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A most elegant French 19th century Louis XIV st. tulipwood, charmwood and ormolu side table, signed Sormani. The table is raised by fine square tapered legs decorated with exceptional ormolu sabots, mottled top caps and most decorative charm wood inlays. The apron displays one drawer with lovely recessed charmwood panels framed within elegant richly chased ormolu bands and centered by a tied ribbon keyhole escutcheon. The sides and back are decorated in the same manner. The drawer opens to reveal all original hardware and the signature on the lock. Above is the stunning inlaid top with a beautiful lattice parquetry design framed within a fine pierced ormolu gallery.

Paul Sormani (1817-1877) One of the most renowned 19th century French cabinet makers and Bronzier of the highest quality. Paul Sormani established his firm in 1847 at 7 Cimetiere Saint-Nicolas in Paris. Sormani participated in major international exhibitions of 1855, 1862 and 1867. Awarded a bronze medal in 1849 and a first-class medal in 1855. At the Universal Exhibition of 1867, his work has been described as "A quality of workmanship of the highest order".





