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[APS Past President Gordon H. Bower \(1932–2020\)](#)

A Charter Member of APS, Bower served as President from 1991 to 1993 and was a longtime psychology professor at Stanford University. (*June 24; full tribute to appear in the October Observer*)

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“Contract trading”—in which contract pricing replaces traditional wage setting—lowers freelance

contractors' perceived value and actual earnings alike, even when their actual work product is identical to that of traditional employees. (*May 1*)

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New research adds to the growing body of evidence that happiness not only feels good but is good for your physical health. In-person as well as online psychological interventions work. (*July 22*)

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