

SIDE GALLERY

FRANK LLOYD WRIGHT (1867-1959)



Coffee table

Manufactured by Heritage Henredon
USA, 1955
Mahogany, slate

Measurements

92 cm Ø x 39 cm h
36,2 in Ø x 15,4 in h

Literature

Heritage Henredon Fine Furniture,
advertisement, c. 1955

Biography

He can be considered the most important architect in the history of the United States. He was also a great creator of applied arts, standing out in the twentieth century on the projection of domestic environments. Wright's production is astonishing, he designed about five thousand buildings. He is an original architect full of ideas, from the beginning to the end of his career. Each of his projects is cared for down to the last detail, he maintains an extraordinary interest in domesticity and intimacy.

Wright began his studies with a method that his mother took from a famous German pedagogue, Froebel, teaching him to develop his creative abilities. In his youth, he moves to Chicago, where he will establish contact with Sullyvan, master of skyscrapers at this time, from whom he will learn the method of realization with many of his preliminary projects, translating it into the final realization, especially in his initial phase as an architect.