

SAS sell mysterious Chinese hardstone belt buckle

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This lovely Chinese hardstone belt buckle, believed to be carnelian was one of the stars of the Jewellery and Works of Art auction on Thursday 25th April 2013.

After some fierce bidding via the telephone bidders and internet bidders, the hammer finally dropped at a staggering £4,400.

The piece was acquired by the vendors parents when they were in Hong Kong many years ago and formed part of a collection of Chinese works of art.

The belt buckle was purchased by a London collector who was bidding via the live auction platform run by The Antiques Trade Gazette.

The vendor is over the moon with the result and is looking forward to her payment in three weeks...

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