



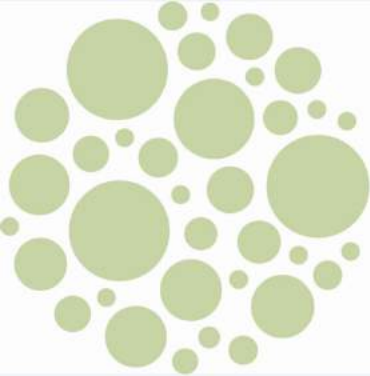
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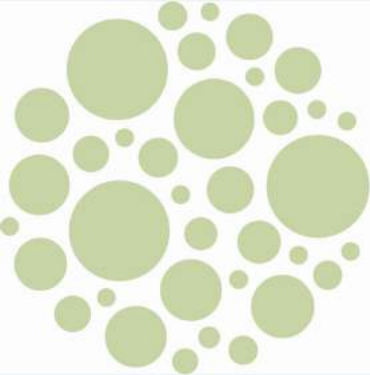
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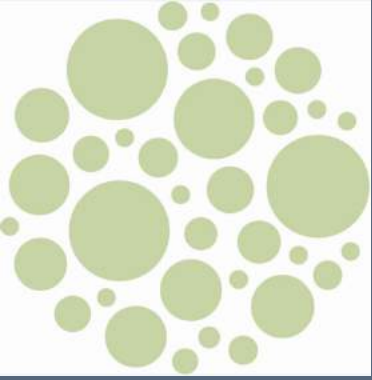
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New Zealand Journal of Ecology

Journal Editor: [George Perry](#) **Technical Journal Editor:** [Katherine Russell](#)

2016 ISI impact factor 1.704

The New Zealand Journal of Ecology is a peer-reviewed journal publishing ecological research relevant to New Zealand/Aotearoa and the South Pacific. It has been published since 1952 (as a 1952 issue of *New Zealand Science Review* and as the *Proceedings of the New Zealand Ecological Society* until 1977). The Journal is published by the [New Zealand Ecological Society](#) and is covered by Current Contents/Agriculture, Biology and Environmental Science, GEOBASE, Geo Abstracts, Google Scholar and Web of Knowledge.

In Press:

[volume 43, Issue 1, 2019](#)

Articles in press are made available as soon as they are complete. These articles lack page numbers and should be cited as in press until the print version is published.

Current Issue:

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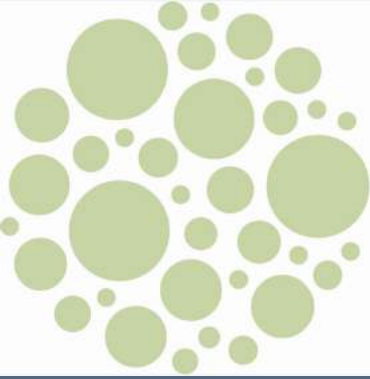
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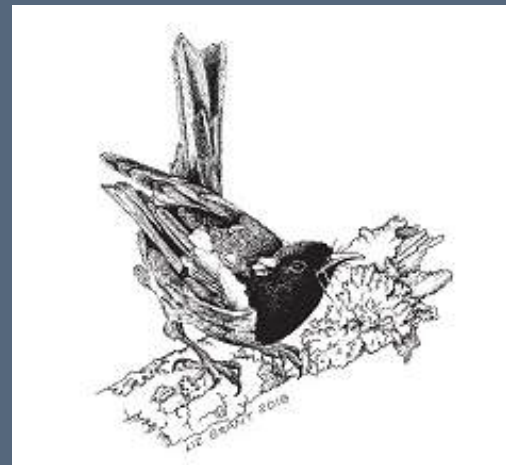
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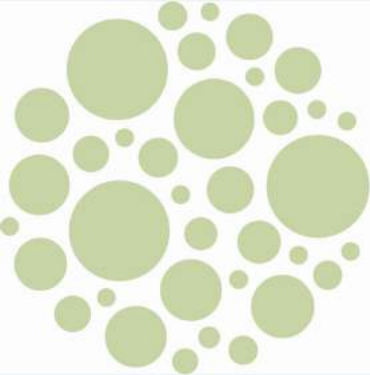


Recent changes and news

- Transition to online only (in 2019)
- Retaining cover artwork
- Remaining open access
- New manuscript management system
- Technical Editor Katherine Russell back from parental leave thanks to James Brock for filling in
- Working with Science Media Centre to highlight latest ecology

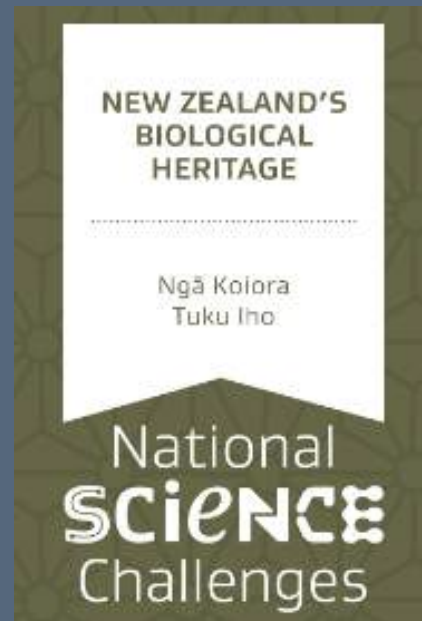


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Special issue in Mātauranga Māori

