

Hexagonal teabox with peonies

Chinese Collection

Accession Nr.:	2810.1-2 
Type:	vessel; pottery
Date of production:	18th century Qing dynasty
Place of production:	Yixing, Jiangsu province, China
Marks:	in the lid 仲侯 (Zhonghou) kaishu mark
Materials:	earthenware
Techniques:	applied
Dimensions:	height: 23 cm talp: 13.8 cm x 15.2 cm
Acquisition:	collection of Ferenc Hopp

Hexagonal tall teaboxes were items produced for European export in great quantities. The side of the lid is ornamented with a strip of cicada motifs.

