

# Welcome ReiWolfWoman!

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## [Quote from Cassius](#)

ReiWolfWoman tells us:

My background in Epicurus is that I was first exposed to him in an undergrad philosophy class

I'm curious about others' experience with undergraduate Philosophy programs.

The program at Florida Gulf Coast University was built around Aristotle. One professor called him "the smartest person who ever lived". The senior thesis class at the college was inspired by Alasdair MacIntyre, a virtue ethicist and modern Aristotelian. Besides this, they offered supplemental surveys of existentialist and post-structuralist thinkers, and a section on Socratic rhetoric.

My last day before dropping out was funny. I'll never forget it: that last class featured a discussion about Georges Bataille (existentialist) [masturbating in front of his mother's corpse](#). I don't remember how much that class cost per credit hour, but however much it was, it was too much.

The Garden was not mentioned **once** at *any* point in my formal education. I didn't receive a direction, or find anything that couldn't have been found in a public library or a bookstore. ... meanwhile, extended cousins in Rome shared with me that *Epicuro* was part of their childhood curriculum. I'm curious about others' experiences with Epicurean Philosophy in the education system.