

Icelandic Prime Minister visits MI

The Prime Minister of Iceland, Mr. Geir Haarde, toured the Marine Institute April 15.

During the tour, the Prime Minister had the opportunity to experience the Full Mission Ship Bridge Simulator and take a trip through St. John's narrows on a virtual vessel. He also visited the Centre for Aquaculture and Seafood and Development and toured the Centre for Sustainable Aquatic Resources.

"The Marine Institute works with a number of Icelandic clients and vendors and regularly partners with Icelandic companies on applied research, technology demonstration and training projects," said Glenn Blackwood, executive director, Marine Institute. "We were happy to welcome Prime Minister Haarde and his delegation to our world class facilities and look forward to more partnerships with Iceland in the future."



Prime Minister Geir Haarde with MI's executive director Glenn Blackwood.