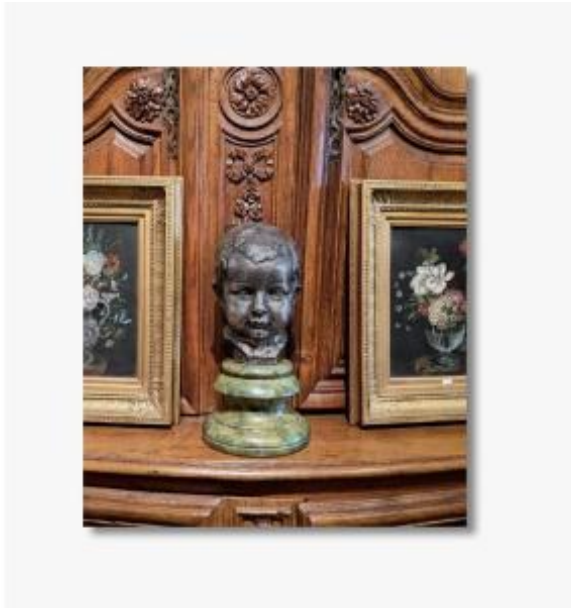




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A Bronze Sculpture Titled *tête D'efant* By Firmin Michelet



2 500 EUR

Signature : Firmin MICHELET

Period : 19th century

Condition : Très bon état

Material : Bronze

Diameter : 20

Height : 37

Description

Our sculpture depicts a delicate bronze child's head resting on an elegant wooden base that mimics green marble. The face, imbued with gentleness and naturalness, reveals the full extent of Firmin Michelet's talent. Firmin Michelet (1875-1951) was a renowned French sculptor who trained at the École nationale des Beaux-Arts in Paris in the studios of Louis-Ernest Barrias and Jules Coutan. Noticed early on for the quality of his modeling and his sense of expression, he exhibited regularly at the Salon des Artistes Français, where he won several awards. His career was marked by numerous public and private commissions, notably commemorative monuments, official busts, and portraits. He also received a gold medal at the International Exhibition of Decorative Arts in Paris in 1925, an

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honor that confirmed his place among the most highly regarded French sculptors of his time.