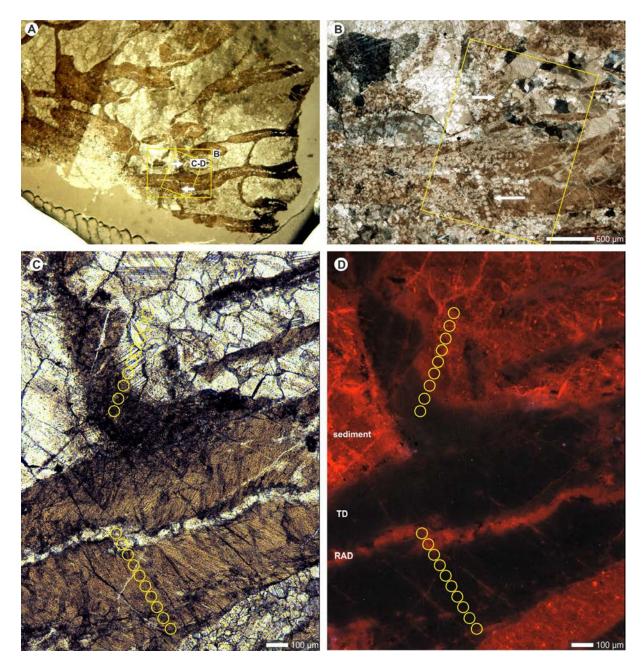
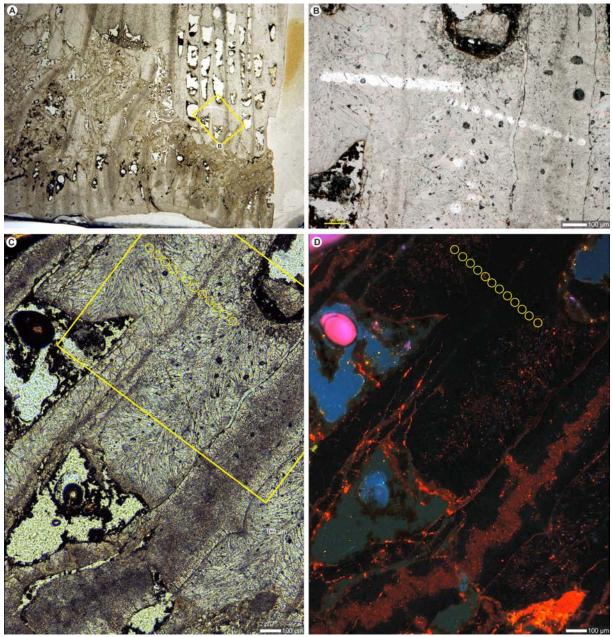


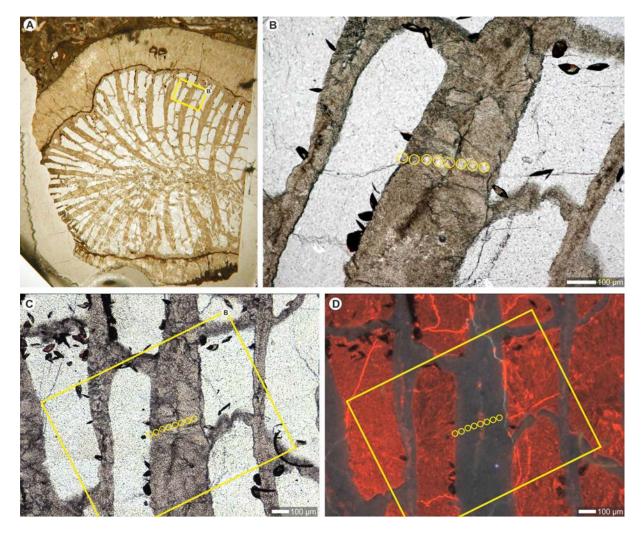
**Figure EA9a**. Structural characterization and assessment of diagenetic alteration in optical, transmitted light (A-D) and cathodoluminesence (D) microscopes. Thin section of the skeleton of the K2 specimen. Arrow in A indicate pits of ion microprobe primary beam (enlarged in B, C). Zoomed-in area (D, E) show corresponding optical light (D) and cathodoluminescence (E) images: red luminescence corresponds to regions composed of calcite (mostly sediment/secondary infilling of interseptal space), whereas the absence of luminescence corresponds to the well preserved aragonite skeleton.



**Figure EA9b.** Structural characterization and assessment of diagenetic alteration in optical, transmitted light (A-C) and cathodoluminesence (D) microscopes. Thin section of the skeleton of the Upper Triassic (Rhaetian) *Stylophyllopsis rudis*, Fischerwiese, Austria (Tr1 specimen). Arrows in A, B indicate pits of ion microprobe primary beam (yellow circles in C, D). Zoomed-in areas (C,D) show corresponding optical light (C) and cathodoluminescence (D) images: red luminescence corresponds to regions composed of calcite (secondary infilling of COCs/Rapid Accretion Deposits (RAD) and sediment/sparry calcite), whereas the absence of luminescence corresponds to well preserved coral fibers (Thickening deposits, TD).



**Figure EA9c**. Structural characterization and assessment of diagenetic alteration in optical, transmitted light (A-C) and cathodoluminesence (D) microscopes. Thin section of the skeleton of *Rennensismilia complanata* (K3 specimen). B Pits of ion microprobe primary beam (in yellow in C, D). Zoomed-in area (C, D) shows corresponding optical light (C) and cathodoluminescence (D) images: red luminescence corresponds to regions composed of calcite (mostly sediment/secondary infilling of COC/RAD), whereas the absence of luminescence corresponds to the well preserved aragonite skeleton.



**Figure EA9d**. Structural characterization and assessment of diagenetic alteration in optical, transmitted light (A-C) and cathodoluminesence (D) microscopes. Thin section of the skeleton of *Volzeiidae* ident. (R3). B Pits of ion microprobe primary beam (in yellow in B-D). Zoomed-in area (C, D) shows corresponding optical light (C) and cathodoluminescence (D) images: red luminescence corresponds to regions composed of calcite (mostly sediment/secondary infilling of COC/RAD).