



Large Walnut Console Table In The William IV Style, United Kingdom, Circa 1840



3 500 EUR

Period : 19th century

Condition : Bon état

Width : 200

Height : 72

Depth : 44

Description

This large William IV console table, crafted in the United Kingdom around 1840, embodies the transitional elegance of a period poised between Regency refinement and early Victorian solidity. Made from richly toned walnut, the table displays the warm depth and expressive grain that made the wood a favored material among cabinetmakers of the era. Its long, polished top rests on boldly turned legs, each one shaped with sculptural precision and set on discreet castors that reflect the 19th-century desire for both grandeur and mobility in domestic interiors. The table's proportions are generous yet balanced, giving it a commanding presence without overwhelming a space. The walnut surface shows small, authentic traces of use, subtle marks that speak to nearly two centuries of life while

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enhancing the natural patina that only time can create. These signs of age contribute to the table's character, underscoring its authenticity and the continuity of its craftsmanship. William IV furniture is known for its confident forms, restrained ornament, and emphasis on high-quality materials. This console table reflects those qualities with clarity: the turned legs are richly detailed without excess, the stretcher base adds stability and architectural rhythm, and the overall silhouette remains clean and dignified. The addition of castors - typical of the period - allowed such substantial pieces to be moved easily within grand homes.