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LECTURE/READING



Dr. Rajeev Balasubramanyam (UK)
Postcolonial Writer in Residence 2015

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Bibliothekssaal (R09 T00 K18)

Dr. Rajeev Balasubramanyam was born in Lancashire, England. He is a graduate of Oxford and Cambridge Universities, and received his Ph.D. in English Literature from Lancaster University. He has published three novels to date, *In Beautiful Disguises* (2000), *The Dreamer* (2010) and *Starstruck* (2014), a series of ten interlinked narratives featuring chance encounters with celebrities. Balasubramanyam is the author of numerous short stories; he is also the editor of *Tell Tales* (vol. 2, 2005), a collection of short fiction. In his award-winning fiction, Balasubramanyam covers a wide range of topics in which he explores his Indian ancestry and addresses pertinent issues surrounding Britain's multicultural society.