

## Antique Maps

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Carl Moreland is a Fellow of the Royal Geographical Society. David Bannister has been a dealer for over 20 years, handling antique maps, prints and atlases. He regularly lectures on the subject, and has made a number of television appearances and radio broadcasts.