



## A Modern Two-tone Gold Ring Set With An Italic Carnelian Intaglio. Pomegranate.



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Period : 20th century

Condition : Très bon état

Material : Gold

### Description

Intaglio: Italic, 2nd-1st century B.C.Mount: Modern, two-tone gold (yellow gold bezel, white gold shank)Stone: 5.5 × 6.5 mm Ring sizes: UK R · US 8½ · FR 58 (resizeable)Total weight: 9.92 g Condition: Wear marks to the intaglio surface; mount in good conditionA circular yellow gold bezel, set on a polished white gold shank, houses a small oval carnelian intaglio of the Italic tradition. The stone, of warm orange-brown tone, is engraved with a stylized pomegranate, rendered through a globular form with incised details. Wear marks attest to the antiquity and long use of the gem.The pomegranate held rich symbolic resonance in the ancient world -- sacred to Persephone and Hera, emblematic of fertility, abundance, and the cycle of life and death. Its presence on a small Italic gem of the late

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Republican period speaks to the enduring vocabulary of personal adornment in the ancient Mediterranean. The modern two-tone mount sets the ancient stone with quiet restraint, allowing the gem to remain the focal point.