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## INVITATION

### The *Monash European and EU Centre* and the *French Embassy in Australia*

invite you to a free public lecture  
by



### **Professor Farhad Khosrokhavar**

Ecole des Hautes Etudes en Sciences Sociales, Paris, France

entitled

# Jihadism in Europe

Date: **Wednesday 20 August 2008**  
Time: **5:00pm – 8:00pm**  
Venue: **Village Roadshow Theatre, State Library of Victoria  
Entry 3, La Trobe Street, Melbourne**

Internationally acclaimed author of '*Suicide Bombers: the New Martyrs of Allah*', and '*Muslims in Prison: a comparative perspective between Great Britain and France*', Professor Farhad Khosrokhavar will present a free public lecture entitled "Jihadism in Europe."

An expert in the fields of Islam in Europe, in particular the radical forms of religion and of Iranian society after the Islamic revolution, Professor Khosrokhavar is well-known for having personally interviewed detained, suspected young recruits of Al Qaeda to determine what leads them to contemplate terrorism. His lecture will discuss the common challenges faced by Europe and Australia regarding the threat of Islamic radicalisation.

**RSVP (essential):** Monday 18 August 2008 to Trish Arnold, email [patricia.arnold@general.monash.edu.au](mailto:patricia.arnold@general.monash.edu.au), telephone 03 9903 4638.

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**Guests are invited to a reception following the lecture**

**All welcome – No charge**