

## Some final thoughts about conservation

### Biodiversity matters

It should be studied and valued

“The conservation of biodiversity requires factual knowledge of particular organisms, yet we know little or nothing about most species, and organismal diversity is often poorly represented in biological education.”

Harry Greene (2004)

### People also matter

Unless people are included, we're fighting a losing battle

Conservation scientists need to learn how to work with people

### Think towards the future

Sustainability requires a long-term view that includes natural change

### Don't be afraid to **think big**

Donlan et al. (2005)

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