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## **VIEWING:**

at HHD

277 Abdel Wahab El Inglizi Street Achrafieh, Beirut, Lebanon

Thursday	December	11	05:00 PM	till 8:00 PM
Friday	December	12	10:00 AM	till 6:00 PM
Saturday	December	13	10:00 AM	till 3:00 PM

#### **BIDDING STARTS:**

Thursday 11 December at 05:00 pm (GMT+2)

#### **BIDDING STARTS TO CLOSE:**

Saturday 13 December at 04:00 pm (GMT+2)

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# HHD

Ecrin Pax Romana

## Earrings

The earrings are in silver, gold plated, and designed with small rounded bead-like details.

Each earring features 2 purple gemstones at the top, set in a flower-like cluster of gold beads, creating a delicate and ornate look.

The overall style is elegant and traditional, with a touch of vibrancy from the purple stones.

925 Sterling Silver

Weight: 40.9 g Gemstones: 2 Garnets

2017

US\$ 400 - 600

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# HHD

#### Roman Coins

#### Earrings

These are a pair of elegant earrings featuring an ancient coin-style design.

At the top, each earring has a round silvertoned coin with a carved profile of a face, framed in gold.

Beneath the coin are two small ruby gemstones set in gold.

Hanging at the bottom is a faceted teardropshaped with two amethysts in a rich purple colour, also mounted in gold.

The combination of antique coin detail, gold settings, and colorful gemstones gives the earrings a refined and classical look.

yellow gold, 18K, 9.06g 2 silver roman coins, 7g 2 Rubies 0.14 ct

2023

US\$ 1,700 - 2,500



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# HHD

Green Falls

#### Earrings

These are a pair of luxurious earrings featuring a refined blend of gold, gemstones, and vibrant green briolettes.

The combination of yellow gold, vivid green briolettes, and central blue saphire cabochon, with diamonds of 1.18ct creates a bold yet elegant harmony of colours.

Gold 21K, 25.68 g Emeralds briolettes (90 pcs per earring)

2018

US\$ 10,000 - 15,000

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## HHD

Hoops

## Earrings

This is a pair of silver, gold plated hoops earrings with a unique, sculpted design Each earring has 1 diamond

Sterling Silver 925, gold-plated weight: 35 g 2 diamonds 0.2 ct

Diameter: 5 cm Circumference ext.: 15 cm Width: 7 mm

2021

US\$ 1,500 - 3,000









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Rococo Cross

#### Necklace

The pendant is designed in the form of a decorative cross, with several Diamond roundare set into the pendant at key points of the design including the center and arms of the cross small round red gemstones -rubies are set into the pendant. At the very bottom of the pendant, a large teardrop-shaped white pearl.

Yellow gold 21k, 19.4 g Diamonds 0.124 ct

2019

US\$ 7,000 - 10,000

# HHD

Lion Pax Romana

Necklace

Double row necklace silver and a pendant with a lion head motif. The eyes are accented with 2 diamonds, adding a striking detail to the piece.

925 Sterling Silver Weight: 109.71 g Stones: 2 Diamonds 0.05 ct (set as eyes)

> Height Lion Pendant: 4 cm Width Lion Pendant: 3.5 cm Length: long chain: 46 cm short chain: 38 cm

> > 2017

US\$ 1,500 - 2,500





# HHD

## Eternity

## Necklace

This is a delicate gold 21k necklace featuring oval-shaped rhodolite gemstones.

The necklace is composed of evenly spaced, bezel-set deep pinkish-purple 17 pcs rhodolites linked together with gold settings.
Each gemstone is oval-cut and connected by small round gold links, creating a continuous, elegant chain. The piece closes with a gold toggle clasp, adding both function and style.

Yellow gold 21k, 43.72 g Rhodolites 46.55 ct

2017

US\$ 11,000 - 17,000





# HHD

## Turtle

#### Pendant

The turtle pendant is made of silver with a gold-plated finish, giving it a warm and elegant tone. The turtle's shell is beautifully accented with multiple diamonds (10 pieces), adding brilliance and texture to the design. The pendant hangs from a sterling silver chain of 54 cm with a dark oxidized finish.

Sterling Silver 925, Gold-Plated Weight: 11.23 g 10 Diamonds 0.16 ct

2024

US\$ 400 - 700

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## HHD

# Frog Brooch

Unique Piece Frog Brooch Silver 925 31PCS Rubies 1.81 ct stone 2pcs Emeralds 0.15 ct on eye

2021

US\$ 1,500 - 3,000





# HHD

# Le Joyau

## Bangle Bracelet

This is a luxurious bangle bracelet crafted in yellow gold with an ornate, sculptural design.
The gold framework is richly embellished with rows of brilliant-cut diamonds, which trace the curves and swirls of the design, adding a radiant sparkle to every angle.
At the center, a shell-like motif enhances the symmetry and elegance.

Yellow Gold, 18k, 55.89 g Diamonds 5.550 ct

2017

US\$ 20,000 - 25,000



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#### Armoiries

#### Bracelet

This bracelet is in yellow gold with an elegant chain of openwork links, each delicately set with brilliant-cut diamonds, adding sparkle and refinement along the length of the piece.

