

SA1205084

Antique Pair Italian Grand Tour Borghese Bronze Campana Urns 19th C

Price

GBP 2,200

| USD \$2,977 | EUR 2,574

Item Reference: SA1205084**Date of manufacture: 1870**

Dimensions

Height = 31 cm (12.2")

Width = 16.5 cm (6.5")

Depth = 16.5 cm (6.5")

Description

A superb antique pair of Italian Grand Tour bronze Borghese Campana urns, circa 1870 in date. This pair of patinated bronze campana urns are after the Borghese models with classical relief decoration and reeded rims on a pedestal base. They are raised on black patinated square plinths decorated with laurel wreaths and stepped ormolu pedestals. This high quality hot cast solid bronze was produced using the traditional "lost wax" process, otherwise known as the "cire perdue" method. The craftsmanship is second to none throughout all aspects of this pair and they are sure to add an unparalleled touch of class to your home. Condition: In excellent condition, please see photos for confirmation. Dimensions in cm: Height 31 cm x Width 16.5 cm x Depth 16.5 cm. Dimensions in inches: Height 1 foot x Width 6 inches x Depth 6 inches. The Grand Tour was the traditional trip of Europe undertaken by mainly upper-class European young men of means. The custom flourished from about 1660 until the advent of large-scale rail transit in the 1840s, and was associated with a standard itinerary. It served as an educational rite of passage. Though primarily associated with the British nobi...

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