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Supplementary material

Appendix 1

1) Full description of species assignment to seed-dispersing guilds

To determine how the distribution of vertebrate seed dispersers compares to the plants that they disperse, we first assigned the birds and mammals of North America (north of Mexico) to two seed-dispersing guilds: frugivorous and scatter-hoarding seed dispersers. Animals were considered frugivorous seed dispersers if they consume fruits containing seeds as a significant portion of their diet, and the seeds remain viable after being either regurgitated or passed through the digestive tract. We excluded animals that eat lots of fleshy fruit but that do not disperse seeds, like the northern cardinals (*Cardinalis cardinalis*) and ruffed grouse (*Bonasa umbellus*), which eat fruit, but possess gizzards that destroy seeds by grinding them up. Additionally, animals that disperse seeds but do so infrequently (e.g. most members of the family Vireonidae), were excluded, as they are unlikely to influence plant-disperser coevolution in a significant way. Scatter-hoarding of seeds, which frequently results in a mutualism with plants, is limited to the bird family Corvidae and the mammal order Rodentia in North America (Vander Wall 1990). A species was considered a scatter-hoarder if seeds are a significant portion of its diet, it scatter-hoards them in soil, and there is a reasonable expectation that some of those seeds germinate.

Animals were identified to be frugivorous or scatter-hoarders through a combination of personal knowledge and the literature. For species that we suspected of being seed dispersers, we consulted the literature. This included Bird species accounts (American Ornithologist Union), Bent's Life History of Birds series (Bent, 1919-1968), and Mammalian species accounts (American Society of Mammalogists). In some cases we surveyed the primary literature. If no source provided evidence for frugivory or scatter-hoarding of seeds, we excluded the species from the list. The taxonomy of all species is based on current species lists published for birds and

mammals of North America (American Ornithologists' Union 1998; Wilson & Reeder 2005).

Our list of seed-dispersing vertebrates is intended to be comprehensive but the inclusion or exclusion of certain species is debatable. But we maintain that the inclusion or exclusion of a few species is unlikely to change our results in any meaningful way.

2) Raster Creation

All of the rasters were then masked to our geographic range of interest (North America, north of Mexico) using major land areas (largely excluding islands) from CIA World DataBank II (https://www.evl.uic.edu/pape/data/WDB/) in R library, mapdata (Brownrigg 2016). The master raster has a resolution of 1221 × 1077 longitude by latitude (573933 terrestrial cells evaluated), and an extent of 164.4167 °W–54.41667°W and 25.06667°N – 73.56667°N. Data were rasterized, overlaid, and projected using Program R (R Core Team 2014) with R libraries, maptools (Lewin-Koh *et al.* 2011), raster (Hijmans 2014), sp (Pebesma & Bivand 2005; Bivand *et al.* 2008), and rgdal (Keitt *et al.* 2014). Composite distribution maps were made for all mutualists (frugivores + scatter-hoarders), all frugivorous animals, frugivorous birds, frugivorous mammals, all scatter-hoarding animals, scatter-hoarding birds, and scatter-hoarding mammals.

For initial data analysis, we extracted the animal mutualist richness from the 197 sites used in Vander Wall & Moore (2016). To obtain richness, we used the extract function from the R library, Raster (Hijmans 2014). This function works by extracting specified data from a raster at given points. The latitude and longitude of the center (mean latitude and longitude) of each site was used as x, y coordinates for data extraction. The center of each site was deemed acceptable because the range maps of the included animals are not detailed enough to show significant differences within a given study site. Furthermore, we reviewed the species list for

both frugivorous and scatter-hoarding animals at each site to eliminate species that were supposedly present according to their range maps but were unlikely actually present due to elevational or ecological limitations.

Table A2: List of frugivorous animals broken up into frugivorous birds (top) and frugivorous mammals (bottom). Species are listed alphabetically by family then genus, order of species does not insinuate a species ability to disperse seeds via frugivory.

Table A3: List of scatter-hoarding animals broken up into scatter-hoarding birds (top) and scatter-hoarding rodents (bottom). For both scatter-hoarding birds and mammals only one family possesses scatter-hoarding behavior (Corvidae and Rodentia respectively), therefore species are listed alphabetically by genus. Order of species does not insinuate a species ability to disperse seeds via scatter-hoar

Table A4: Statistical results of GLS models and Monte Caro simulations for mutualisms (Z_{diff}) and environmental variables. An asterisk (*) signifies that the effect size is in units per 100 mm/yr AET and a double asterisk (**) signifies that the effect size is in units per 100 m elevation. Arrows signify if the relating ship is negative (downward arrow) or positive (upward arrow).

