



## Personal Details



<b>CECC Record Number</b>	2011-00200	<b>Ethnic Group</b>	Tu
<b>Detention Status</b>	REL?	<b>Sex</b>	M
<b>Issue Category</b>	spch/dem/assoc	<b>Age At Detention</b>	46
<b>Main Name</b>	Ran Yunfei	<b>Religion</b>	
<b>Chinese Characters (Main Name)</b>	冉云飞	<b>Occupation</b>	writer, intellectual
<b>Alternate Name (Lay or Pen)</b>		<b>Affiliation</b>	Sichuan Literature
<b>Additional Name(s)</b>		<b>Residence Province</b>	Sichuan Province
<b>Pinyin Name</b>		<b>Residence Prefecture</b>	Chengdu Shi (pref.)
		<b>Residence County</b>	Chengdu Shi Muni. Urb. Area (cty.)

## Imprisonment or Detention Details

<b>Date of Detention</b>	2011/02/20
<b>Current Prison</b>	Dujiangyan PSB Det. Ctr.
<b>Sentence Length (Years)</b>	
<b>Sentence Length (Months)</b>	5
<b>Sentence Length (Weeks)</b>	2
<b>Sentence Length (Days)</b>	6
<b>Province Where Imprisoned (or Detained)</b>	Sichuan Province
<b>Prefecture Where Imprisoned (or Detained)</b>	Chengdu Shi (pref.)
<b>County Where Imprisoned (or Detained)</b>	Dujiangyan Shi (cty.)

## Legal Process

<b>Legal Process</b>	chg/rel-PSB	<b>Formal Arrest Date</b>	2011/03/25
<b>Trial Court</b>		<b>Trial Date</b>	
<b>Sentence Court</b>		<b>Sentence Date</b>	
<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 AP via Washington Post ([10 August 11](#)), Chinese Human Rights Defenders ([February 25, 2010](#)), Human Rights in China ([March 28, 2011](#)), and Radio Free Asia ([February 24, 2010](#)), public security bureau officials in Chengdu municipality, Sichuan province, detained writer and scholar Ran Yunfei on February 19, 2011, on suspicion of "subversion of state power" and formally arrested him on March 25, on charges of "inciting subversion of state power" (Article 105 (2) of [China's Criminal Law](#)). Authorities released Ran and placed him under "residential surveillance" on August 9 for six months. The exact reasons for Ran's arrest and release remain unclear. Ran stated via Twitter that he had previously tweeted about the "Jasmine" protests in the Middle East. In addition, he reportedly was among the first to sign Charter 08. Ran also has posted many social commentary articles and contributed to a book about Liu Xiaobo. In addition, he has been an advocate for petitioners.