

Bio: Chef and Instructor Alan Kerr (Retired) Niagara College Canadian Food and Wine Institute



Born in Manchester, thus a United fan, but raised in Birmingham England.
Educated at Birmingham's College of Food and Domestic Arts.
Two year City and Guilds Culinary Arts diploma.
Apprenticeship Two years in England and Scotland.
Two years in Nice, Monte Carlo and Antibes France.

Canada: Held positions in and around the greater Niagara and Toronto areas.
Moved to London and took position as executive chef at the London Hunt and Country club.
Taught in hospitality at Fanshawe College.
Operated a catering business in London for five years
Published in the London Free press wine and food section.
Travelled to California, France and Italy in pursuit of wine.
Held the position of restaurant reviewer for the London Free Press for two years.

Offered a position within the Food and wine science division at Niagara College.
Have been teaching here for twelve years.
Taught additional classes and presented seminars on food service in Cuba, Mexico and Peru.

Currently the Canadian correspondent for a web site featuring wine tastings and travel in wine country
blogs.gangofpour.com

