



Bust of a Classic Man

Date

1990

Primary Maker

Akio Takamori

Materials

Porcelain

Description

Porcelain portrait bust of a man. The piece is hollow and the top of the head is open to reveal a cratered surface decorated with colorful geometric shapes and faces. The physical details of the man's face and body are sketched in black glaze onto the surface of the piece, as opposed to being sculpted in relief. The back of the piece is similarly defined with black glaze. In addition, the artist uses brown

paints and dots in shades of grey to add contour to the surface. Two faces are drawn onto the body where the shoulders should be.

Dimensions

30 1/2 x 18 x 7 1/2 in. (77.5 x 45.7 x 19.1 cm)