4606 Committee
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Decision
Conference to be ranked as A

Justification
MobiSys is clearly a strong conference, as indicated by its citation metrics relative to other CORE A-rank events, and the h-index strength of its authors.

Members of the PC frequently publish at MobiSys, and a high proportion of the PC have h-index values that indicate that they are strong researchers.

Researchers that are area leaders attend the conference frequently. However, the number of papers published by area leaders over the past five years at MobiSys is a smaller proportion of the total than would be expected for a CORE A* event.

Also, the scope of MobiSys overlaps with MobiCom (A*), and has an extent of overlap with SenSys (A*) and IPSN (A*). The overall citation and author strength statistics for MobiSys are clearly below those of MobiCom, which is a factor that counts against ranking MobiSys higher than CORE A.

The committee was unanimous in recommending an A ranking.