

## Re: What it takes to be a revolutionary thinker

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My guess is that your young stud (and mom) thought someone at the university might offer a scholarship—(or a job as a janitor working with Matt Damen). Anyway, he gets to the Dept head (how did that happen?) who ships him down the hall to a guy (PD) eating a bag lunch. PD tells the kid that physics is a lot of work—and the kid's thinking, for PD maybe...but the stud can only see himself in the role of the Dept head—big office, reserved parking space, and young staffers down the hall to call on when work needs to be done.

What do you think? :-)