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Thompson lecture Nov. 12 postponed due to illness

The E.N. Thompson Forum on World Issues lecture, scheduled for Nov. 12, has been postponed indefinitely. Lecturer Sunita Narain is unable to travel due to illness, but her appearance may be rescheduled at a later date.

Narain was to speak on the subject of “Changing Nature in an Unequal World,” as part of the 2007-08 E.N. Thompson series. She is director of the Centre for Science and Environment in New Delhi, India, and publisher of Down to Earth magazine.

Like all of this year’s Thompson lectures, Narain’s appearance was to have originated from the Lied Center for Performing Arts at the University of Nebraska-Lincoln with simulcasts in Scottsbluff, North Platte, Kearney, Columbus, Wayne and Omaha.

The theme for the 20th season of the Thompson lectures is “Changing Nature,” with speakers exploring a cross-section of subjects related to the science and politics of environmentalism. The remainder of the 2007-08 lecture series features Amory Lovins, co-founder, chairman and chief scientist of the Rocky Mountain Institute on Feb. 12, Richard Cizik, vice-president for governmental affairs of the National Association of Evangelicals on Feb. 25, and William K. Reilly, president and CEO of Aqua International Partners on April 22.

All lectures and simulcasts are free and open to the public. For more information, contact Beth McQueen at the Nebraska Humanities Council at (402) 474-2131 ext. 108 or at beth@nebraskahumanities.org

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