

A SUPERB GUERIDON CENTRE TABLE WITH
SÈVRES STYLE PORCELAIN PANELS

Dimensions: H: 29.5 in / 74 cm | Dia: 42 in / 106 cm

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Constructed from bois noirci and kingwood with mercury fire gilded ornament, the central support rising from a tripartite plinth base on oblate bun feet and surmounted with three winged trumpet-wielding putti, the circular platform top with an ormolu guilloche frieze and lambrequin details, housing a suite of Sèvres style hand-painted porcelain panels, the largest central panel showing a lady at her toilette, surrounded by a further six circular panels of royal portraits interspersed with six trapezoidal panels showing genre scenes of courtship, all within ormolu borders and crossbanded kingwood reserves.
French, circa 1870

Literature:

Christopher Payne. *19th century European furniture*. Antique Collector's Club, 2013, p. 220 (illus.), showing a related table.