

## **Quintessence Photonics Corporation (QPC) Retains Capital Group Communications, Inc. for Investor Relations**

### **Timing Coincides With Implementation of Market Launch**

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Quintessence Photonics Corporation announced today that it has retained Capital Group Communications, Inc. (CGC) to provide professional investor relations services. CGC will provide assistance in furnishing essential shareholder information as key strategic business activities develop. The decision to engage CGC was based on the skills and ability of Capital Group to effectively communicate with investors and the financial community.

We believe that the services provided by CGC will be valuable to our business and shareholders," stated George Lintz, Chief Financial Officer of QPC. "Our primary business efforts are focused on developing and producing next generation high-power, high-brightness semiconductor lasers for multi-billion dollar global industrial, military, homeland security and medical markets. CGC will provide timely communication to our investors and their highly respected broker and financial network regarding Quintessence Photonics and our joint business developments."

With offices in the San Francisco Bay area and San Diego, California, CGC provides public relations, media and investor relations services, with a primary emphasis on broker and shareholder communications. Capital Group operates from a respected business model that foregoes salaries, hourly rates and expenses for restricted stock. See [www.capitalgc.com](http://www.capitalgc.com)

"CGC is pleased to represent Quintessence Photonics and we are committed to effectively communicating and presenting the QPC story to our network of brokers, financial newsletters, top industry specific analysts, print and media specialists in addition to QPC shareholders," said Devin J. Bosch, chief executive officer of Capital Group Communications, Inc.

Shareholders and investors are encouraged to contact Mark Bernhard, Gregory Sprague or Anthony Evans at Capital Group Communications today at (415) 332-7200 or feel free to email the company at [QPC@capitalgc.com](mailto:QPC@capitalgc.com).

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### **About Quintessence Photonics Corporation**

Quintessence Photonics Corporation is a world leader in the development and commercialization of high brightness, high power semiconductor lasers for the industrial, defense, and medical markets. Founded in the year 2000, Quintessence is vertically integrated from epitaxy through packaging and performs all critical fabrication processes at its state-of-the-art high-technology facility in the Los Angeles suburb of Sylmar, CA.

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