

Nguyen Thanh Lê (1919-2006) - Bronze Bust Of A Young Woman - Rare Patina - Vietnam Indochina



950 EUR

Period: 20th century Condition: Bon état Material: Bronze Height: 26.5 cm

Description

Elegant bronze bust of a young Vietnamese woman by Nguyen Thanh Lê (1919-2006), a leading figure of the École des Beaux-Arts de l'Indochine and one of the most respected sculptors of 20th-century Vietnam. This finely cast work is distinguished by its rare original green patina, with rich nuances of verdigris and ochre that enhance the refined modeling of the face and the delicately rendered hair. The expression is serene and introspective--hallmarks of Nguyen Thanh Lê's humanist approach to portraiture. The artist's signature, in Sino-Vietnamese characters, is cast in relief at the back of the neck. A comparable example, Head of a Young Vietnamese Girl, was sold by Christie's Hong Kong (Sale 12550, Lot 333) for HKD 137,500 (approx. EUR16,000), confirming the

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artist's international recognition and market presence. Click for Christies listing for referenceDimensions:Total height with base: 26.5 cmHeight of the bust alone: approx. 23 cmCondition: Excellent condition. Uncleaned surface with authentic, untouched patina. No restorations or repairs. A rare and evocative work from the Indochine period--ideal for collectors of Southeast Asian art and modern sculpture.SOLD WITH A CERTIFICATE OF AUTHENTICITYIt is possible to pay in installments. On parle français. Wij spreken NederlandsIf you have any questions do not hesitate to call me 0678679716 or email tdixonfrance@yahoo.co.ukFrais de port inclus pour la France. Shipping included in the price for FRANCE. Price does not include international shipping. Please contact me for a shipping quote. I am happy to combine shipping costs if you buy more than one item to save you money. Please note that I ship all items insured priority mail with tracking. I am an Englishman living down in the beautiful rural South of France and spend my days searching the little brocantes, flea markets, and shops for treasures. Any questions will be answered promptly. MONEY BACK WITHOUT QUESTION IF I MISREPRESENT SOMETHING IN ANY WAY.I want YOU to be happy at the end of the day, so buy with confidence. I take a great deal of care packing - I have a proven track record of selling high value, fragile items that arrive safely worldwide.Payment- Credit Cards via PayPal. Cheque or Bank transfer. Other payment methods are available please ask.