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PUBLICATIONS See web page.

AWARDS

MacVicar: Fellow (2012)

International Joint Conference on Artificial Intelligence: Computers and Thought Award

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