Young Ladies in a Drawing Class

Adam Buck



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Adam Buck (1759-1833)
Five young Girls in a Sketching Class

Watercolour over pencil
10.3 by 13 cm, 4 by 5 in.

Provenance:
With Spink & Son Ltd, London (K3 10531);
Private Collection, UK

Literature:
Peter Darwall, A Regency Buck - Adam Buck (1759-1833), appendix E, `Preliminary List of Adam Buck's Other Works', 2015, p.178, no.607

Born in Cork, Ireland into a family of silversmiths, Buck drew miniatures from an early age and moved on to larger watercolour portraits. He moved to London in 1795 where he was immediately successful exhibiting over 170 works at the Royal Academy over a thirty year period. He was the archetypal Regency artist with an evident love of all things classical.

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