

ABSTRACT:

The European Library

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The EU project "The European Library" (TEL) has become a reality: the TEL office has been established in The Hague and the TEL portal has been launched recently. TEL is the virtual catalogue of the European national libraries. TEL will be the basis of the forming European Digital Library (EDL). The National Széchényi Library has already joined TEL in the framework of the TEL-ME-MOR project. The paper will present a short history of TEL, the information infrastructure of TEL, and some details on how the National Széchényi Library has joined TEL.