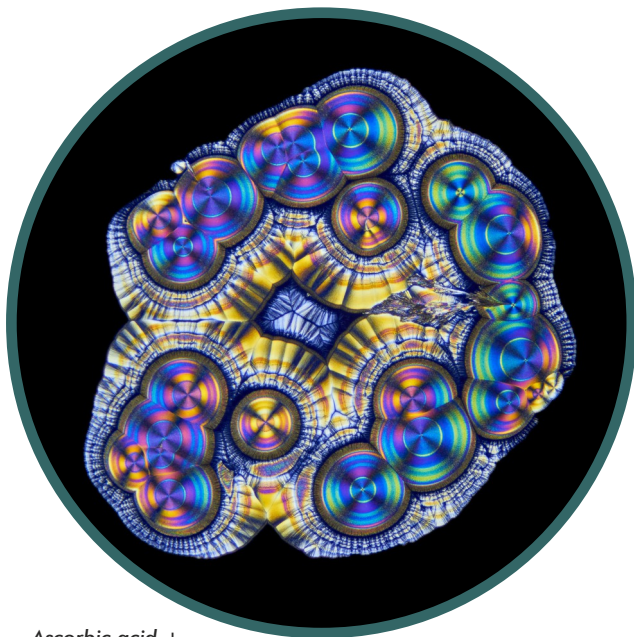


Digital Imaging

One of the joys and challenges of optical microscopy is trying to record what you can see!

Members are constantly trying out different lights, coloured and polarising filters and many other techniques to find new ways of revealing details, information and beauty within samples

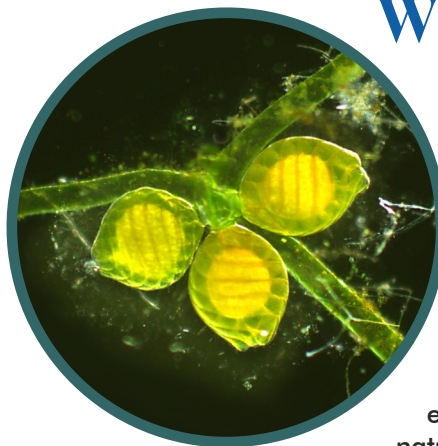
With the widespread availability of digital cameras and software developed for microscopy, it is now possible to capture amazing images with the microscope. Some of the most skilled photomicrographers are Club members and freely share their knowledge.



Ascorbic acid +
Beta alanine

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Bottom - Roman glass **Back:** Nitella capillaris oogonia

Who Are We?



Founded in 1865, the Quekett Microscopical Club is second only in seniority to the Royal Microscopical Society.

The first members deliberately chose to call themselves a 'Club' rather than a society to emphasise the amateur nature of the membership.

We are amateurs and professionals dedicated to optical microscopy and form both a registered charity to promote microscopy and a pool of expertise on the microscope!

Join Us

The Benefits:

- You receive our two Bulletins and two issues of the Journal each year.
- Access the members' area of our website, where you can watch lectures, see illustrations and study slides from the collection and documents from our archives.
- A library and loan slide collection (UK members only) and a range of books and sundries for sale.
- A warm invitation to meetings - lots of dates and places, including online.

All this and more for only £35 per annum for UK residents, £12 if you are under 21yrs of age and £45 for overseas members!

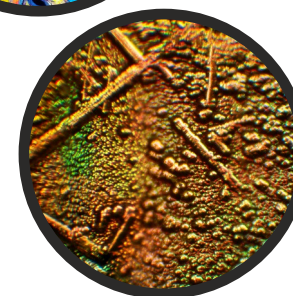
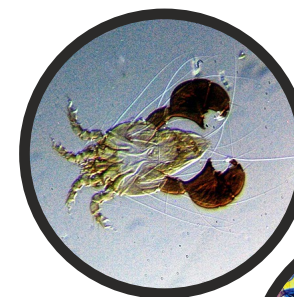
Contact the Quekett Microscopical Club

