



## Large Bust By Philippe Poitevin



2 400 EUR

Period : 19th century

Condition : Bon état

Width : 53

Height : 76

Depth : 30

### Description

Superb original terracotta bust by the sculptor Philippe POITEVIN, signed on the pedestal. Good condition. Second half of the XIXth century. Beautiful patina of time. Philippe Poitevin is a sculptor from the region of Marseille, born in 1831. Pupil of Joseph Marius Ramus and Armand Toussaint, he started at the Salon of 1855. He is particularly known for having made busts. He regularly receives public commissions: groups of children for the Palais Longchamp in Marseille, bronze medallions for the Museum of Natural History, groups for the Museum of Fine Arts in Marseille. In 1854, he was hired to restore the friezes of the Palais des Tuileries in Paris. In 1856, he was hired to make 85 stone sculptures for the Lesdiguières Pavilion at the Louvre Palace.

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