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Pupil of his uncle J. H. Tischbein in Kassel; painter and engraver. In 1795 he was made Hofmaler at Arolsen. After a trip to Paris to study with Isabey, he taught at his cousin's drawings school in Hannover from 1799 to 1801. For the next five years he was at Hamburg, moving to Paris for six years. He painted portraits, animal pictures, and, in oil, pastel or gouache, landscapes.

Bibliography

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