

# GALERIE GOLCONDA

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### ***EXCLUSIVITY OF GALERIE GOLCONDA***

*Bijarcheo is the exclusive trademark of jewellery from Galerie Golconda, which crafts all its pieces in a traditional manner. Each antique object, mounted in Italy by Alvaro and Correnti, is authentic and only noble materials such as gold and silver and natural stones are used. Beryl Cavallini owner of Galerie Golconda, is also a qualified gemologist.*

### **PENDANT WITH BRONZE FIBULA ROMAN ERA**

Fibula in patinated bronze, cast in a mould. This piece is from the Roman era and is mounted on a 22 carat gold chain. The pendant is attached to a leather link with a gold hook. It is of an omega-shape, formed by a circle open at a point and a mobile bar on the circle. This model was much in fashion between the 1<sup>st</sup> century BC until the 5<sup>th</sup> century.

**ORIGIN:** the fibula (from the Latin *fibula* meaning attachment) is an antique pin often made of metal that would retain the sides of a garment; it could have represented a rank in the army. Some were also used as offerings or amulets to ward off bad luck.

Diameter of the fibula: 1.5 cm (0.5")

Weight of gold: 10.70 grams

Unique model made by hand with ancient and authentic pieces of archaeology.

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