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## POSITIONS HELD

2017-Present Yale University, Center for the Study of American Politics and Institution for Social and Policy Studies, New Haven, CT  
Associate Research Scientist, 2021-present  
Postdoctoral Associate, 2017-2021

## EDUCATION

2012-2017 Stony Brook University, Stony Brook, NY  
Program: Political Science  
Advisor: Peter DeScioli  
Degree: Ph.D.  
Title: Experiments on social safety nets for unemployment

2008-2012 University of Nebraska-Lincoln, Lincoln, NE  
Degree: B.A., Political Science

## PEER-REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS

- Bokemper, Scott E., Gerber, Alan S., Omer, Saad B., and Huber, Gregory. (2021). Persuading U.S. White evangelicals to vaccinate for COVID-19: Testing message effectiveness in fall 2020 and spring 2021. *PNAS*, *118*, e2114762118.
- James, Erin K., Bokemper, Scott E., Gerber, Alan S., Omer, Saad B., and Huber, Gregory A. (2021). Persuasive messaging to increase COVID-19 vaccine uptake intentions. *Vaccine*, *39*, 7158-7165.
- Bokemper, Scott E., Cucciniello, Maria, Rotesi, Tiziano, Pin, Paolo, Malik, Aryn A., Willebrand, Kathryn, Paintsil, Elliott E., Omer, Saad B., Huber, Gregory A., & Melegaro, Alessia. (2021). Experimental evidence that changing beliefs about mask efficacy and social norms increase mask wearing for COVID-19 risk reduction: Results from the United States and Italy. *PLOS One*, *16*, e0258282.

- Rotesi, Tiziano, Pin, Paolo, Cucciniello, Maria, Malik, Aryn A., Paintsil, Elliott E., Bokemper, Scott E., Willebrand, Kathryn, Huber, Gregory A., Melegaro, Alessia, Omer, Saad B. (2021). National interest may require distributing COVID-19 vaccines to other countries. *Scientific Reports*, *11*, 1-8.
- Bokemper, Scott E., Huber, Gregory A., Gerber, Alan S., James, Erin K., & Omer, Saad B. (2021). Timing of COVID-19 vaccine approval and endorsement by public figures. *Vaccine*, *39*, 825-829.
- Bokemper, Scott E., Fang, Albert H., & Huber, Gregory A. (2021). Perceptions of program abuse and support for social insurance. *American Politics Research*, *49*, 59-75.
- Bor, Alexander, Mazepus, Honorata, Bokemper, Scott E., & DeScioli, Peter (2021). When should the majority rule? Experimental evidence for Madisonian judgments in five cultures. *Journal of Experimental Political Science*.
- DeScioli, Peter, Cho, Bowen, Bokemper, Scott E., & Delton, Andrew W. (2020). Selfish and cooperative voting: Can the majority restrain themselves? *Political Behavior*, *42*, 261-283.
- Bokemper, Scott E., DeScioli, Peter, & Kline, Reuben (2019). Unfair rules for unequal pay: Wage discrimination and procedural justice. *Journal of Experimental Political Science*, *6*, 180-191.
- DeScioli, Peter, & Bokemper, Scott E. (2019). Intuitive political theory: People's judgments about how groups should decide. *Political Psychology*, *40*, 617-636.
- Miller, Ross A., & Bokemper, Scott E. (2016). Media coverage and escalation of militarized interstate disputes, 1992-2001. *Media, War, and Conflict*, *9*, 162-179.
- Dawes, Christopher T., Loewen, Peter J., Schreiber, Darren, Simmons, Alan N., Flagan, Taru, McElreath, Richard, Bokemper, Scott E., Fowler, James H., & Paulus, Martin P. (2012). Neural basis of egalitarian behavior. *PNAS*, *109*, 6479-6483.

## **EDITOR-REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS**

- DeScioli, Peter, & Bokemper, Scott E. (2014). Voting as a counter-strategy in the blame game. *Psychological Inquiry*, *25*, 206-214.

