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Early 18th Century Portrait Of The Duke Of Meternich



2 000 EUR

Signature : I. Ruber

Period : 18th century

Condition : Bon état

Material : Oil painting

Width : 46

Height : 71

Depth : 6

Description

Beautiful
oval portrait, oil on canvas, set in an oval carved
wooden frame gilded with
pure gold leaf, with the upper and lower sections
decorated with plant curls
and a shell. The back features inscriptions
identifying the portrait's subject,
the artist, and the date of the work. The painting
depicts the Duke of
Meternich, ambassador of the Baron of
Neuchâtel, wearing a large wig and armor,
gazing directly at the painter and the viewer. The
painting features a
remarkable use of chiaroscuro and detail, making
it an exquisite workmanship
and historically significant work. The portrait is
attributed to the French

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painter I. Ruber, as signed on the back, active
around the beginning of the
18th century (c. 1703).
Dimensions: H x W x D overall 71 x 46 x 6 cm;
H
x W work only 40 x 30cm