



Louis XVI Period Stepped Flat Desk Attributed To Canabas

7 500 EUR



Period : 18th century

Condition : Bon état

Material : Mahogany

Width : 161 cm

Height : 109 cm

Depth : 91 cm

Description

Elegant and rare Louis XVI period stepped desk, attributable to Jean-Joseph Canabas. It features a central top covered in gilded leather with a small iron, flanked by two sliding side shelves also upholstered in leather. The belt opens with five symmetrically distributed drawers, and rests on four tapered legs with rudentée fluting, finished with bronze sabots. The upper part, in steps, has open compartments and two sliding mahogany curtains concealing lockers. The whole is surrounded by an openwork gallery in gilded bronze. The refined sobriety, the quality of the veneer, the taste for discreet functionality and the care of proportions allow an attribution to Jean-Joseph Canabas (1712-1797), master in 1766. His furniture, often not stamped, is recognizable by the rigor of its construction, the

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use of solid mahogany and a discreet elegance
halfway between neoclassical austerity and
discreet luxury. Paris, circa 1780 Solid and
veneered mahogany, gilded bronze, leather gilded
with small iron