

## **News Release**

## Pakistani feminist father to give BYU forum address

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PROVO, Utah. October 15, 2020—Ziauddin Yousafzai, a human rights activist and feminist from Pakistan, will give the forum address at BYU on November 17, 2020. Yousafzai will deliver the address in person at 11:05 a.m. MDT to a limited-attendance audience, selected randomly from BYU's student body and faculty members.

Yousafzai is the father of Nobel Laureate Malala Yousafzai and will address the campus about human rights issues and the importance of educating women.

"When a father begins a journey into feminism, believing in the worth of his daughters, he can change his whole family's future."

The forum will be filmed from the Marriott Center on BYU campus. Yousafzai's address will last approximately 40 minutes and will be available live on BYUTV. It will be available the following week as a recording on BYU's website.

Forums are open for viewing to the general public but are specifically targeted toward BYU students. They typically address current social issues or events happening in the world.

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