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List of Uyghur intellectuals imprisoned in China from 2016 to the present (Last updated by Abduweli Ayup on March 13th, 2021)

Medical Researchers and Doctors

1. Halmurat Ghopur, (M) Former president of Xinjiang Medical University, head of XUAR Medical Oversight Bureau, physician, PhD.
2. Abbas Eset, (M) Instructor at Xinjiang Medical University, physician, PhD. Note: He is released 2020.
3. Nurmemet Emet (M) Dean of the Department of Uyghur Traditional Medicine, Xinjiang Medical University PhD.
4. Enwer Tohti, (M) Instructor at the Department of Uyghur Traditional Medicine, Xinjiang Medical University.
5. Alim Pettar, (M) Instructor at Xinjiang Medical University, physician, PhD. Note: released 2020.
6. Perhat Behti, (M) Vice president of the Affiliated Hospital of Xinjiang Medical University.
8. Enwer Abdükérim, (M0 Physician, Kashgar Prefectural People's Hospital.
9. Husen Hesen (M) physician, Kucha Hospital of Uyghur Medicine.
10. Ebeydulla Hesen (M) physician, XUAR Uyghur Medicine Hospital.
11. Tahir Hesen (M), physician, Kucha people's hospital.
12. Nejibulla Ablat (M) cardiologist, Kashgar No.2 people's Hospital.
13. Dolqun Tursun (M), XUAR Department of Preventive Medical.
14. Ilham Imam (M), ENT specialist, Affiliated Hospital of Xinjiang medical University. Note: released recently.
15. Gulshen Abbas (F) Physician, XUAR Nurbagh Petroleum Hospital.
16. Abdurehimjan Emet (M), physician XUAR Uyghur Medicine Hospital.

University Professors
17. Erkin Abdurehim (Oghuz), (M) Professor, Kashgar University, retired.
18. Metréhim Haji, (M) Professor, Kashgar University.
19. Enwer Isma'il, (M) Associate Professor, Language Department Kashgar University.
20. Enwer Qadir, (M) Associate Professor, Language Department Kashgar University.
21. Abdukerem Paltu (M), Department of History, Kashgar University.
22. Erkin Ömer, (M) Professor, Kashgar University, school principal.
23. Mukhter Abdughopur, (M) professor, Kashgar University.
24. Qurban Osman, (M) professors, Kashgar University.
25. Ablajan Abduwaqi, (M) Professor, Kashgar University; Dean of the Department of Mathematics. **Note**: Ablajan Abduwaqi is released 2020.

26. Rahile Dawut, (F) Professor, Xinjiang University; PhD.

27. Arslan Abdulla, (M) Professor; Former dean of the Institute of Philology, Xinjiang University; Head of XUAR People's Government Cultural Advisors' Office.


29. Gheyretjan Osman, (M) Professor, Xinjiang University.

30. Tashpolat Téyip, (M) Professor, President of Xinjiang University.

31. Alim Ehet, (M) professor, Xinjiang University; Founder of Uyghur Soft Ltd.

32. Dilmurat Tursun, (M) professor, Xinjiang University.

33. Batur Eysa, (M) professor, Xinjiang University.

34. Abdurehim Mahmut, (M) professor, Xinjiang University.

35. Erkin Imirbaqi, (M) professor, Xinjiang University.

36. Nurbiye Yadikar, (F) professor, Xinjiang University. **Note**: Nurbiye Yadikar was released at end of 2019.

37. Nebijan Hebibulla, (M) professor, Xinjiang University.

38. Asiye Muhemmedsalih, (F) professor, Xinjiang University.

39. Abdusalam Ablimit, (M) professor, computer science, Xinjiang University.

40. Abdubesir Shükuri, (M) Professor, Dean, Institute of Philology, Xinjiang Normal University.

41. Abduqadir Jalalidin, (M) Professor, poet, Xinjiang Normal University.


43. Yunus Ebeydulla, (M) Professor, Xinjiang Normal University.

44. Ababekri Abdureshit, (M) professor, PhD, Xinjiang Normal University.

45. Nur’eli Shahyaqup, (M) professor, PhD, Xinjiang Normal University.

46. Nurmuhemmet Ömer (Uchqun), (M) professor, PhD, Xinjiang Normal University.

47. Kamil Memetrehím, (M) Professor, Pedagogical Institute, Ürümchi Vocational University.

48. Arzugül Tashpolat, (F) professor, Xinjiang Engineering Institute; Arrested together with husband Ekrem Tursun. **Note**: Arzigul Tashpolat was released in September 2019.

