Unesco official visits Peshawar museum

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PESHAWAR - The Director/Representative of UNESCO to Islamabad, Kozue Kay Nagata, visited the Peshawar Museum on Wednesday.

She was received by the Curator of the Museum Nidaullah Sehrai who briefed her about the Buddhist civilization of Gandhara and the Peshawar Museum which has the most extensive collection of the Gandhara art in Pakistan. He also gave her a guided tour of the Main Hall in which 74 stories of the life of the Buddha are displayed in the showcases.

She evinced keen interest in various elements taken from Greek, Roman and Indian styles and beautifully incorporated in the art of Gandhara. In the Bodhisattva Gallery she was impressed by the architectural pieces, jewellery worn by the Bodhisattva and the way they are differentiated from one another.