

JOBS AND GROWTH

Editorial Guidelines

Mission

Jobs and Growth exists to explore, dissect, and debate issues at the intersection of economics, politics, and power. The podcast is driven by a belief in personal responsibility, enterprise, and Australia. Through interviews, commentary, and discussion, it aims to draw out the ideas, incentives, and ideologies shaping Australia's economic and political future.

As a proudly right-leaning podcast, Jobs and Growth offers its platform to guests across the spectrum, but always with a willingness to push back on views that conflict with the hosts' values. While differing perspectives are encouraged, listeners should expect that views may be challenged, not on the basis of who says them, but on their substance.

Accuracy and Fact-Checking

While editorial commentary and ideological positions are a central part of the podcast, factual accuracy is essential. The show distinguishes between opinion and fact and aims to make that line legible to listeners.

Editorial Independence

Jobs and Growth maintains editorial control over all published content, regardless of guest profile or external relationships. While guests may be given a general sense of what to expect in an interview, the final edit rests with the production team. However, leniency may be offered to younger guests, especially if they feel they have misspoken or regret particular phrasing. The producers reserve the right to make small discretionary edits in such cases.

Host Conduct

The hosts are not moderators – they are central voices in the show and represent the Jobs and Growth brand. They are free to challenge guests, express disagreement, or let statements stand, depending on their judgment. They are not expected to offer "equal time" to all viewpoints, but rather to interrogate claims with fairness, substance, and respect for the audience's intelligence and for their entertainment.

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Guest Selection and Content Boundaries

Guests are invited based on the relevance of their expertise, insight, or lived experience. Sensitive topics must be handled with care. If, in the producers' judgment, a guest or segment approaches these topics without appropriate nuance, the content may be edited out or excluded in post-production.

Editing and Production

Episodes may be edited for clarity, pacing, or impact. This includes cutting out slow, dead, or uninteresting content that does not serve the conversation or engage the audience. Minor verbal stumbles or filler may also be trimmed to enhance the listener experience, but the integrity of guests' arguments will be preserved.

Listener Engagement

Listener questions and commentary are welcome and form part of the discussions. However, content that is disrespectful may be ignored. Jobs and Growth aims to foster a smart, lively, and civil audience community, where ideas can be debated in good faith and where ideological alignment is not a prerequisite for being heard.