Premiere showing

Left to right, Arthur Curley, director and librarian, Public Library of the City of Boston; Robert Stueart, dean of Simmons College Graduate School of Library and Information Science; Ching-chih Chen of Newton, professor and associate dean of the Graduate School of Library and Information Science; and Kevin F. Moloney, president of the Board of Trustees of the Public Library of the City of Boston, are shown at a premiere showing of an interactive videodisc "The First Emperor of China" at Boston Public Library on Dec. 13. The videodisc is the result of Project Emperor I, a project funded by the Humanities Project in Libraries, National Endowment for the Humanities, and Simmons College, Ching-chih Chen is the project director and principal investigator and Stueart is the research director.

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