



Eugène Delacroix

Cavalier arabe (Arab Rider on Horseback)

Watercolour and pencil on paper, 254 x 331 mm

on recto, lower right, signed in pencil: "Eug. Delacroix"

on verso, lower right, inscribed in pencil: "Ausstellung 'Werke der französischen Malerei und Grafik des 19. Jahrhunderts' Katalog Nr. 38 'Reitender Araber' Villa Hügel, Essen, 1954 (Museum Folkwang, Essen)"

Provenance:

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By latest 1954: Hildebrand Gurlitt, Dusseldorf (per exh. cat.)

By descent to Cornelius Gurlitt, Munich/Salzburg

From 6 May 2014: Estate of Cornelius Gurlitt

Exhibition:

Werke der Französischen Malerei und Grafik des 19. Jahrhunderts, Villa Hügel, Museum Folkwang, Essen, 25 July–6 November 1954. [cat. no. 38, as *Reitender Araber*]

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