Peer-Review Statements

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1 REVIEW PROCEDURE

The reviews were *Double Blind*. Each submission was examined by *2* reviewer(s) independently.

The conference submission management system was Open Journal Systems (OJS).

The submissions were first screened for generic quality and suitableness. After the initial screening, they were sent to check the plagiarism issue, then the author must decrease the score immediately, The next step is for peer review by matching each paper's topic with the reviewers' expertise, taking into account any competing interests. A paper could only be considered for acceptance if it had received favourable recommendations from the two reviewers.

Authors of a rejected submission were given the opportunity to revise and resubmit after addressing the reviewers' comments. The acceptance or rejection of a revised manuscript was final.

However, the reviewers also have a right to reject any paper that was not accepted in this conference topics. However the reviewer suggested the match paper in content and analysis process each paper and reduce unconscious bias.

2 QUALITY CRITERIA

Reviewers were instructed to assess the quality of submissions solely based on the academic merit of their content along the following dimensions

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1. Soundness of the methods, analyses, and results;
2. Pertinence of the article's content to the scope and themes of the conference;
3. Clear demonstration of originality, novelty, and timeliness of the research;
4. Adherence to the ethical standards and codes of conduct relevant to the research field;
5. Clarity, cohesion, and accuracy in language and other modes of expression, including figures and tables.

In addition, all of the articles have been checked for textual overlap in an effort to detect possible signs of plagiarism by the publisher. However we met the high similarity in literature review that state the title in the body of paper, We take a consideration into account that those cases are acceptable.

3 KEY METRICS

Total submissions	70
Number of articles sent for peer review	69
Number of accepted articles	39
Acceptance rate	40%
Number of reviewers	6

4 COMPETING INTERESTS

Neither the Editor-in-Chief nor any member of the Scientific Committee declares any competing interest.

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