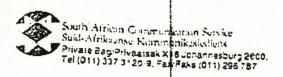
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The aim of the visit is: to give Prof Gray and Prof Pavencello the opportunity to gain first hand knowledge about South Africa and to broaden their contact with academics at South African universities.

PROF E L GRAY (49)

Prof Gray is the Director of the International Studies Programme at the John Cabott University in Rome.

He graduated in Economis and History at the Tulane University in 1968 and received both his MA and Ph.D degrees at the School of Advanced International Studies, Johns Hopkins University.

Prof Gray was Visiting Lecturer at the Johns Hopkins University from 1977 to 1979 and Visiting Professor at the Università della Calabria (Consenza) from 1979 to 1981. He became Senior Lecturer of Political Science at St Mary's College in Rome in 1981 and was appointed Associate Professor in Political Studies at the John Cabott University in 1990.

Prof Gray is the author of numerous publications and has attended and participated in various seminars throughout the world.

This is his first visit to South Africa.

PROF F PAVONCELLO (43)

Prof Pavoncello is a Senior Lecturer in Political Science at the John Cabott University.

Prof Pavoncello graduated with a BA (cum laude) in International Relations and Chinese and Japanese Studies at the Hebrew University of Jerusalem. He received both his MA and Ph.D degrees in Political Science at the University of Michigan.

Prof Pavoncello is a Research Associate at the Forum Humanum Project in Rome. He is also a member of the Board of Directors, Centro di Ricerca Gino Germani, Rome, where he is involved in political research.

Prof Pavoncello has a long list of papers and publications printed under his name.

Prof Pavoncello has a keen interest in South African affairs. After attending a seminar hosted by the SA Embassy in Rome in 1992, he decided to include South Africa as a case study into his syllabus for final year students.

This is his first visit to the RSA.