

replicas of ancient Daoist texts. This exhibition moved to the LU's Library of Oriental Studies for display from December 3 to 24. In addition, at the end of the exhibition's run, all the books on display at the exhibition were donated to LU.

To express support for scholarly exchange, Ambassador Jhy-Wey Shieh from the Taipei Representative Office in the Federal Republic of Germany attended the opening ceremony and represented Taiwan in donating books to LU, which donation was received by University President Beate A. Schücking and Head Librarian Ulrich Schneider.

LU Library is an important partner for Taiwan Resource Center for Chinese Studies (TRCCS). NCL Deputy Director-General Yingmei Wu stated in her remarks that LU has been engaged in East Asian studies for a long time. This recent collaboration is a continuation of a friendship that now extends into a new century.



*Distinguished guests take group photo at the international conference held at Leipzig University.*

#### ■ Aarhus Public Libraries Dokk1 Director Marie Oestergaard Visits the NCL to Give Lectures

On December 11, 2018, a European study tour sharing session followed by lectures on library innovation and service development were held at National Central Library (NCL).

A delegation of representatives from Taiwan's public libraries who had recently returned from a study tour of Europe were asked to share their experiences. This was followed by lectures by the Director of Aarhus Public Libraries, Marie Oestergaard, about her library, entitled "Dokk1: Redesigning Spaces and Vision." And "Dokk1: Redesigning Services and Mission."

Dokk1, the main library of the Aarhus Public Libraries system, is the largest public library in Northern Europe and winner of the 2016 Systemic Public Library of the Year Award, which is awarded by the International Federation of Library Associations and Institutions (IFLA). In her lecture, Director Oestergaard began with the introduction of the founding and development of Dokk1, and then discussed how to innovatively approach library spatial design, service resources, and reader relationship management. She also described how to use innovative thinking to reshape a library's services and values, make the library a focal point for the community and encourage public participation, transforming it into an inspirational, learning, meeting and performance space.



*Director-General Shu-hsien Tseng (4th left) poses with Director Oestergaard (center) and distinguished guests after the lecture.*