



The Skater - Bronze Japan, Circa 1972 - Sakuuchi Yamato (born In 1901) #185

600 EUR



Signature : Sakuuchi Yamato Japon - (1901 - ?)

Period : 20th century

Condition : Très bon état

Material : Bronze

Length : 31,5

Width : 13,5

Height : 27

Description

Bronze with an antique green patina--some signs of wear. Signed. Born in 1901 in Nagano. As a young man, he worked as a lumberjack. Noticed for his sculptures, which he created as a hobby, he enrolled in the Japanese Farmers' Art School in 1930. He exhibited until 1936 at the institute's dedicated exhibition. In 1936, he left for France to study at the Académie Julian for three years, then traveled to India to study Buddhist statuary. Upon his return to Japan, he learned casting techniques from Naoya Takei (a former student of Bourdelle), a leading figure in modern sculpture. Beginning in 1959, he divided his time between Paris and Japan. This bronze sculpture is similar to a 1972 monument dedicated to an Olympic champion at the Sapporo Winter Games.

See the last photo in the slideshow. Weight: 4.3 kg

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