Art Nouveau Polychrome Régule Handheld Candleholder - Chestnut Motif - Circa 1900



175 EUR

Period : 20th century

Condition : Bon état

Material : Alloy

Description

Art Nouveau Polychrome Regule Hand Candleholder - Chestnut Tree Design - Circa 1900 Charming and unique Art Nouveau period hand candleholder, circa 1900, made of polychrome régule with a naturalistic chestnut tree design, whose particularly original composition perfectly illustrates the botanical inspiration characteristic of this period.The candleholder rests on an elegant arrangement of broad chestnut leaves, with finely rendered veins and supple, flowing contours. Several chestnut husks, depicted at various stages of development, enrich this botanical composition.One of the husks, bristling with its characteristic small spikes, ingeniously forms the holder designed to hold the candle, while a curved chestnut branch serves as the candlestick's handle.The piece as a

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whole displays remarkable compositional skill, in which each botanical element finds its natural place, in a style highly representative of Art Nouveau and its penchant for organic forms.The polychromy features beautiful shades of green and brown, subtly nuanced, which enhance the realism of the botanical design.Note: the few yellow or golden highlights visible in some photographs are due exclusively to the lighting used during the photo shoot. The piece has no gilding; its polychromy consists exclusively of shades of green and brown.This model belongs to a family of decorative objects that also includes an inkwell featuring the same ornamental motifs. The handheld candlestick version, however, appears to be significantly less common, which adds to the appeal of this specimen.A piece of fine decorative quality, both poetic and original, particularly appealing to lovers of Art Nouveau, naturalistic objects, and Belle Époque curiosities.Condition: good overall condition. Some signs of wear (two small visible hairline cracks on the back) and slight distortions, consistent with the object's age. Overall, it presents beautifully.Period: Art Nouveau, circa 1900.Material: polychrome green and brown regule.Decoration: chestnut tree, leaves, branches, and chestnut husks. Additional information available by phone, text message, or WhatsApp.Additional photos and videos available upon request.Careful packaging and secure shipping within France and the European Union.We generally respond to inquiries within 48 hours. Please check your spam folder if you do not receive our reply.Find the workshop's restoration projects and news on Instagram: @lalchimiste.atelier.