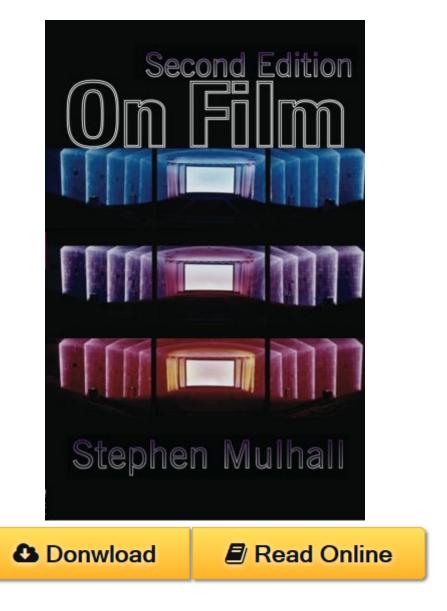
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In this significantly expanded new edition of his acclaimed exploration of the four *Alien* movies, Stephen Mulhall adds several new chapters on Steven Spielberg's *Mission: Impossible* trilogy and *Minority Report*.

The first part of the book discusses the four Alien movies. Mulhall argues that the sexual significance of the aliens themselves, and of Ripley's resistance to them, takes us deep into the question of what it is to be human. At the heart of the book is a highly original and controversial argument that films themselves can philosophize. Mulhall then applies his interpretative model to another sequence of contemporary Hollywood movies: the *Mission: Impossible* series.

A brand new chapter is devoted to each of the three films in the series, and to other films by the relevant directors that cast light on their individual contribution to it. In this discussion, the nature of television becomes as central a concern as the nature of cinema; and the shift in generic focus from science fiction to thriller also makes room for a detailed reading of Spielberg's *Minority Report*.

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