

hands-on experience of the cataloging process, gradually learning how to construct complete classification numbers, subject headings, and bibliographic data.



Classroom practice in cataloging bibliographic data.

NCL publications

■ The Southern Branch of the National Central Library and National Repository Library: Collected Construction Design Competition Entries



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The Southern Branch of the National Central Library and National Repository Library Construction Project Design Competition was the largest and most complex library technology and service tender in Taiwan in recent years. The concept for the winning entry from Bio-architecture Formosana was “Library as a Town.” Covered with a photovoltaic canopy, the library will integrate existing resources and be connected to the town via an existing road.

It is hoped that the new library, to be built in Xinying, Tainan, will achieve the diamond grade green building standard. Walking along the library’s main walkway, visitors will pass an outdoor study room, library museum, collection center, café, and town auditorium. Together these elements will transform the library into a “living museum”.

■ Wise Captains on the Sea of Books: The 2018 Ministry of Education Outstanding Contribution to Libraries Awards



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This book introduces the winners of the Outstanding Contributions to Libraries Awards, sponsored by the Ministry of Education and held by the National Central Library (NCL). The 2018 awards were divided into three categories: Outstanding Contribution by a Leading Local Official; Outstanding Contribution by a Senior Library Chief; and Outstanding Contribution by a Librarian. This book is an introduction to the award winners, aiming to familiarize readers with the work of Taiwan’s public libraries and highlight the award winners’ achievements.

NCL International Exchange Events

October 3, 2018, India-Taipei Association Deputy Director General Sandeep Jakhar visited