

Ronald Gibbs, MD

Born and educated in Philadelphia, Ronald Gibbs is an Obstetrician Gynecologist and served as Professor and Chair of that department at University of Colorado School of Medicine from 1989-2009. He is now Professor of Obstetrics and Gynecology and Associate Dean for Continuing Medical Education, University of Colorado School of Medicine.

From his boyhood days, he developed a passion for early American history and for the history of discovery. Ron has a prominent collection of original maps dating from the Revolutionary War. He has made occasional presentations on these topics to widely ranging audiences. His presentation on “Captain James Cook and the Art of Discovery” will be highlighted by maps from his personal collection.

This photo of Ron Gibbs with Academy member and fellow Rocky Mountain Map Society member Libby Printz was taken at the July 2012 international conference, “The Mapping of North America: The Westward Expansion” at the University of Denver.

