



Islamic & Indian Art (22 Apr 2020 C)

Wed, 22nd Apr 2020

Viewing:

Clients may bid online via our own bidding platform, by telephone or absentee bidding as normal.

Lot 22

Estimate: £300 - £400 + Fees

DURGA MAHISASURAMARDINI PROPERTY OF THE LATE BRUNO CARUSO (1927 - 2018) COLLECTION Kota, Rajasthan, North Western India, first half 19th century

DURGA MAHISASURAMARDINI

PROPERTY OF THE LATE BRUNO CARUSO (1927 - 2018) COLLECTION

Kota, Rajasthan, North Western India, first half 19th century

Opaque pigments heightened with gold and silver on paper, the vertical composition portraying the Hindu Goddess Durga in her *Mahisasuramardini* avatar (the slayer of the buffalo demon Mahisa), standing over the buffalo body and holding the *asura* Mahisa by the hair, her *vahana* (vehicle) the tiger attacking the buffalo at the same time, to the bottom of the depiction the Hindu Gods Vishnu (on the right) and Shiva (on the left) assisting the Goddess in her quest with their traditional weapons, a tall mountain in the background, 30.5cm x 21.5cm.