

# Qt Citation Program – An Overview

## What is Qt Citation Program?

Qt Citation Program aims to help the user format his/her citations in a more automated way. The program focuses on formatting the data given by the user to a complete citation, ready to be pasted into school/university projects and academic papers! Qt Citation Program is free and open source software, licensed under GPLv3.

This piece of software allows users to cite papers, books and in-book chapters in both the Harvard and APA citation standards, supporting up to 10 authors for papers and up to 3 authors for books.

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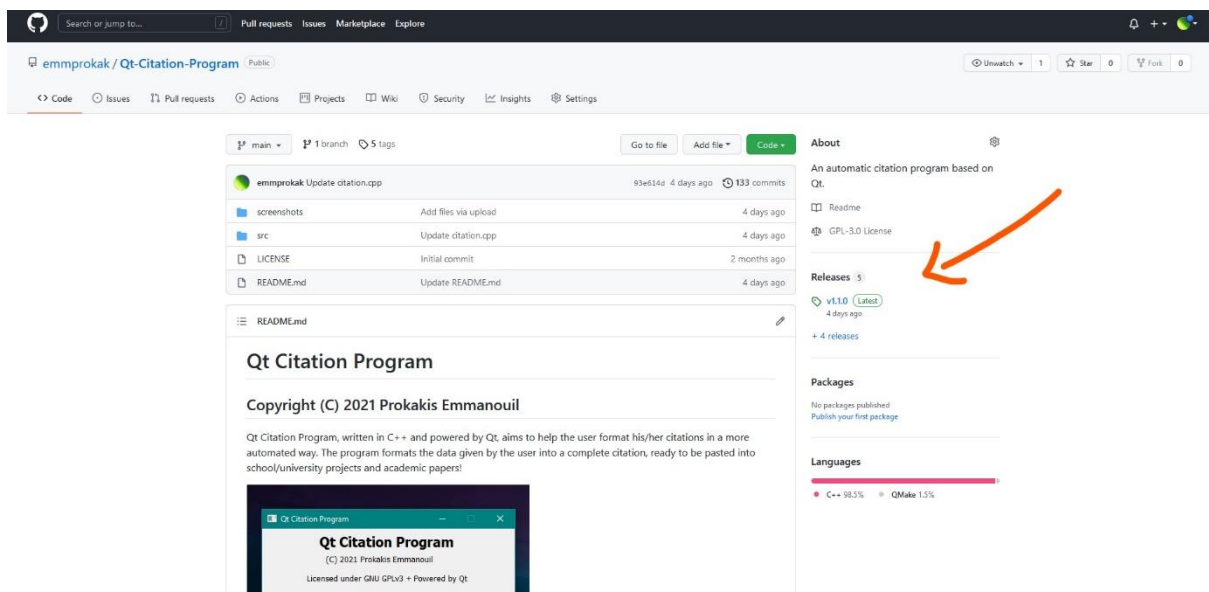
Please note that this program comes without any warranty!

## Installation

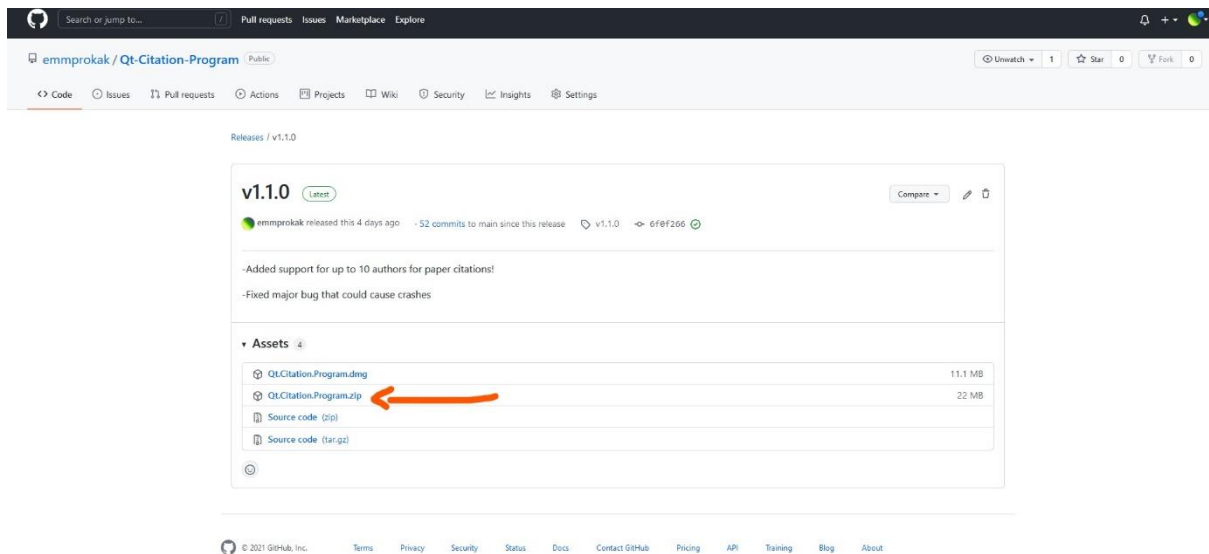
For Windows:

**Step 1:** go to <https://github.com/emmprokak/Qt-Citation-Program>

**Step 2:** being at the top of the page, look to the right where you will find the “releases” area. Click on the release of the program.



