Charles Allan Gilbert, Nu allongé sur un divan, 1927



ARTIST
Charles Allan Gilbert (1873–1929)

DATE
1927

PERIOD
1920s

MEDIUM
Oil on canvas

ARTWORK DIMENSIONS
54 × 73 cm (21.26 × 28.74 in)

FRAMED DIMENSIONS
69 × 88 × 8 cm (27.17 × 34.65 × 3.15 in)

CONDITION
Very good original condition.

PROVENANCE
Private collection

A reclining figure stretches across a divan. Gilbert builds the composition from soft fabric, a long horizontal pose and the warm red tones of the interior. Burgundy, emerald and gold fabrics are set against the lighter skin of the model. Highlights along the cushions and the long edge of the couch give depth to an otherwise shallow interior. Gilbert, also known as an American illustrator, gives particular weight to the arrangement of the figure within the…

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