

# Dr. CHARLES R. BOEHMER

1/20/2024

## EMPLOYMENT

2022 --present Associate Dean for Faculty, College of Liberal Arts (as of 9/01/22)  
2023 --present Director, Intelligence and National Security Studies (as of May 15, 2023)  
2021 - present Kruszewski Family Professor  
2016 - present Professor, The University of Texas at El Paso  
2014 - 2021 Chair, Department of Political Science  
2008 - 2016 Associate Professor, The University of Texas at El Paso  
2002 - 2008 Assistant Professor, The University of Texas at El Paso  
1997 - 2002 Graduate Assistant and Lecturer, The Pennsylvania State University  
1997 Lecturer and research assistant, Binghamton University, NY  
1996 Lecturer, Wesley College, Dover DE,

## EDUCATION

Ph. D. 2002 The Pennsylvania State University, University Park, Pennsylvania  
Major Field: International Relations.  
Secondary Areas: Research Methods, Comparative Politics, and Political Theory  
  
Dissertation: *Economic Growth and Interstate Conflict* (Co-chaired by Stuart A. Bremer and D. Scott Bennett)

M.A. 1995 University of Delaware, Newark, Delaware.  
Major Fields: Political theory and International Political Economy

B.A. 1989 West Chester University, West Chester, Pennsylvania  
Major in International Relations and Political Science, Minor in History

## ADMINISTRATIVE APPOINTMENTS

Associate Dean for Faculty, College of Liberal Arts (as of 9/01/22)  
Director, Intelligence and National Security Studies (as of May 15, 2023)  
Faculty Advisor to UTEP Center for Faculty Leadership and Development (summer 2022)  
Chair, Department of Political Science, September 1, 2014 to August 31, 2021

## PUBLICATIONS (\* is with student)

Boehmer, Charles, and David Sacko. 2022. "Economic Growth's Catalyzing Effect on War". *Defence and Peace Economics* DOI: 10.1080/10242694.2022.2073428. (Refereed)

Boehmer, Charles, and Renato Corbetta. 2016. "Hard International Law-Contributing Organizations as Networks." *Peace Economics, Peace Science and Public Policy* 22 (4): 413-26.  
DOI: <https://doi.org/10.1515/peps-2016-0031>, (Refereed)

Boehmer, Charles, and Mark Daube\*. 2013. "The Curvilinear Effects of Economic Development on Domestic Terrorism." *Peace Economics, Peace Science and Public Policy* 19 (3): 359-368.  
(Refereed)

Boehmer, Charles, and Sergio Peña. 2012. "The Determinants of Open and Closed Borders". *Journal of Borderland Studies* 27 (3): 273-285. (Refereed)

Fullerton, Tom, Joseph Kababie\*, and Charles Boehmer. 2012. "International Trade and Economic Growth in Mexico." *The Empirical Economics Letters: A Monthly International Journal of Economics* 11 (9): 869-876. (Refereed)

Boehmer Charles, Bernadette M.E. Jungblut, and Richard J Stoll. 2011. "Tradeoffs in Trade Data? Do Our Assumptions Affect Our Results?" *Conflict Management and Peace Science* Vol. 28 (2): 145-167. (Refereed)

Boehmer, Charles. 2010. "Economic Growth and Violent International Conflict: 1875-1999." *Defence and Peace Economics* Vol. 21 (3): 249-268. (Refereed)

**Reprinted in:**

*The Costs of Economic Growth*, edited by Peter A. Victor. Edward Elgar Publishing Ltd (2013)

Boehmer, Charles, and Timothy Nordstrom. 2008. "Intergovernmental Organization Memberships: Examining Political Community and the Attributes of International Organizations." *International Interactions* Vol. 34 (3): 282-309. (Refereed).

Boehmer, Charles. 2008. "A Re-assessment of Liberal Pacifism at the Monadic Level of Analysis." *Conflict Management and Peace Science* Vol. 25 (1): 81-94. (Refereed)

Boehmer, Charles. 2007. "The Effects of Economic Crisis, Domestic Discord, and State Efficacy on the Decision to Initiate Interstate Conflict" *Politics and Policy* 35 (4) December: 774-809.  
(Refereed)

Boehmer, Charles, and David Sobek. 2005. "Violent Adolescence: State Development and the Propensity for Militarized Interstate Conflict." *Journal of Peace Research* 42 (1): 5-26.  
(Refereed)

Boehmer, Charles, Erik Gartzke, and Timothy Nordstrom. 2004. "Do Intergovernmental Organizations Promote Peace?" *World Politics* 57 (1): 1-38. (Refereed)

Gartzke, Erik, Quan Li, and Charles Boehmer. 2001. "Investing in the Peace: The Impact of Economics on International Conflict." *International Organization* 55 (2): 391-438. (Refereed)

### **Reprinted in:**

*Key Concepts in the New Global Economy*, edited by David A. Baldwin. Edward Elgar Publishing Ltd (2012).

