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The Postcolonial Studies Group presents:

**Jini Kim Watson**  
New York University

**Ruling Like a Foreigner:  
Literature, Theory and the Question of Third World  
Authoritarianism**

**Dec 4<sup>th</sup> AT 2 P.M.**  
CUNY Graduate Center, Room 5409  
All are welcome.

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