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Saddle Known As Kura - Japan - Edo Period (1603-1868)



4 880 EUR

Period : 18th century

Condition : Très bon état

Description

SADDLE called Kura Japan Edo period (1603-1868) Wood and lacquer H.: 28; L.: 37; W.: 34 cm (minor chips and imperfections) The pommel (maewa)--a flat piece shaped like an inverted U with a double notch on each side, shallow notches on either side, which allow the rider to grip the saddle when mounting the horse--is made of brown lacquered wood with a maki-e decoration depicting the dragon Ryu amidst clouds, accompanied by lightning, rendered in red lacquer. At the rear, the pommel (shizuwa)--which has a shape similar to that of the pommel, except that its extensions, beneath the rider's thighs, curve forward--is finished in nashiji lacquer and maki-e depicting the legendary dragon, this time set against Mount Fuji. Signed on the underside. Ref. 7365 Text and

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