*The WTO, Economic Interdependence, and Conflict*, edited by Marc L. Busch and Edward D. Mansfield. Edward Elgar Publishing Ltd (2007).

*International Conflict and the Global Economy*, edited by Edward D. Mansfield. Edward Elgar Publishing Ltd (2004).

Boehmer, Charles. 1998. "Peripheral Long Cycles in Trade and Production: The Peruvian and Argentine Cases." *Journal of the Third World Spectrum* 5 (Spring): 51-86. (Refereed)

### **BOOK REVIEWS**

Charles R. Boehmer. 2004. *Bound by Struggle: The Strategic Evolution of Enduring International Rivalries* by Zeev Maoz; Ben D. Mor. *The Journal of Politics* Vol. 66, No. 3 (Aug., 2004), pp. 968-970.

### **OTHER PUBLICATIONS**

*The Encyclopedia of Political Science*. 2011. Contributed essay on "Interdependence". George Thomas Kurian, Editor in Chief, James E. Alt, Simone Chambers, Geoffrey Garrett, Margaret Levi, Paula D. McClain, Editors. CQ Press.

*Political Handbook of the World*, 1997. Assistant Editor and contributor for intergovernmental organizations section of book.

### **WORKING PAPERS AND PROPOSALS (\* is with student)**

- "On Economic Development and War." (with Rafael Reuveny) (R&R with *Chinese Journal of International Politics*).
- "Hegemonic Governance and the Process of Conflict". (with David Sacko)
- "Russian Economic Growth and Foreign Policy Aggressiveness". (with David Sacko)
- "Capitalism, Development, and War" (with Rafael Reuveny)
- "Networks of Hard International Law Based Organizations and Human Rights" (with Rebecca Reid and Renato Corbetta)
- "The Role Institutionalized Coup-Proofing Strategy and Economic Stability Plays in the Occurrence of Coups d'état" (with Alexandra Infanzon\*)
- "Development, Dutch Disease, Deprivation, and Domestic Terrorism"

### **CONFERENCE PAPERS (past five years) (\* is with student)**

"Hegemonic Governance and the Process of Conflict: Implications of China and Russia's Challenge to the Liberal International Order". Presented at the annual meetings of the IS/ISSS conference, Colorado Springs, CO, October 20, 2023.

"Hegemonic Governance and the Process of Conflict". Presented at the Annual Meetings of the American Political Science Association, September 2023, Los Angeles, California.

“Development, Dutch Disease, Deprivation, and Domestic Terrorism”. Presented at the Annual Meetings of the American Political Science Association, September 2022, Montreal, Canada.

“Networks of Hard International Law Based Organizations and Human Rights”. Presented at the annual meetings of the International Studies Association, April, 2022, Nashville, TN.

“Russian Economic Growth and Foreign Policy Aggressiveness”. Presented at the annual meetings of the American Political Science Association and International Studies Association security studies sections, Bloomington, IN, November 13, 2021

“Russian Economic Growth and Foreign Policy Aggressiveness”. Presented at the annual meetings of the American Political Science Association, Seattle, WA, October 1, 2021

“On Economic Development and War”. Presented at the annual meetings of the International Studies Association (virtually), 2021

“Networks of Hard International Law Based Organizations and Human Rights”. Presented at the annual meetings of the International Studies Association, March, 2019, Toronto, Canada.

“Networks of Hard International Law Based Organizations and Human Rights”. Presented at the annual meetings of the International Studies Association, April, 2018, San Francisco, CA.

“Economic Growth and Violent Interstate Conflict.” Presented at the annual meetings of the International Studies Association, April, 2018, San Francisco, CA.

“Networks of Hard International Law Based Organizations and Human Rights”. Presented at the annual meetings of the Peace Science Society International, November, 2017, Tempe, AZ.

“Networks of Hard International Law Based Organizations and Human Rights”. Presented at the annual meetings of the International Studies Association, February, 2017, Baltimore, MD.

