

# Curriculum Vitae for Karl Min Ku

## Education

Master of the Graduate School of Library & Information Science at Dominican University in Chicago

## Present position

- Director General of National Central Library
- Director of Center for Chinese Studies
- Convener of Academia Sinica PNC Digital Library

## Professional Experience

- Secretary General of the Defense and Foreign Affairs Standing Committee, Legislative Yuan, Taipei, Taiwan
- Director-general of the Parliamentary Library, Legislative Yuan
- Teaching in Fujen Catholic University and Shi-Xin University

## Professional Activities

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| 1993-1997, 2003-2007 | A member of the Standing Committee of the International Federation of Library Associations and Institutions (IFLA) |
| 1994-1998, 2005-2006 | President of the Association of Parliamentary Librarians of Asia and the Pacific (APLAP)                           |
| 2003-2005            | President of the Interlibrary Cooperation Association (ILCA)   |
| 1999-2001, 2009-     | President of the Information Technology Management Association (ITMA)  |
| 1992                 | Chairperson of Taipei chapter, ASIS  |

## Professional Achievements

- Accomplished the first generation full Chinese text legal information database and information system (1987)
- Actively involved in the "Legislative Information Research and Development

Plan"(1985-1989)

- Development of a "Website Library." (2001)
- Established the "News Information Management System" (2002)

### **Honors and Grants**

1998	Distinguished Service Award by APLAP, Manila
1990	Extraordinary Contribution Award by Chinese American Librarians Association (CALA)
1985	Outstanding Civil Service Award of the ROC Government

### **Works and Articles**

- 10 books on library science, information applications, and mass communication.
- Over 200 articles published in domestic and foreign journals.