



Iain Duncan Smith

Former Secretary of State for DWP

"A respected politician"

Iain Duncan Smith MP is the Chairman of the Centre for Social Justice (CSJ), and former Secretary of State for Work and Pensions (DWP) from 2010 till March 2016.

TOPICS:

- Global Politics
- Pensions
- The Future of Britain
- Leadership

LANGUAGES:

He presents in English.

IN DETAIL:

During his time as Secretary of State, Iain undertook the most significant programme of welfare reform in modern times, transforming the benefit and pension systems, as well as employment services and support. Perhaps the most significant reforms were the introduction of Universal Credit, the Work Programme and the Single Tier Pension. Iain was elected Member of Parliament for Chingford in 1992, and re-elected in 1997 as Member of Parliament for the re-drawn constituency of Chingford and Woodford Green. Iain was promoted to William Hague's Shadow Cabinet in 1997 as Shadow Secretary of State for Social Security, moving to Shadow Secretary of State for Defence in 1999. In 2001 Iain was elected Leader of the Conservative Party. After stepping down in 2003 he set up the CSJ, an independent think tank which is committed to tackling poverty and social breakdown.

WHAT HE OFFERS YOU:

A key player in employment regulation and governance, as well as a keen advocacy of Brexit, means that few people are better placed to discuss current political affairs to a wide range of audiences.

HOW HE PRESENTS:

Iain Duncan Smith combines wit and extensive knowledge of the British political scene to deliver impeccably informative and enlightening speeches.