

Heads of State and Prime Minister Visits since the 1960s

2014 –

His Excellency Sauli Niinistö, President of the Republic of Finland, and Mrs. Jenni Haukio undertook a State Visit to Canada hosted by His Excellency the Right Honourable David Johnston, the Governor General of Canada.

2003 –

The Right Honourable Adrienne Clarkson, Governor General of Canada, made a State Visit to Finland hosted by the President of the Republic of Finland, Tarja Halonen.

1999 –

Martti Ahtisaari, President of the Republic of Finland, and Prime Minister Paavo Lipponen represented the Republic of Finland at the Canada–EU Summit in Ottawa.

1990 –

Mauno Koivisto, President of the Republic of Finland, made a State Visit to Canada hosted by the Right Honourable Ray Hnatyshyn, Governor General of Canada.

1981 –

The Right Honourable Edward Schreyer, Governor General of Canada, visited Finland.

1975 –

The Prime Minister of Canada Pierre Trudeau visited Finland for the Conference on Security and Co-operation in Europe held in Helsinki and met with the President of the Republic of Finland Urho Kekkonen.

1961 –

The President of Finland Urho Kekkonen visited Canada in 1961.



The Finnish Presidential couple arriving at Rideau Hall. Ottawa. October 9, 2014. Photo: Juhani Kandell/Office of the President of the Republic of Finland.