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Linda is fluent in Italian, near-fluent in French and conversant in Spanish (with a smattering of mainly culinary German). Prior to her environmental work she was a journalist for 20 years, writing for the London Times and Reuters and broadcasting on the USA and Prime television networks. Originally from England, she has a BA Honours degree in English and Italian Literature from Warwick University where she spent more time at demonstrations than in the lecture hall, learning to become a good activist. She is married to Paul Gunter, director of the Reactor Oversight Project at Beyond Nuclear who kindly tolerates her compulsion to adopt animals. They live in Takoma Park, Maryland, with their two daughters, three cats and two dogs – so far.