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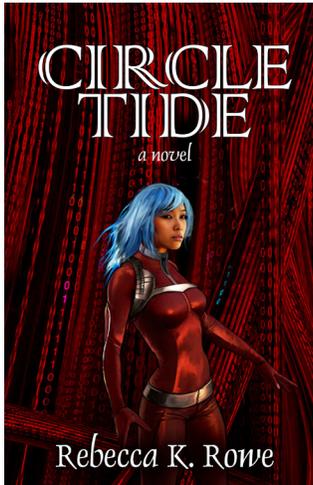
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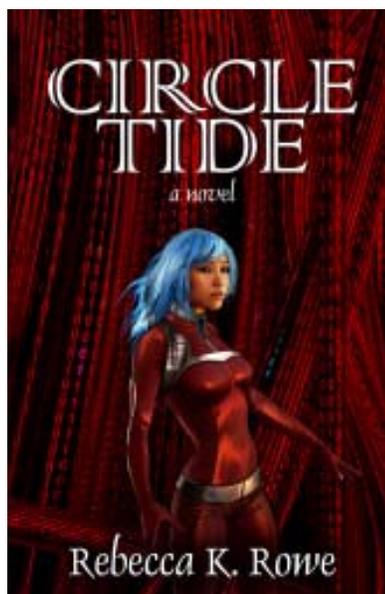
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### About Rebecca K. Rowe

Rebecca K. Rowe is a fiction author and free-lance writer living and working in North Carolina.

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“With Forbidden Cargo, her first novel, she joins a distinguished company of young writers—such as K.A. Bedford and Cory Doctorow—who will have a strong say in the shape of the science fiction of the future.” —New York Review of Science Fiction (Number 221.)

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