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Nude Pastel Signed Louis Muhlstock 20th Century

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Signature : Louis Muhlstock

Period : 20th century

Condition : Parfait état

Material : Pastel

Description

This pastel by Louis Muhlstock depicts a reclining nude, treated with an economy of means that highlights the shape and softness of the body. Through light strokes and subtle shadows, the artist suggests the posture and presence of the model without dwelling on details. A few touches of yellow and blue enhance the composition, giving an impression of movement and light. Louis Muhlstock (1904-2001) was a Romanian-born Canadian painter known for his urban scenes and studies of the human condition.Arriving in Canada in 1911, he documented, through his art, the social realities of his time, particularly working-class neighbourhoods and the effects of the Great Depression. His work, often focused on the human figure, demonstrates an attentive and

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sensitive eye.His works are part of the collections of several Canadian institutions, including the Musée d'art de Joliette, the National Gallery of Canada and the Musée national des beaux-arts du Québec. This pastel illustrates his approach well, favoring a simple and expressive representation of the human body.