



## Editorial Statement of Peer Review <sup>+</sup>

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- **Type of peer review**: single-blind; double-blind; triple-blind; open; other (please describe): The type of peer review at the II International Congress on Technology and Innovation in Engineering and Computer Science, Lima, Peru, 21–25 November 2022, was single-blind review in which the authors did not know the identity of the reviewers, but the reviewers did know the identity of the authors.
- Conference Submission Management System

**First phase:** Submission of abstracts in lines through https://descubre.usil.edu.pe/ eventos/congreso-ingenieria/. All accepted papers were presented as 50-min papers during the congress. In this phase, the peer review was single-blind.

Submission: Submit a short abstract in English (300 words) by 31 October 2022.

Evaluation: The Scientific Committee evaluated all submitted abstracts and authors were notified about acceptance by 7 November 2022. Submitted papers must not be published or under review in any other national or international conference or publication. Invitation: Authors of accepted abstracts were invited to submit proceedings papers

by 20 November 2022, (maximum six pages, in the template that will be sent by mail).

Presentation: All accepted papers were presented during the congress orally and online for 50 minutes (21–25 November 2022).

**Second Phase:** Submission of proceedings papers of six to nine pages maximum according to the instructions for authors of *Engineering Proceedings*. https://www.mdpi.com/journal/engproc/instructions. In this phase, the peer review was single blind.

- Number of submissions sent for review: 40
- Abstracts approved in the first phase: 24
- Proceedings approved in the second phase: 5
- First phase: 1.66
- Second phase: 4.8
- Average number of reviews per paper: 4
- Total number of reviewers involved: 16

## • Peer-Review Process and Regulations

The peer review was performed using the easy chair software. The chief editor of the congress performed a first review of compliance with the required format; if this first review was passed, each reviewer was notified via email, after which they had a period of 15 working days to give a first response: accepted, minor revisions, major revisions, or rejected.

The abstracts/proceedings were sent to at least two reviewers; if accepted in the first instance, the authors were notified by e-mail.



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Abstracts/proceedings with major revisions were rejected, and authors were notified via e-mail.

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