
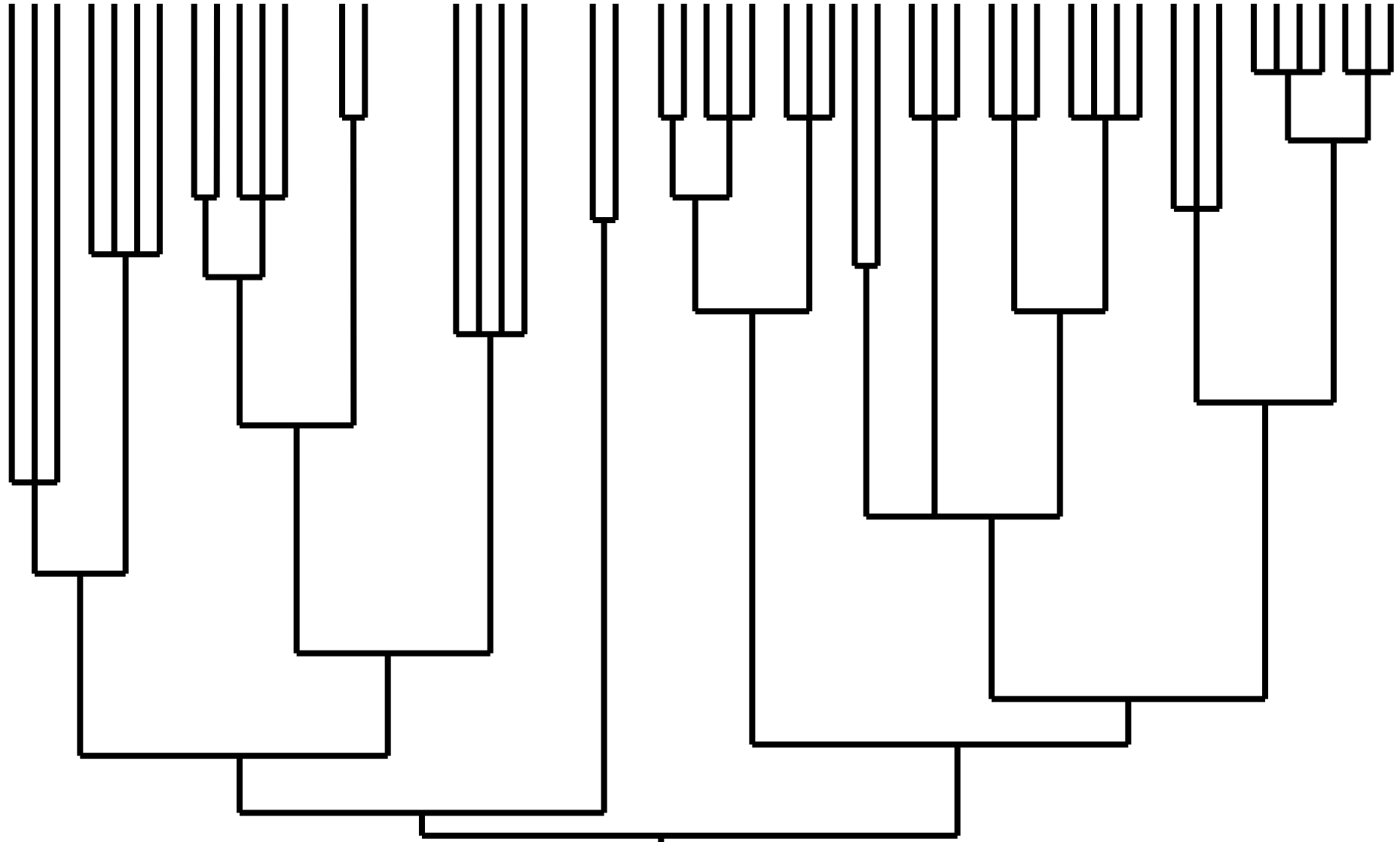
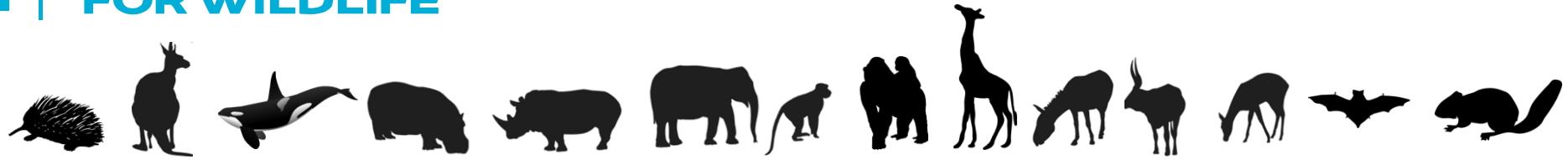


