

**The Legacy of Volta  
From the Battery to Photovoltaic Electricity Exhibition**

**Inaugural Ceremony**

*Library of Alexandria-9 November 2009.*

**Program**

**11:00-11:30 Opening Address**

Eng. Hoda El Mikaty  
Director ,Planetarium Science center  
Prof. Franco Porcelli  
Scientific Attache', Embassy of Italy  
Dr. Stefano Mistretta  
The Consul of Italy  
Prof. Tarek Hussein  
President , Academy for Scientific Research & Technology

**11:30-12:00 Keynote speech**

*"The Legacy of Volta: From the Battery to Photovoltaic Electricity"*

By Prof. Lucio Fregonese  
History of Science, University of Pavia and curator of the Volta  
exhibition.

**12:00-12:30 Coffee break**

**12:30-13:00 Keynote speech**

By Prof. Roberto Schmid  
Director , Institute for Advanced Studies Pavia, IUSS, Italy

**13:00-13:30 The Inauguration and tour of Volta exhibition**