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Militancy in Waziristan (Pakistan-Afghanistan): Domestic, Regional and International Implications (a new documentary film on Waziristan will be shown)

By

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A scholar of political Islam who has spent August/September doing field study in the mountain areas of Pakistan and Afghanistan

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Time & Place:

Thursday, September 24, 2009, 10.15-12.00

Aarhus University, Building 1325, room 020

The lecture will be in English.

Free entry!

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