



Figure S40. Stage-specificity of *P. falciparum* lncRNAs as compared to mRNAs. (A) The distribution of specificity scores for each transcript class indicated that intergenic lncRNAs (red) and antisense RNAs (blue) typically had higher specificity scores than annotated mRNAs (black). However, when we considered only lowly expressed mRNAs, we found that the 1619 annotated mRNAs with an average FPKM of less than 20 (orange) had a comparable distribution of specificity scores to lncRNAs. (B) As in panel A, except that the cumulative distribution of specificity scores is plotted.