



**BARTHOLDI, Frédéric-Auguste**

Colmar, Haut-Rhin 1834 - Paris 1904

*Allégorie de l'Afrique*

*Allegory of Africa*

conceived 1863/1865, cast date unknown

bronze

statuette

12 <sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> x 19 <sup>15</sup>/<sub>16</sub> x 6 <sup>5</sup>/<sub>8</sub> in.

cast in on top of base, along edge parallel to extended left leg: A BARTHOLDI

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### **Provenance**

- Brigadier James Orme M. Ashton, O.B.E. [1908-1989], Welston Court, Milton, Tenby, Wales
- by 1990, London, Thomas Agnew & Sons
- 1991, 15 February, purchased by the NGA, Gift of the 50th Anniversary Gift Committee

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