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Dear Colleagues,

We are pleased to announce the “*Buildings* 2021 Best Paper Award” for research and review articles published in *Buildings* from 1 January 2021 to 31 December 2021. Six research articles will receive an award each. The papers will be selected after thorough evaluation by the journal Award Committee led by the Prof. Dr. David Ardit, and the winners will be announced on 31 March 2023.

2021 BEST PAPER AWARD

FOR PAPERS PUBLISHED

Eligibility for the Awards:

- Papers published in *Buildings* from 1 January 2021 to 31 December 2021;
- Open to all career levels;
- Both regular and Special Issue submissions will be considered.

Selection Criteria:

The papers will be selected by the journal Award Committee according to the following criteria (data source: Web of Science (Clarivate Analytics)):

- Scientific merit and broad impact;
- Relevance to the journal’s field;
- Originality of the research objectives and/or the ideas presented;
- Creativity of the study design or uniqueness of the approaches and concepts;
- Clarity of presentation;
- Citation and download rates in 2022.

Prizes:

- First Award (one research article): 500 CHF
- Second Award (two research articles): 400 CHF each
- Third Award (three research articles): 300 CHF each

Additionally, each winner will receive a certificate and an offer to publish a paper free of charge in *Buildings* by 31 December 2023.

The winners will be announced on the journal website on 31 March 2023.

