



**Antique Sumatran Silver Box, Applied Gold, Sumatra, Indonesia – 18th Century**  
**£3,800.00**

This silver oblong box with applied gold on lid and a thumb piece made of *suasa* (an alloy of gold and copper). Repousse foliate work on top and sides, and chasing on underside.

The gold work on the lid is hammered, the 'rivets' can be seen from the inside. Each of the three gold pieces contrasts well with the silver and is chased to fit with the surrounding scrollwork. The handle with the reddish colour of *suasa*, which is occasionally seen in Malay and Sumatran silverwork.

<b>Origin</b>	Asian
<b>Period</b>	18th Century
<b>Style</b>	Other
<b>Condition</b>	Excellent
<b>Dimensions</b>	Weight: 238 grams
<b>Diameter</b>	H: 5.5cm W: 12cm

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