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Frugivorous Birds of North America Genus Species Family Common Name								
Bombycilla			Cedar Waxwing					
Bombycilla		-	Bohemian Waxwing					
Patagioenas		Columbidae	Band-tailed Pigeon					
Patagioenas		Columbidae	Red-billed Pigeon					
	leucocephala	Columbidae	White-crowned Pigeon					
	asiatica	Columbidae	White-winged Dove					
Aphelocoma		Corvidae	Scrub Jay					
	coerulescens	Corvidae	Florida Scrub Jay					
Aphelocoma	insularis	Corvidae	Island Scrub Jay					
Corvus	ossifragus	Corvidae	Fish Crow					
Corvus	brachyrhynchos	Corvidae	American Crow					
Corvus	caurinus	Corvidae	Northwestern Crow					
Cyanocitta	cristata	Corvidae	Blue Jay					
Cyanocitta	stelleri	Corvidae	Steller's Jay					
Gymnorhinus	cyanocephalus	Corvidae	Piñon Jay					
	canadensis	Corvidae	Gray Jay					
Pica	hudsonia	Corvidae	Black-billed Magpie					
Pica	nutalli	Corvidae	Yellow-billed Magpie					
Psilorhinus	morio	Corvidae	Brown Jay					
Crotophaga	sulcirostris	Cuculidae	Groove-billed Ani					
Crotophaga		Cuculidae	Smooth-billed Ani					
	bullockii	Icteridae	Bullock's Oriole					
Icterus	cucullatus	Icteridae	Hooded Oriole					
	galbula	Icteridae	Baltimore Oriole					
	gularis	Icteridae	Altamira Oriole					
	parisorum	Icteridae	Scott's Oriole					
	spurius	Icteridae	Orchard Oriole					
Quiscalus		Icteridae	Boat-tailed Grackle					
	mexicanus	Icteridae	Great-tailed Grackle					
Quiscalus		Icteridae	Common Grackle					
	carolinensis	Mimidae	Gray Catbird					
	polyglottos	Mimidae	Norther Mockingbird					
Oreoscoptes		Mimidae	Sage Thrasher					
Toxostoma		Mimidae	Bendire's Thrasher					
Toxostoma		Mimidae	Crissal Thrasher					
	curvirostre	Mimidae	Curve-billed Thrasher					
Toxostoma		Mimidae	California Thrasher					
Toxostoma		Mimidae	Brown Thrasher					
Dendroica		Parulidae	Yellow-rumped Warbler					
Icteria		Parulidae	Yellow-breasted Chat					
Melanerpes		Picidae	Golden-fronted Woodpecker					
Melanerpes		Picidae	Red-bellied Woodpecker					
	erthrocephalus	Picidae	Red-headed Woodpecker					
Melanerpes	*	Picidae	Lewis' Woodpecker					
Melanerpes		Picidae	Gila Woodpecker					
	carolinensis		Carolina Parakeet					
		Psittacidae Ptilogonatidae						
Phainopepla								
Piranga	•	Thraupidae	Hepatic Tanager					
Piranga	ludoviciana	Thraupidae	Western Tanager					

Piranga	olivacea	Thraupidae	Scarlet Tanager
Piranga		Thraupidae	Summer Tanager
Chamaea		Timalidae	Wren-tit
	elegans	Trogonidae	Elegant Trogan
Catharus		Turdidae	Bicknell's Thrush
	fuscescens	Turdidae	Veery
Catharus	V	Turdidae	Hermit Thrush
Catharus		Turdidae	Gray-cheecked Thrush
	ustulatus	Turdidae	Swainson's Thrush
Hylocichla		Turdidae	Wood Thrush
~	naevius	Turdidae	Varied Thrush
Myadestes		Turdidae	Townsend's Solitaire
_	currucoides	Turdidae	Mountain Bluebird
	mexicana	Turdidae	Western Bluebird
Sialia Sialia		Turdidae	Eastern Bluebird
		Turdidae	American Robin
Turaus	migratorius		
Conus	Species Species	S Mammais of 1	North America Common Name
Canis	latrans	Canidae	Coyote
	lupus	Canidae	Gray Wolf
	cinereoargenteus		Gray Fox
	macrotis	Canidae	Kit Fox
Vulpes		Canidae	Swift Fox
	vulpes	Canidae	Red Fox
	virginianus	Cervidae	White-tailed Deer
	novemcinctus	Dasypodidae	Armadillo
	virginiana	Didelphidae	Opossum
•	leuconotus	Mephitidae	North American Hog-nosed Skunk
	macroura	Mephitidae	Hooded Skunk
Mephitis		Mephitidae	Striped Skunk
Spilogale		Mephitidae	Western Spotted Skunk
Spilogale		Mephitidae	Eastern Spotted Skunk
Gulo		Mustelidae	Wolverine
	americana	Mustelidae	American Marten
	pennanti	Mustelidae	Fisher
Bassariscus		Procyonidae	Ringtail
	narica	Procyonidae	Coatis
Procyon		Procyonidae	Racoon
Pecari		Tayassuidae	Collared Peccary
Ursus	americanus arctos	Ursidae Ursidae	Black Bear Brown Bear

