

Neil Jeffares, *Dictionary of pastellists before 1800*

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CHIAPPE, Giovanni Battista

Novi 1723–1765

Painter. After studying drawing with Giuseppe Paravagna in Rome, he worked in Milan and Genoa but died young. The pastels in the Palazzo Rosso formerly attributed to him are now thought to be by Sigismondo Betti (*q.v.*).

Bibliography

Bénézit

Pastels

Rodolfo II BRIGNOLE; *♣ pendant: spouse, née Pellina Lomellini, pstl (Genoa, Palazzo Rosso). Lit.: Nouvelle description des beautés de Gènes et de ses environs, Genoa, 1819, p. 151 n.r., as by Chiappe [v. Betti]*