49. Zulpiqar Barat (Özbash), (M), professor, PhD, Xinjiang University.

50. Nijat Ablimit, (M) professor, Kashgar University.

51. Dilmurat Ghopur, (M) Vice Rector, Xinjiang University.

52. Abdurehïm Rahman, (M) Associate Professor, PhD; Xinjiang University; husband of Ruqiye Osman.

53. Ruqiye Osman, (F) Administrator, Xinjiang University Library; wife of Abdurehïm Rahman.

54. Imam Muhemmet, (M), staff, Xinjiang University Computer center.

55. Weli Barat, (M) Former president of Xinjiang University.

56. Mutellip Sidiq Qahiri (M) associate professor, Kashgar University.
57. Enwer Sidiq (M), Lecturer of physics, Xinjiang Normal University
58. Nijat Sopi, (M) Professor, PhD; Ili Teacher’s College; Dean of Literature
   Department.
59. Barat Tursunbaqi, (M) Former president, Hotan Teachers College.
60. Ablet Abdurishit (Berqi), (M) Associate Professor, PhD; poet, Xinjiang Institute of
   Education.
61. Kalmurat Eysajan, (M) professor, Ili Pedagogical Institute
62. Ömerjan Nuri, (M) professor, Hotan Teachers College
63. Azat Sultan, (M) Chairman of XUAR Literature and Arts Union; Chair, Xinjiang
   Writers Association; Professor; Literature expert: Note: Azat Sultan was released in
   May 2019.
64. Gulazat Tursun (F) professor, Xinjiang University Law school, Human rights
   specialist.
65. Kerimjan Abdurehim (M), professor, poet, Kashgar Education Institute.
66. Adil Ghappar (M), professor, Xinjiang Normal University.
67. Juret Dolet (M), Director of Student Affair Office, Hotan Teacher’s College
   High & middle School Teachers.
68. Ablajan Memet, (M) Konisheher No.1 High school.
69. Ehmetjan Jume (M), Konisheher No.1 high school.
70. Sajidigul Ayup (F) Konisheher No.1 high school.
71. Abla Memet (M) former head of konisheher No.1 High School, reworded teacher,
   National May 1st medal holder.
72. Niyaz Imin, (M) Former teacher, Kucha County No.1 Middle School.
73. Ekrem Islam, (M) Vice Principal, Sanji City No.3 Middle School.
74. Dilraba Kamil, (F) Instructor, Ürümchi No.92 Middle School.
75. Tursunjan Hézim, (M) Instructor, Aqsu No.1 High School.
76. Ablet Shemsi, (M) Instructor, Kucha County Ishkhala Village Middle School.
77. Adil Tursun, (M) Vice Principal, senior teacher, Kashgar Shufu County No.1
   Middle School; National-Level Expert in chemistry.
78. Shahip Abdusalam (Nurbeg), (M) Instructor, poet, Kelpin County No.1 Middle
   School.
79. Zohre Niyaz (Sayramiye), (F) Instructor, Bay County Sayram Village Middle
   School; poet.
80. Turdi Tuniyaz, (M) Former Principal, Xinjiang Experimental High School.
81. AlimYawa, (M) Former instructor, Peyzawat County Güllük Village Middle
   School; poet.
82. Ilham Tahir, (M) Teacher (fired), Affiliated High school of Kashgar Normal
   University; son of Tahir Talip. Note: released in 2020

**Journalists, Editors and Publishers**

83. Ablikim Hesen, (M) Head of Uyghur Department and senior editor, Xinjiang
   Youth Press.
84. Yalqun Rozi, (M) Editor, Xinjiang Education Press. **Notes:** Ablikim Hesen was released in December 2019.

85. Qadir Arslan, (M) Editor, Xinjiang Education Press

86. Tuniyaz ilyas, (M) Editor, Xinjiang Education Press

87. Mahibeder Mekhmut, (F) Editor, Xinjiang Education Press

88. Ayshem Peyzulla, (F) Editor, Xinjiang Education Press

89. Tahir Nasir, (M) Former head, former assistant head editor, Xinjiang Education Press; XUAR People’s Government education inspector

90. Wahitjan Osman, (M) Editor, Xinjiang Education Press, poet

91. Erkin Muhemmet, (M) Editor, Xinjiang Education Press

92. Ekber Sirajidin, (M) Editor, Xinjiang Education Press

93. Yasin Zilal, (M) Head editor, "Tarim" Journal; poet, arrested in 2017

94. Abdurakhman Ebey, (M) Former chief, former senior editor, Xinjiang People’s Press

95. Ehmetjan Mömin (Tarimi), (M) Senior editor, Xinjiang People’s Press, PhD

96. Qurban Mamut, (M) Former head editor, former senior editor, "Xinjiang Culture" Journal

97. IlhamWeli, (M) Chair, senior editor, "Xinjiang Gazette" Uyghur Editorial Department

98. Mirkamil Ablimit, (M) Vice Chair, senior editor, "Xinjiang Gazette" Uyghur Editorial Department

99. Memtimin Obul, (M) Editor, "Xinjiang Gazette" Uyghur Editorial Department

100. Jür'et Haji, (M) Editor, "Xinjiang Gazette" Uyghur Editorial Department

101. Erkin Tursun, (M) Editor, director, Ili Television Station

102. Abduréhim Abdulla, (M) Senior editor, Xinjiang Audiovisual Press; poet

103. Enwer Qutluq (Nezeri), (M) Editor, Xinjiang Television Station; poet

104. Qeyser Qéyum, (M) Editor in Chief, "Literary Translations" Journal Committed suicide, jumped off eighth floor of his office building after a police summons rather than face probable detention in the camps.