#### **INVITED TALKS AND LECTURES (external)**

- “The Politics Behind National Security”, El Paso Community College, February 19, 2024.
- “The Korean War: History, Policy, and Continuing Relevance.” Fort Bliss, United States Army, April 16, 2021.
- “The Gendered Political Economy of Building Peace in Conflict-Affected States”, invited participant to workshop (paid board/lodging), April 2, 2013, San Francisco, CA.
- “On Development and War” Invited talk for School of Public and Environmental Affairs, Indiana University, March 22, 2013.
- Conflict Prevention and Peace Forum meeting with UN officials as part of talk on *Food Insecurity and Violent Conflict*, October 3, 2011, New York City.
- Guest lecturer at United States Air Force Academy, February 1<sup>st</sup>, 2010
- Invited to speak to El Paso Electric Retirees Group, November 13, 2006
- Guest lecturer at United States Air Force Academy, May 4<sup>th</sup>, 2006
- Invited lecture as part of 47<sup>th</sup> annual Academy Assembly at the United States Air Force Academy. “A Machiavellian Insight into Spreading Democracy: Overcoming Age-Old Problems in a New World?” February 2005
- Constitutional Crisis Committee of El Paso, March 15, 2003

## **OTHER RESEARCH EXPERIENCE**

1999-2000 Lab Assistant, Center for Political Analysis. Department of Political Science, PSU.  
1999-2000 Research Assistant to Gretchen Casper  
1999 Participated in *Merriam Laboratory for Analytical Political Research* workshop on Dynamic Modeling, at University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign.

## **TEACHING EXPERIENCE AND COURSES OFFERED**

### Undergraduate Courses

*International Relations*  
*International Security*  
*Foreign Policy of the U.S.*  
*Conflict Analysis*  
*International Political Economy*  
*Introduction to Politics*  
*Introduction to American Politics*  
*Advanced Research Methods*  
*International Relations Service*  
*The Study of Politics (methods course)*  
*Internship course*  
*Introduction to Political Theory*  
*Political Theory: Machiavelli to Marx*  
*Political Simulations: United Nations*

### Graduate Courses

*Seminar in Quantitative Research Methods I*  
*Seminar in Quantitative Research Methods II*  
*Seminar in Qualitative Methods*  
*Seminar in International Politics*  
*Seminar in International Organization and Law*  
*Seminar in Political Thought/Topics in Philosophy/History*  
*Seminar in Border Theory*  
*Seminar in International Security*  
*Seminar in International Political Economy*

### **Graduate Committee Work (degrees conferred)**

Ph.D. Committee Outside Member: Timothy Nelson (History)

MA Thesis Chair: Elsa Ontiveros, Mark Gorman, Alfonso Sanchez, Janeth Diaz, Mark Daube, J. Anthony Jastzrembski (Department Best Thesis Award 2013), Yahve Gallegos, Alexandra Infanzon, David Uresti, Erica Martinez (Cook and Outstanding Graduate Student Awards; Department Best Thesis Award), Alyk Collins

MA Thesis Secondary: Leslie Gonzales, Sudeshna Bhattacharyya, Amanda Vasquez, Russell Autry, Robert Benson, Manuel Mata, Marie Louie Gilot, Robert Acosta, Doug Block, Sergio Garcia, Sergio Villareal, Deidre Conklin, Jared Hundley, WonHa Gonzalez, Oscar Salcedo, Ijtsuri Viveros, Benjamin Gutierrez, Adrian Acosta, Rebeca Fuentes, Josiah Barrett, Karen Trevino, Jakub Zajakaka, Richard Romero, Alex Giggie, James Langford, Jesus Tlaloc Maldonado, Gloria Baca

MA Thesis Outside: Magdolien Hajj (Communication), Cynthia Divslar (Communication), Joseph Kababie (Economics), Stephen Mulhern (Intelligence and Security Studies, INSS), Adrian Villasenor (Economics), Pedro Niño (Economics)

Final Paper Project (POLS 5393): Francisco Bonilla, Francisco Villa, Jerrod Williams, Nallely Santiesteban (Outstanding Dept. Graduate Student, Fall 2021)

MA Extended Paper (HIST 5393): Osvaldo E Echavarri (History)

Masters of Interdisciplinary Studies (MAIS) Final Project (MAIS 5393): Brandon Thomas (Chair)

