

Nazli Choucri
Professor of Political Science
Massachusetts Institute of Technology

Education

American University, Cairo B.A., Social Sciences	1962
Stanford University, California M.A., Political Science	1964
Stanford University, California Ph.D., Political Science	1967

Academic Appointments

<i>Current Academic</i> Professor of Political Science, MIT	1978-
Associate Director, Technology and Development Program	1976
Senior Faculty, Center for International Studies, MIT	1975-
Head, The Middle East Program at MIT	1985-

<i>Previous Academic</i>	Director, Energy and Development Research Program, MIT	1980-1984
	Associate Professor, MIT	1972-1978
	Assistant Professor, MIT	1969-1972
	Assistant Professor, Queen's University	1967-1969
	Research Associate, Stanford University (summers)	1968-1970
<i>Other</i>	Faculty Associate, Center for Middle Eastern Studies Harvard University	1983-1993

Areas of Research Interests

- International Politics and Conflict: Theory and Analysis
- Quantitative Analysis of International Relations
- Population, Security, and International Relations
- Political Economy, International Migration and Development
- Energy, Technology and Development
- Global Accord, Sustainability, and Environment

New Research Directions

- Advances in Internet-based distributed knowledge management

Professional Associations

- Council on Foreign Relations
- American Political Science Association
- American Association for the Advancement of Science
- Peace Research Society (International)
- International Political Science Association
- International Scientific Forum on Energy
- International Union for the Scientific Study of Population
- Middle East Studies Association

Patent *Networked DataBase System for Geographically Dispersed Global Sustainability* (as amended), Nazli Choucri and Juliana Kousoum. Patent Application, Allowance, and Granted May 12, 1998: USSN 08/637,077 MIT Case No. 7217. (First patent in the history of MIT from the School of Humanities, Arts, and Social Science)

Editorship (select)

Editor, MIT Press <i>Series on Global Environmental Accords</i>	1993-
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Co-Editor, <i>International Political Science Review</i> (IPSR)	1994-2000
Editorial Advisory Committee (IPSR)	2000-
Board of Editors, <i>Business & the Contemporary World</i>	1992-1994
Advisory Board, <i>Global Environmental Politics</i>	2002-

International Scientific

Election to the European Academy of Sciences 2002 –

Synergistic Activities (select)

- Development of databases for analysis of international relations –by country – 1945-present
- Interdisciplinary graduate courses Technology and Policy – co-teaching across 4 departments
- Associate Director of MIT research program on technology and development – research in 5 countries
- GSSD Director, designing and managing collaborative research on knowledge provision and sharing across disciplines, languages, and cultures (including Arabic, Chinese, French)
- Contribution to US Academy of Engineering study on Information Systems and the Environment 1997; publication in 2001.

Outside Professional Activities (select)

- Member, Working Group 3, UN-ICT, Preparations for World Summit on Information Technology 2001-
- Panel Member for National Academy of Sciences Committee on Terrorism 2001-2002
- Panel Member for DARPA-National Academy of Sciences Committee on Understanding Terrorism in order to Deter Terrorism 2001-2002
- Member, Scientific Advisory Committee, SCOPE-ICSU 1998-
- Member, Science Board, Santa Fe Institute 1995-1997
- Special Advisor, to the Administrator of the United Nations Development 1994-1996
- Member, Advisory Board, Global Stewardship Initiative, Pew Charitable Trust 1993-1995
- Advisor to the Secretary General of the United Nations Conference on Environment and Development 1990-1992
- Member, AAAS Committee on Population, Resources, and the Environment Chair, Working Group on International Aspects 1985-1990
- Convener and Session Organizer, International Political Science Association 1984-1985
- Congress, 1983, 1985
- Planning Committee, International Scientific Forum on Energy 1983-1988
- Advisory Committee, Office of Technology Assessment, U.S. Congress 1982-1983
- Board of Directors, Pathfinder Fund 1981-1983
- Council Member, American Political Science Association 1981-1983
- Panel for 1979 U.S. Conference of Science and Technology for Development, National Research Council 1977-1978
- International Advisory Committee, World Population Society 1976-1977
- International Social Science Documentation Committee 1976-1978
- National Science Foundation Advisory Committee for Developing Guidelines of Research on National Resource Problems 1973-1974
- Co-Chair, National Academy of Science, Middle East Workshop 1973-1974

- International Committee of Advisors for National Academy of Science,
Population Issues

1972-1974

International Experience

Research, advising, consulting in: Abu Dhabi, Algeria, Canada, China, Colombia, Egypt, France, Germany, Greece, Honduras, Kuwait, Lebanon, Mexico, North Yemen, Pakistan, Qatar, Sudan, Switzerland, Syria, Tunisia, Turkey (and others).

Languages

Fluent: English, French, Arabic. *Limited:* Spanish, Italian

Total Number Advised

As Graduate Thesis Supervisor: Total = 41 students

Last 48 months = 12 students & postdoctoral researchers

Publications

Articles (and monographs) listed by Research Focus as follows:

- **International Politics and Conflict: Theory and Analysis**
- **Quantitative Analysis of International Relations**
- **Population, Security, and International Relations**
- **Political Economy, International Migration and Development**
- **Energy, Technology and Development**
- **Global Accord, Sustainability, and Environment**

Books Listed Chronologically

- Nazli Choucri. 1974. *Population Dynamics and International Violence: Propositions, Insights and Evidence*. Lexington, Mass.: D.C. Heath/Lexington Books.
- Nazli Choucri and Robert C. North. 1975. *Nations in Conflict: National Growth and International Violence*. San Francisco: W.H. Freeman & Co.
- Nazli Choucri with Vincent Ferraro. 1976. *The International Politics of Energy Interdependence*. Lexington, Mass.: D.C. Heath.
- Nazli Choucri and Thomas Robinson, eds. 1978. *Forecasting in International Relations: Theory, Methods, Problems, Prospects*. San Francisco: W. H. Freeman.
- Nazli Choucri with David Scott Ross. 1981. *International Energy Futures: Petroleum Prices, Power, and Payments*. Cambridge, Mass.: MIT Press.
- Nazli Choucri. 1982. *Energy and Development in Latin America: Perspectives for Public Policy*. Lexington, Mass.: D.C. Heath/Lexington Books.
- Nazli Choucri, ed. 1984. *Multidisciplinary Perspectives on Population and Conflict*. Syracuse, N.Y.: Syracuse University Press.
- Nazli Choucri, Robert C. North, and Susumu Yamakage. 1992. *The Challenge of Japan Before World War II and After: A Study of National Growth and Expansion*. London: Routledge.
- Nazli Choucri, ed. 1993. *Global Accord: Environmental Challenges and International Responses*. Cambridge, Mass.: MIT Press.
- Nazli Choucri in collaboration with Farnaz Haghesta. *Connectivity for Sustainability: Deploying Information Technology for Development*. (MS. Draft), 2002.