

Black and white photo of a "master mandarin" painted on silk

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Type:	photograph
Artist/Maker:	Miklós Rév (photo made by)
Date of production:	1959
Place of production:	Vietnam
Materials:	paper
Techniques:	black and white
Dimensions:	height: 24.1 cm width: 15.4 cm

A black-and-white photograph of a silk painting depicting one of the emperor's "four mandarins" to the early 19th century. The "four pillars of the throne" or "the four pillars of the empire" were the names of the emperor's four "chief mandarins". Lé Thanh Tom Temple (Ninh-binh County), Hanoi, History Museum. Similar image: Imre Patkó - Miklós Rév: The Art of Vietnam. Budapest, Corvina Kiadó, 1967. picture 174.

