

Oiran

Japanese Collection

Accession Nr.: 1212 

Type: painting; hanging scroll

Artist/Maker: Ryuba

Date of production: first half of the 19th century
Edo (Tokugawa) period

Place of production: Japan

Signed: the painter's signature

Marks: red stamp

Materials/Technique
s: ink and colours on paper

Dimensions: height: 160.5 cm
width: 38.3 cm
mirror: 79.5 x 26 cm

Acquisition: collected by Péter Vay

The elegance of the woman in this painting is a clear indication of the place she occupied in this world. Her outer kimono spreads around her like a long train, decorated with tiny chrysanthemum flowers against a black background. The painter's signature and a red stamp can be seen on the right, towards the bottom of the painting.

