

# Neil Jeffares, *Dictionary of pastellists before 1800*

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## **OESER, Adam Friedrich**

Bratislava 1717 – Leipzig 1799

German painter, printmaker and sculptor, trained at Pressburg and Vienna. He was in Dresden from 1739 and moved to Leipzig in 1759, where in 1764 he was appointed director of the new academy. He was an influential teacher (Goethe was among his pupils), but, while many of his pupils were pastellists, only a single work in this medium is known. Lauer's pastel of him (1798) is a remarkable tribute.

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