## ■ NCL Participates in the Association for Asian Studies (AAS) Annual Conference and Book Fair

The NCL's Center for Chinese Studies (CCS) participated in the AAS annual meeting and Book Fair which was held in Seattle, USA in March 31st to April 3. At the Book Fair, CCS exhibited 513 volumes, 465 kinds of publications and DVDs from Taiwan published in the past three years on humanities and social sciences related to Chinese and Taiwan Studies.

Thousands of people participated in the annual meeting. Participants were researchers in Asian studies from universities in the US, librarians and Asian academic researchers from around the world, and publishing institutions as well. The NCL hopes that through this Book Fair, international sinologists may get to better know the achievements of Taiwan Chinese Studies research and the current publishing situation. After the conference, the books exhibited were donated to the University of Washington and the University of Oregon to enrich their library collections.



NCL and representatives of book donation recipients at the AAS Book Fair.

■ "Land Down Under: Australia through the Lens of Taiwanese Working Holidays Makers" and the 35th Anniversary of the Australian Office Taipei

The NCL and the Australian Office Taipei jointly held "Land Down Under: Australia through the Lens of Taiwanese Working Holidays Makers" Exhibition on the 27th of May. NCL Director-General Tseng and Catherine Raper, Representative of the Australian Office Taipei both presided the opening ceremony.



Director-General Tseng gives an opening remark.

The exhibit will be displayed at the NCL until the 25th of September. This year also marks the 35th anniversary of the establishment of Australian Office Taipei. Many guests were invited for this occasion. Those present were the Ministries of Education and Foreign Affairs as well as Representatives from several countries. A festive atmosphere filled the venue.



Participants fill up the exhibition room.