Plaquette - Adolf Ritter von Guttenberg

Object: Plaquette
Place of origin: Austria (made)
Date: ca. 1909 (made)
Artist/Maker: Hujer, Ludwig, born 1872 - died 1968 (medallist)
Materials and Techniques: Bronze
Museum number: A.11-1983
Gallery location: In Storage

Public access description
This medal depicting Adolf Ritter von Guttenberg is made by Ludwig Hujer. Hujer (1872-1968) was an Austrian medallist. He trained at the Vienna College of Arts and Crafts under Prof. Kühne and Prof. Stefan Schwartz. He worked in Belgium, France and England from 1895-1898, where he worked with the Wyon family in London before returning back to Vienna. He mainly made small bronzes, medals, and plaques.

Guttenberg (1839-1917) was a university professor and conservationist.

Descriptive line
Plaquette, bronze, Prof Dr Adolf Ritter of Gutenberg, by Ludwig Hujer, Austrian, ca. 1909

Physical description
Obverse: profile portrait bust of Guttenberg looking right. Inscribed.
Reverse: Inscribed.

Dimensions
Height: 9 cm, Width: 5.9 cm, Depth: 0.5 cm

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Object history note
Given in the name of Baurat Hartwig Fischel by his son Paul J Gordon-Fischel, Chessington, Surrey, in 1983.

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