



World Affairs Council
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Great Decisions Global Discussions 2020

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Kashmir: Flashpoint between India and Pakistan

Raza Ahmad Rumi

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How do we de-escalate conflict between these two nuclear powers?

India and Pakistan have a long history of conflict. How has escalation within the Kashmir region changed the stakes for the U.S. and the world?



Drawing on his deep background as a journalist and policy analyst, Raza Ahmad Rumi will contextualize the factors that play into India and Pakistan's actions and the U.S. response to these countries.

Rumi has been living in the United States since 2014. He has been the editor of *Daily Times* and founded Nayadaur Media—a digital start up. He is also a visiting faculty at Cornell Institute for Public Affairs.

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Two options to attend:

Monday, 6-7:15 p.m.: Aquinas College Performing Arts Center

Tuesday, 12-1 p.m.: Recital Hall in the Covenant Fine Arts Center at Calvin University
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