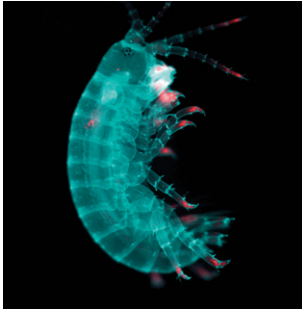
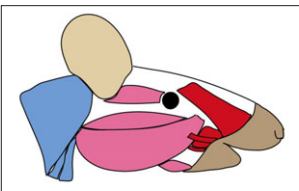


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Cover: Transgenic crustacean (*Parhyale hawaiiensis*) carrying a gene trap that expresses DsRed at the distal tip of appendages (DsRed in red, cuticle autofluorescence in blue). Integrase-mediated trap conversion (iTRAC) allows such traps to be used as platforms for establishing a wide variety of genetic tools, both in established and emerging model organisms. See **Technical research report** by Kontarakis et al. on p. 2625.



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