



**Name:** Gary Brenner

**Years at Penn:** 13 years and 8 months

**Years at FRES:** Started here

**Job title (and brief description of job duties):**

Trades Manager Plumbers, Electricians, Masons, Carpenters, Locksmiths, & Painters.

**Have you taken any classes, received a degree, or attended any lectures at**

**Penn? If so, please describe...** Over the years multiple with HR learning, and diversity lectures when they're offered.

**Have any family members attended Penn (i.e. children, spouse)?**

No, two children Julia & Adam were in the military used the GI Bill, the next two Ryan & Michael attended college in Delaware.

**What is your proudest achievement, personal or while working at Penn?**

This December Elena and I will celebrate 32 years of marriage.

**What is your favorite building on campus?** Fisher Fine Arts.

**Favorite place on campus to eat/drink? ...to shop? ...to sit quietly? ...to gather with friends/coworkers?** Bio Pond @ Richards Building.

**What three words best describe yourself:** How can I help you? I know that's 5 words.

**What is your best habit? ...or best hidden talent?** I am very ADD I remember numbers, dates and conversations to the extreme.

**Who is your favorite hero (fictional or real life)?** The Apostle Paul.

**What is your most favorable characteristic or trait?** Not sure on that one maybe I am not the right person to answer this question.

**What talent or power would you most like to have?** Changing the past.

**What are your favorite things to do in your free time, outside of work?** Working with my hands.

**What is the best lesson you ever learned?** Forgive Easy and Knowledge Blessings.

**What characteristic or trait do you most value in your colleagues?** Daily Engagement.

**What is your motto, words to live by, or best advice?** Truth is not changeable.

**If you had an opportunity to shadow another FRES employee for a day, which department/  
job/person would you choose?** HR it must be a constant challenge in the culture of today.