

About the Author



Jennifer Rigby is an award-winning British journalist who lived and worked in Yangon, Myanmar in 2015 and 2016. During that time, she travelled extensively around the country, meeting the women — and men — of Myanmar and hearing their stories as part of her work there. She specializes in women’s rights, social affairs and people stories, and her work has been published by *The Telegraph*, *The Independent*, the BBC, *Newsweek*, IRIN and Refinery29, among others. She was born in 1984 and grew up in the north of England with her parents and sister before attending Bristol and Cardiff universities and moving to London in the mid-2000s. After a stint working in the Czech Republic as well as in Myanmar, Jennifer now lives and works as a freelance journalist in London, U.K. She loves reading, her digital radio, breakfast, and open-water swimming. She is married to Reuters journalist David Doyle, whose photography is featured on the cover of this book, and they have a son, Daniel.