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ANDRIESSEN, Jurriaan

Amsterdam 12.VI.1742–31.VII.1819 Jurriaan and his brother Anthonie were both successful Dutch painters, as well as producing painted wallpapers from their factory in Amsterdam with Izaak Schmidt (*q.v.*). Jurriaan also made history paintings and designs for theatrical scenery. He was a student at the Amsterdam Tekenacademie, where he was awarded first prize in 1766 and joined the guild of St Luke. He later taught at, and from 1784 was co-director of, the Tekenacademie. The portrait of Amsterdam art collector Versteegh is the only known pastel. In 1770 he married Aletta Geertruij Noordziek; sevveral children were baptised in Amsterdam.

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