## **SELECTED WORKING PAPERS AND WORK IN PROGRESS**

- Bokemper, Scott E., Patashnik, Eric M., Gerber, Alan S., and Huber, Gregory A. (revise and resubmit to *PLOS One*). Payments for COVID-19 vaccination induce negative spillovers in social networks: Evidence from survey experiments.

Bokemper, Scott E., Huber, Gregory A., James, Erin K., Gerber, Alan S., & Omer, Saad B. (revise and resubmit to *PLOS One*). Persuasive messages to encourage COVID-19 risk reduction.

Bokemper, Scott E. & Huber, Gregory A. (in prep). On the merits of separate spaces: Why institutions isolate cooperation and division tasks.

Andrews, Talbot M. & Bokemper, Scott E. (in prep). The road to reelection is paved with good intentions: Experiments on the role of intentions and outcomes in voting behavior.

Bokemper, Scott E. (in prep). Household income dynamics and support for social insurance.

Bokemper, Scott E. (in prep). Errors in elections: Americans preferences for tradeoffs between voter fraud and wrongful ballot disqualification.

Bokemper, Scott E. & DeScioli, Peter. (in prep). The problem of dishonesty in government safety nets.

Bokemper, Scott E. & Huber, Gregory A. (in prep). Equality versus effort in the presence of performance shocks.

## **GRANTS AND AWARDS**

*Charles Koch Foundation Postdoctoral Fellowship*, (\$155,000).

*International Foundation for Research in Experimental Economics*, Small Grants Program (\$8,400). “Experiments on social safety nets.” With Peter DeScioli. (2016).

*National Science Foundation* funded participant at 5<sup>th</sup> Lindau Meeting on Economic Sciences. (2014).

*Stony Brook University*, Dorothy L. Pieper Award for excellent academic performance and potential (2012).

## **RESEARCH PRESENTATIONS** (Last 3 years)

Bokemper, Scott E., Fang, Albert H., & Huber, Gregory A. (2019, August). Experiments on the political economy of disability insurance. At the American Political Science Association Meeting, Washington, D.C.

Bokemper, Scott E., & DeScioli, Peter. (2018, June). An experiment on dishonesty and support for social insurance. At the Center for the Study of American Politics conference, Yale University, New Haven, CT.

Bokemper, Scott E., Fang, Albert H., & Huber, Gregory A. (2018, May). Experiments on the political economy of disability insurance. At Stony Brook University, Stony Brook, NY.

Bokemper, Scott E., & DeScioli, Peter (2018, April). The problem of honesty in government safety nets. At the Midwest Political Science Association meeting, Chicago, IL.

Bor, Alexander, Mazepus, Honorata, Bokemper, Scott E., & DeScioli, Peter (2018, April). When should the majority rule? Experimental evidence for Madisonian judgments in five cultures. At the Midwest Political Science Association meeting, Chicago, IL.

Bokemper, Scott E., Fang, Albert H., & Huber, Gregory A. (2018, January). Experiments on the political economy of disability insurance. At Yale University, New Haven, CT.

Bokemper, Scott E., & DeScioli, Peter (2018, October). The problem of honesty in government safety nets. At Creighton University, Omaha, NE.

Bokemper, Scott E., & DeScioli, Peter (2018, October). The problem of honesty in government safety nets. At the University of Nebraska-Lincoln, Lincoln, NE.

## **TEACHING**

The Politics of Economic Security (Yale University, Spring 2020. 2021)

Introduction to American Politics (Stony Brook University, Fall 2015, Spring 2016, Fall 2016, Spring, 2017)

## **PROGRAMMING**

HTML, Javascript, CSS, Firebase, Stata, R

## **PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES**

Ad hoc reviewer: *American Political Science Review*, *Political Behavior*, *Journal of Experimental Political Science*, *Political Research Quarterly*, *Canadian Journal of Political Science*, *Journal of Behavioral and Experimental Economics*, *Evolution and Human Behavior*, *Journal of Marketing Communications*