



Korwar Outrigger Canoe Prow With Carved Wooden Decoration Of Interlacing Patterns And Head. Irian



950 EUR

Period : 20th century

Condition : Etat d'usage

Material : Solid wood

Height : 74cm

Description

An elegant canoe prow carved with interlacing patterns and a protective ancestor's head with a distinctive arrow-shaped nose. The headdress is pierced with holes for cassowary feathers. The wood has a beautiful dark patina, and it sits on a fine, matching brass base. Korwar, Cenderawasih Bay, Irian Jaya, Papua New Guinea (Indonesia). Mid-20th century.

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