

libraries in Taiwan, including suggestions on theoretical foundations, member types, development principles, organization, work areas and sustainable operations. Presenting specific information that can be turned into feasible plans, it offers a new resource in keeping Taiwan abreast of recent international trends in the library world.

## NCL International Exchange Events

July 3 Mr. Masake Baba and Mr. Ryoji Takagaki, directors of the Cultural Section and General Affairs Department, respectively, of the Taipei Office of the Interchange Association (Japan) visit the library.

July 16 OCLC President Jay Jordan and Vice President Andrew H. Wang visit the library.



*President Jay Jordan (center), Vice President Andrew H. Wang (second from right) and NCL Director General, Wang Wen-lu (second from left) (Photo by Pinery S. Wu)*

July 19 A group of 16 people attending the International Association of School Librarianship Annual Conference visit the library accompanied by the director of the Taipei Municipal Jianguo High School Library and six others.

July 23 National Library of Vietnam Director Pham The Khang, General Sciences Library, Ho-chi-Minh City Director Nguyen Thi Bac, Vietnam National University of Hanoi Library Director Nguyen Huy Chuong, Institute of Han-Nom Studies Library Director Chu Tuyet Lan, and Prof. Ching-chih Chen of Simmons College in Boston, U.S.A., visit the library.

July 27 Ms. Farah Ratna Dewi, Mr. Kasi Baijuri, and Mr. Staf Yoseph of the Investment Coordinating Board (BKPM) in Jakarta visit the NCL, accompanied by BKPM assistant Ms. Irene Pan.

Aug. 02 Mr. Shuji Kamitsuna, assistant director of the Information Systems Division at the National Diet Library of Japan visits the library.

Aug. 21 A delegation of 24 Chinese librarians, including the director of Dongguan Library visit the library, accompanied by Mr. Chang Tian-hsiang, director of the International Department at Linking Books.



Director Li, Donglai (fourth from right), Prof. Mu-hsuan Huang (third from right) and NCL Deputy Director-General Sung Chien-cheng (fourth from left) (Photo by Pinery S. Wu)

Aug. 24 Four officials of the Directorate of Public Affairs, Investment Coordinating Board (BKPM), Jakarta, including Deputy Director Ariesta Riendrias visit the library, accompanied by BKPM assistant Ms. Irene Pan.



Director Ariesta Riendrias (second from left) with NCL staff (Photo by Pinery S. Wu)

Sept. 13 Prof. Achim Osswald of the Institut fuer Informationswissenschaft, Cologne University of Applied Sciences presents a lecture and visits the NCL, accompanied by Prof. Wang Hui-mei of the German Cultural Center Taipei.



Prof. Achim Osswald (second from left), Prof. Wang Hui-mei (left) with NCL staff (Photo by Pinery S. Wu)

Sept. 27 Prof. Ding Shen, editor-in-chief of the China Academic Journal Electronic Publishing House (CAJEPH) visits the library, accompanied by Chin Shan Information Service Co., Ltd. Chairman Lai Hsi-chen and two others.