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Title: Moche Portrait Vessel

Date: 100-800 CE

Location: Peru

“While most Moche portrait vessels feature heads, some portray full human figures. They are meant to hold liquids. Almost all of the portraits are of adult men. In some rare instances, young boys are represented, but no portrait vessels of adult women have yet been found. The portraits are not idealized, some feature abnormalities, such as harelips and missing eyes. Typically, Moche pottery features red slip painted on a pale cream background; however, white-on-red and black paint is also found. While most portraits are three-dimensional portrayals of human, some have additional feline paintings on their surface.”