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Scatter-hoarding Corvids						
Genus	Species	Common Name				
Aphelocoma	californica	Western Scrub Jay				
Aphelocoma	coerulescens	Florida Scrub Jay				
Aphelocoma	insularis	Island Scrub Jay				
Aphelocoma	wollweberi	Mexican Jay				
Cyanocitta	cristata	Blue Jay				
Cyanocitta	stelleri	Steller's Jay				
Cyanocorax	yncas	Green Jay				
Gymnorhinus	cyanocephalus	Pinon Jay				
Nucifraga	columbiana	Clark's Nutcracker				
Psilorhinus	morio	Brown Jay				
	Scattter-h	oarding Rodents				
Genus	Species	Common name				
Ammospermophilus	harrisii	Harris' Antelope Squirrel				
Ammospermophilus	interpres	Texas Antelope Squirrel				
Ammospermophilus	leucurus	White-Tailed Antelope Squirrel				
Ammospermophilus	nelsoni	Nelson's Antelope Squirrel				
Chaetodipus	baileyi	Bailey's Pockey Mouse				
Chaetodipus	californicus	California Pocket Mouse				
Chaetodipus	eremicus	Chihuahuan Pocket Mouse				
Chaetodipus	fallax	San Diego Pockety Mouse				
Chaetodipus	formosus	Long-Tailed Pocket Mouse				
Chaetodipus	hispidus	Hispid Pocket Mouse				
Chaetodipus	intermedius	Rock Pocket Mouse				
Chaetodipus	nelsoni	Nelson's Pocket Mouse				
Chaetodipus	penicillatus	Desert Pocket Mouse				
Chaetodipus	rudinoris	Baja Pocket Mouse				
Chaetodipus	spinatus	Spiny Pocket Mouse				
Dipodomys	agilis	Agile Kangaroo Rat				
Dipodomys	Californicus	California Kangaroo Rat				
Dipodomys	compactus	Gulf Coast Kangaroo Rat				
Dipodomys	deserti	Desert Kangaroo Rat				
Dipodomys	elator	Texas Kangaroo Rat				
Dipodomys	heermanni	Heermanns' Kangaroo Rat				
Dipodomys	ingens	Giant Kangaroo Rat				
Dipodomys	merriami	Merriam's Kangaroo Rat				
Dipodomys	microps	Chisel-Toothed Kangaroo Rat				
Dipodomys	nitratoides	San Joaquin Kangaroo Rat				
Dipodomys	ordii	Ord's Kangaroo Rat				
Dipodomys	panamintinus	Panamint Kangaroo Rat				
Dipodomys	simulans	Dulzura Kangaroo Rat				
Dipodomys	spectabilis	Banner-Tailed Kangaroo Rat				
Dipodomys	stephensi	Stephens' Kangaroo Rat				
Dipodomys	venustus	Narrow-Faced Kangaroo Rat				
Liomys	irroratus	Mexican Spiny Pocket Mouse				