105. Mirzahit Kérim, (M) Former editor (retired), Kashgar Uyghur Press; writer, passed away in detention 2020

106. Mehmutjan Khoja (Ümidwar), (M) Editor, "Xinjiang Youth" Journal; poet

107. Ablajan Siyit, (M) Vice head editor, senior editor, Kashgar Uyghur Press

108. Osman Zunun, (M) Former head editor, senior editor, Kashgar Uyghur Press, retired

109. Abliz Ömer, (M) Former head editor, senior editor, Kashgar Uyghur Press, retired

110. Osman Ehet (M) music editor, Qarluq electronic

111. Erkin Ibrahim (peyda) (M) publisher, CEO of ogen publishing company

112. Chimengul Awut, (F) Senior editor, Kashgar Uyghur Publishers; poet. **Note:** Chimengul Awut was released in 2020.

113. Tahir Talip, (M) senior editor, "Kashgar Daily," poet, public figure. **Note:** released 2020
115. Méhrigül Tahir, (F) Instructor, Kashgar Preschool Teachers Training School; daughter of Tahir Talip.
118. Memet Sidiq (M), Kashgar Uyghur Press.
119. Anargul Hekim, (F), Kashgar Uyghur Press.
120. Guzelnur Qasim (F), Kashgar Uyghur Press.
121. Mahinur Hamut, (F) Kashgar Uyghur Press.
122. Erkin Emet (M), Head of Kashgar Uyghur Press.
123. Emrulla Enwer (M) Kashgar Uyghur Press.

Poets, Writers and Scholars

124. Perhat Tursun, (M) Researcher, XUAR People's Arts Center; PhD; writer, poet.
126. Muhter Helil Bughra (M), Poet, XUAR TV Station. Note: he was released recently.
127. Idris Nurulla, (M) Independent translator, poet.
128. Qasimjan Osman (Ghazi), (M) Civil servant, Peyzawat County Party Committee Propaganda Department; poet.
129. Yasin Jan Sadiq (choghlan) (M) writer, XUAR writers association.
130. Osman Hoshur (M), Writer, participant of Uyghur textbook.
132. Ibrahim Alptekin (M) former police officer, poet, writer, publisher, Artush.
133. Abduqadirjume, (M) Independent translator, poet.
134. Nezire Muhammedsalih, (F) Independent writer; wife of Adiljan Tuniyaz.
135. Muhammedsalih Hajim, (M) Researcher, Xinjiang Social Science Academy, retired; translator of the Quran into Uyghur; religious scholar and translator; died at age 84 in a camp; father of Nezire Muhammedsalih.
137. Tahir Abduweli, (M) Researcher, XUAR Language Committee.
139. Na'iljan Turghan, (M) Researcher, XUAR Language Committee.
140. Küresh Tahir, (M) Researcher, Xinjiang Social Sciences Academy; son of Tahir Talip.
141. Abdurazaq Sayim, (M) Vice Head of Xinjiang Social Sciences Academy; senior researcher.
143. Abduqeyym Mijit, (M) Researcher, Ethnic Culture Research Institute, Xinjiang Social Sciences Academy.

144. Sajide Tursun, (F) Postdoctoral researcher at Max Planck Institute for the Study of Religious Diversity in Gottingen, Germany. **Note:** Sajide Tursun is released at end of 2019.

145. Abbas Burhan, (M) Researcher, XUAR Education Department; Vice Principal, Ürümqi, Number 10 Elementary School.

146. Ablimit, (M), Independent researcher of Uyghur classical literature; PhD.

147. Gulbahar Eziz, Writer, Poet, Lawyer. **Note:** released in 2020

148. Adiljan Tuniyaz, (M) Former staff, Xinjiang People’s Radio Station; poet; husband of Nezire Muhemmedsalih.

149. Dilmurat Tursun (M) researcher, Urumchi Municipal education department.

150. Adil Rishit (M) researcher, XUAR Educational Press.

151. Tursunjan Muhemmet Marshal, website editor, Writer.

152. Tursunbeg Yasin (M), Blogger, writer.

153. Tuniyaz Osman (M), writer, former Judge, Aksu seismology Department.

154. Omerjan Hesen (Bozqir) writer, Translator, Blogger, Aksu Forestry Department Actors, Directors, Hosts, Hostess, Singers.

