# What Will It Take? - Advancing Vocational and Employment Opportunities for Persons with ASD

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# CONFERENCE SPEAKERS

Randy Lewis

As Senior Vice President of US-based Walgreens, Randy Lewis believes that people with disabilities can do more at work. His model has resulted in 10% of his organization's workforce comprising people with disabilities. This has changed the lives of people with disabilities, and is transforming the workplace.

#### Michelle Garcia Winner

Michelle Garcia Winner offers leading vocational skill development strategies in ASD, within adults' natural `learning` environment including the workplace.

## Dr. Peter Gerhardt

Dr. Gerhardt is a dynamic leader in supporting youth and adults with ASD. He focuses on school-to-work transition, and meeting adults' needs and issues.

## Mark Wafer

Mark Wafer is the owner of six *Tim Hortons* locations at which people with disabilities are employed in all areas from entry level to management. He co-founded a peer-based Rotary initiative in which 190 people with disabilities have found paid work.

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