

# Nejat Newsletter

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## Journalist award "The staying power" for research on the MEK

### The award goes to Luisa Hommerich

April 30, 2022

Berlin (dpa) – The journalist [Luisa Hommerich](#) has been honored with a prize for her research into the influence of the Iranian opposition group People's Mujahideen in Germany.

She received the 1st prize in the "The long breath" award, as the DJV Berlin – Journalists' Association Berlin-Brandenburg announced on Thursday.



According to the information, she researched for "Zeit Magazin" and "Spiegel". Among other things, it is about a dropout who [reports](#) on his experiences with the group.

The "Staying Power"

prize was awarded for the 15th time. It honors media professionals who conduct investigative research on socially relevant topics and courageously bring them to the public.

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## Tahereh Golrizan letter to her brother Abbas, in the MEK Camp in Albania

April 10, 2022

Tahereh Golrizan wrote a letter to his brother Abbas; captive at the MEK camp in Albania on the eve of the Persian new year. Some parts of the letter read;

Dear Abbas,

Happy new year. The same as every Nowruz we sat at the Haft-Sin Table, remembering you. We wanted you to sit next to us at the Haft-sin table. We missed you a lot. I prayed for you to be near your family. My dear bro, please

release yourself from the cult of Mujahedin and make all of the family happy. This is all I want from you. I hope the new year to be the year of your liberation."

**Abbas has been in the MEK for over 30 years.**

## The MEK Uncovered

### [Habilian Website](#)

April 4, 2022

'Mujahedin-e Khalq Uncovered; The Terrorist Group in The Eyes of International Media', is a collection of articles on Mujahedin e-Khalq organization (MKO, also known as MEK, NCRI, PMOI, etc.), published in major international Media outlets from 2000-2017, and reports on the group published by governments, research institutes and think tanks that helps to understand how MKO's terrorism has been viewed by experts, journalists, politicians, governments and international organizations during the past 17 years.

Iran is estimated to have lost more than 17000 of its citizens to terror attacks since the establishment of the Islamic Republic, 12000 of whom are reportedly assassinated only by the MKO. The atrocities and crimes of the MKO set up one of the bloodiest chapters of Iranian history.

## My father is a prisoner of the MEK Cult

April 25, 2022

Leila was only two years old when her father left Iran. "My father and I have never heard each other's voice", she says. Leila has no memory of her father.

Leila's father; Rahim Kiukan who as a supporter of the MEK was brainwashed by the instincts of the MEK



cult left his family in 1981 and joined the group in Iraq. The family have had no news of him since then. A 10 cm family photo, is the only memory, Leila has of his father.

A court session has been held in Tehran in March 2021, to look into the complaints filed a by a group of the MEK ex-members, who have managed to leave the group after several years of being under torture and oppression by the cult leaders. Leila participated the court session as a victim of the group.

## The worst experience of being an MEK member

April 12, 2022

**Musa Jaberifar** who has recently declared his total defection from the MEK writes this memoir as evidence for the inhuman experience he endured in his 13 years of membership in the MEK's manipulative system:



"When we were in Ashraf, one day I was on guard post in one of the sides, I noticed my

mother and brother who had come to visit me, behind the barbed wires. They were not allowed to enter Ashraf. I saw them but as I was so frightened of the authorities and their humiliating sessions to oppress members, I did not bat an eyelid."

## MEK; Virus of Corruption, Terrorism in Albania

### [Habilian Website](#)

April 27, 2022

It has been more than five and a half years since the terrorist Mujahedin-e Khalq Organization (a.k.a. MEK, MKO, and PMOI) has relocated to Albania, a small country in southeastern Eu-

rope. A process, which took nearly three and a half years, indicates how difficult and complicated the expulsion of fewer than 3,000 members from Iraq to a third country was.

However, Albanian officials, being aware of the

sensitivity of their decision, insisted that their terrorist guests made pledges not to engage in any political activity and they had been accepted solely for humanitarian reasons. But the fact is that none of these claims of the Albanian authorities came true.

