



4612 2021 Ranking Committee

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Antonio Vallecillo and Stephen MacDonell declared a conflict of interest with this conference and did not take part in the decision made.

QUATIC is currently ranked at C and requested to increase ranking to B.

PROFES, ENASE, EuroSPI conferences were provided as B rank comparators.

In the past years:

Number of submissions was good for a B/C ranked conference (66-75), and the acceptance rate was reasonable (29% in 2019, 36% in 2018). The number of accepted papers was between 7 and 27.

Senior PC members moderate to high h index - 58/223, which is high, but this conference was published only at 6 times by 7 of 50 experts in the last 5 years.

QUATIC isn't among top 20 Software systems venues as per Google Scholar metrics, its h5 is only 8.

Compared to comparators (PROFES, ENASE, EuroSPI) on the basis of WPP and h5:

QUATIC is not at the same level as comparators.

Committee decided that QUATIC should be ranked C.