**Step 3:** Click on Qt.Citation.Program.zip in order to download it

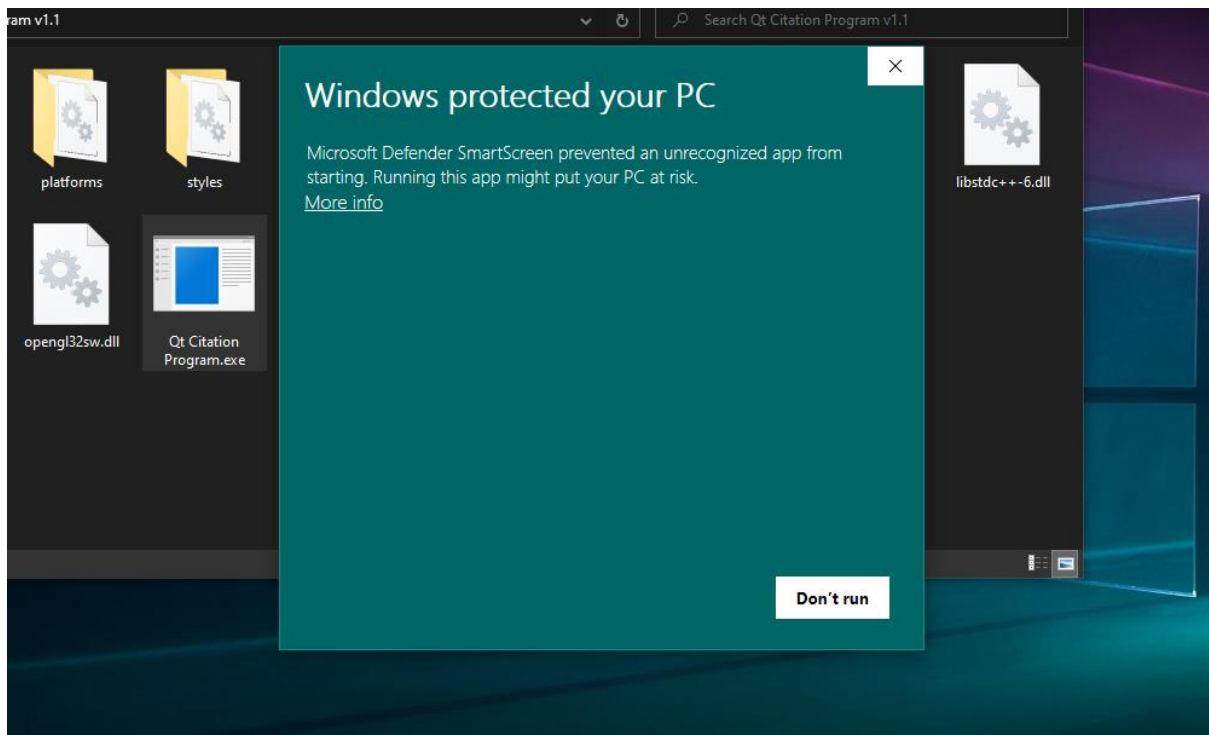


**Step 4:** Open the zip file you just downloaded and drag and drop the folder inside of the zip file on your desktop.

