

UNITED NATIONS **SPEAKER**



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Thursday, February 24, 2011

DEVELOPMENT CHALLENGES IN AFGHANISTAN

12:00 – 1:00PM
Ingraham Hall
Room 206

Afghanistan presents one of the biggest development challenges of our time. Despite massive international aid and effort, significant sustained progress remains elusive. Dr. Murali will speak to these issues and the UNDP programme which helps the Afghan people grapple with the struggles of advancement.

YOUR FUTURE WITH THE UN: A CAREER TALK

4:30 – 5:30PM
Memorial Union
Tripp Commons

The United Nations, along with its many agencies, funds, and special programs, has many opportunities for meaningful global work. Come listen to Dr. Murali, who has worked in the United Nations System for close to 15 years, speak about avenues for becoming an international civil servant and career paths to the UN.

GLOBAL PROGRESS REPORT ON THE UN MILLENNIUM DEVELOPMENT GOALS

7:00 – 8:30PM
Memorial Union
Tripp Commons

Extreme poverty, hunger, HIV/AIDS, environmental sustainability, gender disparity, child mortality, maternal health, universal education... these are the world's most urgent challenges! Learn about the U.N. Millennium Development Goals and what is being done around the world to implement them. Hear stories of global struggle and courage.

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