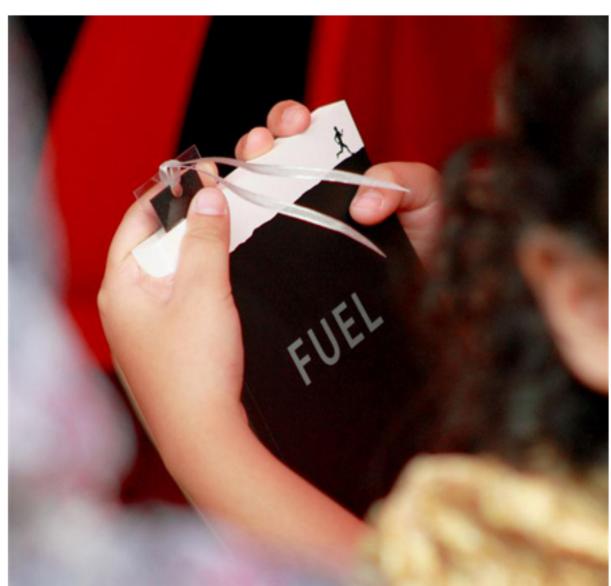


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Fuel's protagonist is a man named Timothy Malcolm Smith, a rising figure in the world of

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advertising. On a roll from his sixth consecutive business win, he receives a job offer from Oddinary, a famous agency housed in New York. But Timmy, as he is better known in the novel, has another motivation for traveling to New York, and that is to win the New York Marathon on his first attempt. A tall order made even harder by his newfound love for his Junior Art Partner, Cambria Sarah Lane.



and concerns are so brilliantly described, it makes up for the somewhat unrealistic trait of each character being so amazingly talented in at least three of these things: career, running, cooking and painting. Their humanness show that they are flawed beings at the core, and they are in love with each other. The plot unfolds in an easygoing pace, perfect for light reading while waiting for that flight or relaxing at a coffee chain. Jeremy has obviously done his research, peppering the novel with fun bits of trivia on long-distance running, classic European literature and high heels. This debut novel is like a breath of fresh air. His writing style is lyrical yet poignant. It left me

wanting more from Chin, and I sure hope this book won't be his last.



Malaysia for 10 years before deciding to take a year off to write "Fuel". His goal is to put

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