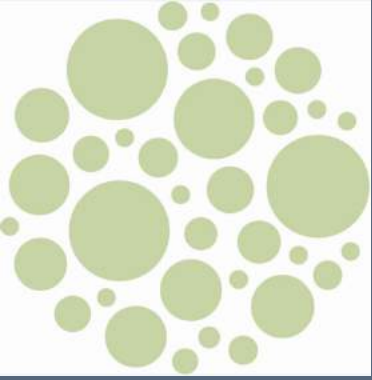
Guest editors - Cilla Wehi, Tara McAllister, Jacqueline Beggs, Amanda Black, Melanie Mark-Shadbolt, Shaun Oligive



Te Pūnaha Matatini
Data • Knowledge • Insight



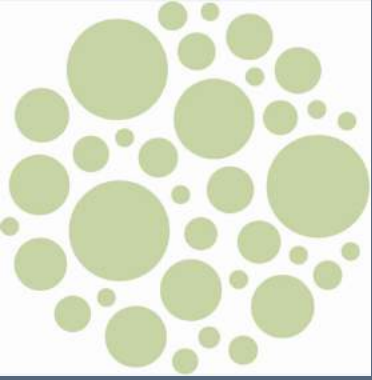
Manaaki Whenua
Landcare Research



NZ J Ecology future?

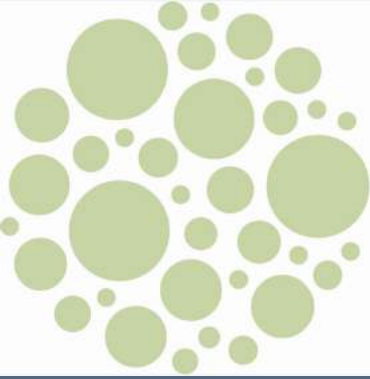
Important considerations

- Revitalise early career reviewer mentoring scheme
- Remain under the control of the Society
- Retain open access with papers available online -> quality NZ ecology accessible to all
- Key activity of the NZES



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Strategic plan 2019-2023

Thanks to Simon Moore (Chair), Clayson Howell, Bruce Burns, Gretchen Brownstein, Rachel Nepia

Summary of Strategic Aims

Membership benefits

1. Identify and improve benefits of membership
2. Support long-term ecological research

Engagement and Communication

3. Maintain regular and relevant communication with members
4. Promote Ecological Science with... (e.g. media, public, academia, practitioners?)
5. Improve engagement with policy makers to enhance uptake & application of ecological principles
6. Engage with other relevant societies, networks and ecologists
7. Encourage the participation of undergraduate and school students in ecology.

Governance

8. Manage finances prudently and ethically to enhance capacity and for future sustainability
9. Maintain and improve running of Council
10. Maintain and grow the membership of the Society
11. Maintain a searchable and informative membership database
12. Capture the history of the Society including critical moments and key players

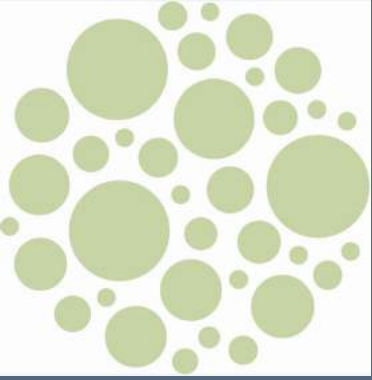
Sustainability

13. Exemplify principles of sustainability

Equity and Diversity

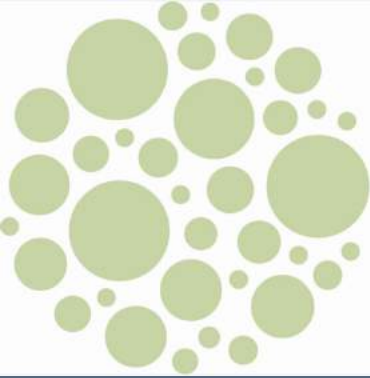
14. Promote and support equity and diversity within the Society

<https://newzealandecology.org/strategy>



Kauri Trust Fund


- Was established in 2004 for the following charitable purposes:
 - To promote ecological science by improving communications among ecologists and other specialists;
 - To foster ecological research and applications of ecological knowledge; and
 - To improve ecological education at all levels.
- Was used for the kauri seed scholars programme from 2010 to 2016



Kauri Trust Fund



- New initiative for 2019 Hot Topics



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Hot Topics in Ecology

Australia's Seasonally Dry Tropical Forests need attention

Synthesis by DYP Tng, DMG Apgaua, SGW Laurance, James Cook University, and DMJS Bowman, University of Tasmania

- Seasonally dry tropical forests are gaining international prominence as an endangered biome, but their status in Australia is underappreciated
- These forests often occur in unusual landscape settings and harbor unique and threatened biodiversity. The original



