



ARMORIAL SHIELD

Germany, 18th century.

Length: 55 cm.

Width: 42 cm.

Weight: 4.8 kg.

Carved from a single block of wood this armorial shield originally formed part of a larger arrangement. It is particularly attractive due to the notably fine carving of the two lions and the fact, that it has never been repainted. You can still observe remains of a dark red tone on the lions and gold on the background. Those areas where the paint disappeared have developed an appealing patina in the course of time.

INSTITUTIONAL CLIENTS

In the last years, we have welcomed several museums of international significance among the circle of our valued clients. We are grateful for the confidence these institutions have placed in our services.

2019

The *European Hansemuseum* in Lübeck loaned our 15th century breech-loading swivel gun for their special exhibition *Störtebeker and Company*.

2017

Fondazzjoni Wirt Artna from Malta purchases a group of rare antiquarian books on artillery and fortification, dating from the 17th to 19th centuries.

2016

The *Bayerisches Nationalmuseum* in Munich enhances its collection with an important hunting hanger.

2015

Schloss Moritzburg near Dresden acquires from us a partizan of the lifeguard of Elector Friedrich August I., Saxony 1694 – 1697.

2015

We sold the drawing of an unknown bronze barrel by Albert Benningk to the *Deutsches Historisches Museum* in Berlin.

2013

The *Cleveland Museum of Art* secures a savoyard helmet, dating from the early 17th century. We were able to trace back its provenance to the collection of Rutherford Stuyvesant.



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