155. Mekhmutjan Sidiq, (M) Director, Xinjiang Television Station.

156. Ekhmetjan Metrozi, (M) Technician, Xinjiang Television Station.

157. Qeyum Muhemmet, (M) Associate Professor, Xinjiang Art Institute; actor; host; husband of Aynur Tash.

158. Aynur Tash, (F) Ürümchi People’s Radio Station, retired for health reasons; wife of Qeyum Muhemmet.

159. Erkin Tursun, (M) Editor, director, Ili Television Station.

160. Es’et Eziz, (M) Chief, Ürümchi People’s Radio Station Uyghur Editorial Department.


162. Aburehim Heyit (M) singer XUAR Theater.

163. Zulpicer Koresh (M) host of Uyghur TV program, XUAR TV station.

164. Reshide Dawut (F) singer, XUAR theater. **Note:** Reshide Dawut was sentenced in 2020.

165. Adil Mijit (M) comedian, XUAR Theater. **Note:** released recently

166. Senuber Tursun (F) singer, XUAR theater. **Note:** Senewer Tursun was released in October 2019.

167. Aytilla Ela (F), singer, XUAR Theater.

168. Ablet Zeydin (M) XUAR TV station, editor.

169. Peride Mamut (M), singer, actor, Karamay Theater. **Note:** released at the end of 2019.

170. Zahirshah Ablimit (M), singer. **Note:** released 2020.

171. Ablajan Awut Ayup (M), singer, “Uyghur Justin Baber.”

172. Memetjan Abduqadir (M) singer, actor.

173. Mahire Yusup (F) singer, Urumchi Song and Dance Troup.
174. Adiljan Hamut (M) Cameraman, Xinjiang Izgil Film & TV company. Note: Released at the end of 2019

Computer Engineers

175. Qeyser Abdukerim (M), computer engineer, poet. Kashgar Tax department.
176. Metyasin Metqurban (M) Bilkan electronic company, CEO, computer engineer.
177. Perhat Zahir (M) computer engineer.
178. Abdurahman Memetabla (M) computer engineer, CEO, Rawanyol electronic company.
179. Nurshat (M) Graphic designer, Qarluq Electronic Company.
180. Abletjan Ismail (M), Creator of Yaltapan software, IT engineer of XUAR Government website ts.cn.
181. Sirajidin Qarluq (M), Qarluq electronic, co., ltd.
182. Amannisa Qemirdin (F) accountant, IT engineer, Qarluq Electronic Company.
183. Reyhangul Mehmut (F) graphic designer, Qarluq electronic.
184. Yusup Ehmet (M) graphic designer, Qarluq electronic.
185. Emetjan, (M) Qutlan Electronic Company, computer engineer.
188. Dilshat Perhat (Ataman), (M) Founder, "Diyarim" Website Photographers and Painters
190. Mutellipjan Memtimin, (M) Director of "Kashgar White Steed Photo Studio"; photographer.
191. Ablikimjan (M), designer, Kashgar Preschool Teachers School

Other intellectuals

192. Ablimit Ablikim, (M) MA student, Shanghai Arts Institute.
193. Arzugül Abdurehim, (F) Received MA in Japan.
194. Abdurishit Imin (M) XUAR Department of Agriculture.
195. Gülbañar Éziz, (F) Civil servant, XUAR Prison Administration Office; psychology Counselor; Lawyer.
196. Ghalip Qurban, (M) vice chief, Urumchi municipal court, Judge.
197. Ekber Ebeydulla (M) Kashagr Cultural Heritage Protecting Department.
198. Ebeydulla Ibrahim (M) Writer, Editor in Chief, Xinjiang Youth.
199. Mihray Mijit (F), Principle of #20 Primary School, Editor of Uyghur Textbook.
200. Haliq Qurban (M), Head of Saybagh regional Court, Urumchi, arrested 2017.

Imprisoned intellectuals from other Turkic ethnic groups in Xinjiang
201. Qabilqan Sadiq, (M) Editor, Xinjiang Education Press; Kazakh.
203. Hörmetjan Abdurahman (Fikret), (M) Professor, Xinjiang University; Uzbek.
204. MambetTurdi, (M) Professor, Xinjiang Normal University; literary critic; Kyrgyz
205. Abdurahman Eziz (M) Writer, Ermuðun, Yengisheher, Kashgar, Kyrgyz
206. Dina Igemberdi (F) Painter, Urumqi Tianshan District, Tuanjielu, No 78. Kazakh
207. Nurbaqit Qadir (M), editor, Xinjiang Education Press. Kazakh
208. Maqadas Aqan (M), editor, Xinjiang Education Press. Kazakh

