

Neil Jeffares, *Dictionary of pastellists before 1800*

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FERRETTI, Orazio, conte

Perugia 1639–1725

Art collector, painter, architect and mathematician. He was a pupil of Gagliardi. According to Orlandi (1704), he executed “...varie galantarie a olio, ed a pastello ... particolarmente ritratti in piccolo, e in grande di bel rilievo, e ben tratteggiati”, which could be seen in private collections in Perugia.

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