### **Honors, Grants, Awards, and Selective Competition Programs**

- Funded NSF grant, “Collaborate Research: AGEP FC-PAM: The University of Texas System AGEP: An Inclusive Model for BIPOC Faculty Career Paths” (Co-PI) ORSP/Award ID: 20220617 (20% of \$601,982.00 total award, for \$49,999.00 share, 2023-2028)
- Funded contract from North American Development Bank (with EPA) “Air Quality Assessment: International Bridge of Americas, El Paso TX” (Co-PI) ORSP/Award ID: OR20220144 (10%, Budget \$7,500.00), 2023-2024
- Selected as a Provost Faculty Fellow, 2022 to 2023 (declined to take Associate Dean for Faculty, College of Liberal Arts position)
- Kruszewski Family Professor, 2021 to 2026
- UTEP Academy of Distinguished Teachers
- UTEP’s 2018 Minnie Piper Professor teaching award nominee
- UTEP Aware Program, 2017-18
- Grant Proposal Enhancement Program, UTEP, 2016, for \$1,000.00
- Information Literacy Course Enhancement Grant, UTEP, 2016, for \$3,000.00
- Leadership Development Institute, UTEP, 2013-14
- ***University of Texas Regents’ Outstanding Teaching Award recipient***, 2013, \$25,000.00.
- *Sun Conference Scholarship of Teaching and Learning Award*, 2013, The Center for Excellence in Teaching and Learning, \$300.00.
- Grant/Award of \$5,000.00 for successful proposal “Integrating Undergraduates into Conflict Analysis Research”, UTEP COURI U-TRI program (Fall 2012)
- Elected Chair of Graduate Council and head of Graduate Assembly (university-wide election)
- Spring 2012 course release based on meritorious application in *Grant Proposal Preparation Program*, College of Liberal Arts, UTEP
- Research grant from UTEP Office of Research and Sponsored Projects for “International Organizations as Agents of International Law.” Proposal funded by URI, UTEP, for \$5,000.00
- Research grant from UTEP Office of Research and Sponsored Projects for “The Determinants of Open and Closed International Borders.” With Sergio Pena. Proposal funded by URI, UTEP, for \$3,000.00
- Conference Travel Grants from the Research and Graduate Studies Office of the College of Liberal Arts (RGSO), Pennsylvania State University, 1997, 1998, 1999, 2000.
- Dissertation Grant, RGSO, 2000.
- Conference Travel Grants, Department of Political Science, 1997, 1998, 1999, 2000, 2001, 2002.
- *Charles Mayo Scholarship of Political Science*, West Chester University, 1989.

## **SERVICE AND LEADERSHIP EXPERIENCE**

### **UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS SYSTEM**

- Faculty Advisory Council (member) (Fall 2012- Spring 2014)

### **UNIVERSITY COMMITTEES/SERVICE**

- UTEP Representative for Truman Scholar Program, and Selection Committee Member (2018 to the present) – Winner Sarah Mickelson in 2023
- Faculty Advisor to Center for Faculty Leadership and Development and CFLD Conference Planning Committee (summer 2022)
- UTEP Academy of Distinguished Teachers Executive Committee, Treasurer (2021-2023)
- Campus Office of Undergraduate Research Initiatives (COURI) Advisory Board (Spring 2015 to the present)
- Black Affinity Group (2020 to present)
- Interviewer for Director of International and National Fellowships and Awards, Student Affairs (2021 and 2022)
- Provost's Office UT Regents' Outstanding Teaching Award application reviewer (2014, 2015, 2022)
- Title IX Faculty Advisor (starting fall 2020)
- Loving Kindness Working Group (Fall 2014 to the present)
- Faculty role on Student Affairs Fee Committee (Fall 2019)
- Faculty Advisor, or co-advisor for the student organization, Global Relations Organization, or its predecessor, the International Relations Society (2003 to 2019)
- Faculty Senate Research Committee (Fall 2012 – Spring/Fall 2013)
- Chair (university-wide election), Graduate Council and Graduate Assembly (Fall 2012 – Summer 2014)
- Faculty Senate Executive Council (Fall 2012 – Summer 2014)
- Faculty Senate (*ex officio member*) (Fall 2012 – Summer 2014)
- UTEP Graduate Council (Fall 2009 - Summer 2012), served as secretary for two years
- Fellows' Council, Center for Excellence in Teaching & Learning (CETaL) (Fall 2011- Spring 2014)
- Faculty Senate Student Welfare & Grievance Committee (Fall 2009 - Spring 2012)
- Faculty Senate Academic Admissions and Standards Committee (Fall 2006 - Spring 2009), served as secretary for two years
- UTEP MA Thesis Award Committee (2004)

