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TRI Manages and Provides Multi-Media, Logistical, and Communications Services to the National Library of Medicine (NLM) “GenBank Celebrates 25 Years of Service” Conference

Bethesda, Maryland – April 7&8, 2008, TRI manages and provides multi-media, logistical, and communications services to the National Library of Medicine (NLM) “GenBank Celebrates 25 Years of Service” Conference. In addition, TRI makes the arrangements for the participation of those Nobel Laureates and VIPs attending the conference. The event marks the 25th anniversary of the founding of the nucleic acid sequence database, and is held at the Natcher Conference Center on the National Institutes of Health (NIH) Campus. Since its creation, the GenBank database has grown at a statistical rate. In 1984, the entirety of GenBank’s data was published in a two volume hardcover book. Today, if the current contents of GenBank’s database were printed, it would fill more than 300 pickup trucks with paper. GenBank joined with sequence databases in Europe and Japan to form the International Nucleotide Sequence Database Collaboration. GenBank was one of the earliest bioinformatics community projects on the Internet promoting open access communications among bioscientists. In 1992, the GenBank project transitioned to the newly created National Center for Biotechnology Information (NCBI) within NIH where it exists today.



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