

Ed Balls and giving up politics

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Ed Balls [has announced](#) he is to give up politics for the time being, at least.

As I [noted recently](#), most of what passes for party politics in the UK at present, including much he had to offer, is about managerialism and has little to do with politics at all. That's what neoliberalism has achieved.

It could be argued that Ed Balls gave up politics some time ago.