Communications – website, emails

https://newzealandecology.org

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The New Zealand Ecological Society

promoting the study of ecology and the application of ecological knowledge in all its aspects since 1951

News

National Flycatcher Conference
2019 published
28 Nov 2018

Publication of the Biodiversity for bird
Conservation Groups you help?
26 Oct 2018

National Policy Statement on
Biodiversity and Complementary

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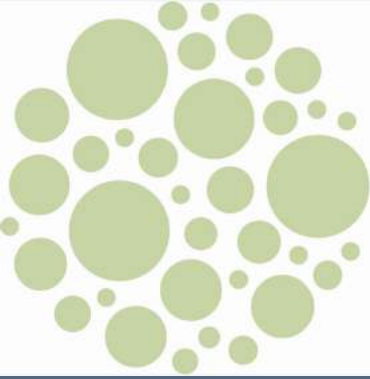
Publishers of the NZ Journal of Ecology

The New Zealand Journal of Ecology is a vital forum for ecologists to publish research relevant to New Zealand and the South Pacific.

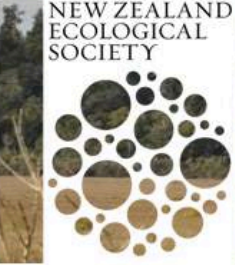
The journal is highly regarded worldwide (2016 ISI impact factor 1.704). The Society provides a

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Communications - newsletter



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Newsletter







The NZ Ecological Society publishes a quarterly newsletter that is provided free to members. The newsletter is used to inform society members about activities and ecological news and to foster debate on current ecological issues.

You can download the most recent edition of the newsletter, as well as back issues below.

If you would like to contribute to the next issue of the newsletter please [contact](#) the Editor.

[Join the Society](#) to be added to the newsletter mailing list.

Angela Simpson (**Editor**)
Email: newsletter@newzealandecology.org

Attachment	Size
 October 2018	699.54 KB
 July 2018	1.29 MB
 April 2018	702.87 KB
 December 2017	1.13 MB
 October 2017	1.42 MB
 July 2017	1.31 MB

NZES site search

Quarterly and archived back to 1984

Social media @nzecology



The screenshot shows the Twitter profile of the NZ Ecological Society (@nzecology). The header features the Twitter navigation bar with icons for Home, Moments, Notifications, and Messages, along with a search bar and a 'Tweet' button. The profile banner displays the text 'NEW ZEALAND ECOLOGICAL SOCIETY' in a large, serif font. To the left of the banner is a circular profile picture containing a collage of nature images. Below the banner, statistics are listed: Tweets (2,393), Following (1,019), Followers (1,500, highlighted with a red box), Likes (1,057), and Lists (1). A green 'Following' button is on the right. The bio section identifies the account as the official Twitter of the New Zealand Ecological Society, promoting ecology and ecological knowledge. It includes the location 'Christchurch City, New Zealand', the website 'newzealandecology.org', and mentions it was joined in May 2015 and was born in 1951. The 'Tweets' tab is selected, showing a pinned tweet about an annual conference in Wellington on November 25th. The tweet includes a link to the conference program and a photo of a forested landscape.

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Christchurch City, New Zealand
newzealandecology.org
Joined May 2015
Born 1951

Tweets Tweets & replies Media

Pinned Tweet

NZ Ecological Society @nzecology · Nov 2

We're counting down to Sunday 25th November when our annual conference kicks off in Wellington. Programme here confer.nz/nzes2018/progr... Includes our popular student day, talks, posters, plenty of socialising and some great field trips. Registration still open!

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Tweets about -
NZ Ecology
NZ Science system
Job and student
opportunities
Tag us for rewteets

#SummerFieldworkNZ



Dr Leilani Walker
@Lanipai

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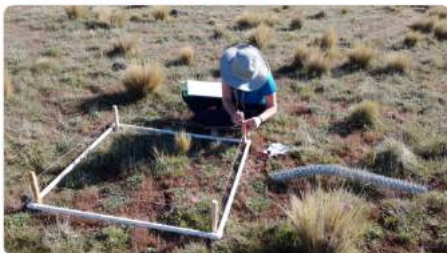
Was sad about being back from South America but feeling better now that I'm chasing flies along the beach w @bexlegrice
#SummerFieldworkNZ



Max
@freshwaterfellow

Following

me: "How can we have lost an entire plot???"
@ecomorgan: "I think I lost the plot yesterday."
(Don't worry, we found it again!)
#SummerFieldworkNZ @UCNZbiology
#11HourDays #SoTired



Morgane Merien
@MorganeMerien

Following

@CassJMark just accidentally ate a moth that flew into her mouth while light trapping
😂 you study what you eat? #phdlife
#SummerFieldworkNZ



Shona Myers
@shonamyers

Following

#SummerFieldworkNZ Wetland monitoring in Wellington



Azharul Alam
@Rahulhvt

Following

It was tremendous fun for last two days to sample plants from the North Canterbury farm for assessing farm's vegetation flammability under the project of @FarmNatCons

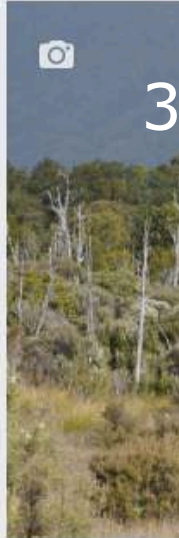


James Brock
@jimbrock

Following

Heading home after a very successful #SummerFieldworkNZ session in the Kauaeranga and Kaimai-Mamaku Ranges. So many #treefern measured... getting a bit excited about all the new data...