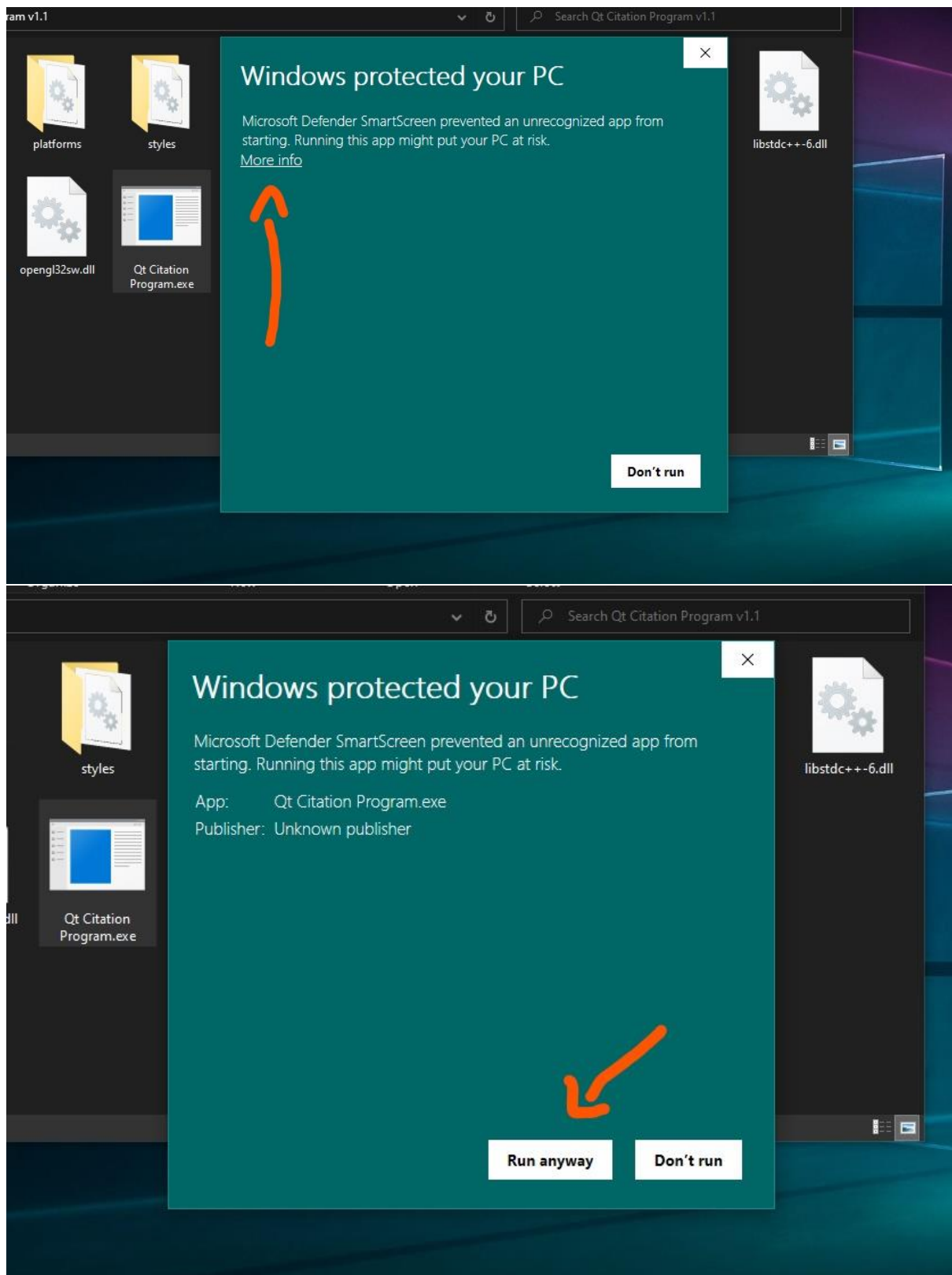
**Step 5:** From inside the Qt Citation Program folder on your desktop, run “Qt Citation Program.exe” and everything must be working properly. The application needs to be inside that folder to run.

