

# The big lesson for Wales in Trump's return to the White House

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## Summary

Trump's victory reflects a deep disillusionment with mainstream politics, particularly amongst working-class voters. This sentiment resonates with the political climate in the UK and warns that unless politicians in the UK address the concerns of ordinary people, similar populist movements will gain traction. Shipton highlights the potential for Labour to be consumed by the right if it fails to deliver tangible improvements to people's lives, drawing parallels between Trump's success and the rise of populist movements in the UK, such as Brexit and the Reform UK party.

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