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A large macassar ebony veneered extending dining table by Jules Leleu (1883 - 1961)

£12,500



REF: 6080

Height: 74 cm (29.1")

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Width: 180 cm (70.9")

Depth: 100 cm (39.4")

Description

The rectangular top supported by two pairs of curved uprights, all veneered in wonderful Macassar ebony. Both sets of uprights resting on ebonised rails, joined by a cross-stretcher, with down-swept feet on bronze plinths.

Each end with a pull-out extension. The original leaves have been lost at some point in its life, but we can quote to have replacement leaves made.

France, circa 1930s

With a background in decorative painting and exciting furniture design, it was no surprise when Jules Leleu went on to open a gallery in Paris and, rapidly thereafter, win numerous prizes at international exhibitions.

He designed the interiors of embassies, yachts and private interiors, grounding his expertise in collaborations with the likes of the Japanese lacquer master, Katsu Hamanaka, and ceramicist Alice Colonieu.

Approximate width when extended: 280cm

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