

LOUIS CANE, PATINATED BRONZE AND WALNUT BUREAU PLAT/ DESK



Louis Cane, patinated bronze and oak bureau plat, c. 2001, France. The walnut parquet top over three frieze drawers, cast bronze frame and pulls, from the "Caillebotis" series, brass stamped "Cane", dated, numbered 2/8, and "CISELURE D'ART ILE DE FRANCE CAI". Provenance: Contents from the home of a recording industry insider. Known primarily as a painter, Louis Cane turned his attention to furniture design in the 1990s. In the tradition of Diego Giacometti, Claude and François-Xavier Lalanne, and Garouste & Bonetti, his work blurs the boundaries of fine art and design, with each piece produced in a very limited signed edition. Born in 1943, Cane studied interior design and both fine and decorative arts before embarking on a career in painting and sculpture. He belonged to a generation of artists who reached maturity in the revolutionary atmosphere of May 1968 and later formed the Supports/Surfaces movement — a short-lived but influential group that rejected the second School of Paris, pursuing a theoretical approach to painting. Louis Cane, furniture designer. In bringing together historical forms and techniques, Cane has always been alert to the use of figuration and color, and he has a deep admiration for the work of master craftsmen. He set up his furniture workshops to employ the top practitioners in their fields: bronze workers, marquetry experts and cabinetmakers — and the sale celebrates them, too.

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GALLERY IMAGES









ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Weight 120 lbs

Dimensions $25.5 \times 58 \times 29.75$ in

Height: 29.75 in.

Dimensions Width: 58 in.

Depth: 25.5 in.

Style Expressionist

Materials and Techniques Bronze and Walnut

Place of Origin France

Period 2001

Date of Manufacture 2001

Similar To JMF (Designer)

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Condition



Good - Wear consistent with age and use. Oxidation to bronze,

rubbing to wood finish with color variations. Over the years,

natural walnut wood develops a luxurious patina. It has a large

following of devoted wood workers and fine furniture

aficionados.

Seller Location North Miami, FL

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