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## UITNODIGING • INVITATION • TALETŠO

**Die Visekanselier en Rektor van die Universiteit van Pretoria, Prof Calie Pistorius, nooi u hartlik uit na 'n openbare lesing deur Vikas Swarup van "Slumdog Millionaire" faam.**

**Datum:** Vrydag 27 Maart 2009

**Tyd:** 18:00

**Plek:** Musaion, Universiteit van Pretoria, Hatfield-kampus

Vikas Swarup, is in Allahabad, Indië, uit 'n familie van regsgeleerdes gebore.

Nadat hy met onderskeiding gegraduateer het, het hy in 1986 by Indië se Buitelandse Sake aangesluit.

Hy is tans die Adjunk Hoë Kommissaris van Indië in Suid Afrika.

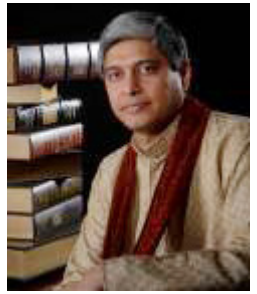
Q&A is sy eerste roman. Die boek se vertaalregte is in 40 tale verkoop, was op die kortlys

vir die "Best First Book" vir die "Commonwealth Writers"-prys en Suid-Afrika se Exclusive Books Boeke-prys in 2006 gewen. Die filmweergawe van Q&A, met die titel Slumdog Millionaire, geregisseer deur Danny Boyle, het wêreldwyd opslae gemaak en het al meer as 70 toekennings gewen, insluitend vier Golden Globes, twee BAFTA-toekennings en 'n ongelooflike agt Oscars.

Swarup se tweede boek, Six Suspects, 'n gekompliseerde verhaal van moord en korrupsie, word tans vir 'n rolprentweergawe oorweeg.

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Vikas Swarup

**The Vice-Chancellor and Principal of the University of Pretoria, Prof Calie Pistorius, cordially invites you to a public lecture by Vikas Swarup of Slumdog Millionaire fame.**

**Date:** Friday 27 March 2009

**Time:** 18:00

**Venue:** Musaion, University of Pretoria, Hatfield campus

Vikas Swarup, was born in Allahabad, India, into a family of lawyers. After graduating with distinction, he joined the Indian Foreign Service in 1986. Presently he is India's Deputy High Commissioner in South Africa.

Q&A is his first novel. The book's translation rights have been sold in 40 languages, it was short-listed for the Best First Book for the Commonwealth Writer's Prize and South Africa's Exclusive Books Boeke Prize in 2006. The film version of Q&A, with the title Slumdog Millionaire, directed by Danny Boyle, has taken the world by storm and has won more than 70 awards, including four Golden Globes, two BAFTA awards and a staggering eight Oscars.

Swarup's second book, Six Suspects, a complicated tale of murder and corruption, is currently being considered for a film version.

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**Motlatša-Mokanseliri le Hlogo ya Yunibesithi ya Pretoria, Prof Calie Pistorius, o go laletša ka lethabo go swareng setšhaba ka lefoko ke Vikas Swarup, wa tumo ya Slumdog Millionaire.**

**Tšatšikgwedi:** Labohlano 27 Matšhe 2009

**Nako:** 18:00

**Lefelo:** Musaion, Yunibesithi ya Pretoria, Khamphase ya Hatfield

Vikas Swarup, o belegetšwe Allahabad, India, lapeng la boramolao. Morago ga go amogela dikrii ya gagwe ka dihloro, o tsenetše Indian Foreign Service ka 1986. Gabjale ke Motlatšamokomišenare wa India mo Afrika Borwa.

Q&A ke padi ya gagwe ya mathomo. Ditokelo tša phetolelo ya puku ye di šetše di rekišeditšwe dipolelo tše 40, e ile ya hlokoelwa sefoka sa Best First Book for the Commonwealth Writer's le South Africa's Exclusive Books Boeke Prize ka 2006. Kgatišo ya filime ya puku ya Q&A, ya hlogwana ye Slumdog Millionaire, ye e sepetšwago ke Danny Boyle, e šikintše lefase gomme e thopile difoka tša go feta 70, go akaretšwa le difoka tše nne tša Golden Globes, difoka tše pedi tša BAFTA mmogo le di-Oscar tše seswai.

Puku ya Swarup ya bobedi, Six Suspects, e lego kanegelo ya manyofonyofo, gabjale e sekasekelwa go ka gatišetšwa filime.

**RSVP** mo go <http://web.up.ac.za/rsvp> ka la goba pele ga 25 Matšhe 2009

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