

This is a small report on my visit to Cambridge for attending the UKCBR workshop. I am thankful to the institution for providing me an opportunity for attending the conference. I express my thanks to the H.O.D. Dr. Gonsalves for approving travel grant and registration fee from the students travel grant project. I thank my guide Dr. Deepak Khemani for evaluating the paper as well as recommending for support.

I had a very inspiring and informative experience in the conference. It was the 12<sup>th</sup> UKCBR workshop at Cambridge, Dec 2007, co-located with AI-2007, the Twenty-seventh SGAI International Conference on Innovative Techniques and Applications of Artificial Intelligence organized by the SGAI group of British Computer Society. We had the workshop session on the previous day of the conference. It was an informal gathering addressing novel research contributions in the area of Case Based Reasoning highlighted by invited talks by renowned researchers. We could discuss a lot over the coffee breaks as well as during the lunch sessions. There were announcements about upcoming conferences in the topic and expected contributions from the CBR researchers.

The conference was very interesting with many Ph.D. students discussing their research problems, ideas and contributions. The Machine Learning Competition on the final day was the highlight of the conference. It was interesting to see students winning the competition competing with commercial applications by renowned concerns.

I had a great time looking around the marvelous university buildings around Cambridge. They reminded me of the reputation the kings had given to education during the time. Of course it was as cold as about 10<sup>o</sup>C when I visited during christmas. I really felt we are gifted with a great climatic condition here in India and should be making more contributions to research and society.