

Nobleman

Southeast Asian Collection

Accession Nr.: **83.108.1** 

Type: **sculpture; religious or cult object; statuette; small bronze**

Date of production: **18 – 19th century**

Place of production: **Vietnam, Southeast Asia**

Materials/Technique
s: **bronze, gilt, lacquered**

Dimensions: **height: 19.5cm
depth: 9cm
width: 8 cm**

Official seated on a throne decorated with meander pattern. One hand is resting on his knee, the other on his belt. There is a bat-shaped decoration in the middle of his hat. Beside holding office, he must have achieved distinction in other fields as well, which made him become a local deity who was remembered by the community as a statue cast in bronze.