Microdipidops	megacephalus	Dark Kangaroo Mouse
Microdipidops	pallidus	Pale Kangaroo Mouse
Perognathus	alticolus	White-Eared Pocket Mouse
Perognathus	amplus	Arizona Pocket Mouse
Perognathus	fasciatus	Olive-Backed Pocket Mouse
Perognathus	flavescens	Plains Pocket Mouse
Perognathus	flavus	Silky Pocket Mouse
Perognathus	inornatus	San Joaquin Pocket Mouse
Perognathus	longimembris	Little Pocket Mouse
Perognathus	merriami	Merriam's Pocket Mouse
Perognathus	mollipilosus	Great Basin Pocket Mouse
Perognathus	parvus	Columbia Plateau Pocket Mouse
Peromyscus	attwateri	Texas Mouse
Peromyscus	boylii	Brush Mouse
Peromyscus	californicus	California Mouse
Peromyscus	crinitus	Canyon Mouse
Peromyscus	eremiscus	Cactus Mouse
Peromyscus	fraterculus	Northern Baja Mouse
Peromyscus	gossypinus	Cotton Mouse
Peromyscus	gratus	Osgood's Mouse
Peromyscus	keeni	Keen's Mouse
Peromyscus	leucopus	White-Footed Mouse
Peromyscus	melanotis	Black-eared Mouse
Peromyscus	maniculatus	American Deer Mouse
Peromyscus	merriami	Mesquite Mouse
Peromyscus	nasutus	Norther Rock Mouse
Peromyscus	pectoralis	White-Ankled Mouse
Peromyscus	polionotus	Oldfield Mouse
Peromyscus	truei	Pinon Mouse
Sciurus	aberti	Tassel-Eared Squirrel
Sciurus	arizonensis	Arizona Gray Squirrel
Sciurus	carolinensis	Eastern Gray Squirrel
Sciurus	griseus	Western Gray Squirrel
Sciurus	nayaritensis	Mexican Fox Squirrel
Sciurus	niger	Eastern Fox Squirrel
Spermophilus	lateralis	Golden-mantled Ground Squirrel
Spermophilus	saturatus	Cascade Golden-mantled Ground Squirrel
Spermophilus	spilosoma	Spotted Ground Squirrel
Spermophilus	tridecemlineatus	Thirteen-lined Ground Squirrel
Tamias	alpinus	Alpine Chipmunk
Tamias	amoenus	Yellow-Pine Chipmunk
Tamias	canipes	Gray-Footed Chipmunk
Tamias	cinereicollis	Gray-Collared Chipmunk
Tamias	dorsalis	Cliff Chipmunk
Tamias	merriami	Merriam's Chipmunk
Tamias	minimus	Least Chipmunk
Tamias	obscurus	California Chipmunk

Tamias	palmeri	Palmer's Chipmunk
Tamias	panamintinus	Panamin Chipmunk
Tamias	quadrimaculatus	Long-Eared Chipmunk
Tamias	quadrivittatus	Colorado Chipmunk
Tamias	ruficaudus	Red-Tailed Chipmunk
Tamias	rufus	Hopi Chipmunk
Tamias	senex	Allen's Chipmunk
Tamias	siskiyou	Siskiyou Chipmunk
Tamias	sonomae	Sonoma Chipmunk
Tamias	speciousus	Lodgepole Chipmunk
Tamias	townsendii	Townsend's Chipmunk
Tamias	umbrinus	Uinta Chipmunk

Table A4:

T 1 1	Dependent	Regression Models					Monte Carlo Simulations					
Independent Variable	Variable (Z _{diff})	Spatially correlated?	Fit	F-statistic	p-value	Effect s	ize	\mathbb{R}^2	Spatially correlated?	p-value (estimated)	rho	•
	Frugivory											
	Birds and plants	Yes	Gaussian	1.14	0.29	0.12		0.01	Yes	0.14	0.21	
	Mammals and plants	Yes	Gaussian	0.81	0.37	0.12		0.04	Yes	0.25	0.17	
Precipitation	Scatter-Hoarding											
	Birds and plants	Yes	Gaussian	41.52	0.00	0.60		0.05	Yes	0.10	0.22	
	Rodents and plants	Yes	Gaussian	124.20	0.00	1.21		0.39	Yes	0.02	0.41	1
	Frugivory											
	Birds and plants	Yes	Gaussian	1.61	0.21	0.08*		-0.08	Yes	0.21	0.21	
4 F/F	Mammals and plants	Yes	Gaussian	2.48	0.12	0.11*		0.13	Yes	0.07	0.37	
AET	Scatter-Hoarding											
	Birds and plants	Yes	Gaussian	130.67	0.00	0.29*		0.23	Yes	0.00	0.58	
	Rodents and plants	Yes	Gaussian	252.95	0.00	.33*		0.26	Yes	0.00	0.70	1
	Frugivory	105	Guassian	232.75	0.00	.55		0.20	1 05	0.00	0.70	
	Birds and plants	Yes	Gaussian	0.97	0.33	0.1**		-0.54	Yes	0.00	-0.45	•
	Mammals	103	Guussian	0.57	0.55	0.1		0.54	103	0.00	0.43	
	and plants	Yes	Gaussian	0.08	0.78	0.003**		0.01	Yes	0.07	0.37	
Elevation	Scatter-Hoarding											
	Birds and plants	Yes	Gaussian	3.03	0.08	0.11**		0.09	Yes	0.00	-0.50	1
	Rodents											
	and plants	Yes	Gaussian	15.09	0.00	0.11**	T	0.19	Yes	0.00	-0.52	
latitude	Frugivory											
	Birds and plants	Yes	Gaussian	23.37	0.00	0.06		0.31	Yes	0.15	0.30	
	Mammals											
	and plants	Yes	Gaussian	0.94	0.33	-0.16		-0.26	Yes	0.35	-0.14	
latitude	Scatter-Hoarding											
	Birds and plants	Yes	Gaussian	3.54	0.06	0.02		0.00	Yes	0.15	-0.23	
	Rodents and plants	Yes	Gaussian	1.15	0.22	0.01		-0.01	Yes	0.29	-0.15	

