

Mark Richard Gibb

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EDUCATION

Doctor of Philosophy History University of Georgia, Athens, GA Committee: Dr. Stephen Mihm, Dr. Scott Nelson, Dr. Akela Reason	2022-Present
Master of Business Administration International Business University of Texas, Austin, TX	1993
Bachelor of Arts Political Science, Russian University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign, IL	1990

RESEARCH FIELDS

History of Capitalism, Business History, Gilded Age, Brewing Industry

PUBLICATIONS

News & Record, Greensboro, North Carolina (Aug 2017 to Aug 2019). Wrote a monthly 700 word column on political, social, and economic issues of the day for a newspaper with daily circulation of 80,000.

GRANTS

Travel Grant Amanda and Greg Gregory Graduate Studies Enhancement Fund, Athens, GA • \$1,262 for research travel expenses	2023
Graduate Research Award Willson Center for Humanities and Arts, Athens, GA • \$1,000 for research travel expenses	2023
Hyatt and Cici Brown Chair's Award University of Florida, Gainesville, FL • \$7,000 annual stipend for study at University of Florida (declined)	2022
Dr. Karl A. Schleunes Graduate Award University of North Carolina-Greensboro, Greensboro, NC • \$2,557 for study at University of North Carolina-Greensboro (declined)	2022
Exchange Fellows Award Sasakawa Young Leaders Fellowship Fund, Tokyo, Japan • \$2,000 for study at Copenhagen Business School (Advanced Program in International Management)	1992

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Teaching Assistant Grader and Discussion Section Leader for American History Courses University of Georgia, Athens, GA	2022-Present
Instructor Entrepreneurship Course Freedom Exchange, Nizhny Novgorod, Russia	1993
Instructor First Intelligence Training Army Area School U.S. Army, Fort Devens, MA	1989

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- Founder** | Gibb's Hundred Brewing Company, Greensboro, NC 2014-2020
- Responsible for all aspects of a brewery producing 31,000 gallons a year and distributed statewide.
- Chief Executive Officer** | SMT Food & Beverage Systems, Martinsville, VA 2008-2014
- Responsible for all aspects of a \$10 million manufacturer of custom food processing machinery.
- Operations Manager for Integration** | United Technologies–Fire & Security, Farmington, CT 2007-2008
- Responsible for moving a \$60m product line from Chihuahua, Mexico to Dongguan, China.
- Managing Partner** | Quaestor Equity Partners, Middletown, CT 2005-2007
- Raised a private equity fund and completed two acquisitions of industrial manufacturers.
- President** | Capital Safety Group–SINCO, Middletown, CT 2004-2005
- Prepared a private equity owned, \$40 million safety netting manufacturer for sale to 3M.
- President** | Federal Signal–Safety Storage, Hollister, CA 2002-2004
- Responsible for all aspects of a \$20 million manufacturer of prefabricated steel hazmat buildings.
- Manager, Strategy Consulting** | Accenture, Chicago, IL 2000-2001
- Provided Supply Chain Management expertise to senior executives of *Johnson & Johnson* and *AT&T*.
- Materials Director** | Federal Signal–Guzzler, Birmingham, AL 1998-2000
- Responsible for inventory and master scheduling for a \$40 million manufacturer of vocational vehicles.
- International District Manager** | Federal Signal, Birmingham, United Kingdom 1995-1998
- Responsible for all sales and marketing in the UK and Eastern Europe for emergency signaling devices.
- Director of Marketing** | Stewart Warner Instrument, Mount Prospect, IL 1993-1995
- Responsible for all marketing for a \$25 million manufacturer of OEM and aftermarket gauges.

LANGUAGES

English (native language)
Russian (intermediate reading, writing, and speaking)
Spanish (intermediate reading, writing, and speaking)
German (intermediate reading)

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

- Member** 1993-Present
Beta Gamma Sigma National Business Honor Society
- Member** 2021-Present
American Historical Association, Business History Conference, Society for Historians of the Gilded Age and Progressive Era, Alcohol and Drugs History Society