

SA1157596

Portrait Sketch Of A Young Lady, Frank Moss Bennett (1874-1952)

Price

GBP 735

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Item Reference: SA1157596

Date of manufacture: 1930

Dimensions

Height = 51 cm (20.1")

Width = 42 cm (16.5")

Depth = 4 cm (1.6")

Description

Artist: Frank Moss Bennett (1874-1952) Title: Portrait Sketch of a Young Lady Provenance: From a UK collection Faintly signed Medium: Oil on canvas Measurements: Overall measures 51 cm x 42 cm x 4 cm and the painting itself measures 41.5 cm x 33 cm Indistinct signature Inscribed to verso on canvas "sketch F.M Bennett" Inscribed to verso on top stretcher bar "Frank Moss Bennett" followed by an address Born in Liverpool in 1874, Frank Moss Bennett was a London artist who specialised in painting portraits, genre and historical subjects. He began his training in 1892 at Slade School of Art in London and finished his education at the Royal Academy of Arts. Bennett won a gold medal from the Royal Academy for a lithograph he created in 1899 titled "Ladas the Greek runner falling dead as he goes to receive his crown of olives at Olympia" Bennett is best known for his Elizabethan subjects, many of which became well known through calendars and other forms of popular reproduction. He is also known for his portraits of soldiers killed in World War I, usually commissioned by their grieving relatives. The present work is a sketch for a portrait of a young lady in typical pe...

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