Figure A5: Richness of seed-dispersal mutualism with birds. The left panels are the distribution of plants involved in each category of seed dispersal mutualism with birds after Vander Wall et al. (2017). The middle panel is the richness distribution of birds involved in each category of seed dispersal mutualisms, and the right panel is the difference between plant and bird richness (Z_{diff}) involved in each category of mutualisms. In the left and middle panels, the legend represents the number of plants or birds at any given locations. While in the right panel the legend represents the relative difference in richness between plants and birds.

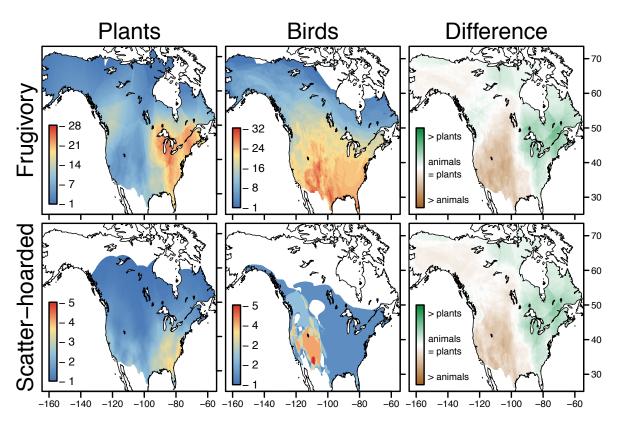
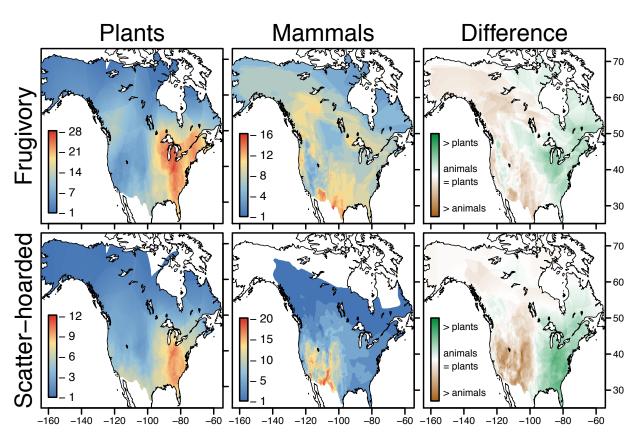


Figure A6: Richness of seed-dispersal mutualisms with mammals. The left panels are the distribution of plants involved in each category of seed dispersal mutualism with mammals after Vander Wall et al. (2017). The middle panel is the richness distribution of mammals involved in each category of seed dispersal mutualisms, and the right panel is the difference between plant and mammal richness ($Z_{\rm diff}$) involved in each category of mutualisms. In the left and middle panels, the legend represents the number of plants or mammals at any given locations. While in the right panel the legend represents the relative difference in richness between plants and mammals. Note: For seed-dispersal mutualisms, the only mammals that form this mutualism are from the family Rodentia.



SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION—SPATIAL RANDOMIZATIONS

Included in this document are the results from the complete (A7–10) and structured (A11–14) spatial randomizations. The methods are described in *Materials and Methods*, *§Data Analysis* of the paper, and the code to recreate the analysis and figures can be found at https://github.com/dispersing/SpatialRandomizations.

Figure A6 shows an example of an observed pattern (column 1) and 10 complete randomizations (rows 1 and 2) and 10 structured randomizations (rows 3 and 4). Figures A7–10 show the results for the complete randomizations of the correlations between animal and environmental variables (A6), the animal and plant variables (A8), the difference in richness and environmental variables (A9), and the plant and environmental variables (A10). Figures A11–14 show the results for the structured randomizations of the correlations between animal and environmental variables (A11), the animal and plant variables (A12), the difference in richness and environmental variables (A13), and the plant and environmental variables (A14). Variables names translate:

