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HURTADO DE MENDOZA,

Doña María Juana

? – Madrid 1818

Academica de mérito at the Real Academia de Bellas Artes de San Fernando, elected in 1791. Her reception piece was a pencil drawing of Minerva, but she also exhibited 8 pastels after Guido Reni. She appears to have been the sister of Doña María de Loreto Hurtado de Mendoza (wife of the violinist Francisco Balcarén y Gamot y Cristóbal de Ronda); both were shown as due identical sums, 43811/26, in the state debt according to the decree of 8.VI.1810 printed in the *Gaceta de Madrid*. Their brother, Francisco Hurtado de Mendoza, was archivero del Secretariado de Estado y del Despacho Universal. They were from a noble family from Andalucía; their grandfather had been consul in Lisbon, and their father, Lorenzo, was born in Faro, Portugal.

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