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|  | <p>Object: Byzanz: Justinus II.</p> <p>Museum: Münzkabinett<br/>Geschwister-Scholl-Straße 6<br/>10117 Berlin<br/>030 / 266424242<br/>ikmk@smb.spk-berlin.de</p> <p>Collection: Mittelalter, Frühmittelalter</p> <p>Inventory number: 18204092</p> |
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## Description

Front: Drapierte Panzerbüste des Justinus II. mit Helm und Schild (darauf der Kaiser als Reiter Sieger nach r.) in der Vorderansicht. In der r. Hand eine den Kaiser bekränzende Victoria auf Globus. Im r. F. ein Graffito.

Rear: Constantinopolis thronend in der Vorderansicht. Sie hält in ihrer r. Hand ein Zepter und in ihrer l. einen Globus (sphaera) mit Kreuz.

Graffito: Lettering or similar mark incised into the surface of a coin that had meaning in the contemporary context of the coin.

## Basic data

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| Material/Technique: | Gold; struck                                   |
| Measurements:       | Weight: 4.39 g; Diameter: 21 mm; Die-axis: 5 h |

## Events

|                         |       |                     |
|-------------------------|-------|---------------------|
| Created                 | When  | 565-578 CE          |
|                         | Who   |                     |
|                         | Where | Ravenna             |
| Commissioned            | When  |                     |
|                         | Who   | Justin II (520-578) |
|                         | Where |                     |
| Was depicted<br>(Actor) | When  |                     |
|                         | Who   | Justin II (520-578) |
|                         | Where |                     |

[Relationship to location]    When  
                                         Who  
                                         Where    Italy

## Keywords

- Christliche Ikonographie
- Coin
- Early Middle Ages
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- Empress
- Gold
- Middle Ages
- Personification
- Portrait
- Solidus

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