



## Bronze Bust Of Ariadne, Signed "l. Oudry éditeur" Napoleon III Period

980 EUR



Signature : L OUDRY EDITEUR

Period : 19th century

Condition : Très bon état

Material : Bronze

Width : 15cm

Height : 28cm

### Description

An elegant bronze bust with a brown patina depicting Ariadne, a figure from Greek mythology, rendered here in a style inspired by antiquity. The face, slightly tilted, features idealised features, whilst the abundant, lively hair reinforces the neoclassical character of the composition. The work rests on a quadrangular plinth and makes a striking decorative statement thanks to the balance of its silhouette and the quality of its nuanced brown patina. This 19th-century piece reflects the taste of the time, which held ancient and mythological subjects in high regard. The inscription 'L. Oudry Éditeur' refers to Léopold Oudry, a renowned 19th-century French technician, chemist and art publisher. Active mainly between 1854 and 1882, he is renowned for his revolutionary use of

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electrotyping (an electrochemical process involving copper plating and metal deposition) applied to artistic castings and public monuments. Dimensions: Height 28 cm - Width at shoulders: 15 cm - Base: 8 x 8 cm A Parisian piece, dating from the Napoleonic III period. Buy online on our website: <https://legide.be/product/bronze-bust-of-ariadne-signed-l-oudry-editeur/> Shipping costs are included when an address is provided