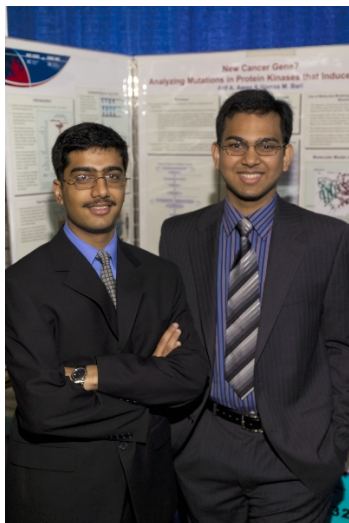


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New Cancer Gene?

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Abstract: Our objective was to identify mutations in kinases, which induce cancer. Using bioinformatic techniques, we identified mutations that exist in brain cancer. We proved our findings via molecular modeling; which showed that the mutations occurred in significant areas of the enzymes, which can alter its activity in the signaling pathway.

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