

Proposed Selection Criteria for DBMC conferences

Item #	Assessment criteria	Proponents	
		A	B
	Organisation & Conference Venue (Weight 12)		
1	Host body has organisation to support conference		
2	Track Record running Conferences		
3	Local Support		
4	Conference Venue		
5	Conference Dinner		
6	Location & Accessibility		
7	Follows preferred rotation among North American, European and Australasian venues		
8	Time of Year		
9	Conference Cost		
10	Visa Requirements		
11	Food variability & requirements		
12	Tours		
	Program (Weight 5)		
13	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Meets general requirements for dbmc themes (refer to guidelines for hosting DBMC conferences) 		
14	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Offers additional scope in non-traditional areas of interest 		
15	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Provides opportunities for interaction among different groups (additional work shops, related meetings), 		
16	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Highlights CIB and RILEM activities 		
17	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Program organising and scientific committee 		
	Financial and Marketing (Weight 4)		
18	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Secure financial support 		
19	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cost of attendance 		
20	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Accommodation variety & Cost 		
21	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Potential for marketing 		
	Linkages to (Weight 3)		
22	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CIB and RILEM activities 		
23	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Industry and industrial organisations 		
24	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • National and international standards development bodies 		
	Potential for membership growth (Weight 2)		
25	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Increased attendance 		
26	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Increased outreach 		
	TOTALS		