

	<p>Object: D15123 spirit house (model)</p> <p>Museum: Übersee-Museum Bremen Bahnhofplatz 13 28195 Bremen sammlung@uebersee- museum.de</p> <p>Collection: Ozeanien, Ethnographische Sammlungen</p> <p>Inventory number: D15123</p>
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Description

This type of house served as a shrine. Some of these shrines were small and could even be transported. Usually (but not always) such a shrine sits on a frame. Offerings such as betel nuts or taro could be placed inside through the small openings in the shrine. These offerings could be dedicated to the village god or were intended to protect against illness, for example.

Basic data

Material/Technique:

Measurements:

Events

Created	When	1890-1900
	Who	
	Where	Palau
Owned	When	
	Who	Müller
	Where	
[Relationship to location]	When	
	Who	
	Where	Palau

Keywords

- Shrine

Literature

- Literaturhinweis: Thilenius, Ergebnisse der Südsee -Exp. 1908-10 , II B Mikronesien Bd.3
Prof. Krämer Abb. 5.