Brief overview of the Hungarian library aggregation

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The Hungarian public collection regulations and governmental strategies appoint the National Széchényi Library as the competence centre and sector aggregator of libraries. In 2017 the Project "OKR" has been established to modernize the national library. This project will create the up-to-date IT infrastructure and software environment to meet the aggregation functions and create many solutions (Országos Könyvtári Plaform / National Librarian Platform, Digitalizálást Támogató Keretrendszer / Digitization Support Framework System, Magyar Nemzeti Névtér / Hungarian National Namespace) which will help the sectoral cooperation of libraries.

Beside the above mentioned project at the end of 2017 the Public Collections Digitization Strategy 2017–2025 has been announced, which declares the National Széchényi Library as the leader responsible for the implementation of the strategy in the library sector.

In my presentation I would like to show these two projects in a nutshell, paying special attention to their relationship with the aggregation of the library sector.