



Seated Male Nude

Date

c. 1640-50

Primary Maker

Cecco Bravo

Medium

Red chalk with white highlights

Description

Study of a young male nude, most likely done from life. The large sheet is fully worked in red chalk, with areas of the boy's figure highlighted in white. The pose is intricate with the right arm intertwined beneath the right leg, the left hand grasping the right ankle and the left leg braced against the ground. The boy looks over his shoulder.

Dimensions

Image: 10 3/4 × 15" (27.3 × 38.1 cm)