

Head and upper torso of Buddha. Fragment.

India / South Asia Collection

Accession Nr.: 50.26.1 

Type: sculpture

Date of production: 3rd-4th century
Gandhara art

Place of production: Pakistan or Afghanistan (ancient Gandhara)

Materials: grey schist

Techniques: carved

Dimensions: height: 31 cm
width: 22.5 cm
depth:

Acquisition: donation of Imre Schwaiger

A fine piece of Gandhara art, fragment of Buddha sculpture. It is made of Himalayan grey slate. Wavy hair, with usnīṣa (top knot) on top of the head. The robe covers both shoulders in delicate folds.

