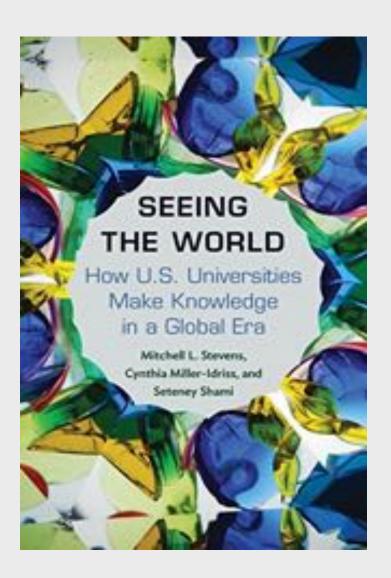
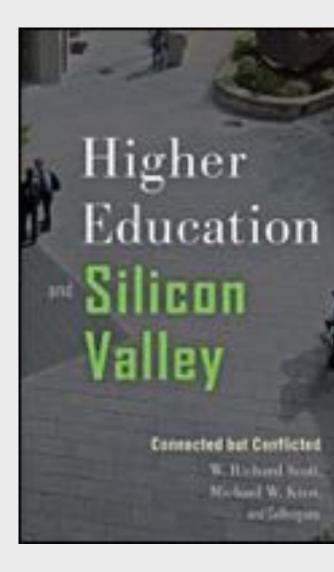
Creating a Lifelong Learning Marketplace

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- More frequent occupational and ife transitions
- Shared understanding of dramatic change

- More economic uncertainty and competition for relative advantage
- Equitable mechanisms for maintaining employability

- Growing supply of lifelong earning/credential opportunities
- Reasonable distribution of information and risk in markets for lifelong learning/credentials

Current US postsecondary sector is a complex market

Wide variety of providers

Categorical tiering by admissions selectivity and institutional wealth/prestige

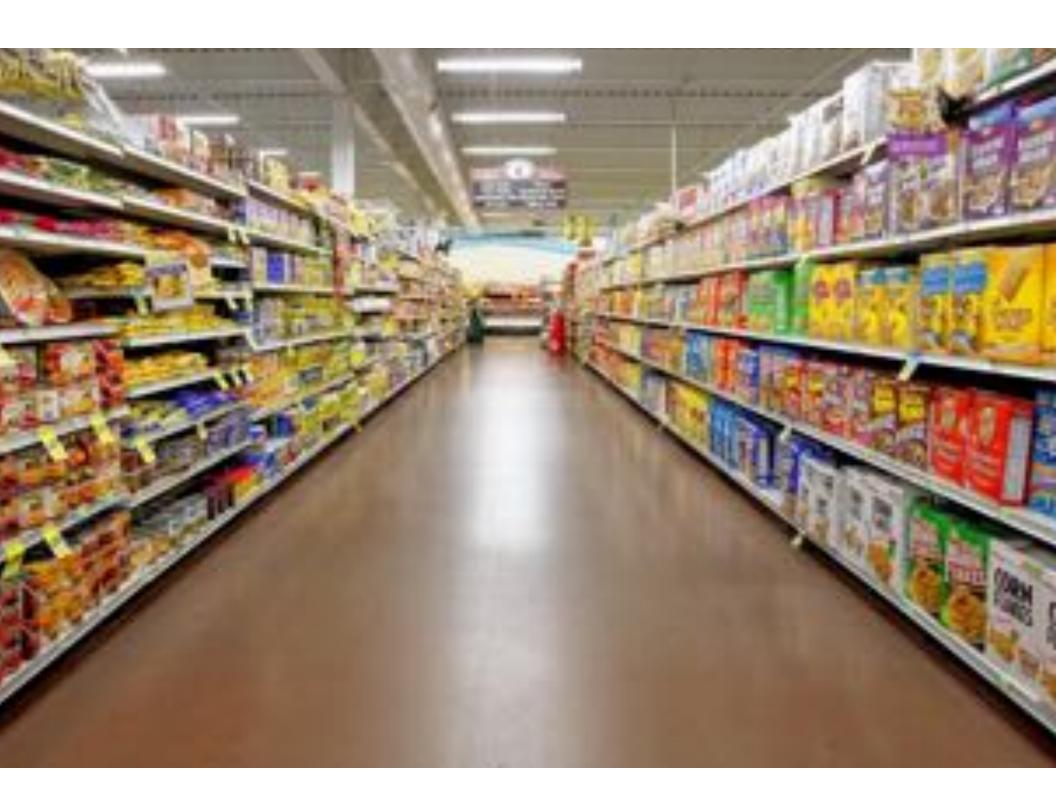
Substantially and diffusely subsidized by government tax exemption, student loans and grants, federal research support, state-legislature subsidy

