

IMPORTANT ITALIAN DESIGN



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GIO PONTI AND PAOLO DE POLI console

Italy, 1942 | enameled copper, Italian walnut
32 h x 37 w x 17 d in (81 x 94 x 43 cm)

An exceptional example of Gio Ponti and Paolo de Poli's longtime artistic collaborations. Mastering the art of fire-enameled copper, De Poli decorated the surfaces of many Ponti forms. The combination of pristine form and ornamental embellishments in this console exemplifies the traditions of Italian design. Incised signature to top: [Made in Italy].

Provenance: Private collection, New York

Estimate: \$100,000–120,000

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