



George Douglas by William Say © National Portrait Gallery

JANE AUSTEN
PERSUASION

Edited by
Janet Todd and Antje Blank



CAMBRIDGE
UNIVERSITY PRESS

CAMBRIDGE UNIVERSITY PRESS
Cambridge, New York, Melbourne, Madrid, Cape Town, Singapore, São Paulo

Cambridge University Press
The Edinburgh Building, Cambridge CB2 2RU, UK

Published in the United States of America by
Cambridge University Press, New York

www.cambridge.org
Information on this title: www.cambridge.org/9780521824187

© Cambridge University Press 2006

This publication is in copyright. Subject to statutory exception and
to the provisions of relevant collective licensing agreements,
no reproduction of any part may take place without
the written permission of Cambridge University Press.

First published 2006

Printed in the United Kingdom at the University Press, Cambridge

A catalogue record for this publication is available from the British Library

ISBN-13 978-0-521-82418-7 hardback
ISBN-10 0-521-82418-4 hardback

Cambridge University Press has no responsibility for the persistence or accuracy of
URLs for external or third-party internet websites referred to in this publication,
and does not guarantee that any content on such websites is, or will remain,
accurate or appropriate.

PR
4034
P4
2006

CONTENTS

General Editor's preface	<i>ix</i>
Acknowledgements	<i>xiii</i>
Chronology	<i>xiv</i>
Introduction	<i>xxi</i>
Note on the text	<i>lxxxiii</i>

Persuasion 1

Corrections and emendations to 1818 text	276
Appendix 1: The cancelled chapters of <i>Persuasion</i>	278
Appendix 2: 'Biographical Notice of the Author' by Henry Austen	326
List of abbreviations	333
Explanatory notes	334