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Former Parliamentary Commissioner for the Environment, Dr Jan Wright was blown away by how effective 1080 was <https://www.newshub.co.nz/.../nz-lucky-to-have-1080-in-the-fi...>



NEWSHUB.CO.NZ

NZ 'lucky' to have 1080 in the fight against predators - former Parliamentary Commissioner for the Environment Jan Wright

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People Reached

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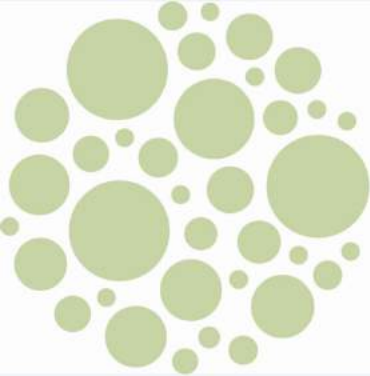
Engagements

Boost Post



Fiona McIntosh, Howard Adams and 82 others

1 Comment 12 Shares



Equity and Diversity

Diversity statement

For the best outcomes for ecology and conservation in New Zealand, the NZES is committed to active enhancement of equity and diversity within the society and more broadly.

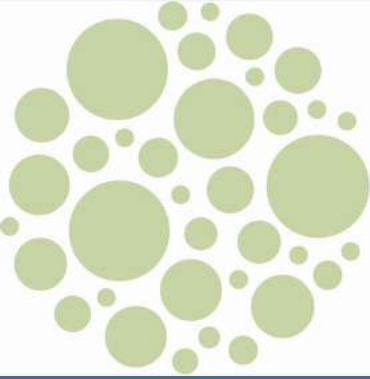
Our commitment

The New Zealand Ecological Society aims to promote the study of ecology and the application of ecological knowledge in all its aspects. The society also strives to foster an inclusive and supportive culture for students, scientists, professionals and other people interested in ecology.

As a society, we embrace the rich heritage of Māori culture in Aotearoa New Zealand and we recognise our obligations under the Treaty of Waitangi. We acknowledge the wisdom of mātauranga Māori and the role that it plays in protecting and restoring our unique ecosystems.

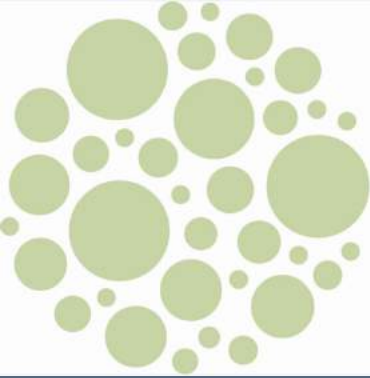
We welcome participation by all individuals regardless of age, culture, ethnicity, gender identity or expression, physical or mental difference, politics, race, religion, sex, sexual orientation, socio-economic status or subculture.

The society is committed to actively addressing bias against women, Māori, Pacifica and other under-represented groups. We will actively work towards enhancing opportunities for under-represented groups by doing the following things.



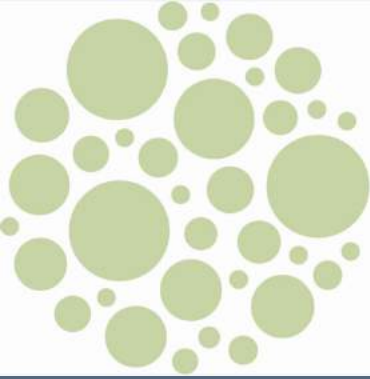
Equity and Diversity

- 1 We encourage all members to nominate those from under-represented groups for awards and prizes
 - 2 We will ask organisers of our annual conference to consider diversity when inviting speakers and session chairs. We aim for at least 40% of panel members to be female and there should also be an ethnic mix on all panels.
 - 3 We will develop a code of conduct for conferences
 - 4 We will establish a mentoring scheme for members who identify as under-represented minorities
 - 5 We will collect data on gender and ethnic diversity of our members and we will publish this annually as anonymised data
 - 6 We will continue the NZ Journal of Ecology reviewer mentoring scheme
 - 7 We will develop a database of speakers that can be used to help identify suitable invitees from under-represented groups and update links to similar databases
 - 8 We will endeavour to support someone from an under-represented group with a travel award for our annual conference
 - 9 We will do a stocktake of diversity of academics, students and scientists in crown research institutions in ecology on a regular basis
- We will review this diversity statement and action plan every three years



