



18th Century French School Drawing Academy Of A Reclining Man

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Period : 18th century

Condition : Très bon état

Material : Paper

Length : 77cm

Width : 68cm

Description

This 18th-century drawing depicts a male academy in red chalk, illustrating an in-depth study of the male nude. The model, reclining in a complex pose, bears witness to extensive research into the body's movement and tensions. The artist demonstrates an excellent mastery of human anatomy: muscular masses are rendered with precision, transitions between light and shadow are treated with subtlety, and the modelling of the body is achieved through a dense, nuanced network of hatching. The treatment of the torso, in particular, reveals a careful observation of the living model and a quest for idealization inherited from ancient statuary. Dimensions without frame: L:61cm l:46.5cm Dimensions with frame: L:77cm l:65cm

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