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Art Deco Pitcher - Eskaf (netherlands, Ca. 1930) Ola Model



85 EUR

Period : 20th century

Condition : Très bon état

Material : Ceramic

Height : 15 cm

Description

A magnificent, stylized polychrome floral design called "OLA", hand-painted in bright shades of yellow, purple, and turquoise. The motifs contrast superbly with the deep matte black background, an iconic and highly sought-after enamel characteristic of Gouda production during this Art Deco periodSigned and numbered. Handwritten notation "ESKAF 255 WK" (form number 255, painter's initials) and inscription "Holland / Gouda." Dimensions:Height: 15 cm Base diameter: 10 cm Body diameter: 18 cm In very good original condition, no cracks, no chips, enamel very well preservedFounded in 1919 by Hein Krop and Klaas Vet in the northern Netherlands, the factory initially distinguished itself through its brightly colored matte glazes inspired by the Amsterdam School and late Art

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Nouveau.In 1927, the factory moved to Huizen (near Amsterdam), and the renowned ceramicist Willem Hendrik van Norden took over as artistic director. He modernized the forms and introduced highly graphic, stylized floral designs on a matte black background, typical of Dutch plateel.Affected by the economic crisis of the 1930s, the factory closed its doors for good in 1934. This short lifespan (15 years) explains the relative rarity of and collectors' interest in pieces signed by