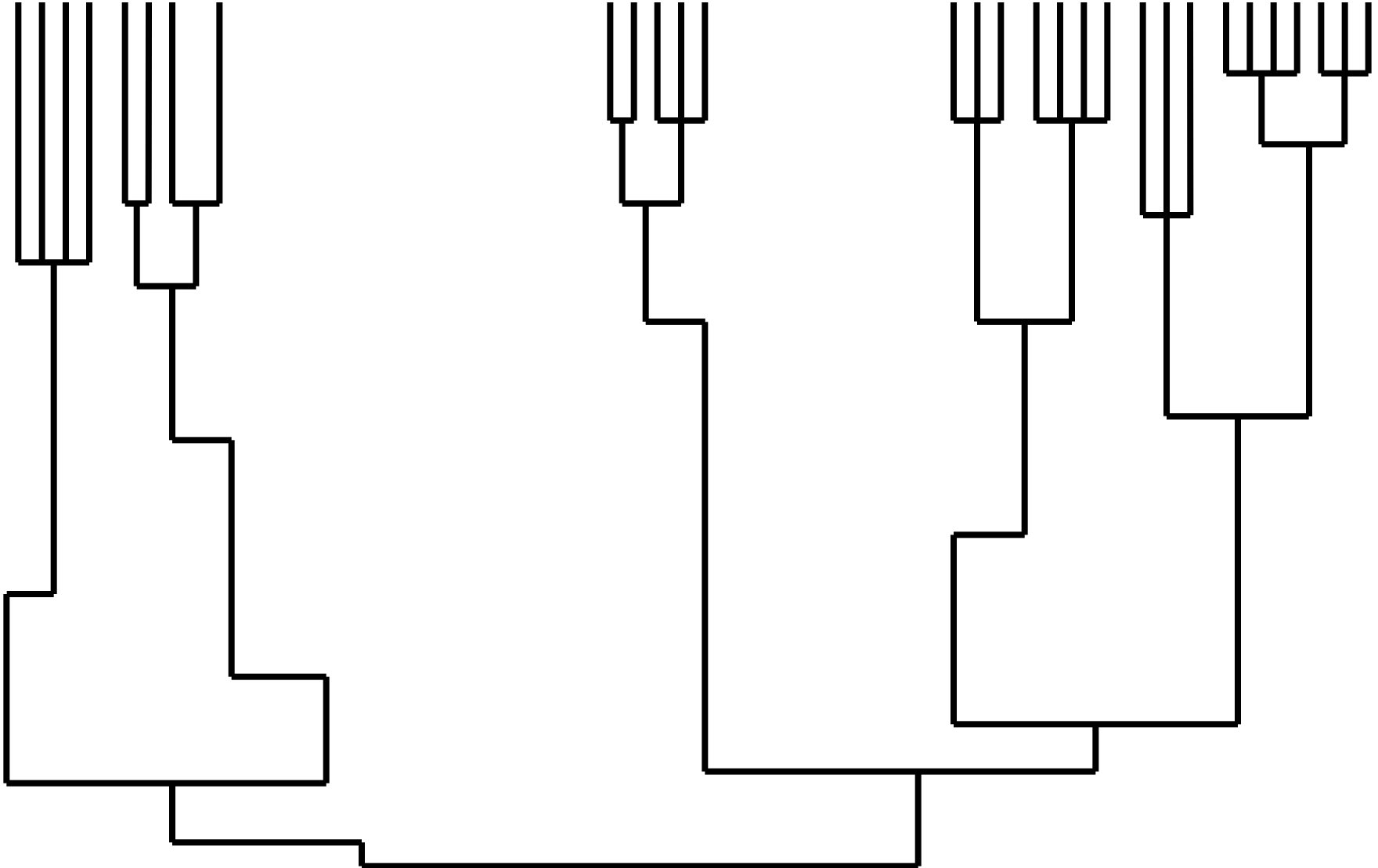


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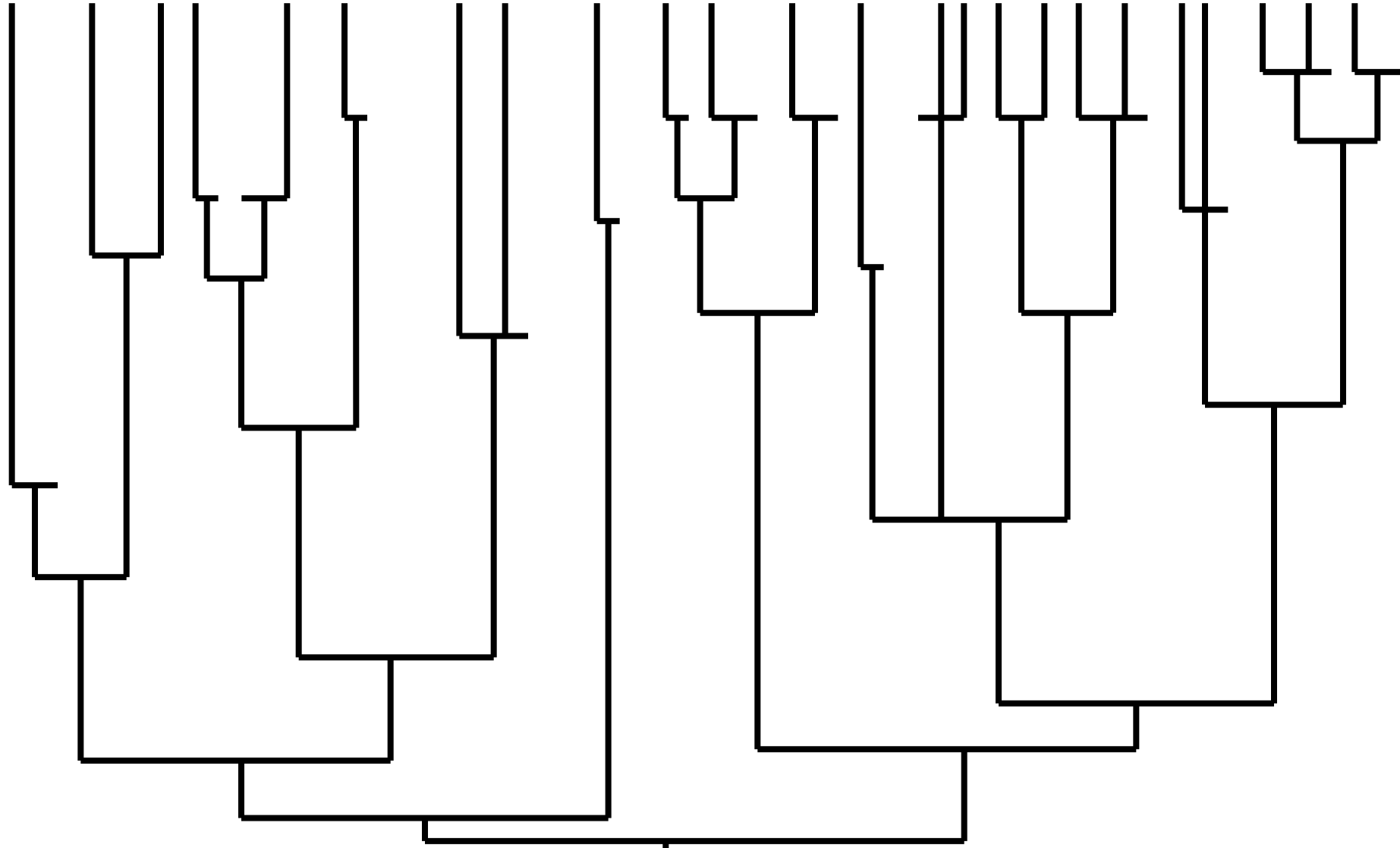