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To join: use the links at www.quekett.org

or write to: QMC C/O Honorary Secretary
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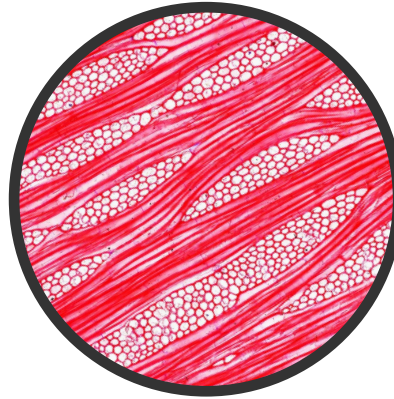
Publications

We have published the **Quekett Journal of Microscopy** continuously for 150 years, with articles on aspects of microscopy from techniques, specimen preparation, applications and original research, through to the history of microscopy. The Journal is issued twice a year, with archival record available on USB stick.

The Bulletin is an informal publication with short technical articles, news of events and records of meetings and any other matters of interest to the microscopist.

The Club website www.quekett.org provides a wide range of information on microscopes and their use, both for those starting out and the more experienced.

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Meetings

The Club arranges a full programme of meetings throughout the year. Key lectures are held in London, gossip, sales and demonstration meetings at a wide variety of locations, including online.

The Club's Annual Exhibition of Microscopy at the Natural History Museum is a major event in the world for amateur microscopists, where members display their work and meet friends old and new.

Workshop events, from half-days to residential weekends, are held each year. They provide tuition by experts in various aspects of microscopical practice and longer opportunities to discuss equipment and share ideas and innovative techniques.

Biodiversity

The Quekett represents all who are involved in taxonomy and biodiversity studies of microscopic life and the Club has several international experts amongst our membership.

We arrange field excursions each year and our Quekett Journal of Microscopy provides a fast way of publishing results.

Social Media

The Club's website provides a wide range of information on the Club and its activities, both for members and the public with its Members only and Open Access areas.

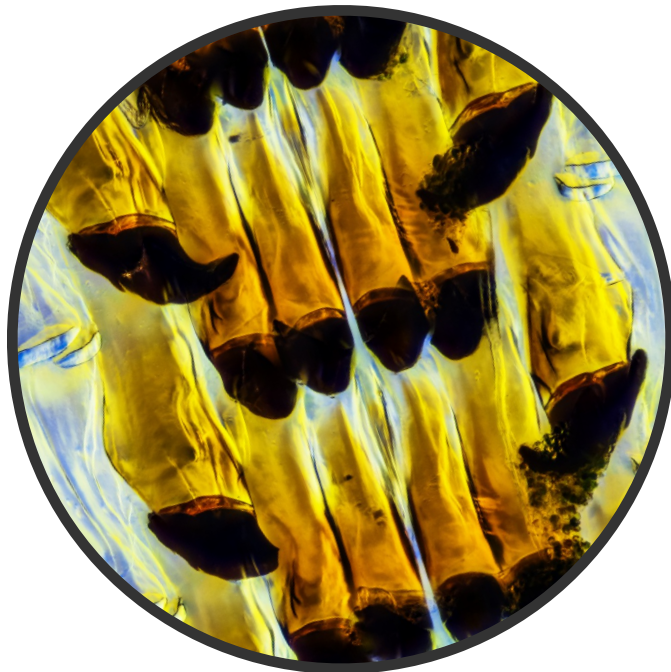
Our Facebook page allows microscopists to share information, ask questions and describe work in progress. It also publicises future events and other items of interest to microscopists.

Our Twitter account provides reminders and updates on our many and varied activities.

Visit us at www.quekett.org, <https://facebook.com/groups/QuekettMicro/> or @QuekettMicro

Historical

The Club is the foremost organisation world-wide for the history of the microscope and micro-technique. Many members are knowledgeable collectors of Victorian microscopes and slides and the Quekett Journal of Microscopy regularly publishes well researched articles on the many aspects of historical microscopy.



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Historic slides in the Quekett collection