RoPlastic Prize 2023

the global challenge of RoGUILTLESSPLASTIC, the international project of

Rossana Orlandi and Nicoletta Orlandi Brugnoni

THE WINNERS

Awarded in an exciting and engaging ceremony, the Winners of the Fifth Edition of the RoPlastic Prize.

Opened with a greeting from **Stefano Boeri**, <u>Rossana Orlandi and Nicoletta Orlandi Brugnoni</u> then invited the various protagonists to share the stage with them: from prizers to jurors, from partners to endorsers.

With over 600 participants, from 73 countries spread out on all 5 continents, it was **Italy** that routed this edition.

Italy has been called to the stage, to receive the award as the winner, for second and third places and for special mentions, **17 times**.

In addition to Italy, other countries that were acclaimed during the ceremony were the Czech Republic (for sharing one of the first places), Germany, the Netherlands, the United Kingdom, Canada, Russia, China, Portugal, Belgium, and Spain.

For all three categories the winners are Italians: an all-Italian ex-aequo for Art and Design Collectible with the partnership of F.IIi Guzzini; even full podium for Emerging High Technology with the partnership of Gruppo CAP; shared for Inspiring Learning Projects, with the partnership of Gimac.

To award the winners of the three categories, the curator of the RoPlastic Prize, **Nicoletta Orlandi Brugnoni**, wanted both the endorsers and partners alongside her.

ALL THE WINNERS OF RoPlastic Prize 2023

ART AND COLLECTIBLE DESIGN - Category Official Partner **F.LLI GUZZINI** (with the endorsement of **Francesco Zurlo**, Dean of School of Design - Politecnico di Milano)

The Winner is <u>Gio Minelli</u> with Kemel Collection from Italy, awarded by Sergio Grasso, ceo of F.lli Guzzini

The Winner is <u>Carmelo Zappulla</u> with Pure Plants from Italy, awarded by <u>Sergio</u> Grasso, ceo of F.Ili Guzzini

The **second place** is in Italy, with **Amleto Picerno Ceraso** for **Mediterranea**, and in Germany with **Marie Aigner** and her **Knock out collection**.

Also tied the **third place** with two Italians. **CAPitoli Urbani** signed by the techno-creative team leaded by <u>Gruppo CAP</u> with **Andrea Zambelli** and **Martinelli Venezia**; and **Accumulation of We are Plastic** signed by **Elisa Cantarelli**.

The special mentions are for **The Door** of **OUTSIDE-IN**, team composed by **Alessandro Ciffo**, **SKIN by Sargomma SB**, **Daria Biryukova**; **The Deer. Imperfect Beauty.** by **Elena Khryashcheva** from Russia, **Parnupple Siblings** signed by **Lyle Reimer** from Canada; **Plastic âgée** by **Piergiorgio Robino** from Italy; **3rd Smurf Dynasty Ming vase**, designed by **Diederik Schneemann** and **Recyled p.e.t. & rattan** of **Marieke van Heck** both based in Netherland; **Recycled plasti - c tiles**, **mimicking different types of natural stones**, the project of **Novavita Design** from United Kingdom.

EMERGING HIGH TECHNOLOGY - Official Partner **Gruppo CAP**

(with the endorsement of **Giovanni de Niderhausern**, Senior Vice President Pininfarina Architecture)

The winner is <u>Ivan Fracassi</u> with <u>Letizia</u> from <u>Italy</u>, awarded by <u>Alessandro Russo</u>, CEO of <u>Gruppo CAP</u>.

The second place goes to Italy with Innovative green technology in water recycling by Giancarlo Cravotto

The third place, always in Italy, is for CITROËN OLI [all-ë]: RADICAL, RESPONSIBLE AND OPTIMISTIC APPROACH TO MOBILITY by <u>CITROEN Italy</u>

Special mentions all in Italy with **The Soothing Cup**, studied and elaborated by <u>Lucrezia Alessandroni</u>; LU the project of architect <u>Lucio Micheletti</u>;

CHAIR N°ONE by <u>Martin Oberhauser</u> and OTO Chair designed by <u>Alessandro</u>

Stabile; except YiBrick Handmade Brick designed by Caroline Cheng from China.

INSPIRING LEARNING PROJECTS - Category Official Partner **GIMAC** (with the endorsement of **Benedict Hobson**, co-CEO od Dezeen)

Ex-aequo winners. <u>Adriana Kováčová</u> with TOTEMO toy for expanding creativity from Czech Republic and from Italy Cantieri Creativi and their <u>Artisans Of Now</u>

Three ex-aequo also for the second places **SOL** - **A Jumping rope capable of producing energy** by **Antonio Queirós Usluel Yağız** from Portugal; **Dynamo Art Factory** based in **Italy** with **Recycling for Good** and **Arthur Grethen & Léo Sprimont** from Belgium with **VAU.R308**

The third place, ex-aequo as well, with **DIY BAMBOO FIBERS: from a single-use bamboo chopstick** from Italy with **Marco Ciacci** and **Nontalo** by **Eneris Collective** from **Spain.**

Two special mentions. **Yen Chang**, from China with **Powerful Energy** and Italy with **Gabriele Giusto** and his **Virtuoso**.

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