- I. Environmental variables
 - a. aet: actual evapotranspiration
 - b. dem: elevation
 - c. ppt: precipitation
 - d. lat: latitude
- II. Animal variables
 - a. a.mut: all mutualist animals
 - b. a.hoard: hoarding animal guild
 - c. a.frug: fruigivorous animal guild
 - d. a.hoard.rod: hoarding rodent subguild
 - e. a.hoard.bird: hoarding bird subguild
 - f. a.frug.mamm: frugivorous mammal subguild
 - g. a.frug.bird: frugivorous bird subguild
- III. Plant variables
 - a. p.mut: all mutualist plants
 - b. p.hoard: hoarded plant guild
 - c. p.frug: fruigivory plant guild
 - d. p.hoard.rod: rodent-hoarded plant subguild
 - e. p.hoard.bird: bird-hoarded plant subguild
 - f. p.frug.mamm: mammal frugivory plant subguild
 - g. p.frug.bird: bird frugivory plant subguild
- IV. Richness difference
 - a. d.mut: difference in richness of all mutualists
 - b. d.hoard: difference in richness of the hoarding guild
 - c. d.frug: difference in richness of the frugivory guild
 - d. d.hoard.rod: difference in richness of the rodent hoarding subguild
 - e. d.hoard.bird: difference in richness of the bird hoarding subguild
 - f. d.frug.mamm: difference in richness of the mammal frugivory subguild
 - g. d.frug.bird: difference in richness of the bird frugivory subguild

Figure A6. An example of an observed pattern (column 1, "Original data") and 10 complete randomizations (rows 1 and 2) and 10 structured randomizations (rows 3 and 4). This example is to visually demonstrate to the reader the difference between the two tests. The latter preserves the spatial autocorrealtive structure and is therefore a more rigorous statistical test.

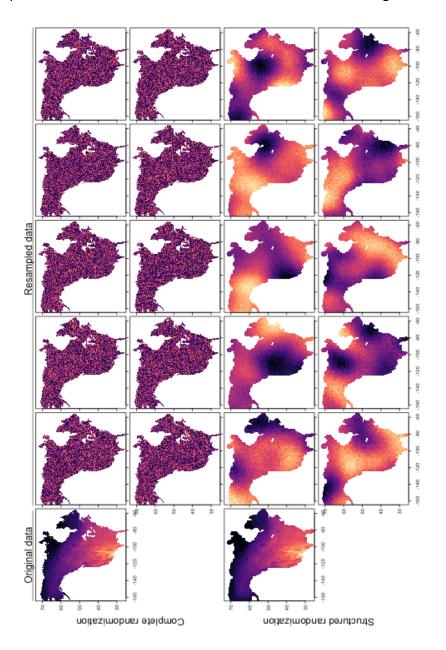


Figure A7. Results for the complete randomizations of the correlations between animal and environmental variables. Every randomization in each comparison had an observed value more extreme than all of randomizations, meaning all had an estimated p-value, $\hat{p} = 0$.

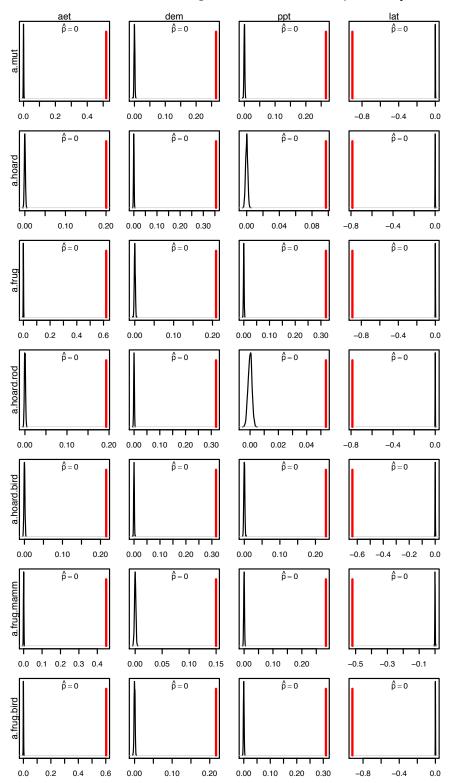


Figure A8. Results for the complete randomizations of the correlations between animal and plant variables. Every randomization in each comparison had an observed value more extreme than all of randomizations, meaning all had an estimated p-value, $\hat{p} = 0$.

