

READERS

Lisa Appignanesi is a novelist, writer, and broadcaster. Her latest novel is *The Memory Man*. Her new book, *Mad, Bad, and Sad: A History of Women and the Mind Doctors* comes out next January. She is Deputy-President of English PEN, Chair of the Free Expression Is No Offence campaign, and a member of the PEN Writers in Prison Committee.

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Dorothea Dieckmann is a novelist, essayist, and literary critic. She was awarded the Hamburg Prize for Literature in 1990, and in 1996 she received the Marburg Prize for Literature for her novella *Die Schwere und die leichte Liebe* (*Heavy Love, Light Love*). Dieckmann's other publications include *How Angels Appear* and *Ladies & Gentlemen*. Her latest novel, *Guantánamo*, will be published in the U.S. in 2007.

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