



Art Nouveau brass fire utensils, Tongs and shovel c.1905

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Price on Application

PERIOD	Art Nouveau , 1900-1909
YEAR	1905
STYLE	Art Nouveau
ORIGIN	Europe
MATERIALS	Brass
CONDITION	Good

About this piece

This **set of fire utensils** in **brass** belongs to the *Art Nouveau* (1890–1910) tradition, **c.1905**, European. The pair comprises long tongs with waisted shafts and scrolled terminals, and a shovel with a domed pan and upright neck. Whiplash flourishes supply the ornament, while small trefoil feet steady the tongs when set to the hearth.

Construction is direct and workshop-led, with cast and formed brass elements joined for strength and heat handling. The vocabulary is typical of turn-of-the-century metalwork, drawing movement from sinuous profiles rather than heavy decoration. The pieces are a matched pair in line and finish.

Further images & measurements available on request. The piece is currently held in storage at one of our showrooms.