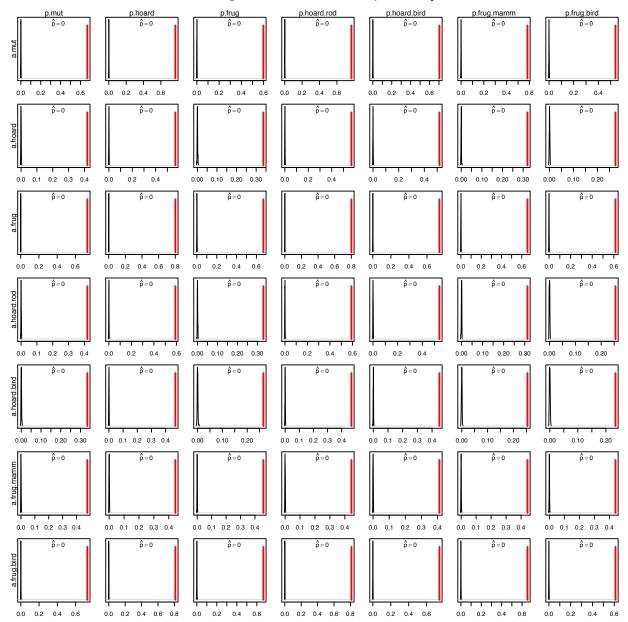


Figure A9. Results for the complete randomizations of the correlations between difference in richness and environmental variables. Every randomization in each comparison had an observed value more extreme than all of randomizations, meaning all had an estimated p-value, $\hat{p} = 0$.

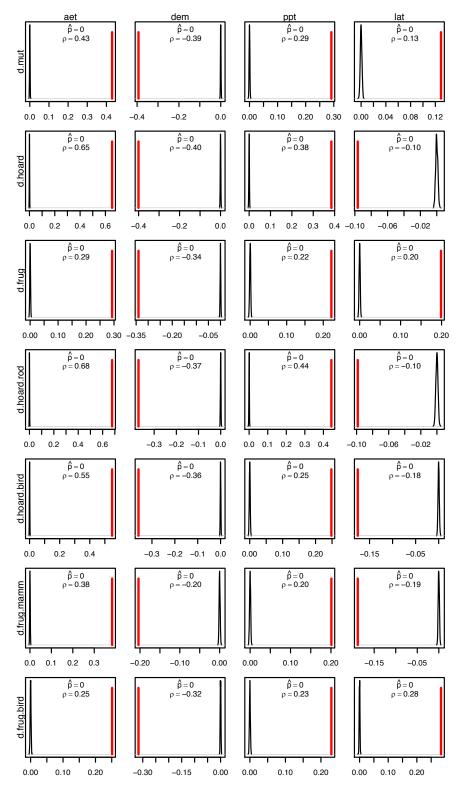


Figure A10. Results for the complete randomizations of the correlations between plant and environmental variables. Every randomization in each comparison had an observed value more extreme than all of randomizations, meaning all had an estimated p-value, $\hat{p} = 0$.

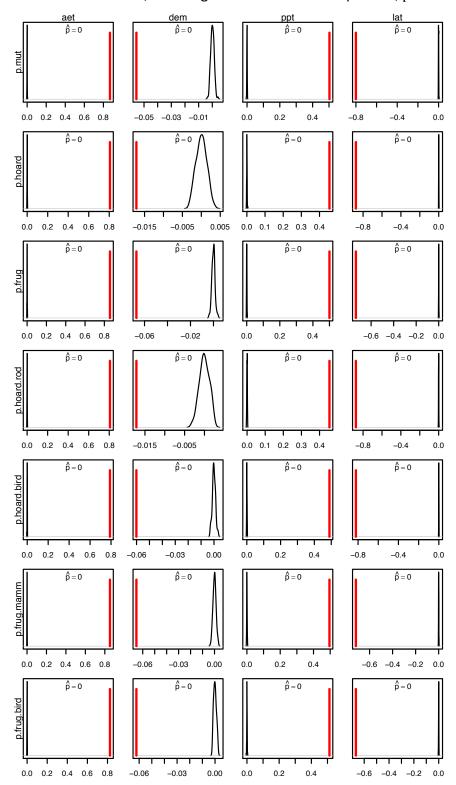


Figure A11. Results for the structured randomizations of the correlations between animal and environmental variables. Within each panel, the distribution represents the randomized Spearman's correlation coefficient, ρ ; vertical black lines represent the observed Spearman's correlation coefficient, ρ^* ; shaded areas represent parts of the distribution that were more extreme than ρ^* ; the \hat{p} is the randomizations $\geq \rho^*$; and if $\leq 5\%$ of the randomizations were more extreme than ρ^* then we interpret that as statistically significant and color the statistical font red rather than black.

