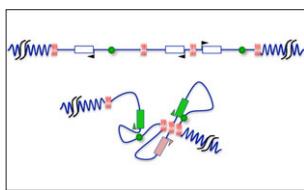


# Development



**Cover:** Confocal image of *Physcomitella* protonemal filaments differentiating into secondary chloronemata and expressing YFP-tagged DIAGEOTROPICA (DGT) protein in their nuclei and cytoplasm. The high efficiency of homologous recombination in *Physcomitrella* enables the expression of recombinant proteins at their endogenous loci. See Research article by Lavy et al. on p. 1115.



The nuclear protein CTCF when bound to insulator sequences can prevent undesirable crosstalk between genomic regions, and it can also shield particular genes from enhancer function. Here, Rainer Renkawitz and colleagues discuss the mechanisms underlying developmentally regulated CTCF-dependent transcription. See Primer on p. 1045.

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