Head of Library Service, Ms. Jillian Southwell.

In her visit to the library, Director General Tseng saw how space was utilized, how the shelves were arranged, the children's room, the music room, and the book reservation service. The library has high ceilings and bright reading rooms in addition to the special rooms for music aficionados. The music room even has pianos that patrons can use with the aid of headphones. These facilities can accommodate different needs of patrons. Library services are focused on the facileness of patron reading and usage. Not only are shelves laid out based on topics and information patrons are most interested in, making this easier for patrons to find related books, the library also .provides book reservation services.



Director General Tseng with Head of Library Service, Ms. Jillian Southwell, at the Oxford Central Library

## NCL and National Széchényi Library Sign a Cooperation Agreement

Director General Tseng and Director General László Tüske from the National Széchényi Library (Hungarian: Országos Széchényi Könyvtár, OSZK) signed a Cooperation Agreement on April 10, 2015.



Director General Tseng and Dr. Tüske exchange gifts.

The OSZK also set up a special librarian workshop to promote digital archives and services. As part of the workshop, Director General Tseng was invited to speak and share on NCL's vast experience in similar endeavors. 30-40 staff members, as well as librarians from other Hungarian libraries attended and were impressed with the achievements and modernized methods of Taiwan's digitization efforts. Many questions regarding digitization were raised, and a rich exchange of ideas ensued.



Digitalization Workshop and the Presentation of Director General Tseng on "NCL's Efforts to Archive, Manage, and Provide Service for Digital Resources in Taiwan."

## Director General Tseng Visits the Metropolitan Ervin Szabó Library and the Hungarian National Assembly

Prior to the cooperation agreement signing ceremony with the National Széchényi Library, Director General Tseng visited the Metropolitan Ervin Szabó Central Library, which is located in Budapest and which has a hundred and eleven years history. There she met with Dr. Péter Dippold, director of the library, and exchanged experience in the development of librarianship. After the meeting, she toured the Hungarian National Assembly that is located on the east shore of the Danube.