

## 4612 Committee

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## Conference

International Workshop on Requirements Engineering: Foundation for Software Quality

Acronym REFSQ

Conflicts of Interest

Kelly Blincoe: those who have a moderate CoI with a directly competing conference in the same

area (RE)

Level: Moderate

Treatment: Managed by moderation during discussion

Decision

Conference to be ranked as B

## Justification

The Committee acknowledged some positive indicators in regard to REFSQ { the event is well-supported by a good to strong Programme Committee, and there is good attendance and publication by some top requirements engineering scholars. In terms of impact, however, the data are more reflective of a B-ranked venue in FOR code 4612 { this is particularly evident in the Citation centiles and the Google h5 score (of 19). Similarly, the Where People Publish data suggest that the top researchers in the subfield are not as active here as in other venues. Considered holistically, the Committee felt that the data warranted a rank of B, being a good to very good venue in the field.