

SA1232209

Early 20th Century Cold Painted Bronze "Spring Awakening" by Ferdinand Preiss

Price

GBP 16,500

| USD \$22,496 | EUR 19,254

Item Reference: SA1232209**Date of manufacture: 1920**

Dimensions

Height = 36 cm (14.2")

Width = 22 cm (8.7")

Depth = 10 cm (3.9")

Description

A striking Art Deco bronze figure entitled "Spring Awakening" by the celebrated German sculptor Ferdinand Preiss. The elegant female figure stands with arms outstretched and head raised, her silvered body dramatically framed by a flowing robe with a rich metallic blue patination. The stylised pose beautifully conveys a sense of awakening, freedom and vitality, characteristic of the Art Deco period. Finely modelled and superbly presented, the figure is raised on an impressive shaped Portor marble base and is signed F. Preiss. **ADDITIONAL INFORMATION** Height: 36 cm Width: 22 cm Depth: 10 cm Condition: Excellent original condition Circa: 1925 Materials: Bronze and marble Book Reference: Art Deco & Other Figures by Bryan Catley Page No.: 267 SKU: 9662 **ABOUT** Ferdinand Preiss Ferdinand Preiss was born on 13 February 1882 in Erbach in the Odenwald. From the age of 15, he lived with the family of the renowned artist Philipp Willmann, where he received his early artistic training. In 1901, Preiss travelled to Rome and Paris, where he earned a living as a modeller. While in Baden-Baden, Preiss befriended Arthur Kessler, who became his lifelong business partner. Together...

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