

## ***CHECKLIST FOR EXTERNAL REFEREES***

### ***UNISCI Discussion Papers***

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TITLE OF THE ARTICLE: ...

#### **1. Topic**

- Within the journal's thematic scope
- The following changes are necessary: ...
- Unrelated to the journal's thematic scope

#### **2. Relevance of the topic**

- Relevant
- The following changes are necessary: ...
- Not relevant

#### **3. Originality and contribution to the existing literature**

- Original and innovative
- The following changes are necessary: ...
- Without any originality and/or innovation

#### **4. Theoretical framework**

- Sufficient theoretical elaboration
- The following changes are necessary: ...

#### **5. Title**

- Adequately describes the contents
- The following changes are necessary: ...

#### **6. Abstract and keywords**

- Adequately describe the contents
- The following changes are necessary: ...

#### **7. Structure of the article**

- Correct
- The following changes are necessary: ...

## **8. Adequation of the research methods to the objectives**

- Adequate methodology
- The following changes are necessary: ...

## **9. Clarity of style and argumentation**

- Clear and logical
- The following changes are necessary: ...

## **10. Conclusions**

- Complete and coherent with the article
- The following changes are necessary: ...

## **11. Bibliographic references**

- Complete and up to date
- The following changes are necessary: ...

## **12. Formatting**

- Complies with the formatting rules
- The following changes are necessary: ...

## **13. General assessment of the article**

- Suitable for publication
- Suitable for publication after the recommended changes are made
- Unsuitable for publication

## **14. Other comments and suggestions:**

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