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*Minuartia*

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*Minuartia* commemorates a Spanish physician and botanist, Juan Minuart (1693-1768), who practised medicine first in Barcelona and then was a professor at the botanic garden in Madrid. His published works included *Illustrissimae regiae physico-medicae Matritensi Academiae ... Cotyledon hispanica* (1739) .