

## **Best *Geosynthetics International* Paper for 2023**

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We are delighted to announce results of the competition for best paper in Volume 30 (2023) based on votes cast by the Editorial Board Members. In this annual competition, the Editor-in-Chief and Editors do not vote.

The "Best *Geosynthetics International* Paper for 2023" award goes to the following paper:

Naftchali, F.M and Bathurst, R.J. (2023). Influence of geosynthetic stiffness on analytical solutions for reinforced fill over void. *Geosynthetics International*, 30, No. 1, 95–107.

The following paper was selected as runner-up and thus receives honourable mention as "one of the best papers published in *Geosynthetics International*, in 2023":

Giroud, J.P., Han, J., Tutumluer, E. and Dobie, M.J.D. (2023). The use of geosynthetics in roads. *Geosynthetics International*, 30, No. 1, 47-80.

We thank the members of the Editorial Board for participating in the best paper selection process and congratulate the authors of these excellent papers. Each paper reflects the high standards of the Journal and is an important contribution to our geosynthetics discipline. All IGS members have free access to these papers, as they have free access to all papers published in the Journal.

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