We are pleased to release the first issue of a monthly Chinese Buddhist Canon Research Newsletter. This newsletter will focus on the Search and Analysis of CBETA Concordance.

CBETA, the Chinese Buddhist Electronic Text Association, was established in 2011. It is a nonprofit project that aims to make the texts of the Chinese Buddhist Canon accessible to a broader audience. CBETA contains much information on the carving of Buddhist Canon, and provides resources for Buddhist scholars and calligraphers.

In this issue, we will discuss the following topics:

- The establishment of CBETA
- Gazetteers
- Collection of Venerable Taixu
- Electronic cultural atlas that links the textual production information, including Tibetan, and Sanskrit.

As we prepare this newsletter, our community is facing unprecedented ideas, suggestions, and proposals. If you are willing to support the Chinese Buddhist Canon Project, please consider making an online donation.

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