Other Intellectuals

209. Turan Qasim (M), CCP XUAR regional committee, propaganda branch
210. Jelil Abdurahman (M), Urumqi Education Department
211. Hamut Yasin (M), Xinjiang Education Press
212. Abduqeyum Tohtaji (M), Xinjiang Experiment High school
213. Aygul Imin (F), Teaching & Study office of Tianshan District, Urumqi Education Department
214. Mahire Rozi (F), teacher, Urumqi 16# High School
215. Abdusalam Turdi (M), professor, Department of Physics, Xinjiang Normal University
216. Enwer Sidiq (M), professor, Department of Physics, Xinjiang Normal University
217. Ghalip Nasir (M), Administration Office, Xinjiang Normal University
218. Rena Mamut (M), Library, Xinjiang Normal University
219. Umit (M) Affiliated High School of Xinjiang Normal University
220. Rizwangul (F) Affiliated High School of Xinjiang Normal University
221. Eysa Qadir (M), professor, Xinjiang Agriculture University
222. Ababekri Ablet (M), president of Hotan Teachers College
223. Memetrishat Zunun (M), Xinjiang Huan Touri sm Co.ltd
224. Gheyret Eysa (M), Kashgar 10# High School, publisher
225. Dawut Obulqasim (M), Koknur biotechnology Co.ltd
226. Buhelchem Tursun (F), former official of Urumqi Import and Export Department
227. Telet Qadiri (M), Uyghur textbook for grade 8 editor, Xinjiang education Press
228. Hamutjan Hekim (M), Uyghur textbook for Grade 8 editor, Xinjiang education Press
229. Shirmuhemmet Jarup (M) Uyghur textbook editor, Xinjiang Education Press
230. Perhat Kazim (M) Uyghur textbook editor, Uyghur textbook editor
231. Eysajan Turdi Achchiq (M), Uyghur textbook for Grade 8 editor
232. Muqeddes Mirza (F), Uyghur textbook for Grade 8 editor
233. Enwer Omer (M), Uyghur textbook for Grade 8 editor
234. Hebibulla Eli (M), Uyghur textbook for Grade 8 editor
235. Adiljan Ayit (M), Uyghur Textbook painter, XUAR Education Press, Note: Adiljan Ayit was arrested because of Uyghur textbook issue.
236. Abdurehim Osman (M), Kashgar CCP local branch vice chairman of religious and ethnic affair.
237. Shemsidin (M), physician, XUAR Number 2 Hospital.
238. Zamanidin Pakzat (M), poet, instructor, Preschool teachers college.
240. Ablikim Kelkun (M) comedian, XUAR Theater.
241. Hebibulla Tohti (M), professor, Xinjiang Islamic Institute, PhD.
242. Adil Hajim (M), professor, Xinjiang Islamic Institute.
243. Yusupjan Zeynidin (M), former professor, Xinjiang Islamic Institute.
244. Muhemmet Abdulla (M), former professor, Xinjiang Islamic institute.
245. Abduqahar damolla (M), professor, Xinjiang Islamic Institute.
246. Ilyas Qarihaji (M), professor, Xinjiang Islamic Institute, PhD.
247. Shahabidin Hajim (M), professor, Xinjiang Islamic Institute.
248. Abduqahar Damolla (M), professor, Xinjiang Islamic Institute.
249. Abduqahar Damolla (M), instructor, Artuch Islamic School.
250. Abduhaliq Damolla (M), instructor, Aqsu Islamic School.
251. Azat Eziz (M), professor, former principle, Kashagar University.
252. Gulzar Gheni (F), Kashgar University.
253. Abduqeyum Yasin (M), physician, Kashagar #1 People’s hospital.
254. Dilshat Alim (M), physician, XUAR Number 2 people’s hospital.
255. Mirzat Osman (M), 32 years old. Bachelor of Xinjiang Agricultural University, studied in Italy, missing since 2017.
256. Erkinjan Abdukerim (M), primary school teacher in Awat Township Kashagr, he died after released from reeducation camp on September 30th, 2018.
257. Nurmemet Tohti (M) 32 years old, Xinjiang ElQUWET co.ltd.
259. Hisamidin Eziz (M), Poet, Xinjiang Representative Office in Beijing, detained in June 2018.
260. Abdulkahar Tursun (M), Arcelik Electronic engineer, graduated Middle East Technology University, detained 2017.
269. Turghun Asim (M), 45 years old, water engineer, Kashgar city water administration department, detained in concentration in 2018.

270. Mentili Wahap (M), 40 years old, Kashagr city Water Administration department.

271. Nurmemet Niyaz (M) 30 years old, Kashagr city Water Administration department.

272. Ekber Emet (M) 37 years old, Kashagr city Water Administration department.

273. Abdughopur Tursun (M), 54 years old, Kashagr city Water Administration Department.

274. Sabirjan Hamut (M) 48 years old, Kashagr city Water Administration Department.

275. Memetjan Rozi (M), born in 1979, Graphic Designer & Film Editor, detained September 5th, 2017.

276. Kamal Abliz (M), born in 1979, film maker and producer, he directed there is no way for these kids, detained June 9th 2017, Dolan Co.ltd.

