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LPNMR was provided as an "A" comparator. The committee felt that the various indicators did not support this ranking, and recommended changing to "B". They noted: a high acceptance rate (see below), chairs somewhat weak ($H < 30$ mostly), $h_5 = 15$ (despite the report saying there was no h_5), and weak citation centile metrics: compared with other A/A* venues in the area, only ~18% of papers were in the top 25% for citations, and only 35% in the top 50%. For strongest author H around 40% of papers were in the top 50%.

Correct acceptance rates:

2019 49% (22/45),

2017 34%+ (16/47 - but unclear if all 47 were full),

2015 accepted 29 full and 11 short from 60 submissions (both long and short submissions) - cannot determine long-paper acceptance rate, but it's at least 48%