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Roman Workshop - Ephebe - Small Antique Bronze - 18th Century - Grand Tour



420 EUR

Period : 18th century

Condition : Très bon état

Material : Bronze

Description

Visible in Paris. Free hand delivery in the capital and its suburbs. Delivery for France: 15EUR, contact me for Europe and the rest of the world.

Roman workshop

Ephebe

Bronze with antique patina

Dimensions : H. 15 (cm)

Probably Rome, 18th century

This ephebe is depicted standing, slightly splayed, with his right hand pointing downwards, holding his drapery which reveals his near nudity. The head is typical of antique treatment. This small bronze rests on a modern blackened wooden base.

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A souvenir of the Grand Tour

Iconography linked to archaeological discoveries was a popular theme for Italian artists in the 19th century. Mostly intended for the English and French, these small bronzes were intended to be taken with them to neighbouring countries as a souvenir of the trip to Italy. There is a whole production linked to this trip, such as small mosaics, marble busts and so on.

Local bronze-founders, in Naples for the Pompeian finds, and in Rome and Florence for the Etruscan finds, produced a profusion of these models.

Condition report: very good patina