277. Semi Kirem (M), Babahan Food & Logistic Company, detained in Midong detention Center since August 15th.

278. Tahir Qasim (M), writer, poet, professor, Aqsu Educational Institute.

279. Abdusalam Jalalidin (M), professor, PhD, born in 1962 Ghulja, Xinjiang University.

280. Hemdulla Abdurahman (M) Linguist, born in Pichan 1957, Languages committee of Xinjiang Uyghur Autonomous Region.

281. Nizamidin Niyaz (M), PhD, Lecturer of Xinjiang Normal University, sentenced for 15 years for participating problematic textbook.

282. Tursunjan Behti (M), PhD, Linguist, born in 1985, lecturer of Xinjiang financial and Economy University.

283. Rahmanjan Awut Ozhal (M), Poet, Singer, Song writer, XUAR Theater.

Note: Rahmanjan Awut Ozhal released in 2019.

284. Eysabeg Mamut (M), well-known folksinger, h sentenced 10 years, accused of illegal religious activity. Note: Eyasabeg Mamut released at end of 2019.

285. Waris Ababekri (M), one of the former leaders of the 1988 Uyghur students' movement, writer, film producer, Xinjiang Dolan Co.ltd, he passed away in 2020.

286. Osman Kerem (M), born in 1961, former teacher of Urumchi number 23 middle school.

287. Kurban Hajji, (M), 61 years old (born on March 1st, 1958 Artush). He has taught in high schools for 35 years, Artuch Number 4 high school. Note: Kurban Aji was released in June 2019.

288. Abduhelil Ela (M), Surgeon, Tuberculosis Hospital of Xinjiang Uyghur Autonomous Region, detained in January 2018.

289. Zohre Ela (F) Technician, Karamay Petroleum Company which cooperated with Hong Kong, detained in January 2018.

290. Juret Memet (M), teacher, vice president of regional educational department of Karamay.

291. Rishat (M), teacher, Number 4 primary school in Karamay.
292. Adil Yaqup (M) poet, Vice Chief of Number three Detention Center, detained March 2018, he got released in 2019 depending on the recent information Adil was detained again in March 2020. **Note**: Adil Yaqup, poet and head of the Number three detention center was released in the first week of April, he re-arrested in March 2020.

293. Memtimin Hoshur (M), Writer, Former Head of XUAR Writers Association, detained again in March 2020.

294. Ehtem Omer (M) Writer, employee of state owned XUAR Film making company, sentenced 20 years.

295. Reyhangul (F) Uyghur Medicine Hospital of Xinjiang Uyghur Autonomous Region in Urumchi city.


297. Jumaji Juma (M) Teacher, Qulanchi Primary School, Azaq Township, Artuch, detained and sentenced to 7 years, because of sending a gift to Turkey.

298. Marat Isaqow (M), born in 1982 Urumchi, Teacher, Urumchi Number 14 High School, studied in Kazan, Tatarstan federal republic.


300. Semi Kirem (M), arrested in August 15th, 2018, Xinjiang BABAHAN Food Company.

301. Abduqeyum Imin (M), actor, editor, Xinjiang TV, (State owned Xinjiang Uyghur Autonomous regional propaganda organization).

302. Hezereteli Memettyrsun (M) Singer, public figure. **Note released at end of 2019**

303. Bupatem (F) secretary of Hotan county level court.

304. Abdurahman (M), Hotan county local branch of CCP commission for discipline inspection.

305. Husenjan (M), Musician, music teacher Hotan city number 2 primary school.

306. Arapat Erkin (M) student, Kocaeli University, kept missing since 2017 went back to China.

307. Mirzat Osman (M), student, studied in Milan, Kept missing since October 2017 went back to China.

308. Omerjan (M) architect, Uyghur style architectures designer, entrepreneur, public figure.

309. Yasin Kerim (M), Calligrapher, awarded international several Calligraphy competitions, Yengi Eriq township, Hotan.

https://instagram.com/uycalligrapher?


