



1 – Bai Chunli, president of TWAS and the Chinese Academy of Sciences, flanked by former TWAS President Jacob Palis (far left), Lidia Brito, director of UNESCO's Science Policy and Sustainable Development Division, and, at right, Immacolata Pannone, scientific expert, Bilateral and Multilateral Scientific and Technological Unit, Italian Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

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2 – Minister Roberto Cantone, director, Bilateral and Multilateral Scientific and Technological Cooperation Unit, Italian Ministry of Foreign Affairs. 3 – Alessandra Di Pippo, Scientific and Technological Cooperation Unit, Italian Ministry of Foreign Affairs. 4 – Alessandro Romanello of the Lincei staff (left) gives a tour of historic collections to (from left): Fernando Quevedo, director, The Abdus Salam International Center for Theoretical Physics; Romain Murenzi, executive director, TWAS; Jacob Palis, former president, TWAS; Giusto Sciarabba, special adviser, TWAS; and Mohamed H.A. Hassan, treasurer and former executive director, TWAS. 5 – Original, hand-written notes from Galileo Galilei regarding his research on sunspots in the early 17th century. Galileo's signature is visible on the left page, at the bottom. The notes are preserved at the Accademia dei Lincei. 6 – From left: Sciarabba, Hassan, Romanello, Murenzi, Quevedo and Palis examine a page in the Lincei's archive that was signed by Galileo.



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