

Head of the Buddha

India / South Asia Collection

Accession Nr.:	6312 
Type:	statuette
Date of production:	4th-5th c. Gandhara art
Place of production:	Pakistan or Afghanistan, the ancient Gandhara
Materials:	stucco
Techniques:	hand shaped; moulded
Dimensions:	height: 12.4 cm width: 6.6 cm depth: 9.4 cm
Acquisition:	donation of Imre Schwaiger

An abraded and fragmentary Buddha head. Out of the Buddha's marks, the top knot (ushnisha) and the long earlobes are visible. The top knot has a unique conical shape.

