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## **Sharon Schweitzer Speaker Intro**

<u>Sharon Schweitzer</u>, J.D., is a cross-cultural trainer, modern manners expert, award-winning author and the founder of Access to Culture.

In addition to her accreditation in intercultural management from the HOFSTEDE Centre, she served as a Chinese Ceremonial Dining Etiquette Specialist in the documentary series <u>Confucius was a Foodie</u>, on <u>Nat Geo People</u>.

She is the resident etiquette expert on two popular lifestyle shows: <u>ABC</u> <u>Tampa Bay's Morning Blend</u> and <u>CBS Austin's We Are Austin</u>.

Sharon is a <u>Huffington Post Contributor</u> and the <u>Ms. Modern Manners</u> <u>columnist</u> for The Society Diaries. She is regularly quoted by BBC Capital, Investor's Business Daily, Fortune, and Stylecaster.

Her Amazon #1 Best Selling book in International Business, <u>Access to Asia:</u>

<u>Your Multicultural Business Guide</u>, which is now in its third printing, was named to <u>Kirkus Reviews' Best Books of 2015</u>. In 2016, Sharon won the British Airways International Trade Award at the <u>Greater Austin Business Awards</u>.

She sits on the board of directors for the Global Thinkers Forum, South Texas College of Law Alumni Association, and Austin Chamber of Commerce.

Sharon lives in Austin with her husband John of 22 years, and their golden retriever Charm.