### **COLLEGE COMMITTEES/SERVICE (AS A FACULTY MEMBER)**

- Promotion & Tenure Committee (2010, 2014, 2019)
- Stackable Master's Degree Committee (2016)
- Committee on the Recruitment for Master's Programs (2016)
- Awards Committee (2016)
- SACSCOC Critical Thinking evaluation (May 2015)
- Advising Council (2014 to 2021)
- Liberal Arts Curriculum Committee (2011-2012)
- Ad hoc committee to re-write Vision and Mission statements (Fall 2011)

## **DEPARTMENT COMMITTEES/SERVICE**

- Student Enhancement and External Relations (SEER), 2021-2023
- Department Chair, September 1, 2014 to August 31, 2021, *ex officio* on all dept. committees
- Executive Committee (2007-2009, 2010- 2011, 2012-13, 2013-14 academic year terms) – only untenured member nominated and elected to serve in history of the department in 2007
- Faculty Senate Department Senator (2013-14)
- Department Teaching Faculty Evaluation Committee (2010; 2013)
- Department Research Faculty Evaluation Committee (2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013)
- Department Service Faculty Evaluation Committee (2008)
- Public Law Search Committee (Spring 2014)
- Director of Graduate Studies and Graduate Advisor (Dec. 2007- Sept. 2011, and 2017-2018)
- Chair of International Relations Search Committee (2008-2009)
- Ad hoc committee on political science webpage redesign (2011)
- Chair of American Politics Search Committee (2007-2008)
- Chair of International Relations Search Committee (2005-2006)
- Search Committee for International Relations/Comparative Politics (2004-2005)
- Scheduling Committee (2004-2005)
- Department Curriculum Committee and SACSCOC material (2004-2005)
- Committee for Faculty Planning (2004-2006)
- Department Library Liaison (2004-2006)
- Planning Committee for *Lineae Terrarum* conference (2004-2006)
- UTEP Family Campaign Fund Drive representative (2003)

## **Professional Organizations and Activities**

- Committee member for “Best Article”, American Political Science Association International Security Section (2024)
- Committee Member for Robert Jervis Best International Security Book award committee, Section 19, International Security, American Political Science Association (2023)
- Committee Chair for “Best Article”, American Political Science Association International Security Section (2021)
- Council Member, International Security Section of American Political Science Association (APSA) (current)
- Program Co-Chair, Section 19, International Security, American Political Science Association 2022 annual meeting in Montreal, Canada (2022)
- Committee Chair for “Best Article”, APSA International Security Section (2021)
- Member of: American Political Science Association, International Studies Association, Peace Science Society International, Midwest Political Science Association, Network of European Peace Scientists
- Executive Member of Penn State Political Science Graduate Student Organization (2000-01)
- Graduate Assistant to Director of Graduate Studies (Penn State, Spring 2001)

## **Reviewed manuscripts for journals**

*American Political Science Review*  
*American Journal of Political Science*  
*Journal of Politics*  
*World Politics*



*International Studies Quarterly*  
*International Organization*  
*Journal of Conflict Resolution*  
*Journal of Peace Research*  
*Conflict Management and Peace Science*  
*Defense and Peace Economics*  
*Political Research Quarterly*  
*Foreign Policy Analysis*  
*Political Geography*  
*Review of International Organizations*  
*British Journal of Political Science*  
*British Journal of Politics and International Relations*  
*International Interactions*  
*International Journal of Conflict Management*  
*European Journal of International Relations*  
*Peace Economics, Peace Science and Public Policy*  
*Commonwealth & Comparative Politics*  
*Comparative International Development*  
*Studies in Comparative Development*  
*Journal of Borderland Studies*

#### **MEDIA APPEARANCES (Through 2023)**

TV news interviews or on set appearances: 78

Live In-Studio National Issues Forums broadcast on KCOS El Paso (PBS), one recorded for National PBS: 31

Radio: 11

Newspaper: 28

#### **Research and Teaching Interests**

International relations: International Conflict, International Organization, Civil Conflicts, International Political Economy, Civil War, Terrorism, Border Politics and Theory.

Research methods: Research Design, Inferential Statistics/Econometrics

#### **Research methods**

Research Design, Linear Regression, MLE (binary, counts, ordered, multinomial, etc.), Time Series, Event History Analysis, Factor Analysis, GEE, some case study methods (comparative case studies, process tracing).

#### **Statistical Software Skills**

STATA, SPSS, Statistica, Mini-tabs, LIMDEP, RATS, Excel, Access, Eviews