Fashioning Modernity: Qipao Dresses and Unbound Feet

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Figure 3: Late Qing courtesan in Chinese dress and with Western accessories. Collection of Paola Zamperini

Figure 4: Early Republican woman in qipao. Collection of Paola Zamperini
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Fashionable man dressed in Western coat and Chinese gown. Collection of Paolo Zamperini
A Shoe mender. ca. 1790
Watercolour and ink on paper
Guangzhou, China
Height 36 cm
Width 46 cm
Victoria & Albert Museum
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