

Sculpture, Arithmetic, and Architecture

Date

ca. 1710

Primary Maker

Francesco Bertos

Medium

Bronze

Description

Figures at the base of this bronze sculpture are in the act of sculpting. A centaur is the center focus, rearing atop a pedestal. He upholds a female figure, probably the personification of Sculpture itself. An interplay of creator and creation is apparent in this sculpture.

Dimensions

42 x 22 x 19 in. (106.7 x 55.9 x 48.3 cm) Base: 20 5/8 x 18 1/2 in. (52.4 x 47 cm)