Mentoring scheme

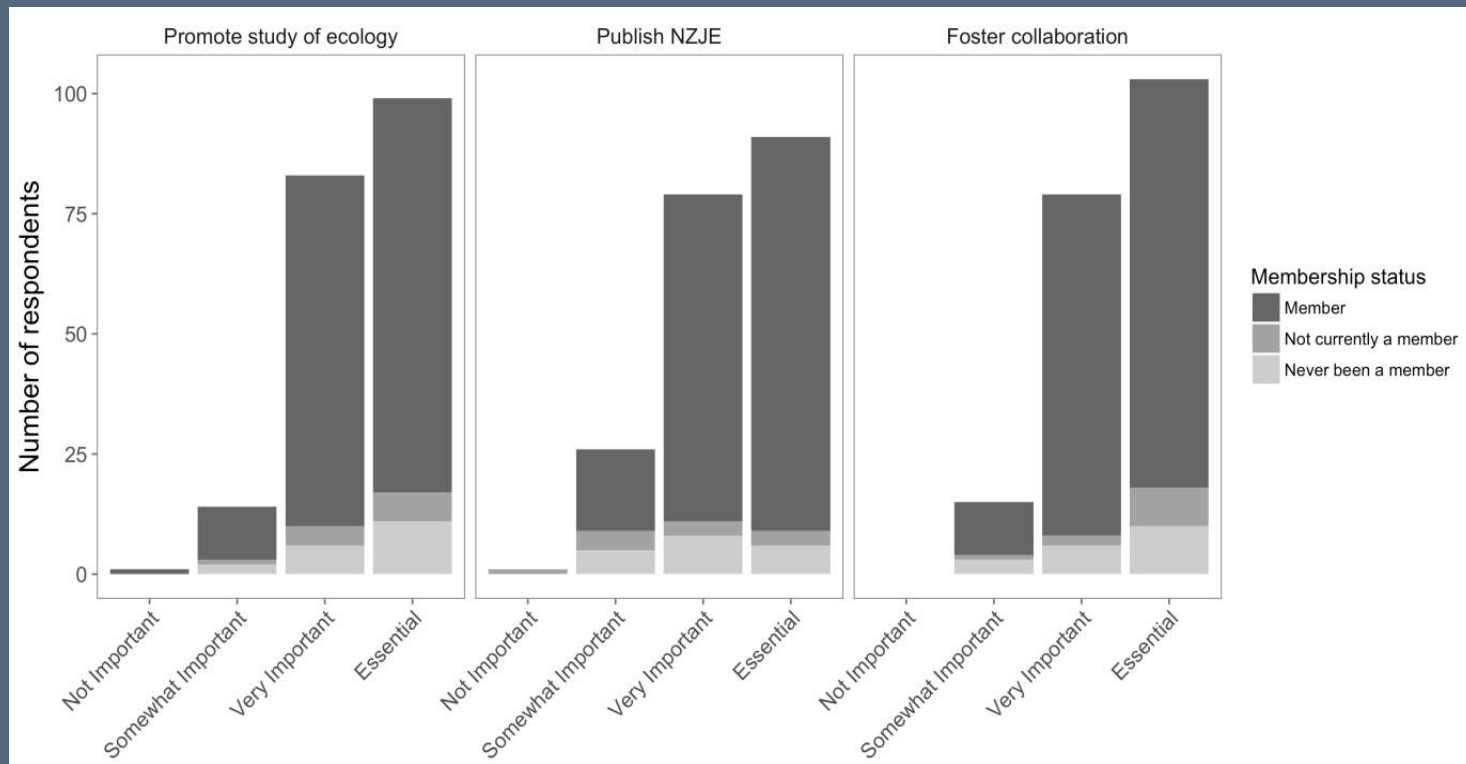
- Mentors will be established ecologists (post-doc or 3 years work experience upwards)
- Mentors not required to be NZES members but will be encouraged to join
- Mentees will be students and early career ecologists (post-docs and less than 3 years work experience)
- Mentees need to be members of NZES
- Mutual learning and network building opportunity
- Questionnaire to help us match mentors and mentees – look out for more details early next year

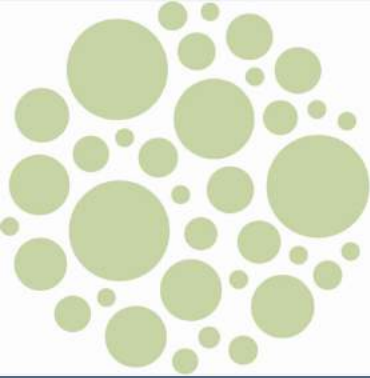


Member survey 2017



- 197 respondents: 161 current members, 11 past members, 19 have never been members and 6 unsure of their membership status

