

Peher Dharmapala and his companion

Mongolian Collection

Accession Nr.: 90.21.1 

Type: **painting; textile; cakli**

Date of production: first half of 20th century

Place of production: **Mongolia**

Materials: **cotton canvas**

Techniques: **painted**

Dimensions: height: 18.3 cm
width: 13.5 cm

Peher, one of the Five Great Kings (Mahapancharaja). His body is white, he sits in lalitasana on a white snow lion standing on a lotus and a red pedestal. Peher has three heads, the middle white, the right black, the left red, each with a forehead eye. He wears a wide red hat. Bloody scalps on his waist. He has six hands. He is surrounded by a red flame glory. Above is a cloudy sky, in the middle is Padmasambhava dressed in red.

