



# Guidance for using EasyChair to submit reviews for Data for Policy 2026

Thank you for agreeing to review submissions to Data for Policy 2026. We hope that this will be a straightforward and rewarding process.

- Before submitting your review on EasyChair, please make sure you have read the [information for reviewers](#) on our website.
- Please note that full papers will reviewed using the Data & Policy ScholarOne System, for which there is separate guidance.

1) On EasyChair, find the submission to review



Click to assigned to me

2) Click on the “add” icon on the right.



Click “add new review”

If you are the reviewer, ignore the top part of the form. If you are a Programme Committee member and you want to invite a reviewer, you can use the below form.

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Enter subreviewer information **Leave these fields empty if reviewed by yourself**

Click on "Add associate" in the context menu to add your associate as a reviewer.

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3) Enter your score and comments against the assessment criteria: (see <https://dataforpolicy.org/2026-submission-guidelines/> and scroll down to check reviewer instructions).

Please ensure that you are using the appropriate assessment criteria for individual extended abstract or panel submission.

## Evaluation

**Overall evaluation.** \* Please provide a detailed review, including a justification for your scores. Both the score and the review text are required.

- 3: strong accept
- 2: accept
- 1: weak accept
- 0: borderline
- 1: weak reject
- 2: reject
- 3: strong reject

Provide your comments in the box below the scores

Indicate your confidence in reviewing the submission.

**Reviewer's confidence. \***

5: (expert)

4: (high)

3: (medium)

2: (low)

1: (none)

**Confidential remarks for the program committee.** Full papers: In 'Confidential Comments to PC', you should provide a statement about any conflicts of interest that have the potential to bias or perceive to bias the review, or state: 'None'; you may also add remarks intended for PC members only. This field is not optional. Abstracts and sessions: If you wish to add any remarks intended only for PC members please write them below. These remarks will only be seen by the PC members having access to reviews for this submission. They will not be sent to the authors. This field is optional.

Indicate your confidence

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You may provide any additional comments in confidence to the Programme Committee.

Now **SUBMIT** your review - **Thank you for acting as a reviewer for Data for Policy 2026.**