

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	• Meets general requirements for dbmc themes (refer to guidelines for hosting DBMC conferences)		
14	• Offers additional scope in non-traditional areas of interest		
15	• Provides opportunities for interaction among different groups (additional work shops, related meetings),		
16	• Highlights CIB and RILEM activities		
17	• Program organising and scientific committee		
	Financial and Marketing (Weight 4)		
18	• Secure financial support		
19	• Cost of attendance		
20	• Accommodation variety & Cost		
21	• Potential for marketing		
	Linkages to (Weight 3)		
22	• CIB and RILEM activities		
23	• Industry and industrial organisations		
24	• National and international standards development bodies		
	Potential for membership growth (Weight 2)		
25	• Increased attendance		
26	• Increased outreach		
	TOTALS		