

Weapon Mace - Costa Rica



850 EUR

Period: Before 16th century

Condition: Bon état

Material : Stone

Length: 7,5 cm

Width: 7 cm

Height: 5,5 cm

Description

Weapon mace sculpted with an owl's head with beautiful stylized shapes. The beak projects for optimized impact during fights. The owl is the totem animal of shamans and warriors because it possesses the virtues of nocturnal visions, speed when it pounces on its prey and agility in its movements. Speckled stone, carved, polished and pierced. Provenance: Former Alvaro Guillot-Munoz collection, years 1935-1950 Bibliography: "Jade in Ancient Costa Rica", Editions du Metropolitan Museum of Art, Julie

Jones, page 76, plate 56 for a very similar work. REGION: Guanacaste, Costa Rica MATERIAL: Stone PERIOD: Late Period IV, 100 to 500 AD.

DIMENSION: 5.5 x 7 x 7.5 cm (Base)

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This strange idea of beauty

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