

QRS 2021 Best Papers Awards and Recommendation to IEEE Transactions on Reliability

Dear Colleague

We are very pleased to announce the selection and voting process for the Best Paper Awards of QRS 2021 (The 21st IEEE International Conference on Software Quality, Reliability, and Security) and papers recommended to the IEEE Transactions on Reliability (TR).

Of more than 300 regular and short paper submissions, Program Chairs will select 10 papers of the utmost quality based on the reviews and online discussions. These papers will be divided into two groups.

Group 1: The top 5 papers will be in this group. An extended version of each paper revised based on the comments received from the QRS conference will be recommended to TR. Conference attendees after listening to the presentations will vote on the Best Paper Award. The top 3 which receive the most votes are the winners. If there is a tie, papers with the same number of votes all receive the awards.

Group 2: This group includes the other 5 papers selected by the Program Chairs. Conference attendees after listening to the presentations will vote on the recommendation to TR. The top 3 which receive the most votes will be recommended.

In summary, 3 papers with the most votes will receive the Best Paper Awards.

All 5 papers in Group 1 and the 3 highest voted papers in Group 2 will be recommended to TR. All together there are 8 papers recommended to TR.

Only attendees with complete registrations are eligible for voting. Each registration allows one vote for Group 1 for the Best Paper Awards and one vote for Group 2 for additional TR recommendations.

Please visit the QRS 2021 [Registration site](#) for more details on conference registration.

Also visit the QRS [conference website](#) for updates of the selection and voting process.

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