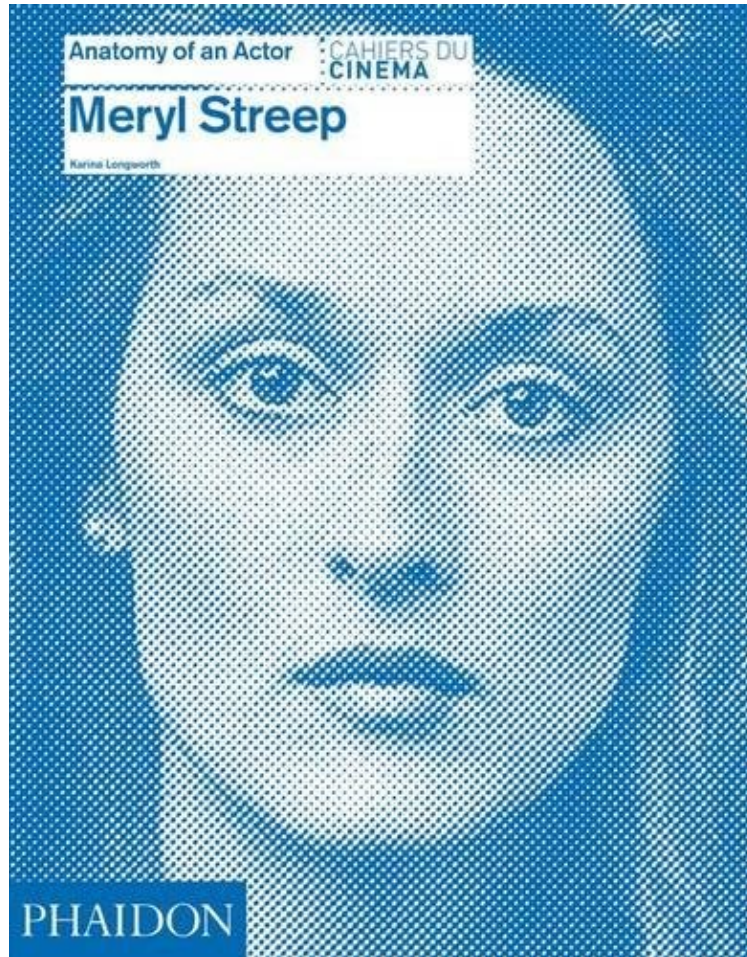


## Meryl Streep: Anatomy of an Actor

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"Longworths book functions both as a biography of a star and a theory of stardom. It is a nuanced, enviably readable work of cultural studies." *Slate*About the AuthorKarina Longworth is a film critic and journalist based in Los Angeles. She has contributed to *LA Weekly*, *Village Voice*, *Vanity Fair*, *The Guardian*, *Slate*and other publications.