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Lucy Lippard is an internationally known art and cultural critic, curator, and activist who has made an enduring mark on the world of art, feminist scholarship, and our understanding of cultural geography. Born in New York City, she graduated from Smith College and earned her M.A. at the Institute of Fine Arts at New York University. She is the author/editor of more than twenty books, including *On the Beaten Track: Tourism, Art, and Place* (1999) and *The Lure of the Local: Senses of Place in a Multicentered Society* (1998). She has curated more than fifty exhibitions in the United States, Europe, and Latin America. For thirty years she has worked with artists' groups such as the Artworks' Coalition, Ad Hoc Women Artists, Artists Meeting for Cultural Change, The Alliance for Cultural Democracy, and Women's Action Coalition. She is co-founder of artists' organizations such as Printed Matter, The Heresies Collective, Political Art Documentation/Distribution, and Artists Call Against U.S. Intervention in Central America.