At the center, it features an ancient-style coin with rubies setting.

Yellow Gold 21k, 20.89 g Ruby 0.51 ct Diamonds: diam 8" 240' 0.64 ct diam 0.75" 108' 0.22 ct diam 8" 30' 0.08 ct

Coin gold 18k 1.9 g Lock gold 24k 1.5 g

2017

US\$ 4,000 - 8,000





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## HHD

#### Pax Romana

#### Bracelet

The bracelet is open-ended, designed to slip onto the wrist.

At the center, there is a circular medallion featuring a raised profile of a head, resembling a classical coin design.

On each side of the central medallion, there are small, rounded decorative studs.

The surface of the bracelet has a matte finish.

Sterling Silver 925.

Weight: 38.40 g Diameter: 5.5cm

2017





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Fleur De Lys

Ring

This is a 21k gold ring designed in the shape of a crown.

The ring is further adorned with small sparkling white diamonds, set along the base and within the decorative patterns, adding brilliance and luxury. Its crowninspired design makes it symbolic of royalty, elegance, and sophistication.

Weight Gold: 14.15 g Diamonds: 0.852 ct Size 50-51

2016

US\$ 5,000 - 8,000

# HHD

Dynasty

Ring

This yellow gold 21k ring featuring a large, rectangular-cut tanzanite gemstone in the center.
On either side of the gemstone, there are small round diamonds set in rows, adding sparkle and contrast.

Yellow gold, 21k, 22.1 g 1 Tanzanite 8.02 ct 10 round Diamonds 0.108 ct Size 51

2017

US\$ 7,000 - 12,000







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#### Géométrie

## Ring

Designed by the architect Michel Chidiac. This yellow gold 18k ring is composed of three interconnected gold rings. The edges of the design are accented with small diamonds, adding sparkle and elegance. At the center of one of the peaks, there is a rectangular-cut pink gemstone, which provides a vibrant focal point. The combination of geometric structure gives the ring a contemporary and luxurious appearance.

Gold 18k, Weight Gold: 29.04 g Gemstones: Rhodolite 0.76 ct 94 Diamonds 0.82 ct Size - 50.5

2018

US\$ 6,000 - 10,000



# HHD

# Set of 3 Swallows

Set of 3 swallows in different sizes, in bronze gold-plated on stands in different heights.

Small height: 27 cm Medium height: 30.5 cm Width: 12 cm

2020



# HHD

Bird On Rock

Sculpture of a bronze gold-plated bird perched on a silver-plated rock.

Height overall: 13.3 cm bird only: 9 cm Length: 12 cm Width: 8 cm

2022

US\$ 200 - 400



# HHD

## Bonbon Tree

A whimsical bronze sculpture featuring four patinated branches, forming a stylized tree. Nine bonbons hang delicately from the branches, while five additional bonbons are arranged on the base (socle). The bonbons are finished in a mix of pink, green, and classic bronze patinas, creating a playful contrast of color and material.

Height: 38 cm Width: 33 cm Width Stand: 14 cm

2018

US\$ 1,000 - 2,000





# HHD

## "Chain Lamp" with butterfly

Handcrafted lamp in steel with bronze details and five gold-plated butterflies.

Height: 84 cm (without light bulb) width: 12 cm Stand: width 18 cm

2024

US\$ 700 - 900

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# HHD

## Gazelle in Love

Bronze sculpture suggesting a gazelle, with two birds in a flying position

Height: 14 cm Length: 33 cm Width: 16 cm

2019





# HHD

Emerging Horses

Book holders

Set of two sculptural book holders featuring emerging horse or unicorn figures, crafted in bronze with a refined patina finish. 13.5 x 6 x 11.5 cm

2022

# HHD

## Marble and Snake

## Book holders

Book holders composed of solid white marble blocks, elegantly contrasted by a gold-plated bronze snake that coils gracefully around the structure. Height: 11.5 cm
Base: 8 x 9.3 cm
Top: 7.5 x 4.8 cm

2023





# HHD

# Pyramide

# Book holders

Book holders crafted in bronze, featuring an arrangement of sculpted 3 coins integrated into the bronze.
7 x 12.5 x 6.5 cm

2018

US\$ 300 - 500

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# HHD

# Giant Lollipop

Green bronze patina lollipop sculpture on a stand.
The sculpture is surrounded by a bronze gold plated snake with 2 rubies and 1 emerald.

Height: 82 cm Width: 15 cm

2023







# HHD

# Bowl with Spikes

A bronze bowl with a black patina, adorned with gold-plated spikes and decorative coins, combining strength and elegance in a striking design.

Height: 5 cm ø incl. decoration: 13 cm

2019

US\$ 300 - 500



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# HHD

Cubic Geometric

Vase

Unique, hand-painted steel vase by Iranian artist Negin Fallah featuring a rich gold patina and a bronze coin detail.

