Basic Detail Report



Dimensions

Overall: 3 in. \times 1 3/4 in. \times 1/2 in. (7.6 \times 4.4 \times 1.3 cm)

Kneeling Male Figure Facing Left, from the series The Invisible Enemy Should Not Exist

Date 2020

Primary Maker

Michael Rakowitz

Medium

Middle Eastern food packaging, Arabic-language U.S. newspapers, and glue, with accompanying didactic information

Description

Inventory number: Iraq Museum 65377 Excavation number: ND10557 Provenance: Nimrud (SW 37) Dimension(s): Height with tenons 7.7 cm, height of panel 5.7 cm, width 4.4 cm, depth 1.1 cm Material: Ivory Date: Neo-Assyrian (ca. 800 bce) Description: Kneeling male figure facing left, hands raised, wearing short skirt Status: Unknown The damage, if ancient, might have been intended to render the image less potent. —Diana McDonald