

A new graptolite, intermediate between the Tuboidea and the Camaroidea

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A new tuboid graptolite, *Camarotubus graptocamaraeformis* gen. et sp.n., is described from a calcareous erratic boulder of middle Ordovician (Caradoc?) age from Poland. This encrusting form combines characters of both the tuboid and the camaroid graptolites, and is regarded as a purely morphological intermediate between them. This finding supports Kozłowski's (1949) concept of a close phylogenetic relationship between the orders Tuboidea and Camaroidea.

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