

The Hindu Media Resource Centre
of M S Swaminathan Research Foundation



cordially invites you to a Media Workshop

"Environment and Food Security"

to commemorate

"WORLD EARTH DAY"

on Saturday, 22nd April 2006 at 2.00 pm

Prof. M.S. SWAMINATHAN

*Chairman, National Commission on Farmers &
Chairman, MSSRF*

has kindly consented to chair the session

Venue

M S Swaminathan Research Foundation III
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Chennai - 600 113

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Programme

Screening of video film Courtesy: Foundation for the Future, USA	: "Cosmic Origins" <i>.from big bang to humankind...</i>
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Welcome Address	: Dr.M. Velayutham <i>Executive Director, MSSRF</i>
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Chair	: Prof M.S. Swaminathan
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Biodiversity & Food Security	:Dr.S. Bala Ravi <i>Advisor</i> <i>Biodiversity, MSSRF</i>
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Climate & Food Security	: Dr.A. Arivudai Nambi <i>Project Director</i> <i>SDC (V&A), MSSRF</i>
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Role of Gender in Food Security & Environment	. Ms. Vidhya Das <i>Representative</i> <i>Aragamee, Kashipur</i>
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Humanity Vs Planet Earth	. Prof.P.C. Kesavan <i>DAE Homi Bhabha Chair</i> <i>MSSRF</i>
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Media Interaction Session	
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Launch of Initiative on "Ending Child Hunger"	: Mr. Cecilio Adorna <i>UNICEF</i> <i>Chief Representative,</i> <i>India</i>
	Mr. Gian Pietro Bordignon <i>WFP, Country Director</i>
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Vote of Thanks	: Dr.K. Bhanumathi <i>Coordinator, THMRC, MSSRF</i>
Lunch	1.00 p.m.