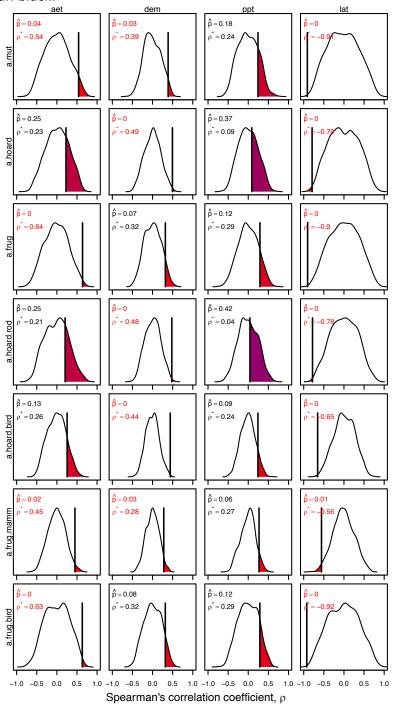


Figure A12. Results for the structured randomizations of the correlations between animal and plant variables. Within each panel, the distribution represents the randomized Spearman's correlation coefficient, ρ ; vertical black lines represent the observed Spearman's correlation coefficient, ρ^* ; shaded areas represent parts of the distribution that were more extreme than ρ^* ; the \hat{p} is the randomizations $\geq \rho^*$; and if $\leq 5\%$ of the randomizations were more extreme than ρ^* then we interpret that as statistically significant and color the statistical font red rather than black.

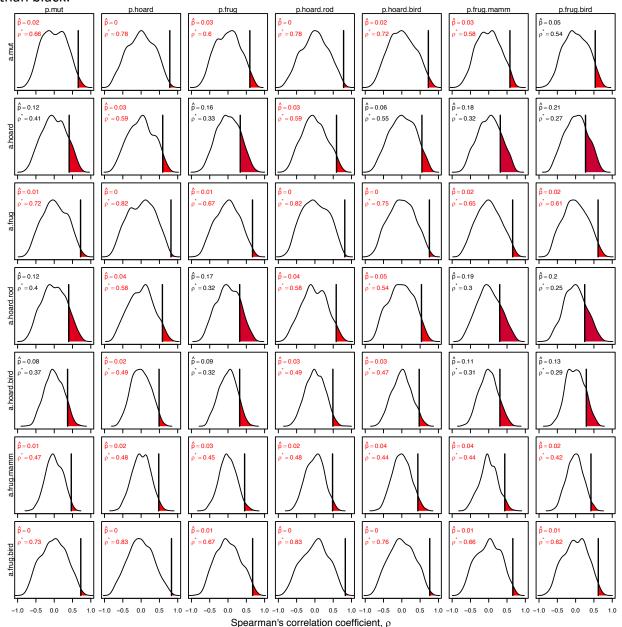


Figure A13. Results for the structured randomizations of the correlations between the difference in richness and environmental variables. Within each panel, the distribution represents the randomized Spearman's correlation coefficient, ρ ; vertical black lines represent the observed Spearman's correlation coefficient, ρ^* ; shaded areas represent parts of the distribution that were more extreme than ρ^* ; the \hat{p} is the randomizations $\geq \rho^*$; and if $\leq 5\%$ of the randomizations were more extreme than ρ^* then we interpret that as statistically significant and color the statistical font red rather than black.

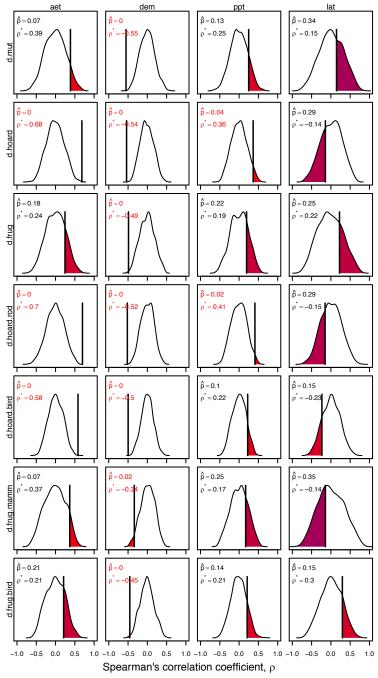


Figure A14. Results for the structured randomizations of the correlations between the plant and environmental variables. Within each panel, the distribution represents the randomized Spearman's correlation coefficient, ρ ; vertical black lines represent the observed Spearman's correlation coefficient, ρ^* ; shaded areas represent parts of the distribution that were more extreme than ρ^* ; the \hat{p} is the randomizations $\geq \rho^*$; and if $\leq 5\%$ of the randomizations were more extreme than ρ^* then we interpret that as statistically significant and color the statistical font red rather than black.

