

Neil Jeffares, *Dictionary of pastellists before 1800*

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ROBERTSON, Archibald

Monymusk, Scotland 1765 – New York 1835
One of three brothers who were miniaturists; he was also an architect and pastellist. He arrived in America in 1791 and set up a drawing academy in New York with his brother Alexander. He is not to be confused with his homonym, the painter, print-seller and supplier of artists' materials.

Bibliography

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Pastels

J.6224.101 George WASHINGTON, pstl, 65x52, sd
✓ “Archd. Robertson”; √ “Washington, 1792”
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