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GUANTANAMO DETAINEE PROFILE

Detainee ISN: GZ-10016

Detainee Name	Zayn al-'Abd Din Mohammed, variant Zain ul-'Abidin
Detainee Aliases	Abu Zubaydah, Abu Munir, Abu Zubair, Hani, Musharraf, Tareq, Muhammad Husayn, Daud
Nationality	Palestinian
Date of Birth	12 March 1971
Arrival at Guantanamo	September 2006

~~(S//FOUO)~~ Zayn al-'Abd Din Mohammed, a.k.a. Abu Zubaydah (GZ-10016), started training militants in 1989 and from 1994 to 1997 built a *mujahidin* network by recruiting, vetting, and coordinating the travel of operatives to Afghanistan, Europe, and North America. Zubaydah probably had served as one of Usama Bin Ladin's most trusted facilitators as early as the mid-1990s, although he said that he never swore *bay'ah* to him because of his primary focus on attacking the US, and Zubaydah wanted to attack Israel for its treatment of Palestinians.

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