311. Abdureshit Eli (M), Pen name (tundiki adem), poet, editor of Yengi Qashteshi (seasonal literature magazine).

312. Abdukerim Yaqup (M), Public figure, the people’s government of Xinjiang Uyghur Autonomous region Beijing Office.

313. Ehet Sayit (M) Public Figure, County Mayor of Yarkent, Xinjiang Uyghur Autonomous Region.

314. Abdugheni Jume (M) Public Figure, County Mayor of Merkit, XUAR.
315. Ghali Rahman (M) Public Figure, County Mayor of Peyzawat, XUAR
316. Memettrusun (M) Public Figure, Kashagr Prefectural Foreign affair Office.
317. Gholamjan Ghopur (M), English teacher, the founder of Tewpiq Language and Technology Training school.
318. Abdumijit Abduqadir (M), Instructor, Xinjiang Uyghur Medicine College, PhD candidate of Chinese Science Academy Xinjiang Branch.
319. Enwer Niyaz (M), Teacher, Principle of Toqsun County Number1 High School, Head of Toqsun County Education Department.
320. Shohret (M) Instructor, Xinjiang Normal University, TsingHua University PhD Candidate, Qelbinur Hamut (F), Teacher, Number 19 Primary School, one of the editors of Uyghur textbook, retired in 2015, arrested in 2017.
321. Turkizat Gheyret (M) Student Activist, Xinjiang Finance and Economy University.
323. Gheni Semet (M) Poet, self-employment, Uyghur bookstore owner.
324. Gulnisa Imin (F) Poet, local social activist. Well-known female poet, her poetry translated into Japanese and selected in Uyghur poetry selection published in Japan.
325. Abduqeyum Tohtaji (M) one of the editors of banned Uyghur Textbook.
327. Abliz Arqan (M) Blogger and Islamic Scholar. Small business owner in Korla city.
328. Muhter Emet (M) Poet, vice chief Konisheher County CCP local branch, detained 2017 September.
329. Abduhelil Tohti (M) athlete, wrestling Master, teacher, Konisheher No1 High School, detained in April 2017.
330. Ehmet Turghun (M) teacher, arrested in September 2017, one of the detainees related to Uyghur textbook issue, Urumchi number 22 primary school.
331. Reyhangul Hashim (F) teacher arrested in September 2017, one of the detainees related to Uyghur text book issue, Urumchi Qarlayelisi primary school.
332. Ekber Awut (M) teacher, athlete, arrested in September 2018, died in the detention center in Urumchi October 2019, Urumchi number 22 primary school.
333. Melike Dawut (F) teacher, researcher, detained in April 2017, one of the detainees related to Uyghur textbook issue, Urumchi educational department, research office.
340. Alim Hebibul (M) prison Guard in Turpan city, arrested in 2018, sentenced 3 years in November 2019
341. Yasin Imin (M) IT engineer, professor in Xinjiang university, department of information technology, researcher in bureau of information technology of Xinjiang Ethnic languages work committee, selected as distinguished youth by Uyghur autonomous regional party branch and government in 2015. He was arrested in 2018.
342. Alim Hasani (M) Linguist, Interpreter, researcher in bureau of information technology of Xinjiang Ethnic languages work committee, arrested August 2018
344. Dilnur Mesum (F) Principal of Hotan Langru secondary school ,teaching Chinese,arrested in 2018,sentenced 15years,reason of imprisonment related to a WeChat massage which was sent in 2013 about halal food.
345. Nasirhaji (M) The senior staff of the Business Department of Agricultural Bank Shufu County Subbranch;arrested on may in 2017, reason of imprisonment related with helping poor and needy families by donation collected from Meshrep.
346. Tahir Mesum (M) Deputy Director of Hotan Education Bureau in Hotan Xinjiang, arrested in 2018, sentenced 10years, accused racial discrimination crime, reason of imprisonment related to a WeChat massage which he received in 2013 about Halal food.
347. Abliz Orhun (M) Former editor in chief of Xinjiang Difang Zhi (Xinjiang regional historgraphy), editor of Minzu publishing House, Xinjiang China, Arrested in February 2018.
348. Obulqasim Abdurehim (M) IT technician at Kashgar - China Telecom since 1995, arrested on may in 2017, reason of imprisonment related with helping poor and needy families by donation collected from Meshrep.
349. Abliz Tohtihaji (M) the Director of Kashgar Prefectural Transport Administration bureau since 2012. arrested on may in 2017, reason of imprisonment related with helping poor and needy families by donation which donated in Meshrep gathering.
350. Ishak (M) The Principal of Changji state No 3 secondary school, Xinjiang arrested in 2018
351. Reyhangul (F) Teacher of Changji state No 3 secondary school, Xinjiang teaching literature she also was arrested.
352. Juret Memtimin (M) a Uyghur retired government officials of the people’s republic of China, former professor of Minzu university, and former governor of Hotan prefecture. There was no news from his after being called for interrogation in early December 2019.
353. Ilham Rozi (M) Poet, Deputy Head of Publicity Department of Aksu Prefecture Committee, He was arrested on April in 2019 without any reason.
354. Behtiyar Ilham (M) Uyghur computer engineer and manager of Qarluk IT company. He was arrested on November in 2019 without any reason.

355. Ablajan Memet (M) Teacher, historian, Peyzawat No.1 High School, Kashgar, arrested in 2016. Graduated History Department, Xinjiang University

356. Kamil Hesen (M) Teacher, Poet, Qizilboyi High School of Peyzawat County, Kashgar. He was arrested in 2015, because of his poetry he published 2003 in Kashgar.

