

Daniel Katz Gallery

ANTIQUITY TO THE TWENTIETH CENTURY



Jean Carriès (Lyon 1855 - Paris 1894)

Bust of Jules Breton

1885

Plaster with brown patina

66.5 x 57.5 x 35 cm

Signed on the front to the right Portrait de Jules Breton Maître Peintre de mon temps par son ami Carriès

Dated on the right Paris en Août 1885

Inscribed at the back Je dédie ce portrait de Breton à sa fille bien aimée Madame Demont par Carriès

The painter Jules Breton (1827-1906) was one of the most famous artists of his time. He commissioned his portrait at the height of his fame and after having seen Carriès' sculptures at the Salon de la Société des Beaux-Arts de 1881. This prestigious commission marks the beginning of Carriès' recognition.

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Achille Cesbron collection

Literature:

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- A. Simier, Jean Carriès, la matière de l'étrange, Paris 2007