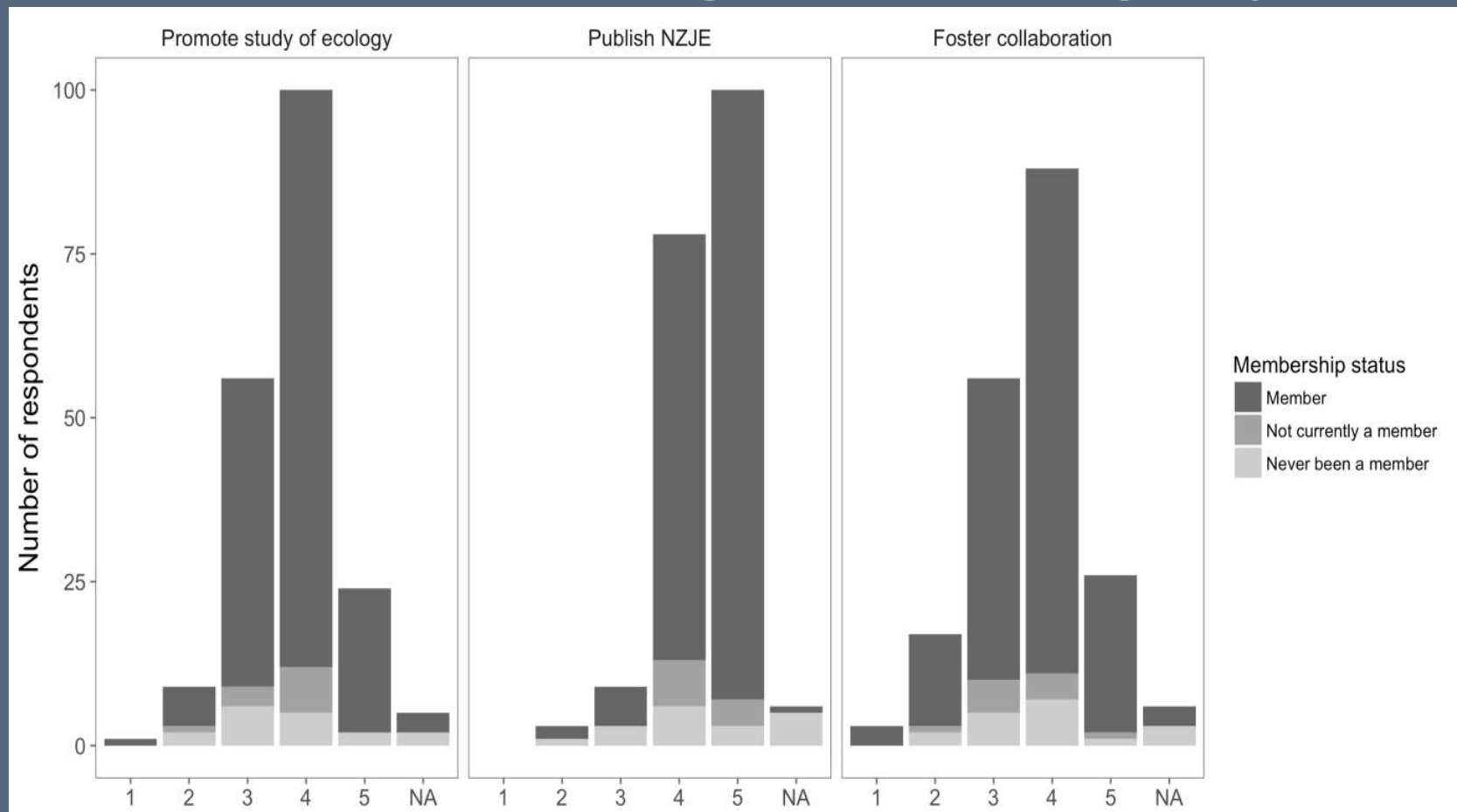


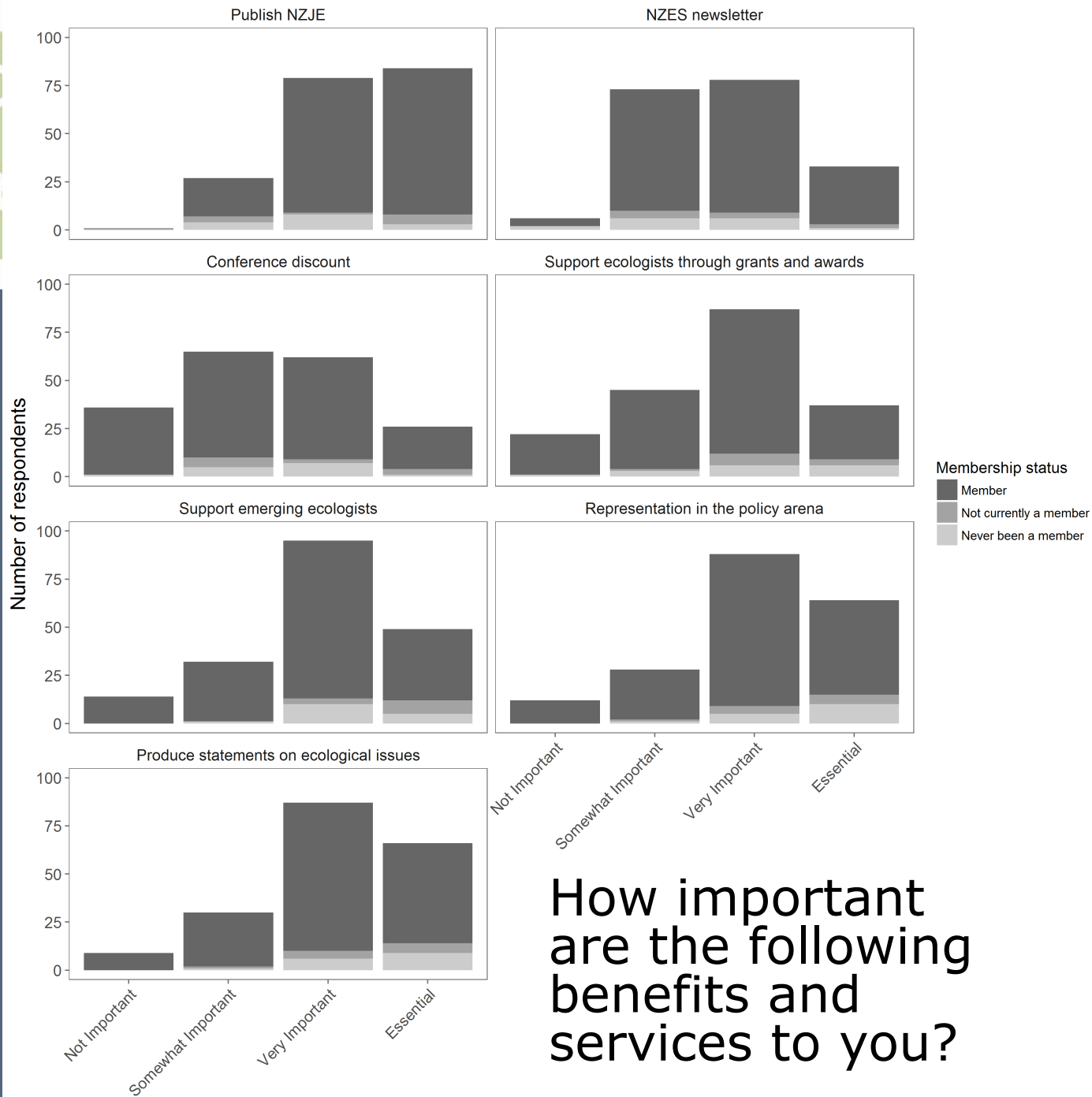
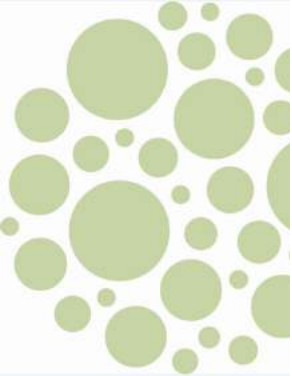


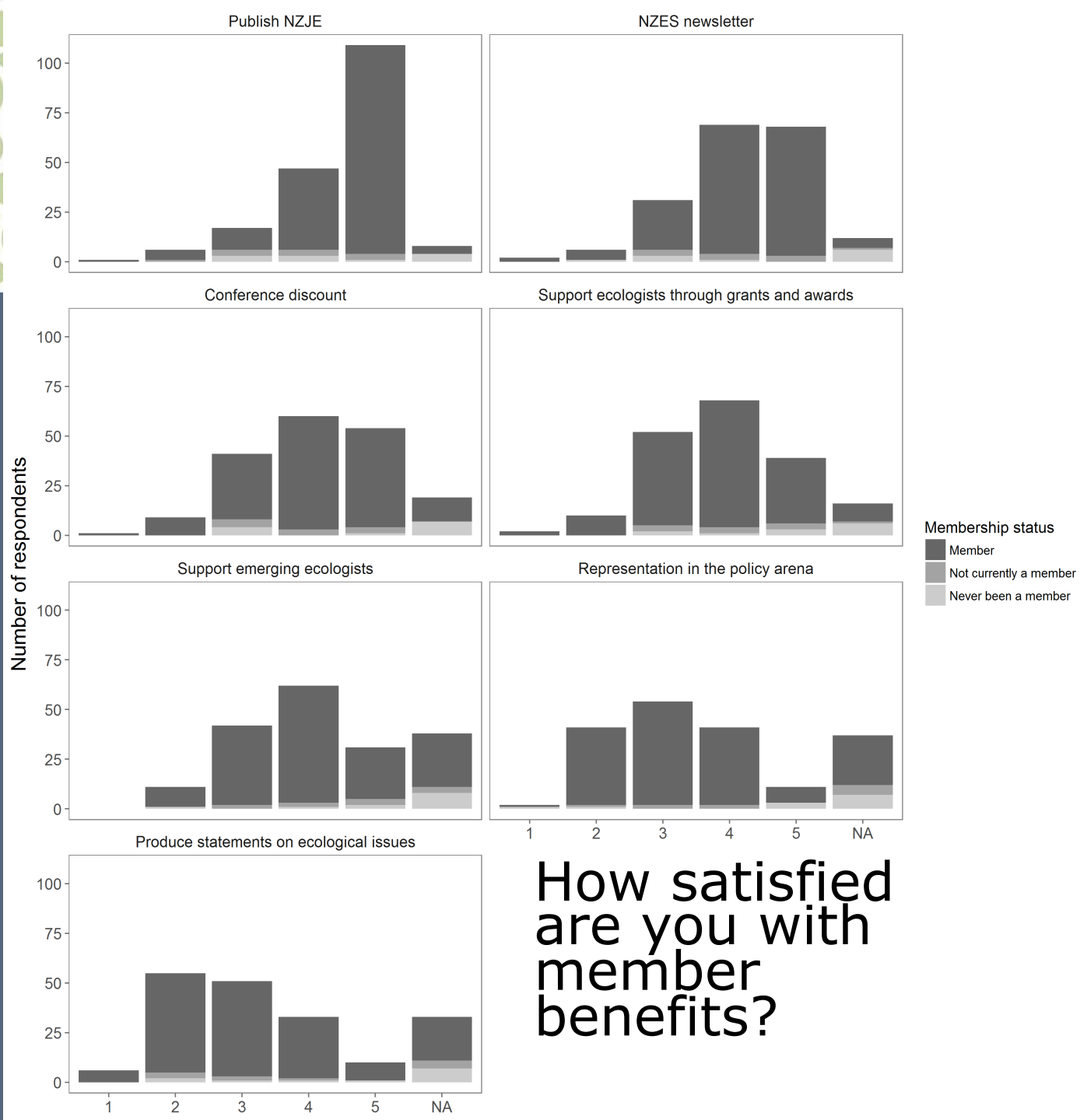
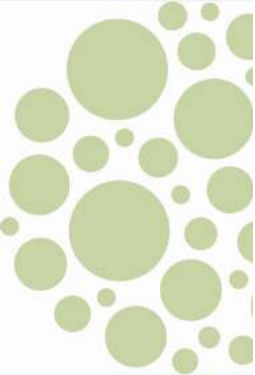
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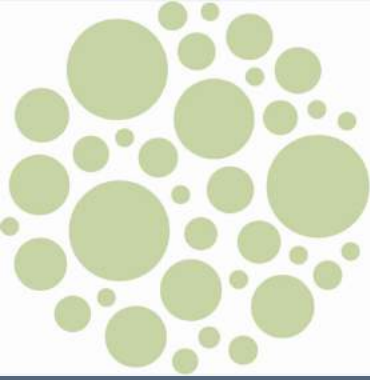


