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## CONFLICTING AIMS OF PSYCHOLOGY EDUCATION

- Academic aim – research
- Government aim – workforce
- Student aim – a job
- University aim – bums on seats
- PBA aim – registration path / protect public
- APS aim – status of profession / societal impact



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## **CHANGES THAT ARE UPON US**

- The student cohort – they work as well as study
- Government policy – TEQSA will intervene
- University - the Bologna model
- PBA - bridging courses / accreditation cost