



VANITAS

A WALL CLOCK DESIGNED BY FIONA KRÜGER

Vanitas is engineered and crafted by L'Epée 1839, Switzerland's specialised high-end clock manufacturer, founded in 1839.

This charismatic cranium reminds you to celebrate life. The hours and minutes are shown by the clock's hands, and a power reserve indicator is integrated into the mouth of the skull. Creativity is at the heart of both L'Epée 1839 and Fiona Krüger Timepieces. This is evident in L'Epée's acceptance of the challenge to create this modern day Vanitas with a humorous twist. The new "yawning" power reserve

indicator required a whole new development and re-engineering of the clock movement. It is a marriage between fantasy and purpose which is at the core of the collaboration. As Vanitas loses power it starts to yawn, indicating it needs to be wound up. Though with a 35-day power-reserve, this monthly ritual will give you a moment to stop and take stock of the time you have.

TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS

LIMITED EDITION

50 pieces per configuration and is now available in 'dark' and in a colourful edition.

DISPLAY

Hours and minutes
Power reserve indicator

MATERIALS

Aluminium Skull, stainless-steel and brass movement

FINISHINGS

Dark' version:

Mat Housing in Black Anodized Aluminum with mineral glass. Mechanism in palladium-coated brass. Movement Main plates in black PVD coated brass. Multi-layered screenprinted white decoration (gloss ink).

Colored Version:

Mat Housing in Black Anodized Aluminum with mineral glass. Mechanism in palladium-coated brass. Movement Main plate in brass black PVD coating. Multi-coloured screen-printed pattern (gloss ink). Meanings of colours: Blue = Trust, White = Purity, Orange = Sun, Yellow = Death, Pink = Celebration, Red = Life and Purple = Grief and Black = Mortality (hence the black PVD coating).

MOVEMENT

Five barrels in serie
11 Jewels

POWER RESERVE

35 days
Closed mouth : Full power reserve
Opened mouth : Empty power reserve

WINDING

Manual-winding on the skull face: Double-ended key to set time and wind movement

DIMENSIONS

Height: 306 mm - Width: 220 mm - Thickness : 86 mm



REF. 50.6001/300
Colourful edition



REF. 50.6001/200
Dark Edition



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