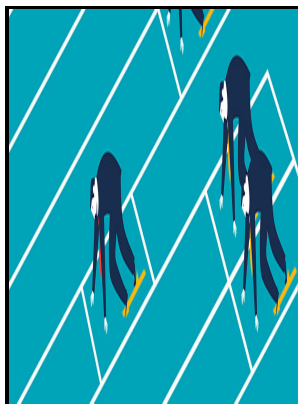


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You could imagine Keir Starmer turning anti-meritocracy into a Labour platform. In fact, some people believe that no matter what advantages you give one group and what disadvantages you present another, true talent always shines through anyway.

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If anyone had merited a place in that imaginary legislature, it would have been him. If the system of evaluation is corrupt, non-transparent, opinionated or misguided, decisions regarding who has the highest merit can be highly fallible. Wealthy parents spare no expense stimulating infant and toddler brains with happy human interactions through words, music, poetry, games, and art.

The Meritocracy Myth by Stephen J. McNamee

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To most Americans, veterans seem more deserving of a group privilege than people who were merely born a particular color or sex. The research reviewed 1,779 public policy questions asked between 1981 and 2002 and the responses by different income levels and interest groups; then calculated the likelihood that certain policies would be adopted. And to confound things even further, in the past few years the company has needed to hire senior-level talent from the outside because we were not promoting enough of the right talent internally.

Meritocracy is a myth

In this way, those who are picked by meritocracy as having merit may already have enjoyed unfair advantages from the very beginning, ignored according to the principle of nondiscrimination. Besides the nonmerit effects of inheritance, just plain bad luck can suppress the effects of merit. Yet, the manager and vice president of talent are left to their worries while the CEO is feeling things are humming along as they should.

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