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## **Preface**

This is the fourth volume of six Geotechnical Special Publications (GSPs) containing papers from the 2023 Geo-Congress: Sustainable Infrastructure Solutions from the Ground Up, held in Los Angeles, California on March 26–29, 2023. These six volumes contain over 350 contributions that span 22 topic areas of the ASCE Geo-Institute's standing technical committee as well as 11 special topics unique to Geo-Congress 2023.

This volume includes contributions from foundation engineering (both shallow and deep foundations), earth retaining structures, and the use of geosynthetics in geotechnical systems.

This publication culminates two years of effort by the technical planning committee whose focus has been to continue the success of the previous Geo-Congress conference series. Many individuals are responsible for the content of this volume, all of whom served in the efforts to maintain the standard set by previous proceedings. An international call for papers and a rigorous peer review process yielded more than 350 accepted technical papers, that were presented in a wide range of technical sessions, in addition to invited keynote presentations. Papers were reviewed in accordance with ASCE GSP standards. Accordingly, each paper was subjected to technical review by two or more independent peer reviewers. Publication requires concurrence by at least two peer reviewers.

The Editors would like to express their appreciation for having been provided the opportunity to be a part of this Congress' organization, their sincere thanks to the numerous session chairs and reviewers, and we hope that these proceedings will be of use to the geotechnical engineering community for many years to come.

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