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Mr. Chairman, Ladies, Gentlemen and Friends.

As I see many friends here, I am particularly pleased and happy to take part in this brief Opening Ceremony today. On behalf of the University administration, I welcome you all here and thank the International Committee for having chosen Siena University as its host.



Fig. 3 Opening Ceremony
On the left, Rector Adalberto Grossi
On the right, President Tullio Di Perri

Certainly the choice was made because of the merits and commitment of Professor Di Perri and his school, but it is also a great satisfaction for us to be able to put at your disposition for the next few days this complex, which is used for didactic purposes and for scientific meetings. This, in fact, is an aspect which has characterized our administration over the last few years. We are very proud of having committed ourselves to the realization of this complex and I would like to take this opportunity to reassure my colleagues - they know I shall be leaving shortly - that before leaving the work will be completed or at least its completion will be guaranteed.

I would like to say just one more thing. When this project was begun and then completed I would never have thought that it would have attracted so many high level conferences to this University and to this town. This is one of the many examples, certainly one of the most highly qualified, and therefore a reason for being particularly satisfied and proud to welcome you here today and to wish you every success in your meeting.