Height: 38 cm Width: 11 cm

2018

US\$ 500 - 800





# HHD

Pencil holder with initial+hand and pencil

Bronze patina composition with a delicate gold-plated hand and a bronze patinacoated pencil.

with stand + hand + bic Height: 12 cm Stand ø: 5 cm

2020

US\$ 200 - 300

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# HHD

Transformer

Lamp

Bronze sculpted
"Transformer mask" lamp
with integrated lighting,
in a striking metallic finish
and inlayed resin

mask without stand: height: 25 cm width: 18.3 cm depth: 8 cm

2020

US\$ 300 - 500





# HHD

## Blue Box

Blue lacquered box with corner protections in bronze, the lid featuring a resin pebble with a gold-plated snake.
The box is divided into 3 compartments in the inside.

Height box only: 17 cm Height with Pebble and snake: 27 cm Length: 38.5 cm Width: 28 cm

2023

US\$ 700 - 900

# HHD

Rayoflight

# Ashtray w/libellule

Ashtray in brushed stainless steel with a bronze dragonfly on the rim.
3 x 6 x 22 cm

2019

US\$ 300 - 500





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# HHD

Pink Panther

# Cushion

Cushion with a Pink Panther design fabric in different colors on black ground.

Height: 45 cm Width: 45 cm

2020

US\$ 150 - 350



# HHD

# Roman Medaillon on a stand

Sulpture of a circular bronze artifact with a patina finish mounted on a modern black metal stand. The image in relief shows a mythological figure.

Height: 32 cm Diametre coin: 19 cm

2019

US\$ 200 - 400

# HHD

## Angel Wings

## Sculpture

A sculptural artwork of a pair of wings mounted on a black stand. The wings are spread open symmetrically. The inner portions are textured and painted in a metallic gold leaf, giving a rich and detailed feather-like appearance. The outer portions of the wings are darker, almost black, contrasting with the golden center.

The sculpture is supported by two vertical rods attached to a rectangular black base, which provides stability and display. Height: 35 cm
Width: 46 cm
Stand width: 12 cm

2020

US\$ 600 - 800





# HHD

X-FILE

# Sculpture

Sculpture in bronze patina with horizontal, diagonal and vertical bars on a stand, featuring 2 sitting bronze birds.

27 x 28 x 17 cm

2019





# HHD

Down Town

# Candle holder

A round patina candle holder with a gold-plated bird in the middle.

Height with bird: 6.5 cm Diametre: 13 cm

2017

US\$ 250 - 450

# HHD

# Manege a trois

Set of 3 colored resin horses on a metallic bronze stand.

Width: 25 cm

2020

US\$ 300 - 500



# HHD

# Twilight Drops

# Sculpture

A set of three sculptures, each featuring a rich patina color that enhances their graceful form and texture.

Small Drop: 10 x 7 cm Medium Drop: 12 x 9 cm Big Drop: 13 x 11 cm

2022







# HHD

## Bottle

Bottle covered with gold leaf decorated with a flame in resin.

Height: 38cm Width: 9cm

2023

US\$ 200 - 400

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# HHD

## Center Planet

This magnificent table center is made of sculpted resin and gold plated bronze frogs wandering on some extremities.

2023

US\$ 700 - 900



# HHD

Crushed Paper

Candle holders

Set of 3 candle holders in bronze gold plated with a "crushed paper" texture appearance.

Height: 22.5 cm Width: 22.5 cm

2022

US\$ 400 - 600



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# HHD

Circle of Life

Circles in bronze, in an old style patina on a stand, with a bronze coin in front separated by gold plated marbles.

Height: 46.5 cm Diameter: 34 cm

2021

US\$ 800 - 1,200





# HHD

# Seated Virgin

Small sculpture featuring a seated Virgin made of resin, with a gold-plated halo on an oval gold-plated base.

Height: 11 cm Base: 7.5 x 10 cm

2025

US\$ 100 - 200

# HHD

Ice Bucket

Ice bucket in grey marble with a bronze snail in patina and a bronze pebble as handle.

Height incl. pebble and snail: 20cm Diameter: 16 cm Height: 22 cm

2023

US\$ 600 - 800





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# HHD

Pebble

Paper Weight

Bronze paper weight pebble topped by a silver plated frog.

Height: 5.5 cm Diameter: 10.5 cm

2024

US\$ 150 - 350

# HHD

# Obelisk with Eagle

Sculpture in the form of an obelisk, made of cast iron and brushed steel. Five bronze coins are placed in front, with a bronze eagle mounted on top.

36 x 11 x 11 cm

2023

US\$ 600 - 800



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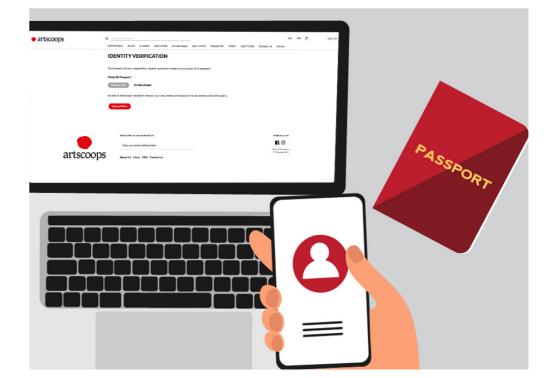


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Sale: The Snake & The Star In Auction

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