**Project Update: May 2016**

The project surveys led to discovery of five new species and one new genus. Images are attached for the Rufford website. Here is a list of publications form the survey and there are several more in review or in press of which I shall update you soon.

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*Chiromachetes sahyadriensis* *Heligmomerus maximus*



*Eublepharis satpuraensis*



*Orientothele alyratus Thaicharmus guptai*