



Léon Pointu (1879 - 1942), Enamelled Stoneware Vase, Signed



500 EUR

Signature : Léon Pointu

Period : 20th century

Condition : Très bon état

Material : Sandstone

Diameter : 16 cm

Height : 15 cm

Description

Dark brown enameled stoneware vase with dark green drips on the top with crackle effect. Signed "Pointu" on the underside.

Son of the ceramicist Jean Pointu (1843-1925), Léon Pointu followed an apprenticeship in his father's workshop who had a strong influence on him throughout his career. Indeed, his pieces remain, first of all, very close to those of his father, then he evolves towards new shapes, larger sizes and chooses more vivid and sustained colors. It is distinguished by a production with simple, regular and quite massive shapes. In the 1930s, he developed the technique of dripping on his vases, in gold or in color, which he reworked to give them another aspect, for example on our vase, which is a little cracked. From 1921 until 1927, he exhibited his production at the

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