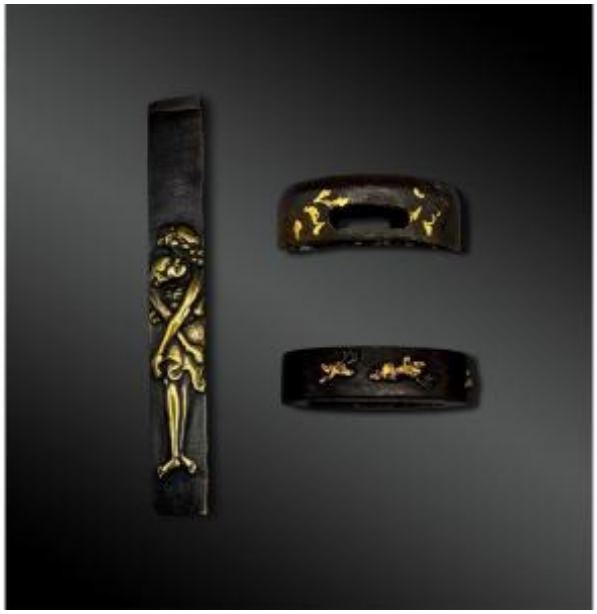
Fuchi, Kashira And Kotsuka Set - Japan - Edo Period (1603-1868)



340 EUR

Period : 18th century

Condition : Très bon état

Description

Fuchi, Kashira and Kotsuka SETJapan, Edo period (1603-1868)Iron, gold, copper, brass, shakudoFuchi in copper and iron chiselled with three birds enhanced with gold.Kashira in iron decorated with gilded foliage motifs.Kotsuka in copper covered with shakudo, engraved with Ashinaga-tenaga.The Ashinaga-tenaga are a pair of yokai from Japanese folklore, consisting of two complementary beings: Ashinaga-jin (???), with disproportionately long legs, and Tenaga-jin (???), with exceptionally long arms. They are first mentioned in the Japanese encyclopaedia Wakan Sansai Zue. When depicted together, they symbolise mutual aid and cooperation, each compensating for the other's limitations with their own abilities.Ref.: 5948 Text and photos © FCP CORIDON

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