

Requirements for Authority Records), ISADN (International Standard Authority Data Number), and international authority cooperation models. The representative from the China Academic Library & Information System (CALIS) reported on "Chinese Headings for Corporate Bodies—Principles and Structure," detailing the main basis, selection principles, heading structure, and text descriptions adopted by CALIS in compiling corporate name authority heading. The NLC representative spoke on "The Selection of Additions to Chinese name heading" and studies on introducing the concepts of bibliometrics to the authority control field.



Taiwan, Hong Kong and Beijing representatives attending the Workshop on Chinese Name Authority Control in Beijing pictured at the National Library of China (NLC). NCL representative Ms. Cheng Yu-ling on the far left front row.(provided by cheng yu-ling)

The workshop followed up on the resolutions reached at the 2004 "Conference on Rules for Chinese Authority Data." Based on the consensus that, "adopting the same standards is the basic condition for successful cooperation," the representatives of the three sides enthusiastically

engaged in discussions. In addition to facilitating the exchange of experience, the workshop is certain to be a big benefit to the research and development of Chinese name authority control in the Chinese speaking world. (Chinese text by Cheng Yu-ling)

■ *NCL Attends PNC Annual Meeting*

The Pacific Neighborhood Consortium (PNC) held its 2005 Annual Meeting at the East West Center, University of Hawaii in Honolulu from October 31 to November 3. The meeting was organized by the consortium in conjunction with the University of Hawaii and with assistance from the Pacific Rim Digital Library Alliance. "E-Culture and Intellectual Property in the Global Community" was the theme of this year's meeting. keynote speeches and research presentations, were featured at the event, which also offered ample opportunity for exchanges. Ms. Cheng Pao-mei represented the NCL at the meeting. She presented a paper on "Cultural Heritage without Boundaries: International Digital Cooperation at the National Central Library." Her presentation included a report on the cooperative projects launched this year between the NCL and the Library of Congress, and the Genealogical Society of Utah.

■ *NCL Holds Annual Course on Information Utilization*

The NCL Reference Department kicked off its annual course on information utilization on November 4 this year. The course has been organized by the department since 2002 to enhance