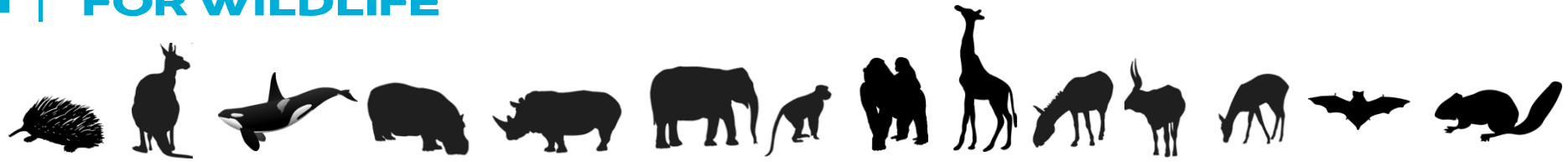
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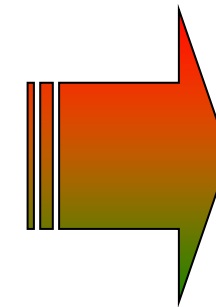
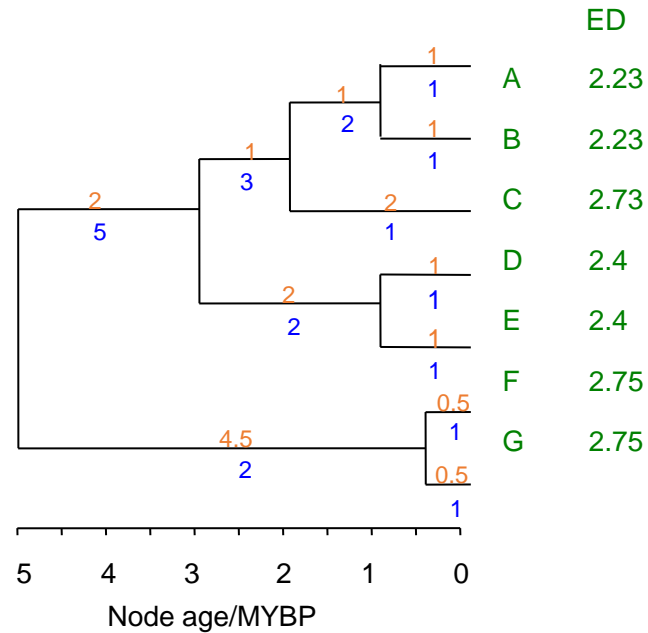




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- CR = 4
- EN = 3
- VU = 2
- NT = 1
- LC = 0

