

Digital Libraries: The Preservation & Inheritance of Culture, and the Construction of Digitization Knowledge

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In recent years, libraries exert concerted efforts to develop digitization to permanently preserve important cultural heritage and promote the activation and use of knowledge. Through the dialogue between the Directors-General from Taiwan and the U.S., the “Digital Library” session will discuss the promotion and preservation of Taiwan National Central Library cultural assets digitization and value-added utilization as well as their achievements. Also included in the discussion and exchanges will be the achievements of International Dunhuang Project that is aimed to conserve the Dunhuang Grottoes cultural heritage. The final discussion will focus on the ontology-based digital humanities system. All these discussions and presentations indicate how libraries are exerting significant efforts to preserve and hand on cultural heritage and to develop the digital libraries.