

Welcome Epicurista!

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Epicurista tells me:

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My interest in Epicurus arose when i studied Cicero at university. My professor, a specialist in Plato, was venturing into the skeptical academy. And we read some of Cicero's dialogues. I've been intrigued by how atomism works ever since. Without a doubt the most interesting part for me is the physics. I already made a post on the facebook group (sorry spamming, im happy to found so many good sources) about the swerve. It has always bothered me in my readings of Epicurus that the clinamen is never mentioned — it only appears later in Lucretius. I've even met some professors who argue that the swerve isn't necessary for Epicurus, and that's why he never mentions it in any of his letters.

That's it. I'm passionate by the Hellenism. In my university, the discussion and the interest is mainly Plato.