

# Check out WiPhi (Women Into Philosophy)!!! (and other UG Organizations!!!)



**YOU DON'T NEED TO BE A MAJOR OR MINOR IN PHILOSOPHY, JUST BE INTERESTED!**

## **INFO:**

WiPhi is a (mostly) all-female group ("WiPhi") with the following capacities:

- (a) Regular 'plenary' **get-togethers with snacks and coffee/drink**, funded by the dept, 3-5 times a quarter;
- (b) **Create your own agenda:** organized reading of philosophy ~~outside the canon?~~ Deepen class work? Common concerns about what it's like to be a woman in philosophy at NU? Anything goes in principle.

IMPORTANTLY: the group is in charge of the

- (c) Selection of a female great philosopher & organize an event with her for the WiPhi, issuing in a public lecture, the

**GERTRUDE BUSSEY LECTURE** (first PhD at NU 1915, with a great background story, a true role model), **FULLY FUNDED BY THE DEPARTMENT.**

- (d) Elements of this BUSSEY visit: brunch and dinner with the speaker by the WiPhi only, possibly discussion group with her, public lecture advertised and marketed as WiPhi-sponsored by the dept – **all fully paid but exclusive to WiPhi-members!**

**Additionally:** WiPhi integrates all female philosophers **regardless of their career-stage or rank**. So: WiPhi creates **MENTORING and EXCHANGE opportunities** with more advanced female peers.

## **WHY WiPhi?**

In philosophy, women are represented by 23%. Be part of making this better!

Women doing philosophy together may be more fun, who knows? Check it out!

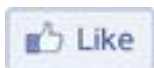
WiPhi has become one of the most active and visible groups on campus. It's COOL to be WiPhi.

## **REAL-WORLDACTIVITIES:**

- Meetings over coffee and snacks to discuss BUSSEY LECTURES and OTHER philosophy things.
- Election of Bussey lecturer ongoing.
- Outreach into (inter-)nationally regarded similar initiatives, with enthusiastic response. Joint activities with women-groups from other departments.
- Outreach to female students in other majors interested in philosophy or women in academia
- Simply hang out and philosophize over drinks and food, or any other activity **you** would like to see or do!

## **CONTACT**

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on FB: <https://www.facebook.com/NUWiPhi?fref=ts>

Also check out:

**ETHICS BOWL TEAM** (a group training ethical thinking in a case-making style that also nationally competes): Harry Xie ([harryxie2022@u.northwestern.edu](mailto:harryxie2022@u.northwestern.edu)) and Bree Hall ([breehall2021@u.northwestern.edu](mailto:breehall2021@u.northwestern.edu))

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