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Brush Pot with Orchids and Rocks, Japan, 1700s, mid-Edo period (1615–1868). Bamboo with copper liner. Lutz Bamboo Collection at the Denver Art Museum: Gift of Adelle Lutz and David Byrne, 2004.564. Photography by Erik Kvalsvik.

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