## Albania – Citizenship for special merits

Albanian Daily News

April 7, 2022

If you are a foreign citizen, are actually living in Albania and have a special contribute, you are a great candidate to win the Albanian citizenship. The news was made public on Wednesday by the Interior Minister, Bledi Cuci, who also unveiled that during the



meeting of the Government was decided that this will be a good action to attract new talents.

"We have decided to give the Albanian citi-

zenship to all foreigners that have special merits. With this decision, apart from the fact that we treat in a special way personalities of education and science, we make it possible to use it as an instrument for the absorption of talents and record holders to represent Albania," said Cuci.

## Khalil Ansarian honors his release from the MEK cult

April 3, 2022

**The MEK former member: after 30 years of captivity, now I am a free man**

Khalil Ansarian, the MEK former member published a photo on his facebook page honoring the anniversary of his defection



from the Mujahedin

Khalq Organization.

He writes: "Anniversary of liberation from the clutches of the cult, on March 31, 2018, after thirty years of captivity in Rajavi's hellish organization, I was released and achieved a new life and freedom."

## Marzieh Babakhani set herself on fire to protest the arrest of Maryam Rajavi

By Mazda Parsi

April 16, 2022

"I do not regret what I did on June 17th 2003", Marzieh Babakhani said in a conference held by the Mujahedin Khalq (MKO/ MEK/ PMOI/ Cult of Rajvai) in Paris in 2014. This was not



her first time to speak in an MEK-run event. She is often considered as the symbol of a devotee to Maryam Rajavi by the group's propaganda.

Marzieh was one of the ten MEK members who set themselves on fire to protest the arrest of the third wife of their disappeared leader, Massoud Rajavi.

Two MEK female members, Neda Hassani and Sedigheh Mojaveri were killed in fire.

## 53 years of the MEK crimes

[Hablian Website](#)

April 11, 2022

**Mujahedin-e Khalq in international documents**

The Mujahedin-e Khalq Organization (People's Mujahedin of Iran also known as MEK, MKO or PMOI) was formed on the basis of Marxism and Islam; later Islam was removed from MEK's doctrine .

This group, established in 1965 in a bid to overthrow the Shah, harbored an anti-Western and anti-U.S. ideology.

Due to their intense anti-American approach, MEK killed many US officials, including three officers who had been military advisors under the Shah and three civilian contractors working in Iran.

They also kidnapped the US Ambassador to Iran. They were the main elements for occupying the US embassy in Tehran, and when the embassy staff were released they called it a "surrender".



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**Nejat Society** consists of some former members of the Iranian Mojahedin-e Khalq Organization (MEK, MKO, Rajavi cult) and the families of the present members seeking to contact their loved ones.

#### Some of the aims of Nejat Society are:

To inform as widely as possible about the real cultic nature of the MEK and their deception techniques to recruit young and unaware individuals.

To act as a pressure group to persuade the cult leaders to respect the basic rights of the members according to the Universal Declaration of Human Rights and other international conventions.

To reconcile and reunite people who leave the MEK with their families, by mutual consent, and to involve established Iranians in helping these vulnerable people

**Nejat Society, Tehran, Iran**

### Alireza Taherloo; burned alive under the order of Massoud Rajavi

**April 13, 2022**

Alireza Taherloo joined the Mujahedin Khalq Organization (MKO/ MEK/ PMOI/ Cult of Rajavi) after the Iranian 1979 revolution. He used to work in the political phase of the group. In 1982, a year after the MEK launched a bloody armed struggle against the newly established government of Iran, Alireza was arrested by the Iranian security forces.

He was freed in 1992

after he served his ten-year-long sentence.



"He was looking for a job after he was released," Alireza's sister told Nejat Society. "Because of his criminal record, it was too difficult for him to find a job so he traveled to Turkey to find a good job."

On April 8th, 2011, Mas-

soud Rajavi ordered his members to scarify themselves to stop Iraqi forces from entering Camp Ashraf. Thirty-six members of the MEK were killed and hundreds were injured in the clashes between the MEK's rank and file and Iraqi army. Iraqi police were supposed to return the lands in north of Camp Ashraf to their original owners, Iraqi farmers of the region. The lands have been confiscated from the farmers and donated to Massoud Rajavi by Iraqi's former dictator, Saddam Hussein.