

The Debut of the Documentary Film  
**"Schooling the World: The White Man's Last Burden"**

Presented by  
**Gustavo Esteva and Madhu Prakash**

Tuesday, October 5<sup>th</sup>  
4:00-6:30 p.m.  
Education Building, Room 1230

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THE WHITE MAN'S  
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Come join us for a showing of the brand new hour-long documentary, "Schooling the World: The White Man's Last Burden," which depicts recent efforts to provide modern schooling to the Buddhist inhabitants of the province of Ladakh (Kashmir, India). Dr. Madhu Suri Prakash and Gustavo Esteva will lead a discussion of the film, and situate it in relation to the arguments made in their book, *Escaping Education: Living as Learning Within Grassroots Cultures*. They propose a radical rethinking of the "development" paradigm, in which schools provide knowledge and orientations that alienate students from the deep, grounded educational processes occurring in their cultures and communities.

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