

	<p>Object: Batchelor's house and drum shed</p> <p>Museum: Ethnologisches Museum Arnimallee 27 14195 Berlin 030 / 83 01 273 em@smb.spk-berlin.de</p> <p>Collection: Süd- und Südostasien, Naga-Sammlung</p> <p>Inventory number: VIII C 4608 a</p>
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Description

Batchelor's house and drum shed

The photo shows the morung, or men's house. It was occupied by boys of around 10 years and up, and served as a form of educational institution. Each clan had its own men's house in the village. The drum carved from a tree trunk also served an important ritual function. Original description: "Morung (bachelor house) of the Ao of Sussu, with drum shed next to it".

Collector: Ehlers, Otto Ehrenfried

Basic data

Material/Technique:

Measurements:

Image format (photo): 12.5 x 16 cm

Events

Created	When	1881
	Who	Ao Naga
	Where	India
Collected	When	1892-1894
	Who	Otto Ehrenfried Ehlers (1855-1895)
	Where	Nagaland

Keywords

- Dorfansicht

- Männerhaus (morung)