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Mahy Cisse invited by MSA at Columbia University

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The image is a screenshot of a Facebook post. At the top, there is a browser address bar showing the URL: http://www.facebook.com/permalink.php?id=144606668914747&story_fbid=354029591305786. Below the browser bar is the Facebook navigation bar with the "facebook" logo, a "Sign Up" button, and the text "Connect and share with the people in your life." On the right side of the navigation bar, there are fields for "Email or Phone" and a "Keep me logged in" checkbox.

The main content of the post is from the "Columbia University Institute of African Studies", which has 351 likes. The post was made on March 28 at 6:51am. The text of the post reads: "Tonight, join Columbia University's Muslim Students Association for an event titled 'The Scholarly Tradition of Islam in West Africa and its Relevance Today.' Shaykh Mouhamadou Mahy Cisse, one of the main leaders of largest religious community on the African continent, will speak. A lifetime in the company of some of West Africa's most renowned scholars, combined with the rigorous training of the world's most prestigious Islamic educational institution and years of experience as a teacher of a diverse community of students from around the world have provided Shaykh Mahy with a uniquely broad perspective that is especially relevant today. Shaykh Mahy will contextualize West Africa's impressive and long-standing contributions to religious knowledge production, and explore how such a history is valuable to present-day discussions on Islam, pedagogy, textual and oral traditions, spirituality, and authority. The event will take place at 7:30 pm in the Lerner Party Space, Alfred Lerner Hall."

Below the main text, there are "Like" and "Comment" buttons. At the bottom of the post, there is a comment from the "Columbia University Institute of African Studies" dated March 29 at 6:51am, which says: "Our apologies for any confusion-- the 'The Scholarly Tradition of Islam in West Africa and its Relevance Today' event happens tonight, Thursday, at 7:30pm."