

Neil Jeffares, *Dictionary of pastelists before 1800*

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BOUYS, André

Hyères 1656 – Paris 18.v.1740

The portraitist and engraver was said to have been encouraged by the amateur Jean-Baptiste Boyer d'Aguille from Aix. He moved early to Paris and joined the studio of François de Troy whose work he engraved. He was agréé in 1687, reçu in 1689 and made conseiller in 1707. Only one pastel is recorded.

Pastels

[J.1756.101](#) Femme vue de dos, pstl (Victor Bessereau a.1945; procédure close 5.VIII.1961). Lit.: *Répertoire des biens spoliés en France*, item 524, OBIP no. 51.924 n.r.