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WHO ARE YOU?

THE PROMISES,
PITFALLS AND
SOCIAL RISKS
OF DNA TESTING

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The rise of personal genomics as consumer products, such as AncestryDNA and 23andMe, make genetic analysis of individuals readily accessible. These products come with promises to "experience your ancestry in a new way" or "get comprehensive understanding of your genetics." But what kind of social impacts will this widely available information have on genealogy, health care, or even criminal justice?

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Coop uses large genomic datasets to learn about human evolution and history and writes about genetic ancestry and personal genomics.

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