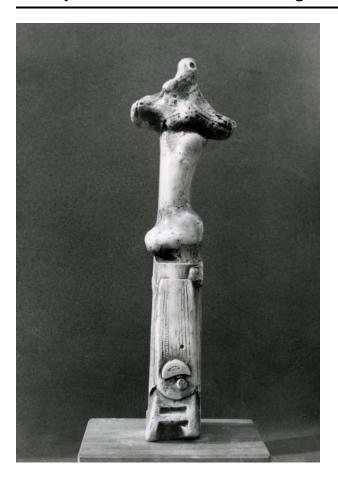
## Henry Moore Artwork Catalogue - Detailed Report



## **Upright Motive: Maquette No.1**

Catalogue Number LH 376 plaster

**Artwork Type** Sculpture

**Date** 1955

**Dimensions** artwork (height): 31.4 cm

Medium plaster

## **Ownership**

Art Gallery of Ontario, Toronto: gift of Henry Moore 1974

## **More Information**

"I was asked to do a sculpture for the courtyard of Olivetti's new office building in Milan. I went out too Milan and met the architect and we looked together at the building then in construction . . . A lone lombardy poplar growing behind the building convinced me that a vertical work would act as the correct counterfoil to the horizontal rhythm of the building. The idea grew ultimately into the Upright Motives...." Henry Moore, 1954