

Magical gem in a modern silver ring: Pantheos

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References	Philipp, <i>Mira et Magica</i> , no. 180; Michel, <i>DMG</i> , no. 41.6.a_1
Former Collections	Stosch, Philipp von, Collection
Material	haematite (black)
Dimensions	11.5 x 10 x 2.5 mm
Dating	turn of the 2nd–3rd c. AD (H. Philipp) cartouche; feet, in the shape of jackal's heads; flail; Ouroboros; Pantheos;
Iconography	scepter, unspecified; scepters (2); tail of bird; gesture, ithyphallic?



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A: Frontal figure of Anubis-Pantheos with wings, standing on an Ouroboros cartouche enclosing inscription. Two scepters are visible on both sides of the figure, behind the wings. Ithyphallic (?), a bird's tail projects from the hips to the left, feet are in the shape of jackal's heads. Above the figure, inscription in three lines: γαυδιωπ[.]αδπυπω|αλληνααω → unknown voces. Inscription in the field to the left and right side of the figure: ιαωσεηωεσ?|ειωεηηωα → unknown voces, and in the cartouche: ευχη → εὐχή, 'vow'.

B: Plain.

Bibliography

[Philipp, *Mira et Magica* on CBd-2135](#)

[Michel, *DMG*, 41.6.a_1.](#)

Images

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