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Lucien Lévy-dhurmer, Horse, Pastel On Paper



Description

Lucien LÉVY, known as Lucien LÉVY-DHURMER (Algiers 1865 - 1953 Le Vésinet) Horse Pastel on paper 52 x 38 cm (at sight) signed 'Lévy Dhurmer' lower right

Selective bibliography: Pastels (cat. exp.), Exhibition at Musée d'Orsay from March 14 to July 2, 2023, Paris, Éditions du musée d'Orsay and RMN, 2023

Notable museums: Musée d'Orsay, Paris The Metropolitan Museum of Art, New York Petit Palais, Musée des Beaux-Arts de the city of Paris

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Signature : Lucien LÉVY, dit Lucien LÉVY-DHURMER (Alger 1865 - 1953 Le Vésinet) Period : 20th century Condition : Très bon état Material : Pastel Length : 38 cm (à vue) Height : 52 cm (à vue)

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Renowned pastellist, Lucien Lévy-Dhurmer first trained with Albert-Charles Wallet and Raphaël Collin then as an ornamental painter in an earthenware factory in Golfe-Juan. At the same time, he continued his activity as a painter and participated in the collective exhibition of Painters of the Soul in 1896, alongside Alphonse Osbert, Émile Gallé and Alexandre Séon. Pastel is undoubtedly Lévy-Dhurmer's favorite medium, who like no other manages to create the silhouettes of his models in a poetic and luminous mist. His best-known works are undoubtedly his symbolist creations, such as Le Silence or Bourrasque, which received rave reviews. The theme of the horse is regularly explored by Lévy-Dhurmer. See Study of saddled horses, Hôtel Drouot, June 16, 1985 or Study of horses, Hôtel Drouot, May 11, 2011, which treats this subject with remarkable rigor.