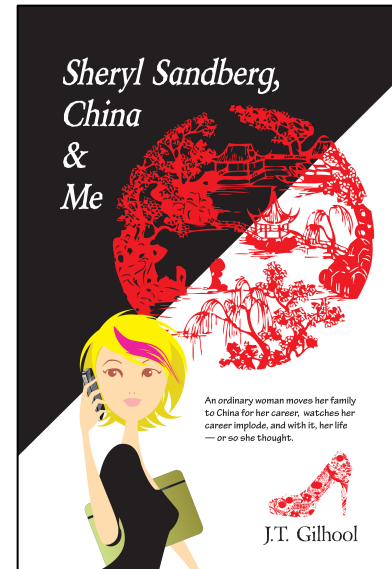


A Real Life Lean In Story

An executive on the rise, Jennifer moved her family to Shanghai, China to become the first director of a newly formed operational function for one of America's largest and oldest companies. Responsible for building and training a team scattered across Asia Pacific & Africa and capable of delivering product into the fastest growing market in the world, Jennifer logged tens of thousands of miles in the sky, thousands of hours at the office, and far too many sleepless nights worrying if she was sacrificing her family for her career. Then, almost without warning, her personal life and her work life began falling apart. Her intimate tale of self-discovery unfolds as though you were her best friend. Laugh, cry and discover the truth about 'leaning in' at one of America's oldest and largest companies.



What They Say About the Book:

“Jennifer Gilhool doesn’t just talk conceptually about the challenges women face in the corporate world. She lets the reader into her mind, heart and home as she seeks success in a world that too often fails to value women’s contributions. Jennifer finds a new sense of self that is energizing and inspirational!”

Janet Hanson, Founder 85 Broads Unlimited, LLC (now Ellevate Network)
& Managing Director Lehman Brothers (retired)

“Through her first-hand account of journeying into corporate leadership, Jennifer Gilhool gives readers a unique look into the hearts and minds of many ambitious career women who sacrifice more than they care to admit in hopes of fulfilling career goals that too often remain out of reach. It’s an inspiring story.”

Gail Evans, best-selling author of Play Like A Man, Win Like A Woman & CNN Executive Vice President (retired)

“I’m a big Jennifer Gilhool fan – in part because Jennifer’s life and career are proof that real growth happens when we risk and make ourselves uncomfortable. Her professional and personal experiences are woven together with humor, grit, and honesty, all of which make for fascinating reading. Regardless of your level, you’ll be glad you read this helpful, reassuring book of life lessons.”

Selena Rezvani, author of PUSHBACK: How Women Ask— And Stand Up— For What They Want & The Washington Post columnist

“Gilhool's voice is truly authentic, sincere and very funny. Her writing is so vivid it leaves you with a feeling as if you've been to a movie - seen it, been there, experienced it all through her senses. Or better yet, it leaves you feeling that you've made a best new friend; friend who is a master storyteller, one whom you always want in your party. She will liven up any situation. ...I don't think there is a book as honest about the real life of a high-powered executive expat woman in the market place. If I didn't know it was true, I'd think it's a superb novel. It would make a wonderful sitcom or a movie!”

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