

Responses to Nussbaum's Criticism That Epicureanism Is Not A Real Philosophy; That Epicureanism Numbs Intellect And Critical Thinking

Post by "Cassius" of April 12, 2018 at 6:18 AM

This is a thread to discuss the presentation material posted by Jason Baker entitled "The Pleasure of Knowledge: Reassessing Nussbaum's Interpretation of Epicurean Therapy" by Dr. Elena Nicoli, Radboud University, subtitled "A Contested Influence. Hellenistic Philosophy and Modern Thought from Nietzsche to Nussbaum." This is not the full lecture, but summarizes the main points with some excellent citations to Epicurean literature.

The original post is here:

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[The Pleasure of Knowledge. Reassessing Nussbaum's Interpretation of Epicurean Therapy - Elena Nicoli](#)



A Contested Influence. Hellenistic Philosophy and Modern Thought from Nietzsche to Nussbaum



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More on Elena Nicoli, someone definitely worth following!

<https://radboud.academia.edu/ElenaNicoli>



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Based on her public posts on her facebook page, she is VERY active in Epicurean scholarship - <https://www.facebook.com/elena.nicoli2>

CV listing her articles: <https://portal.ru.nl/people/cv/665145.pdf>