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### **About the editor:**

Mitzi Szereto is the editor of the anthologies *Foreign Affairs*, *Erotic Travel Tales*, and *Erotic Travel Tales 2* and the author of *Erotic Fairy Tales: A Romp Through the Classics*. She has also written six books as M. S. Valentine, including *Elysian Days and Nights*, *The Governess*, and *The Possession of Celia*.

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