



# Congressional - Executive Commission On China

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Personal Details			
<b>CECC Record Number</b>	2010-00544	<b>Ethnic Group</b>	
<b>Detention Status</b>	REL	<b>Sex</b>	F
<b>Issue Category</b>	assoc/spch	<b>Age At Detention</b>	
<b>Main Name</b>	Wang Lihong	<b>Religion</b>	
<b>Chinese Characters (Main Name)</b>	王荔蕪	<b>Occupation</b>	business (unspec.), retired
<b>Alternate Name (Lay or Pen)</b>		<b>Affiliation</b>	
<b>Additional Name(s)</b>		<b>Residence Province</b>	Beijing Shi (prov.)
<b>Pinyin Name</b>		<b>Residence Prefecture</b>	(na)
		<b>Residence County</b>	(na)

Imprisonment or Detention Details	
<b>Date of Detention</b>	2011/03/21
<b>Current Prison</b>	Chaoyang PSB Det. Ctr.
<b>Sentence Length (Years)</b>	
<b>Sentence Length (Months)</b>	9
<b>Sentence Length (Weeks)</b>	
<b>Sentence Length (Days)</b>	
<b>Province Where Imprisoned (or Detained)</b>	Beijing Shi (prov.)
<b>Prefecture Where Imprisoned (or Detained)</b>	Beijing Shi Muni. Urb. Area (pref.)
<b>County Where Imprisoned (or Detained)</b>	Chaoyang Dist.

Legal Process			
<b>Legal Process</b>	chg/tri/sent/rel	<b>Formal Arrest Date</b>	2011/04/20
<b>Trial Court</b>	Chaoyang District People's Court	<b>Trial Date</b>	2011/08/12
<b>Sentence Court</b>	Chaoyang District People's Court	<b>Sentence Date</b>	2011/09/09
<b>Appeal Court</b>		<b>Appeal Date</b>	
<b>Appeal Ruling Court</b>		<b>Appeal Ruling Date</b>	
<b>Sent. Ends Per PRC</b>		<b>Actual Date Released</b>	
<b>Charge (Statute)</b>			

**Short Summary**

According to RFA ([22 March 11](#)), officials from Beijing's Chaoyang district detained rights and democracy advocate Wang Lihong on March 21, 2011, and seized computers, DVDs, and books from her home. CHRD reported ([26 March 11](#)) that she was criminally detained on charges of "creating a disturbance" and held at the Chaoyang District PSB Detention Center. For the 6 months prior to detention, Wang reportedly had been under "soft" detention and prevented from engaging in any outside activities. Officials loosened restrictions on March 19 and she traveled to Henan to visit several activists, including [Cheng Jianping](#). According to CHRD ([22 April 11](#)), authorities arrested her on April 20, 2011. The Chaoyang District People's Court tried her on August 12 and convicted her on September 9. According to HRIC ([20 December 11](#)), authorities released Wang on December 20, 2011, after she served 9 months in detention. Prior to the March 2011 detention, police in Beijing detained Wang after she and others gathered in Beijing to celebrate the awarding of the [Nobel Peace Prize](#) to [Liu Xiaobo](#) (CHRD, [9 October 10](#)); she reportedly served eight days of administrative detention for "disturbing social order."