



Desk Lamp By Louis Kalff For Philips Circa 1960



370 EUR

Signature : Louis Kalff 1897-1976

Period : 20th century

Condition : Bon état

Material : Metal

Diameter : abat-jour 40 base 18 cm

Height : 51 cm

Description

Rare and iconic modernist desk lamp designed by the famous Dutch architect and designer Louis Kalff, historical art director of the Philips house in the 1950s-1960s. This model perfectly illustrates the search for geometric purity and functionality specific to Kalff, often referred to as creator of the "Mushroom" or "Saucer" silhouette for post-war lighting. The object has a great harmony of materials and lines: A large circular reflector in satin-finished slate gray lacquered metal, with a straight edge allows for optimal and subdued diffusion of light downwards. The tapered central base in shiny chromed steel rests on a matching lacquered metal weighted circular base, housing its original white push button. Good condition, some traces of lacquer and chrome punctures visible in the photos. Delivery

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