

CJK NEWS

National CJK Service

Linda Groom, who has been National CJK Service Manager with the National Library of Australia (NLA) CJK Project, has moved on to another position in the National Library's Web Server team. Margarita Moreno is acting in the position until June 1997.

Pinyin database operational

After a massive conversion and reviewing effort, the CJK Service's parallel database, in which the Chinese romanisation is Pinyin, became operational on 10 September, 1996. The database contains over 500,000 records, including all Library of Congress (LC) Chinese records, with their Wade-Giles romanisation converted to Pinyin. Cross-updating between the CJK Service's two databases is now occurring every week. Both databases also contain Japanese and Korean records, and CJK characters as well as romanisation.

CJK Technical Committee meeting

The CJK Technical Committee met in Canberra on 18 September, 1996, and recommended priorities for the expenditure of enhancement funds for 1996/97. The enhancement list will be announced when it has been approved by the CJK Steering Committee and the Director-General of the National Library.

CJK Cataloguing Courses

CJK Cataloguing courses on the use of Innopac are held at the National Library of Australia at regular intervals. Attendees do not have to be members of the CJK service. For more information, contact Yumiko Tsuji at ytsuji@nla.gov.au

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