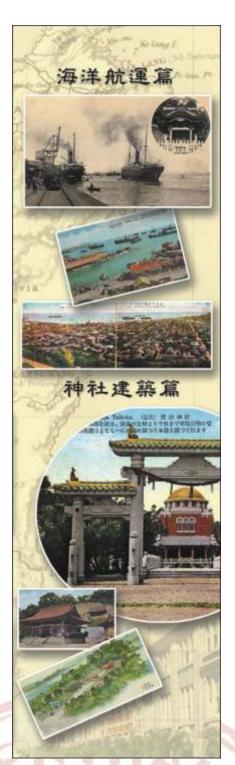
The collection and promotion of artistic and cultural materials is one of the major missions of the NCL. The library joined hands with the NMH to present such works from its collection to open a new window for the public to more deeply appreciate European art and promote interest in related research.

■ Postcard Exhibition

The National Central Library (NCL) hosted the "A Special Exhibition of the NCL postcard collection" from June 12 to July 6 as part of a series of community education activities sponsored by the Ministry of Education.

The exhibition presented 1,000 of the more than 4,000 historic postcards in the NCL collection. Produced up to the first half of the 20th century, the postcards covered a variety of themes, including government offices, traditional customs, train stations, education and culture, scenic sites, ethnic dress, industrial and commercial development, maritime shipping, and Shinto architecture. The exhibition also presented knowledge resources from the Taiwan Memory, Window on Taiwan, and Taiwan Info system. The exhibition also featured presentations of 15 videos from the library's news video database.

The exhibition aimed to promote public understanding of Taiwan's local history, historic people and sites, scenic sites, ecology and geography, while also introducing reading for the public's further self-enrichment. (Chinese text by Chien Chia-hsin)



Exhibition poster