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12 APRIL 2019 - DROUOT, PARIS

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On 12 April 2019, the Hanoi School of Fine Arts will be in the spotlight at the 20th Aguttes auction devoted to Asian Painters.

On this occasion, the sale will feature works by key figures in the school's early life: its founder, Victor Tardieu; Nguyen Nam Son, without whom the school could not have existed, and remarkable teachers like Inguimberty and Alix Aymé.

There will also be over 150 drawings and sketches by Alix Aymé, making their debut at auction.



Alix Aymé. Ink, painting on silk with gold highlights

on silk, watercolour, black ink, reverse-glass painting and tempera. Much influenced by Gauguin and the Nabis, she rivalled Asia's greatest artists through her subtle and masterful line.

Aguttes is currently compiling the catalogue for this sale, and we invite any owners wishing to sell works in this category to contact us for free, confidential evaluations.

We are looking for the following artists: INGUIMBERTY – LÉ PHÔ – MAI TRUNG THU – NAM SON – NGUYEN PHAN CHANH VU CAO DAM – NGUYEN TIEN-CHUNG – LE THY – TRAN PHUC DUyen – NGUYEN GIA TRI... MAIS AUSSI LIN FENGMIAN – PAN YULIANG – SANYU...

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Alix Aymé. 150 drawings and sketches from a Collection never seen at auction



Alix Aymé. Screen in lacquer

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Enjoying steady growth since its establishment in Neuilly-sur-Seine more than twenty years ago, while also holding auctions at Drouot in Paris and in Lyon, AGUTTES was ranked as the fourth largest auction house in the French market in 2017, and the leading independent French auction house (without external shareholders). Headed by Claude Aguttes since 1974, six associates, including his daughters Philippine Dupré la Tour and Charlotte Reynier-Aguttes, help manage the company today. The company holds 110 auctions per year with a team of 40, including four authorized auctioneers.

AGUTTES is also a major and most dynamic actor at Drouot in Paris, where it achieved the highest bids in 2015, 2017 and 2018.

Due to its professionalism, the auction house was recently chosen by the French Commercial Court to orchestrate the auctions of Aristophil's tremendous collection of old manuscripts. The year 2017 was marked by the development of off-site sales, such as the one during "Les Grandes Heures Automobiles" at the Linas-Montlhéry motor circuit, or those held in the Arturo López private mansion in Neuilly-sur-Seine. Furthermore, in Lyon, significant renovations of the auction saleroom in the former train station of Brotteaux have just been completed which will allow new events to be created.