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The cover shows a Circos plot of genome-wide coamplification events of androgen receptor (AR) locus and the prostate cancer susceptibility region HPC20 at chromosome 20q13. Only 8 other chromosomes show similarly significant coamplification with the AR in metastasis, and the AR regulates several genes within the 20q13 region. Some of these have already been linked to oncogenic functions, thus pointing to a functional role of the 20q13-AR coamplification in prostate metastasis and therapy resistance. See the article by Labbé and colleagues (beginning on page 184) for more information.