STILL IN THE MIST:
DR. GLADYS AND THE MOUNTAIN GORILLAS

Mountain gorillas are under siege by poachers, habitat loss and warfare. Dr. Gladys Kalema-Zikusoka discovered another serious threat to the survival of these enigmatic animals - the transmission of human disease to wild gorillas. Determined to counter this threat, Dr. Gladys founded the Conservation Through Public Health (CTPH). Her mission is to prevent the spread of disease from wild animals to humans, and vice versa, by improving healthcare for people, wildlife and livestock around Africa's protected areas.

A world renowned veterinarian and conservationist, she pioneered the first wildlife translocation in Uganda since the 1970s and developed the first community education campaigns on the risk of humans and gorilla disease transmission among others. Recognised globally for her sterling work, Dr. Gladys is an Ashoka Fellow, was named one of eight "revolutionary minds in science" by Science in Culture and is the recipient of a Whitley Gold Award, the equivalent of the 'Green Oscars'.

An articulate advocate, Dr. Gladys is a powerful speaker about the interconnectedness of all species and the human links to our most endangered wildlife.

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Date: Tuesday, September 30, 2014
Venue: National Gallery of Modern Art (NGMA) Auditorium, M G Road, Near CSMVS Museum and Regal Cinema, Mumbai - 400032

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