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As of today, 30 Nobel Laureates have endorsed the attached January 19, 2016, H.R. Network's Statement to the Government of Turkey regarding the plight of hundreds of Turkish academic colleagues.

Peter Agre, Chemistry, 2003
Philip W. Anderson, Physics, 1977
Françoise Barré-Sinoussi, Physiology or Medicine, 2008
Gunter Blobel, Nobel Prize in Medicine, 1999
Martin Chalfie, Chemistry, 2008*
Claude Cohen-Tannoudji, Physics, 1997
Robert Curl, Chemistry, 1996
Johann Deisenhofer, Chemistry, 1988
Peter Diamond, Economics, 2010*
Gerhard Ertl, Chemistry, 2007
Shelly Glashow, Physics, 1979
David Gross, Physics, 2004
Roald Hoffmann, Chemistry, 1981
Wolfgang Ketterle, Physics, 2001
Klaus v. Klitzing, Physics, 1985
Harold Kroto, Chemistry, 1996
Yuan T. Lee, Chemistry, 1986
Anthony J. Leggett, Physics, 2007
Jean-Marie Lehn, Chemistry, 1987
John Mather, Physics, 2006
James Mirrlees, Economics, 1996
William D. Phillips, Physics, 1997
John Polanyi, Chemistry, 1986*
Sir Richard J. Roberts, Physiology or Medicine, 1993
Thomas A. Steitz, Chemistry, 2009
Thomas C. Südhof, Physiology or Medicine, 2013
John Sulston, Physiology or Medicine, 2002
Jack W. Szostak, Physiology or Medicine, 2009
Torsten Wiesel, Physiology or Medicine, 1981
Oliver E. Williamson, Economics, 2009

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