

# T O M A S S O



## **Giambologna (1529 - 1608)**

Julius Caesar

Limewood, with walnut socle 46cm (18 1/8 in) 51.2cm (20 1/4 in) – overall including socle Signed on underside  
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### **Provenance:**

Senator Bernardo Vecchietti (1514–1590), Villa Il Riposo, near Florence, c. 1551  
By descent, Vecchietti family, until 1759  
Private collection, Paris, before 1959  
Private collection, Portugal, until 1974  
William and Gabriella Robertson, Los Angeles, until 2016

### **Exhibitions**

C. Avery and A. Radcliffe, *Giambologna, Sculptor to the Medici*, exh. cat., Arts Council of Great Britain, Royal Scottish Museum, Edinburgh; Victoria and Albert Museum, London; and Kunsthistorisches Museum, Vienna, 1978, no. 221; lent to the Victoria and Albert Museum

### **Literature:**

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