Substantial information asymmetries between suppliers and consumers





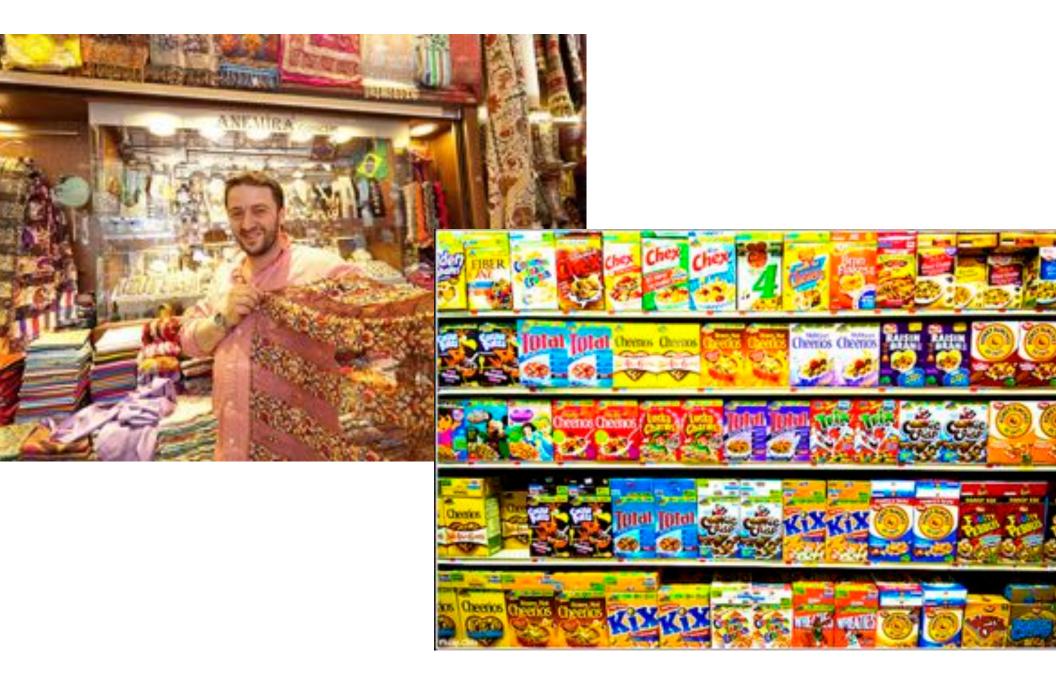








If we do nothing, what kind of lifelong learning marketplace will we get?



What might a less asymmetrical marketplace look like?







George A. Akerlof, "The Market for 'Lemons': Quality Uncertainty and the Market Mechanism," **Quarterly Journal of Economics** 84 (1970): 488-5

Nutrition Facts 2 servings per container Serving size 1 1/2 cup (208g) Amount per serving Calories % Daily Value* Total Fat 4g 5% Saturated Fat 1.5g 8% Trans Fat 0g Cholesterol 5mg 2% Sodium 430mg 19% Total Carbohydrate 46g 17% Dietary Fiber 7g 25% Total Sugars 4g Includes 2g Added Sugars 4%

Vitamin D 2mcg	10%
Calcium 260mg	20%
Iron 6mg	35%

Protein 11g

Potassium 240mg 6%

Thank you.

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^{*} The % Daily Value (OV) tells you how much a nutrient in a serving of food contributes to a daily diet. 2,000 calories a day is used for general nutrition advice.