

NCL International Exchange Events

July 8: "Global Memory Net" presenter Dr. Ching-chih Chen and husband Academia Sinica research fellow Chen Shou-hsin visited the NCL to meet with the acting director-general and discuss cooperation matters.

July 9: Mr. Chi-Hsin Wang of the Asian Division at the US Library of Congress visited the NCL Special Collection to inspect rare book repair and rebinding work. The NCL also arranged for Mr. Wang to visit the National Central Library Taiwan Branch, Academia Historica and other organizations to view book and archive repair and rebinding operations.

July 30: Hsu Wen-lung, a researcher at the East Asian Department of the German National Library, visited the NCL for discussions on publication exchange and to learn about the major service systems of the library.

August 6: Ms. Seon Heui Choi and Mr. Young Jin Choe of the Korea Institute of Science and Technology Information (KISTI) visited the NCL accompanied by Ms. Chen Nien-hsuan of the Science & Technology Policy Research and Information Center under the National Applied Research Laboratories.

August 8: Ms. Cathy Weng, director of the cataloging department at College of New Jersey Library, and Ms. I-Chene Tai of Le Moyne College Library presented lectures for NCL staff on recent international trends in cataloging. Ms. Weng and Ms. Tai were invited to the NCL to teach the library's annual summer course.

August 25: Librarian Hanno Lecher of the Sinologisch Institut Library at the Universiteit Leiden in the Netherlands met with NCL Director-general Karl Min Ku to discuss the feasibility of



Ms. Cathy Weng (center), Ms. I-Chene Tai (third from right) with NCL staff

sending NCL staff to assist with arrangement of Chinese rare books in the collection of the Sinologisch Institut Library.

September 1: Dr. Mi Chu, acting director of the Asian Division at the US Library of Congress, met with NCL Director-general Karl Min Ku and held a lecture on "Presentation on the Asian Division, World Digital Library and International Cooperation."

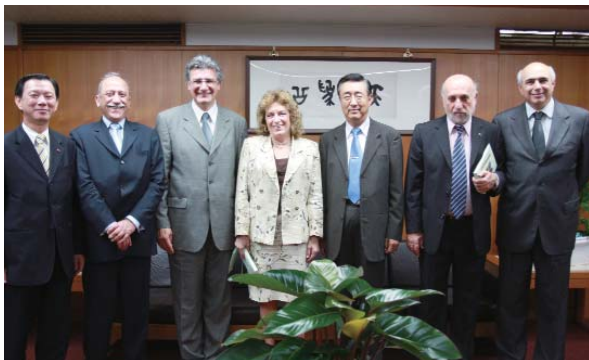


Dr. Mi Chu (fifth from left), Dr. Tai-loi Ma (third from left), with NCL Director General Karl Min Ku (fourth from left)

September 1: Dr. Tai-loi Ma, director of East Asian Libraries at Princeton University in the US met with NCL Director-general Karl Min Ku to discuss cooperation affairs.

September 2: A five-member delegation of Argentine government officials led by congressman Miguel Angel Giubergia visited the

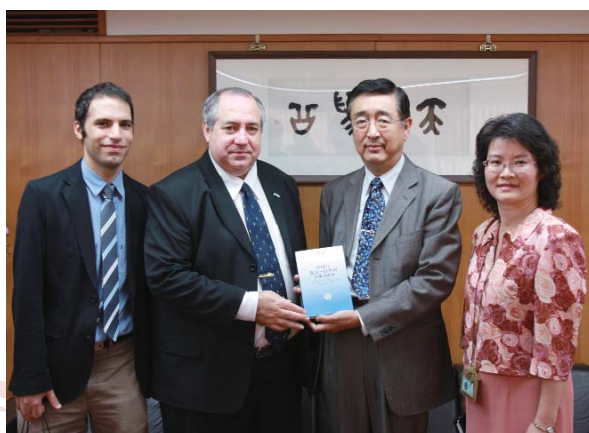
NCL accompanied by the former ROC ambassador to the Dominican Republic Mr. Eduardo Chen.



Congressman Miguel Angel Giubergia (second from left), Mr. Eduardo Chen, former ROC ambassador to the Dominican Republic visited the NCL.

September 3: Dr. N. Laxman Rao, professor and chairman of the Board of Studies at the Department of Library and Information Science, University College of Arts & Social Sciences, Osmania University in India visited the NCL accompanied by two teaching assistants of the Graduate Institute of Library and Information Studies at National Taiwan Normal University.

September 4: Israeli ambassador to Taiwan Raphael Gamzou and Special Assistant Dror Wei met with NCL Director-general Karl Min Ku for discussions on exchange issues.



Ambassador Raphael Gamzou (second from left) with NCL Director General Karl Min Ku (second from right)

September 16: A four-person delegation of Indonesian officials led by Deputy Director Siswantono of the Indonesia Investment Coordinating Board visited the NCL accompanied by Mr. Guyub Sagotrah Wiros, director of the Investment Division at the Indonesian Economic and Trade Office to Taipei.

September 17: Ms. Chiang Chia-ning visited the NCL for a meeting with Director-general Karl Min Ku and to hold a lecture on "Open Access, Interaction, Accessible Resources."

September 22: Mr. Wong Kwok-keung, president of the Associação de Bibliotecários e Gestores de Informação de Macau visited the NCL to hold a lecture on "Overview and Development of Libraries in Macao."



September 22: A 22-person cross-strait book exchange delegation visited the NCL.

September 30: A 17-member delegation joined by representatives of Korea's cultural and education circles and new librarians visited the NCL led by Hwang Hyeonkyeong, deputy director of the Continuing Education Department under the Kyongsangnam-do Bureau of Education. The group was accompanied by Park Hwee Jun and one other person.