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Fine Chinese Millefleurs and Iron-Red Ribbon-Wrapped Vase with Dual Dragons, Late Qing to Early Republic Period, Circa 1900

Price

GBP 4,500

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Item Reference: SA1228807

Date of manufacture: 1900

Dimensions

Height = 18 cm (7.1")

Description

Fine Chinese Millefleurs and Iron-Red Ribbon-Wrapped Vase with Dual Dragons, Late Qing to Early Republic Period, Circa 1900 A masterfully potted Chinese porcelain vase standing at 18 cm in good condition, presenting an extraordinary confluence of imperial-revival motifs and meticulous studio execution. The upper globular body and slender neck are densely enameled in a vibrant millefleurs ("thousand flowers") tapestry featuring overlapping peony and chrysanthemum blossoms, intricately outlined with fine gilt tracing (keuxian). Winding dynamically through this floral field are contrasting dual dragons—one meticulously rendered in a gleaming gilt outline, and its counterpart in a pale, icy-blue scale pattern. Encompassing the lower shoulder is a striking coral-red sash tied in a prominent bow and overlaid with gilt line-work depicting auspicious clouds. The interior and base are coated in a controlled, smooth turquoise-green enamel, framing a crisp underglaze blue six-character seal mark. Dating to the transitional turn of the 20th century (circa 1900), this piece reflects the high-grade technical mastery of late Qing to early Republic studio production, offering excepti...

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