How well is NZES doing in achieving objectives

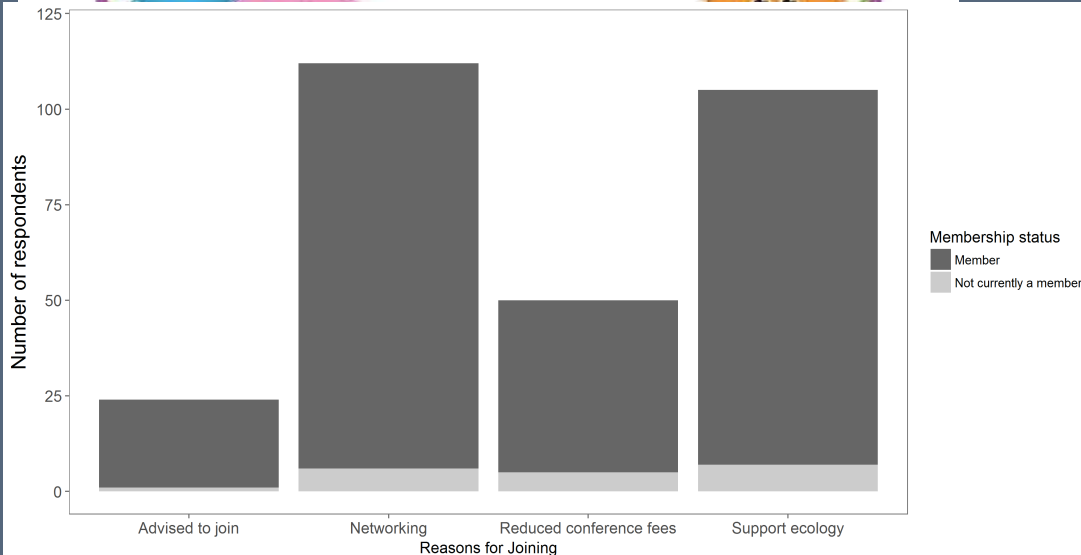




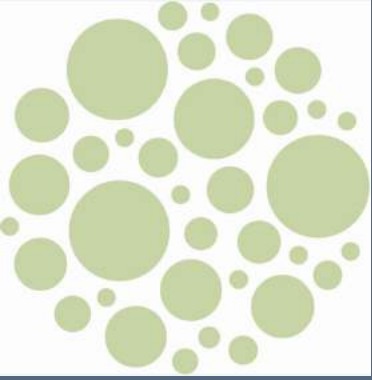




Member benefits



- Conference discount
- Discounted page charges
- Email updates
- Student conference support
- Student prizes
- Mentoring scheme coming soon



Let's continue the conversation

Ngā mihi nui

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