



OESC/DESA invites you to the Keynote address of the Second Committee of the 68th session of the UN General Assembly by

Prof. Raj Chetty

*“Equality of opportunity and education policy:
New Evidence from Big Data”*



**9 October 2013, Wednesday
15:00 – 16:00**

**Conference Room 2, Conference Building
UN Headquarters**

Raj Chetty is the Bloomberg Professor of Economics at Harvard University. *The New York Times* and *The Economist* have both named him as one of the top economists in the world. Specializing in public finance economics, Chetty has authored some of the most influential papers on public policy matters in recent years and his work has been featured in journals such as the *American Economic Review* and *Quarterly Journal of Economics*.

Receiving both his Bachelor of Arts and PhD at Harvard, he returned to teach at his alma mater and became one of the youngest tenured professors in the university's history at the age of 29. In 2012, Chetty was awarded a MacArthur “Genius” Fellowship and he has recently become a recipient of the prestigious John Bates Clark medal, given by the American Economics Association for his contributions towards economic thought and knowledge.