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Tall Antique Architect's Riser Desk, English, Metamorphic, Cartographer, Regency

Price

GBP 4,950

| USD \$6,698 | EUR 5,792

Item Reference: SA1192999**Date of manufacture: Regency**

Dimensions

Height = 75 cm (29.5")

Width = 93 cm (36.6")

Depth = 63 cm (24.8")

Description

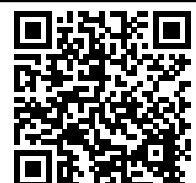
This is an antique lead architect's riser desk. An English, mahogany draughtsman or cartographer's table, dating to the Regency period, circa 1820. Exceptional craftsmanship for the discerning architect or cartographer. Displays a desirable aged patina and in good order throughout. Select stocks present striking colour and fine grain interest. A grand piece, with marvellous flexibility for multiple disciplines. Dual-fold riser top a hallmark of this fine professional desk. First rising to an angle, resting upon graduated nacelles upon the frame. Once raised, the writing slope articulates to a near horizontal angle. Each piece can be positioned in a range of heights and angles for convenience. Top surface replete with a pair of removable document rests. Striking scallop knee hole creates an impressive form across the fascia. Central drawer replete with a brass-lined lock — in working order, key present. Bank of side drawers adds further storage for associated tools and implements. The whole riding smoothly upon a quartet of brass castors. This is a striking antique lead architect's riser desk, with a fascinating riser top, offering a range of adjustments to suit draughtsman and cart...

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