Evolutionary Distinctiveness (ED)
ED is a measure of **value**

Global Endangerment (GE)
GE measures **urgency** of action

$$EDGE = \ln(1+ED) + GE * \ln(2)$$

Isaac et al. 2007

EDGE lists



2007



2008

Isaac et. al 2012



2011

Curnick et. al 2015



2014

Jetz et. al 2014



2016/2017

Gumbs et. al in prep



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EDGE Fellowships

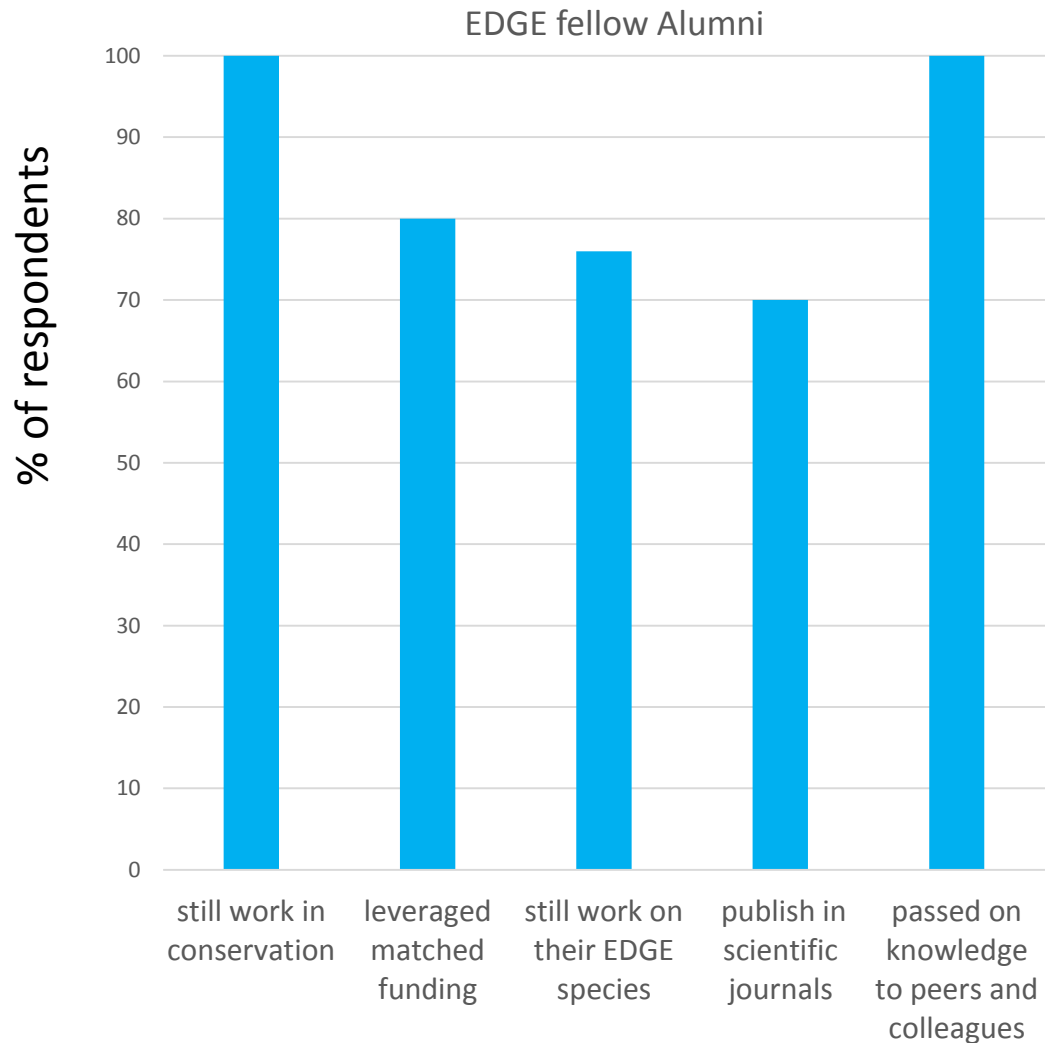
Protect EDGE species by building conservation capacity in-country

EDGE Fellows:

- 2-year project on top-priority EDGE species
- £10,000 grant
- Training courses, support & mentoring
- Produce **survival blueprint** for their species



Impact: 68 fellows, 36 countries, 63 species



- **Discovery of new species and populations**
- **Conservation strategies, legislation and protected areas**
- **Down-listing** species on the red list
- **Innovative technology**
- **Scaling up awards**

