

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 18

## *Swimmer Among the Stars*

**Kanishk Tharoor** is the author of the short-story collection *Swimmer Among the Stars*, a Guardian and NPR Best Book of the Year and the winner in India of the Tata First Book Prize for Fiction. His writing has appeared in *The New York Times*, *Guardian*, *Atlantic*, *The Nation*, *New Yorker*, *Paris Review*, *Los Angeles Review of Books* and elsewhere. His short story “Tale of the Teahouse” was nominated for a National Magazine Award. He is the presenter of the BBC radio series “Museum of Lost Objects.” He studied at Yale, Columbia, and New York University, where he was a “Writer in Public Schools” fellow.

The author will read from his book and answer questions afterwards.

- A light lunch will be provided •

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