


# Buddha head

India / South Asia Collection

Accession Nr.:	6315 
Type:	statuette
Date of production:	4th - 5th c. Gandhara art
Place of production:	Pakistan or Afghanistan, the ancient Gandhara
Materials:	stucco
Techniques:	hand shaped
Dimensions:	height: 18.8 cm width: 13.6 cm depth: 12 cm
Acquisition:	donation of Imre Schwaiger

Gandharan stucco Buddha head of high quality. Among the signs of the Buddha, the cranial protuberance (uṣṇīṣa) and long earlobes are visible. The hair is decorated with round indentations. The almond-shaped eyes are half-closed. The head comes from Taxila.

