

Cloud collar

Southeast Asian Collection

Accession Nr.:	54.18.1.1 
Type:	costumes; textile arts
Date of production:	19th century
Place of production:	Java, Indonesia, Southeast Asia
Materials/Techniques:	silk, golden cord, metal, twisted, sewn
Dimensions:	height: 47 cm szélesség: 22.5 cm length: 36 cm

Presumably Peranakan (emigrant, assimilated) Chinese Indonesian so-called nyonya-baba (female-male) costume includes this meticulously worked, embroidered (so-called cloud) collar, which spreads wide in a circle from the high neckband. The field, edged with twisted gold cord, shows a dragon in profile on the right and left sides and a dragon on the back, depicted from the front.