**Step 6 (in case Windows Defender blocks the program from running):**

If you get this message



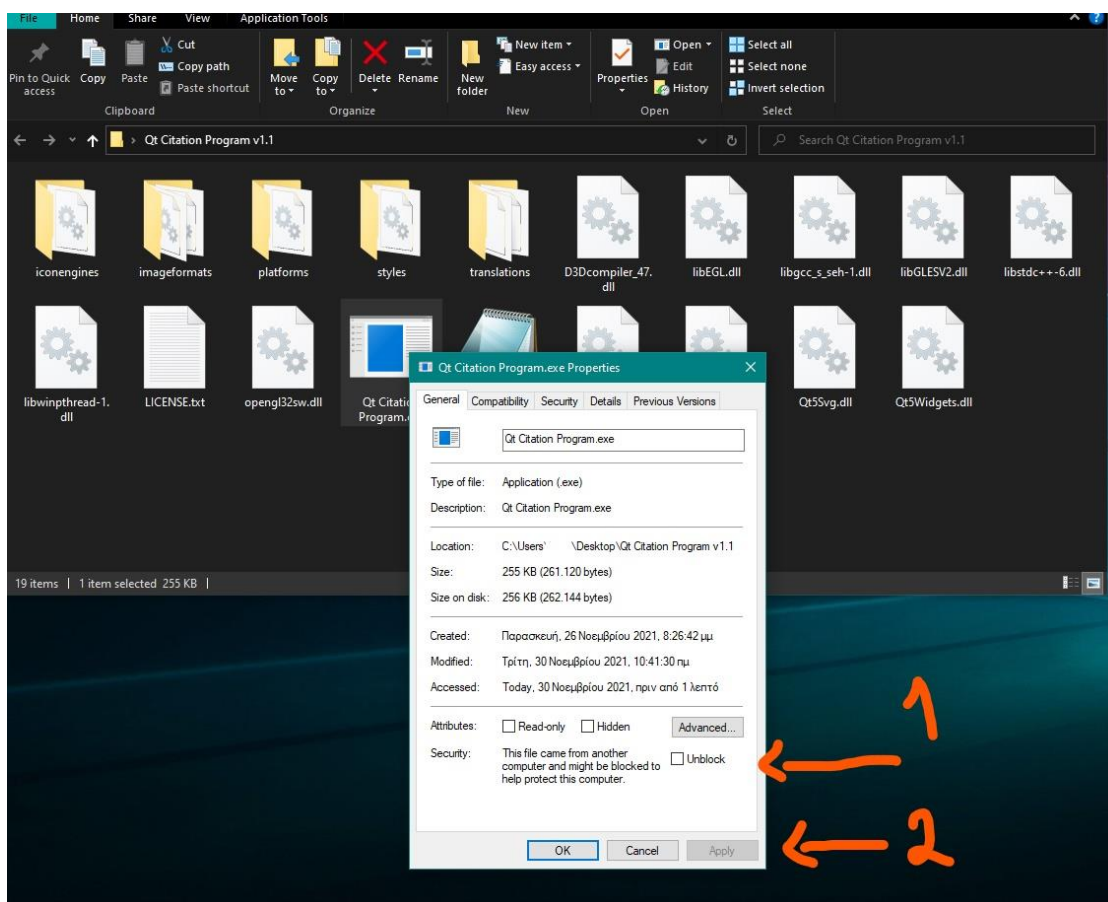
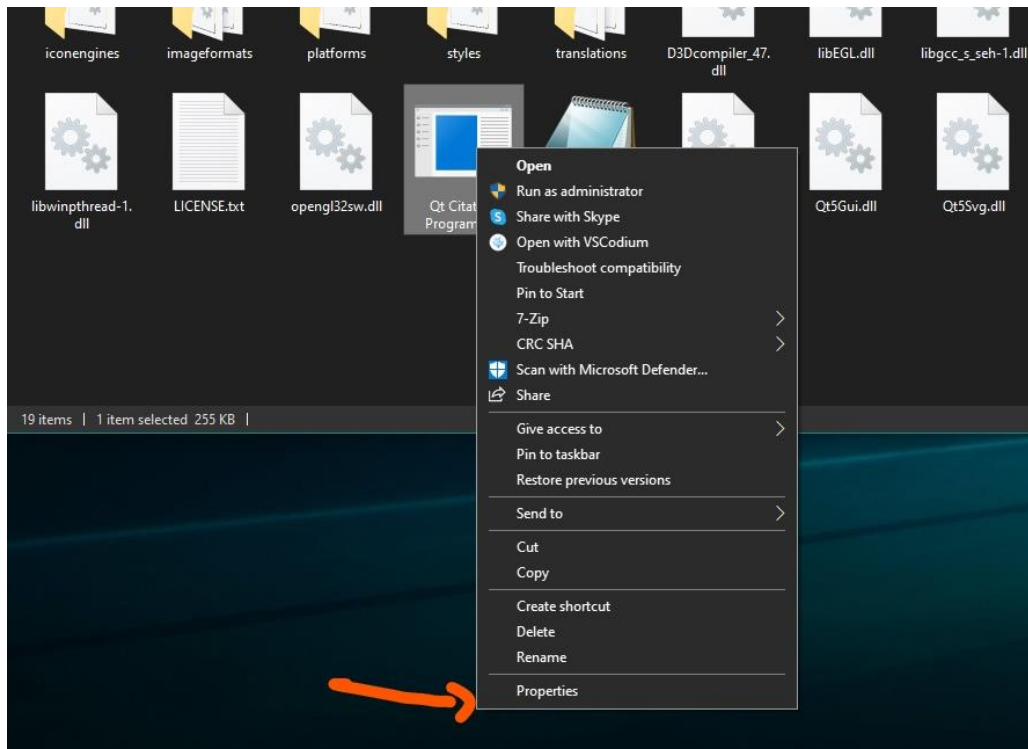
Click “More info” and then the “Run Anyway button”



Why is this happening? Since the “.exe” file is not signed by a corporation’s digital signature (Publisher: Unknown publisher, on the screenshot), Windows Defender deals with the file like a random executable you got from the internet. Therefore, Windows goes “Hey, I don’t know what this is, are you sure you trust it?”.

### Step 7 (in case there is no “Run anyway” button):

You can unblock the program and allow it to run by rightclicking the file, going to properties, checking the unblock checkbox and clicking apply.



You can access your copy of Qt Citation Program by going into your “Qt Citation Program” desktop folder and running “Qt Citation Program.exe” from inside the folder. Enjoy!