

Labour Market Planning Committee

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An expert on Canadian wine, Walter has written five books including Vines: The Buyer's Guide to Canadian Wine and The Insider's Guide to Niagara Wine Country published in 2006. Walter is a Past Chair of the Niagara Grape and Wine Festival and a founding director of the Binational Tourism Alliance. He is also a board member of LCBO, the Hotel Dieu Shaver Hospital, the St. Catharines Museum, the Business Education Council, St. Catharines - Thorold Prosperity Council and a member of the cabinet for the United Way of St. Catharines and District.

Walter is married to Melanie, and has two children.
