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Minichalara W.P. Wu & Y.Z. Diao

Wu & Diao (2023) discussed species in a number of genera within *Neolauriomycetaceae* that have *Chalara*-like asexual states. Two of the species (*Minichalara aseptata* and *M. microspora*) formed a phylogenetically distinct clade that Wu & Diao (2023) accepted as *Minichalara*. Morphologically *Minichalara* is characterized by reduced conidiophores composed of a short basal stalk and a terminal phialide in pale brown colour, obclavate to lageniform phialides, abrupt transition from a long venter to a short collarete, and hyaline, aseptate and cylindrical conidia. It differs from *Chalara* s. s. in having reduced conidiophores, obclavate to lageniform phialides, and narrower conidia (Wu & Diao 2023).

References

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