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Biographical sketch: Brett Balon, who has also written under the name John Peterson, was born in Regina, Saskatchewan, April 26, 1953. He is a records manager and writer. He studied at the University of Regina from 1971 until 1976, when he received his Bachelors of Arts Honours. He also studied French at the University of Victoria in 1971, the CEGEP de Jonquiere in Quebec in 1973, and at the Universite de Laval, also in Quebec, in 1974. From 1976 to 1977 he lived in London, Ontario, earning a Master of Library Science from the University of Western Ontario in 1978. He took graduate courses in sociology at the University of Western Ontario in the fall of 1977 as well. He acquired a Certificate, Data Processing, from the University of Regina in 1987, and received his Ph.D. from Greenwich University, Hilo, Hawaii, in 1993.

Balon became Branch Supervisor at the Southeast Regional Library in Weyburn from 1978 until 1982, when he joined the city of Regina as Records Management Supervisor. He has held a number of related positions at the City, and currently is the Record System Administrator, Information Systems. He has contributed to the anthologies Cracked Wheat (1984), More Saskatchewan Gold (1985), Heading Out: Heading Out:

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