Immunity is not only an ability of a person, but also a cooperative ability of human beings. When the plague spread all over the Europe in the medieval times, though millions of people died of this disease, many Europeans survived by evolution and immunization. In fact, with the biological immune systems, the human beings have been fighting against all kinds of plagues such as smallpox, AIDS, SARS, A/H1N1 influenza etc.

After the computer network was invented, the immune network has been used in network security, because the computer viruses and illegal invasion could be regarded as nonselfs. In many anti-disaster environments, the disaster detection and network repairing are similar to the nonself detection and immune repairing in the artificial immune systems. Therefore, how to build the model for anti-disaster immune network and design the immune algorithms is an interesting issue for many researchers, and the problem is also important for us to face with the earthquake, the snow disaster, the economic crisis and many plagues etc.

The special session of "anti-disaster immune network" includes, but is not limited to, the topics:

- Immune network models
- Immune learning
- Immune detection
- Anti-disaster network
- Immune algorithms
- Anti-disaster applications of immune computing

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