



**HANDS FRANZ HAGENAUER
CA. 1940**

€6.500,00

Hands, Franz Hagenauer, Werkstatte Hagenauer
Vienna, ca. 1940, nickel-plated, brass, marked

Beginning with his work as a professor of free design at the Academy of Fine Arts in Vienna, the new impulses from his teaching activities also inspired his artistic work. The mere reduction of physical features was no longer enough for him, so he began to transform his sculptural objects from a three-dimensionality to a two-dimensional level. A wonderful example of this development are these hands, where he turns the overall flat execution into a space-reaching sculpture with just a few well placed attributes, for example the finely chiseled fingernails.







