expertise in single-cell data harmonization used to federate data from different individuals analyzed using different technologies in diverse labs.
- Hands-on skills in the design and usage of semantic ontologies that describe human anatomy, cell types, and biomarkers (e.g., marker genes or proteins).
- Knowledge on the design and usage of a semantically annotated three-dimensional reference system for the healthy human body.
- An understanding of how the HuBMAP reference atlas might be used to understand human health but also to diagnose and treat disease.

Module Topics Include

- HuBMAP Overview: Project Goals, Setup, and Ambitions
- Tissue Data Acquisition and Analysis
- Biomolecular Data Harmonization
- Ontology, 3D Reference Objects, and User Interfaces
- HuBMAP Portal Design and Usage

Meet the Instructors

Katy Börner, Victor H. Yngve Distinguished Professor of Engineering and Information Science. Founding Director of the Cyberinfrastructure for Network Science Center at Indiana University.

Ellen M. Quardokus, staff in the Chemistry Department and research scientist, Cyberinfrastructure for Network Science Center, SICE with expertise in molecular biology, microscopy, anatomy, and interdisciplinary communication.

Andreas Bueckle, PhD Candidate in Information Science, performing research on information visualization, specifically virtual and augmented reality.

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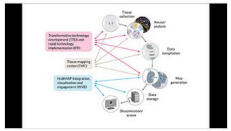

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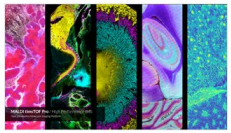
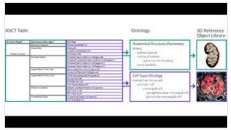


Tissue Data Acquisition and Analysis

- Behind the Scenes at Vanderbilt University

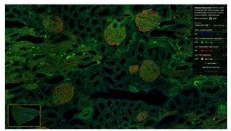
Biomolecular Data Harmonization

- An Introduction to Seurat



CCF Ontology, 3D Reference Objects, and User Interfaces

- Creating an Atlas of the Human Body



Portal Design and Usage

- Datasets and Software in the 1st HuBMAP Portal Release

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- In Support of Research

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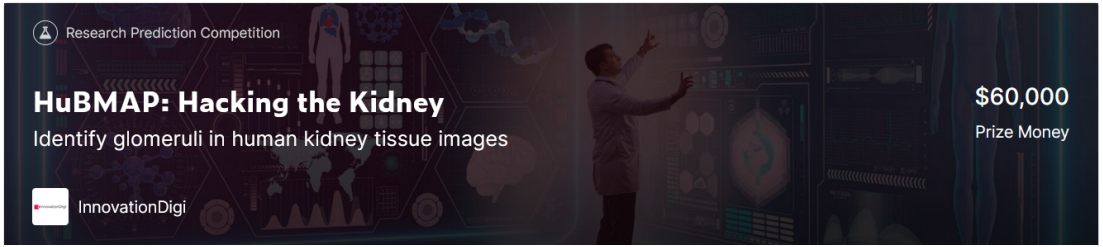

This competition is not yet live; only competition hosts can currently view it.

Overview

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Our best estimates show there are over 7 billion people on the planet and 300 billion stars in the Milky Way. By comparison, the adult human body contains 37 *trillion* cells. To determine the function and relationship among these cells is a monumental undertaking. Many areas of human health would be impacted if we better understand cellular activity. A problem with this much data is a great match for the Kaggle community.

Just as the Human Genome Project mapped the entirety of human DNA, the Human BioMolecular Atlas Program (HuBMAP) is a major endeavor. Sponsored by the National Institutes of Health (NIH), HuBMAP is working to catalyze the development of a framework for mapping the human body at a level of glomeruli functional tissue units for the first time in history. Hoping to become one of the world's largest collaborative biological projects, HuBMAP aims to be an open map of the human body at the cellular level.

This competition, "Hacking the Kidney," starts by mapping the human kidney at single cell resolution.

Your challenge is to detect functional tissue units (FTUs) across different tissue preparation pipelines. An FTU is defined as a "three-dimensional block of cells centered around a capillary, such that each cell in this block is within diffusion distance from any other cell in the same block" (de Bono, 2013). The goal of this competition is the implementation of a successful and robust glomeruli FTU detector.

You will also have the opportunity to present your findings to a panel of judges for additional consideration. Successful submissions will construct the tools, resources, and cell atlases needed to determine how the relationships between cells can affect the health of an individual.

Advancements in HuBMAP will accelerate the world's understanding of the relationships between cell and tissue organization and function and human health. These datasets and insights can be used by researchers in cell and tissue anatomy, pharmaceutical companies to develop therapies, or even parents to show their children the magnitude of the human body.

Q&A

Metadata per Organ

General:
Sex, age, ethnic origin, height, weight, girth, BMI
Pregnant, menstrual cycle

Organ Specific:

- **Heart** (8/24/2020) - hypertension, diabetes, cancer, pulmonary disease, liver disease, echocardiography (LVEF %)
- **Lung** – smoking
- **Skin** – sun exposure

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