



# **PRADAN's Experiences with the System of Rice Intensification (SRI) in India**

**Film: Ek Ropa Dhan**

**Speakers: Pratyaya Jagannath and Pratyush Singh**

**Wednesday, February 15, 2012**

**4:00 – 5:30 p.m.**

**102 Mann Library**

*Ek Ropa Dhan*, a short film that won a prestigious National Film Award in India for 'best promotional film' in 2011, focuses on the Indian NGO PRADAN's experience with the System of Rice Intensification (SRI). After screening *Ek Ropa Dhan*, two rural development professionals who have worked for PRADAN will discuss their experiences with helping farmers to adapt SRI concepts and methods to their own local conditions.

Pratyaya Jagannath, currently a graduate student in the MPS International Development program, and Pratyush Singh, an MPS student in International Agriculture and Rural Development, will talk about their impacts as well as the constraints to SRI adoption in Orissa and Jharkhand states, respectively.

Refreshments will be provided

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