



ALI SINA SHARIFI

FROM KABUL TO SHIP

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 3
4:00PM • CUB, ORNDORFF THEATRE

A STUDENT'S STORY OF SURVIVAL IN AFGHANISTAN

Ali Sina Sharifi will tell the story of growing up in Kabul, Afghanistan during the time of US occupation and war after 9/11. He will discuss his childhood, education, the negative impact of war and extremism on society, and his survival and escape after the Taliban takeover of Kabul in 2021.

Sina is a Wood Honors College sophomore and Political Science major. He serves as a senator in the Student Government Association and received the Outstanding First-Year Student Award in spring 2023. Before coming to Shippensburg, he was a presenter and reporter for Sound of Afghanistan Television, a national satellite TV channel in Kabul, which aired programs about human rights, civic education, democracy, and freedom. He has received recognition for his published anti-war poems and activism for global peace, including the first annual Peace on Earth Award with his colleagues in 2020.

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