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"salammbô" - Bronze Statue With A Brown-green Patina By Marcel Debut



6 800 EUR

Period : 19th century

Condition : Très bon état

Material : Bronze

Description

A bronze sculpture depicting Salammbô, a legendary figure from ancient Carthage, interpreted here in a style that is both Orientalist and Symbolist. The young woman is depicted standing in a graceful pose, her arm delicately raised, holding a harp. Her garment, with its soft drapery, elegantly complements the figure's movement, while the entire piece is characterized by rich modeling and intricate details. Crafted in bronze with a brown-green patina, the sculpture subtly reveals the volumes, the folds of the drapery, and the various elements of the composition. The figure leans against a burning torch, reinforcing the work's theatrical and evocative character. Marcel Debut (1865-1933), a French sculptor of the late 19th and early 20th centuries, is particularly renowned for his

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figurative compositions influenced by Orientalism and Symbolism. Work signed "Marcel Debut" on the base. Characteristics: Artist: Marcel Debut (1865-1933) Subject: Salammbo Material: Bronze Patina: Brown-green Signature: Marcel Debut, on the base Height: 99 cm A monumental sculpture with a distinctly decorative character, particularly representative of the taste for Orientalist and literary subjects that characterized French sculpture of this period.