



Peer-Review Statements

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All the articles in this proceedings volume were presented at the 9th International Conference in Accounting, Management, and Economics (ICAME-2023), held on October 29–31, 2024, in Makassar, South Sulawesi, Indonesia. Each article underwent peer review by the Reviewer Committee and received approval from the Editor-in-Chief, who confirms that this document accurately reflects the conference's review process.

1. REVIEW PROCEDURE

The review process followed a double-blind approach, with each submission evaluated by at least one reviewer. Manuscript management was conducted through the Open Journal System (OJS), accessible at <https://icame.events.unhas.ac.id>.

Submissions underwent an initial screening to assess their general quality and adherence to the required template. Those passing this stage were assigned to peer reviewers based on topic relevance and expertise while considering potential conflicts of interest. A manuscript was eligible for acceptance only if it received favorable recommendations from both reviewers.

Authors of rejected submissions were given the opportunity to revise and resubmit their manuscripts after addressing reviewers' feedback. The final decision on the acceptance or rejection of a revised submission was conclusive.

2. QUALITY CRITERIA

Reviewers were instructed to evaluate submissions solely based on their academic merit, using the following criteria:

1. Relevance of the article's content to the conference's scope and themes;
2. Clear demonstration of originality, novelty, and the timeliness of the research;
3. Rigor of the methodology, analysis, and results;
4. Compliance with ethical standards and codes of conduct in the respective research field;
5. Clarity, coherence, and accuracy in language and presentation, including figures and tables.

Additionally, all articles underwent a textual overlap check to identify potential instances of plagiarism. Authors were required to conduct a similarity check before submission, with a maximum allowable similarity score of 20 percent. The committee also verified the similarity score of the final manuscript before forwarding it to the publisher.

3. KEY METRICS

<i>Total submissions</i>	400
<i>Number of articles sent for peer review</i>	380
<i>Number of accepted articles</i>	282
<i>Acceptance rate</i>	70,50%
<i>Number of reviewers</i>	6

4. COMPETING INTERESTS

Some members of the Reviewer Committee were faculty members at the Faculty of Economics and Business, Universitas Hasanuddin, while some authors were also affiliated with the same faculty as lecturers or students. However, neither the Editor-in-Chief nor any Reviewer Committee member had any competing interests in carrying out their duties. All reviews were conducted objectively, further reinforced by the implementation of the double-blind review process.

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