Gandhi as an Environmentalist
Ramachandra Guha
Historian, Public Intellectual, Biographer

Ramachandra Guha is an award-winning historian of Indian democracy, a biographer of Mahatma Gandhi, and a scholar of environmentalism. As a public intellectual and columnist, he reaches 20 million readers in 10 languages. His latest book is Gandhi: The Years that Changed the World: 1914–1948.

Gandhi is known as a freedom fighter, social reformer, and proponent of interfaith harmony. These aspects of his life and legacy are well known and have been widely commented upon. In this lecture, however, Guha will draw attention to his environmental ideas, which are little known and imperfectly understood. Based on a close study of what Gandhi did (and did not) say, Guha will analyze the significance of his legacy as an environmental thinker.

Light refreshments will be served.

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