



SOHO TEEN  
YA SciFi Thriller  
Debut

What if I told you that we already know who the president will  
be in 50 years?

Or that the world's first trillionaire is currently only three, and  
lives in Manchester?

Would you believe me?

You can doubt me all you want.

But it won't stop us from knowing these things.

Ren was kidnapped at 14 years old by a shadowy organization called F.A.T.E, and trained to be a human weapon.

Now, four years later, she's about to come on line, her mission to protect Gareth Young—currently a student at Texas A&M, but someday to be a visionary who will change the world. F.A.T.E. calls people like Gareth "FIPs"—future important people—and they're all over the world, each with a F.A.T.E.-trained shadow.

But when disaster strikes, Ren will have to turn on her maker. Together with Junie, a fellow abductee and her lifelong love, Ren takes Gareth on the run. Because whatever else happens, failure is not an option.\* National Print and Digital Advertising

"The greatest strength is Ren's jokey, snark-a-minute narration; that alone puts it in the same ballpark as Michelle Gagnon's *Persefone* trilogy or Anthony Horowitz's *Alex Rider* thrillers."

—VOYA

"A fast, funny, sharp debut." —Kiersten White, *New York Times* bestselling author of *Paranormalcy*

"With a love triangle, vivid training sessions, and ample action, Shine's debut introduces a new kick-butt, funny heroine who could hold her own in a ring full of tough, independent girls like Katniss Everdeen, Tris Prior, and Lela Santos." —*Booklist*

"In his debut, Shine delivers a thrilling plot and a headstrong heroine on par with Katniss Everdeen and Tris Prior." —*Kirkus Reviews*

"Brimming with wisecracks and jokes, which turn an interesting concept into a very light read . . . plenty of excitement and humor." —*School Library Journal*

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