357. Memetsalim Sabir (M) Teacher, Poet, Peyzawat No.1 High School, Kashagr. He was arrested in 2015, because of his poetry he published in 2003 in Kashgar.

358. Alim Yawa (M) Poet, Teacher, Gulluk High School of Peyzawat County Kashagr. He was arrested in 2015, because of his poetry published in 2003 in Kashgar.

359. Gulnisa Imin (F) Poet, Teacher, Chira No.1 High School. She was arrested in 2017, because of her poetry published in Japan.

360. Muhemmet Emet Chopani (M), Writer, Poet, Teacher, Chopan High School of Karghaliq County Kashgar. He was arrested in 2017, because of his poetry book Jennet Yoli, published in Turkey 2013.

361. Osmanjan Ehet (M), Musician, Qarluq high tech Company, Urumchi. He was born 1981 in Shahyar County. He got arrested in October 2017.

362. Tursun Turghun (m): a teacher in Tamtoghraq county, born in Aksu, went to high school and university in inner China (Chinese provinces). He was arrested on the 2nd July 2017. He is suspected of downloading and spreading information related to terrorism.

363. Rozi Toxti (m): a literature teacher at Awat County 3rd Middle School, he was arrested on the 2nd of July 2017. He was accused of robbery.

364. Nurmemet Hamut (m): graduated from college in Shanghai, programmer at Lenovo Computer Company. He was arrested on October 13, 2017. He was released in October 2019 but was appointed as a teacher at the camp where he was previously interned.

365. Memet Perhat (m): graduated from Chongqing University, later became a police officer. He was arrested on October 23, 2017.

366. Ehmet Yasin (m): a doctor at Tamtoghraq County Hospital, arrested on June 8, 2017, and accused of using Kuaiya App.

367. Renagul Memet (f), an employee of the county government of Awat, was arrested on July 10, 2017, and accused of using VPN.

368. Nurmemet Rozi (m): the mayor of Kashgar, was arrested in 2019 and accused of hypocrisy (two-faced).

369. Ehet Sayit (m): the district head of Yarkant (Yeken) county, was arrested in 2018 and accused of hypocritical behavior.

370. Ehet Sulayman (m): Pedagogue, the chair of Qumul City Tengritagh county education district, was arrested in March 2017, graduated from Xinjiang Normal University.

371. Ehmet Sulayman (m): government official, vice chairman of Qomul city Tengritagh county, graduated from Xinjiang University (former Maarip Instititutini), was arrested in March 2017.
372. **Jelil Osman** (m): former vice chairman of Qomul city municipality, chairman of Qomul city Sheherichi county government, date and place of detention is unknown.
373. **Muhemmet Osman** (m): graduated from Xi’an Medical University, medical specialist at Qomul prefecture people’s hospital, detained in 2017 and sentenced for 71 years.
374. **Abliz Tohtihaji** (m): was the Director of Kashgar Prefectural Transport Administration bureau since 2012, detained in May, 2017.
375. **Obulqasim Abdurehim** (m): He was working as IT technician at Kashgar - China Telecom since 1995, detained in June, 2017.
376. **Ahat Ebrahim** (m): businessman, founder and director of the Tabassum Conventional Centers in Korla city, detained in May, 2017, died mysteriously in December 2019 in one of the concentration camps in Korla.
377. **Adiljan Abdurehim** (M): Head of Saybagh Educational department, educated in Moskw in 1990s
378. **Abdurahman** (M): Vice head of public security bureau Shufu county XUATR, got arrested in 2017, accusation, double faced
380. **Nebi Yusup** (M) English Interpreter, graphic designer, Qarluq Company, arrested in 2017
381. **Abdurehim Ablethan** (M) Independent researcher, write, blogger, film maker, administrator of Bagdax Fourum, arrested in 2017, Born in Qomul.
382. **Abduqeyum** (M) Medical Researcher, Physician, Kashgar Prefectural People’s Hospital, Studien in Singapore.

Note1: This list is composed of Uyghur intellectuals whose imprisonment has been confirmed by the Uyghur Diasporas. The imprisonment of some individuals on the list has been investigated by Radio Free Asia; the imprisonment of the other intellectuals listed here has been confirmed by other reliable sources in China and some relatives of detainees in Diasporas.

2. While considerable care has been taking in compiling and checking the list, obstacles have nonetheless been considerable, given the information blockade imposed on Xinjiang (Eastern Turkistan) by the Chinese government. As a result, there may be errors in the list. We ask readers’ help in correcting any such issues, compiling further information on the individuals listed here in, and adding other detained intellectuals to the list.

3. It is clear that the number of detained intellectuals greatly exceeds the number listed here. This list—and other lists of detained individuals will be continually revised and expanded.
4. In January 9th, the order are reorganized, after this time the order will be the same, if I add some individuals they should under the “Other intellectuals”.

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