Meissen Porcelain Sculpture - Commedia Dell'arte Figure With Mask



230 EUR

Signature : Manufacture de Meissen (Allemagne, Saxe)

Period : 20th century

Condition : Bon état

Material : Porcelain

Height : 14

Description

Meissen Porcelain Manufactory (Germany, Saxony)Early 20th century (based on designs by Johann Joachim Kändler / Peter Reinicke)Female figure wearing a mask (Colombina - Commedia dell'Arte - Allegory of the Theater)Hand-painted hard-paste porcelain with polychrome and gildingH 14 cm × W 5.5 cmMark on the base: Crossed swords in blue underglazeCondition:Excellent overall condition, with vibrant polychrome and the piece intact.A refined and graceful collector's sculpture in fine Meissen hard-paste porcelain, depicting a female figure from the world of classical theater and the Commedia dell'Arte (referring to the iconography of Colombina or an allegory of comedy/theater).The figure is portrayed in an elegant, supple, and expressive pose atop a finely

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modeled natural rock base.With her left hand, she gracefully lifts a black mask (lutta/moretta), a typical attribute of 18th-century theater and carnival.She wears a refined gown that leaves one shoulder bare and features a full, flowing skirt painted with delicate bouquets of polychrome flowers, executed--like the details of her face--with a brush and the utmost precision typical of miniature painting.Particularly noteworthy is the detail of the "Roman-style" sandals with pink lacing intertwined around the ankles, as well as the sculptural care with which the facial features and styled hair are rendered.This type of figurine belongs to the golden age of the Meissen porcelain manufactory in Saxony. The subject is based on the famous models created in the mid-18th century by the renowned master modeler Johann Joachim Kändler together with Peter Reinicke, who revolutionized European porcelain sculpture by introducing dynamic figures, full of verve, liveliness, and Rococo style.- All our works are accompanied by a detailed certificate of authenticity.- Professional packaging and insured shipping to ensure maximum safety during transport.- For further information, please do not hesitate to contact us at +39 329 319 4887 - info@dequart.com- Option for VIDEO CALLS and in-person viewings by appointment in MILAN and OMEGNA (Vb).- Additional information and photos: www.dequart.com IG - FB @dequ.art