

Peer-Review Statements

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All of the articles in this proceedings volume have been presented at the *ICAIC 2024* during *July 10-11th* in *Davos, Switzerland*. These articles have been peer reviewed by the members of the *Program Committee Members* and approved by the Editor-in-Chief, who affirms that this document is a truthful description of the conference's review process.

1. REVIEW PROCEDURE

The reviews were *double-blind*. Each submission was examined by *at least 2* reviewer(s) independently.

The conference submission management system was Easychair.

Overall process of review for your conference.

Initial Screening:

The conference editorial team will perform an initial assessment to ensure that all submissions align with the conference's thematic scope. Submissions that fall outside the scope may be declined or redirected to more suitable conferences.

Blind Peer Review:

Manuscripts approved in the initial screening will undergo a blind peer review process. Author identities, including names, email addresses, and affiliations, will be anonymized before being sent to the conference committee members who will act as reviewers.

Review Criteria:

Reviewers will evaluate each paper based on the following eight criteria, each to be scored as 'Yes' or 'No':

- Relevance: Does the paper fit within the conference's subject matter?
- Motivation: Is the problem addressed in the paper motivated by a clear and justifiable rationale?

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- Originality: Has a significant portion of the work been previously published elsewhere?
- Structure: Does the paper include essential components such as author details, an abstract, keywords, introduction, methodology, conclusions, and references?
- Contribution: Would the findings or insights contribute meaningfully to the field?
- Referencing: Are references used appropriately, are they necessary, and are they cited correctly?
- Language: Is the language of the paper clear, concise, and free of errors?
- Visual Aids: Are diagrams, figures, tables, and their captions necessary, clear, and effectively support the paper's content?

Evaluation and Decision:

After scoring each criterion, reviewers will provide an overall assessment and may include detailed feedback. They will then make a recommendation for one of the following decisions:

Accept: The paper is ready for publication as is.

Revision: The paper requires modifications and will undergo a second round of review before final acceptance.

Reject: The paper does not meet the standards for publication.

In cases of 'Revision,' the editorial team will ensure that the revised manuscript is thoroughly reviewed again before making a final publication decision.

2. QUALITY CRITERIA

Has been listed in the former question.

3. KEY METRICS

- Total submissions 186
- *Number of articles sent for peer review* 155
 - *Number of accepted articles* 76

Acceptance rate 40%

Number of reviewers 25

4. COMPETING INTERESTS

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

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